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### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Report for the Quarter ending March 31, 1885.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,  
April 16, 1885.

Hon. WILLIAM R. GRACE, Mayor, City of New York:

SIR—Pursuant to section 40, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, the Board of Police of the Police Department of the City of New York hereby respectfully submits the following report of the operations and transactions of the Police Department and force for the three months ending March 31, 1885:

#### REPORT.

On the 31st day of March, 1885, the number of members of the force, of all grades, including Surgeons, was 2,821.

#### SICK TIME.

The time lost by members of the force by reason of sickness, disability, and injuries, for the quarter, and the details thereof, are shown in schedule annexed, marked "A," from which it will be seen that the time lost was 8,600½ days. Sick time paid 4,354½ " " unpaid 4,246¼ "

Amount paid for sick time lost was \$14,462 60  
" preceding quarter was 10,531 12  
Increase \$3,931 48

Total days' time of the force 251,963  
The per cent. of sick to full time was 3.42  
For the preceding quarter the per cent. was 2.45

#### APPLICATIONS FOR APPOINTMENT.

The number of persons applying for appointment as Patrolmen, and who were examined by the Surgeons with respect to their health and physical condition, was:

	Passed.	Rejected.	Total.
January	70	28	98
February	50	26	76
March	76	36	112
Totals	196	90	286

During the preceding quarter there were 107 examined; of which number 63 were passed and 44 rejected.

#### ARRESTS.

The number of persons arrested for offenses by the Police during the quarter was—

Males	12,206
Females	3,865
Total	16,071

The number arrested during the preceding quarter was 16,206, showing a decrease of 135.

Number arrested for the principal felonies was	1,092
" discharged without trial	317
" acquitted	114
" convicted	318
" sent to other authorities	25
" cases pending	318
Total	1,092

More complete details relative to arrests for felonies and other offenses appear in schedule annexed, marked "B."

#### LODGERS (see Schedule "B").

The number of lodgings furnished to indigent persons in the Police Station-houses during the quarter was—

Males	30,215
Females	16,312
Total	46,527

#### LOST CHILDREN (see Schedule "B").

The number of lost children recovered by the Police during the quarter was—

Males	199
Females	140
Total	339

Restored to parents or guardians	285
Sent to Department of Charities and Correction	42
" other institutions or authorities	12
Total	339

Schedule "B" exhibits a valuable collection of miscellaneous statistics, to which attention is respectfully called.

NOTE.—The discrepancy existing between the number arrested for particular offenses on felony report and on general report (in Schedule "B") is accounted for by the fact that the general report is made up from daily returns, and the felony report from quarterly returns. An offense charged in the station-house, at the time the arrest is made, is liable to be and frequently is changed to a greater or less offense, on evidence elicited before the magistrate.

#### HOUSE OF DETENTION FOR WITNESSES.

The number of persons committed to and detained in the House of Detention for Witnesses during the quarter was—

In detention January 1	17
Committed in January	26
" February	20
" March	27
Total	90
Discharged in January	23
" February	29
" March	24
Total	76

Remaining in detention March 31 14

The aggregate number of days' detention of witnesses was	1,460½
The number of meals furnished was	4,381
At a cost of 25 cents each	\$1,095 25

For the names of persons imprisoned and other details, see schedule annexed, marked "C."

#### SANITARY COMPANY.

The transactions of the Sanitary Company for the quarter, setting forth the number of steam boilers examined and their condition, and the number of applicants for examination as Engineers, will be found in schedule annexed, marked "D."

#### PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

The value of lost and stolen property recovered and restored to owners, and other transactions of the Property Clerk's office, will be found in schedule annexed, marked "E."

#### FINANCIAL.

The Treasurer has made payments during the quarter to the amounts following:

For account of Police Department proper	\$872,752 85
" Bureau of Elections	1,249 98
" Police Pension Fund	15,845 87
Paid to Pensioners	55,605 23
Total	\$945,453 93

For details, see schedule annexed, marked "F."

#### DISCIPLINE OF THE FORCE.

The number of charges preferred against members of the force and filed in the office of the Chief Clerk during the quarter was—

January	195
February	239
March	189
Total	623

Charges on file and undisposed of January 1 105

The disposition of the cases was as follows:

Dismissals	1
Fines	401
Reprimands	62
Complaints dismissed and withdrawn	133
No disposition	131
Total	728

By comparison with the report for the quarter ending December 31, 1884, it will be seen that there have been 3 less dismissals, 81 more fines, 37 more reprimands, 9 more complaints dismissed, and 174 more complaints made.

#### DEATHS DURING THE QUARTER.

Detective Sergeant William Adams, Detective Squad, January 7, 1885.

Patrolman James K. Phillips, Sanitary Company, January 8, 1885.

" Peter M. McSorley, Eleventh Precinct, February 2, 1885.

" William F. Murphy, Tenth Precinct, February 7, 1885.

" John Roach, Eighteenth Precinct, February 20, 1885.

" James Murray, First Precinct, February 21, 1885.

Captain Thomas Cherry, Eleventh Precinct, March 8, 1885.

Patrolman John H. Brown, Third Precinct, March 9, 1885.

" Claus Wohltman, Eleventh Precinct, March 11, 1885.

" John H. Rogers, Seventh Precinct, March 19, 1885.

Inspector Thomas W. Thorne, Second District, March 20, 1885.

Respectfully submitted,

STEPHEN B. FRENCH, President.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.



## Schedule "A."

Statement of Time Lost, by reason of Sickness, Disability, or Injuries Received in the Police Force, for the Quarter ending March 31, 1885.

PRECINCTS AND SQUADS.	Number of the Force.	Number of Days of Full Time.	Number of Days of Sick Time.	Number of Days of Sick Time Paid.	Number of Days of Sick Time Unpaid.	Proportion of Sick Time to Full Time.	Proportion of Sick Time Paid.	Proportion of Sick Time Unpaid.	Total Amount Paid for Sick Time.
First.....	101	0.093	342 1/2	171 1/2	171 1/2	3.82	1.91	1.91	\$562 92
Second.....	38	3.271	199	99 1/2	99 1/2	6.12	3.06	3.06	327 12
Third.....	113	10.170	118 1/2	59 1/4	59 1/4	1.18	0.59	0.59	194 79
Fourth.....	99	8.907	317 1/2	158 3/4	158 3/4	3.00	1.50	1.50	521 82
Fifth.....	100	8.941	584 1/2	292	292 1/2	6.52	3.26	3.26	986 36
Sixth.....	82	7.321	133	66 1/2	66 1/2	2.50	1.25	1.25	300 81
Seventh.....	65	5.340	94	47	47	1.60	0.80	0.80	154 51
Eighth.....	86	7.081	374	187	187	4.88	2.44	2.44	614 70
Ninth.....	83	7.616	452	226	226	5.80	2.90	2.90	742 82
Tenth.....	73	6.809	240	120	120	3.07	1.53	1.53	437 25
Eleventh.....	76	5.882	148	74	74	2.78	1.39	1.39	243 24
Twelfth.....	76	6.868	110	55	55	1.60	0.80	0.80	180 82
Thirteenth.....	86	5.158	340 1/2	170 1/4	170 1/4	6.72	3.36	3.36	574 43
Fourteenth.....	83	5.045	189 1/2	94 3/4	94 3/4	3.32	1.66	1.66	311 51
Fifteenth.....	82	7.107	230	115 1/2	115 1/2	3.22	1.61	1.61	392 88
Sixteenth.....	74	6.032	168	84	84	2.54	1.27	1.27	276 13
Seventeenth.....	75	6.781	203	101 1/2	101 1/2	3.00	1.50	1.50	368 18
Eighteenth.....	93	8.789	442	221	221	5.00	2.50	2.50	726 54
Nineteenth.....	76	6.871	230 1/2	115 1/4	115 1/4	3.24	1.62	1.62	378 89
Twentieth.....	75	6.600	286	143	143	4.30	2.15	2.15	470 05
Twenty-first.....	75	6.601	282 1/2	141 1/4	141 1/4	4.30	2.15	2.15	464 28
Twenty-second.....	91	8.218	413 1/2	206 3/4	206 3/4	5.00	2.50	2.50	679 65
Twenty-third.....	77	6.930	215	107 1/2	107 1/2	3.10	1.55	1.55	404 38
Twenty-fourth.....	28	2.520	38 1/2	19 1/4	19 1/4	1.48	0.74	0.74	63 28
Twenty-fifth.....	46	4.081	103 1/2	51 3/4	51 3/4	4.22	2.11	2.11	309 01
Twenty-sixth.....	57	5.130	82	41	41	1.60	0.80	0.80	134 77
Twenty-seventh.....	91	8.246	543	271 1/2	271 1/2	6.60	3.30	3.30	892 45
Twenty-eighth.....	74	6.657	153 1/2	76 3/4	76 3/4	2.82	1.41	1.41	301 58
Twenty-ninth.....	115	10.496	453 1/2	226 3/4	226 3/4	4.66	2.33	2.33	696 64
Thirtieth.....	82	4.949	125	62 1/2	62 1/2	2.66	1.33	1.33	214 31
Thirty-first.....	69	6.033	138	69	69	2.28	1.14	1.14	226 84
Thirty-second.....	67	6.091	232 1/2	116 1/4	116 1/4	3.84	1.92	1.92	382 14
Thirty-third.....	49	4.410	177	88 1/2	88 1/2	4.04	2.02	2.02	260 03
Thirty-fourth.....	37	3.420	65 1/2	32 3/4	32 3/4	1.66	0.83	0.83	107 66
Thirty-fifth.....	37	3.258	131	65 1/2	65 1/2	3.08	1.54	1.54	254 78
Sanitary Company.....	43	4.258	17 1/2	8 3/4	8 3/4	0.40	0.20	0.20	38 76
Detective Squad.....	58	5.220	6 1/2	3 1/4	3 1/4	0.12	0.06	0.06	11 51
Special Service Squad.....	1	0.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Court Squads.....	63	5.583	43	21 1/2	21 1/2	0.80	0.40	0.40	70 68
Nineteenth Sub-Precinct.....	23	2.191	54 1/2	27 1/4	27 1/4	2.58	1.29	1.29	88 76
Central Office Squad.....	38	3.140	29 1/2	14 3/4	14 3/4	0.92	0.46	0.46	48 48
House of Detention.....	4	3.60	7	3 1/2	3 1/2	1.88	0.94	0.94	11 31
Inspect on Districts.....	24	2.219	9	4 1/2	4 1/2	0.42	0.21	0.21	14 79
Totals.....	2,802	251,663	8,600 1/2	4,354 1/4	4,246 1/4	3.42	1.72	1.69	\$14,462 60

## Schedule "B."

## TABLE OF ARRESTS AND MISCELLANEOUS STATISTICS

FOR THE QUARTER ENDING MARCH 31, 1885.

Table Showing the Number of Persons Arrested during the Quarter.

PRECINCTS AND SQUADS.	MALE.	FEMALE.	TOTAL.
First.....	177	23	200
Second.....	26	3	29
Third.....	109	5	114
Fourth.....	765	212	977
Fifth.....	172	39	211
Sixth.....	899	336	1,235
Seventh.....	333	109	442
Eighth.....	370	140	510
Ninth.....	331	64	395
Tenth.....	1,380	832	2,212
Eleventh.....	273	44	317
Twelfth.....	259	38	297
Thirteenth.....	196	48	244
Fourteenth.....	449	184	633
Fifteenth.....	434	380	814
Sixteenth.....	310	72	382
Seventeenth.....	364	126	490
Eighteenth.....	484	109	593
Nineteenth.....	208	60	268
Twentieth.....	474	143	617
Twenty-first.....	490	102	592
Twenty-second.....	332	59	391
Twenty-third.....	191	32	223
Twenty-fourth.....	10	..	10
Twenty-fifth.....	91	16	107
Twenty-sixth.....	42	7	49
Twenty-seventh.....	356	46	402
Twenty-eighth.....	298	52	350
Twenty-ninth.....	612	352	964
Thirtieth.....	75	8	83
Thirty-first.....	74	7	81
Thirty-second.....	35	5	40
Thirty-third.....	80	12	92
Thirty-fourth.....	14	1	15
Thirty-fifth.....	14	1	15
Nineteenth Sub-Precinct.....	58	7	65
Detective Bureau.....	238	30	268
Sanitary Squad.....	14	2	16
Inspectors' Squad.....	18	..	18
Central Office.....	12	3	15
Court Squad.....	1,049	156	1,205
Totals.....	12,206	3,865	16,071

Table Showing the Offenses Charged against Persons Arrested.

OFFENSE.	MALE.	FEMALE.	TOTAL.
Assault and Battery.....	641	77	718
Assault, with Intent to Steal.....	3	1	4
Assault, Felonious.....	139	14	153
Arson.....	5	1	6
Abandonment.....	169	2	171
Abduction.....	6	..	6

OFFENSE.	MALE.	FEMALE.	TOTAL.
Abortion.....	1	1	2
Assault, Indecent.....	9	..	9
Attempt at Suicide.....	23	5	28
Assault.....	228	..	228
Assaulting an Officer.....	4	..	4
Attempt at Rape.....	4	..	4
Attempt at Robbery.....	8	..	8
Attempt to Rescue Prisoner.....	2	..	2
Attempt at Burglary.....	13	..	13
Burglary.....	213	1	214
Bastardy.....	58	..	58
Bigamy.....	1	1	2
Blackmail.....	1	..	1
Begging.....	..	4	4
Contempt of Court.....	11	2	13
Cruelty to Animals.....	23	1	24
Cruelty to Children.....	13	5	18
Carrying Burglar's Tools.....	1	..	1
Criminal Carelessness.....	2	..	2
Confidence Game.....	3	..	3
Disorderly Conduct.....	1,878	1,173	3,051
Deserter.....	1	..	1
Disorderly Persons.....	634	201	835
Escaped Prisoners.....	3	2	5
Embezzlement.....	2	..	2
Exposure of Person.....	9	..	9
False Pretense.....	10	..	10
Forgery.....	20	..	20
Gambling.....	32	..	32
Homicide.....	13	3	16
Intoxication.....	3,260	1,363	4,623
Intoxication and Disorderly Conduct.....	1,000	466	1,466
Insane.....	67	28	95
Interfering with Officer.....	10	4	14
Inciting Riot.....	1	..	1
Juvenile Delinquents.....	9	4	13
Keeping Disorderly House.....	15	23	38
Keeping Gambling House.....	5	..	5
Keeping Opium Den.....	1	..	1
Libel.....	1	..	1
Larceny, Grand.....	298	56	354
Larceny, Petit.....	698	103	801
Larceny, Person.....	67	17	84
Malicious Mischief.....	72	5	77
Mayhem.....	2	..	2
Misdemeanor.....	11	1	12
Maiming.....	2	..	2
Obstructing Railroad.....	8	..	8
Perjury.....	4	1	5
Personating Officer.....	3	..	3
Passing Counterfeit Money.....	17	1	18
Robbery.....	53	3	56
Reckless Driving.....	97	..	97
Receiving Stolen Goods.....	24	3	27
Rape.....	8	..	8
Reckless Blasting.....	8	..	8
Rescuing Prisoner.....	1	2	3
Surrendered Bail.....	15	2	17
Suspicious Persons.....	643	52	695
Seduction.....	7	..	7
Soliciting.....	..	2	2
Truancy.....	19	19	38
Threatening Life.....	1	..	1
Usury.....	2	..	2
Vagrancy.....	608	173	781
Violation of Corporation Ordinances.....	333	12	345
Violation of Health Law.....	40	2	42
Violation of Excise Law.....	508	23	531
Violation of Lottery Law.....	8	..	8
Violation of Sunday Law.....	37	3	40
Violation of Penal Code.....	23	1	24
Violation of Postal Law.....	1	..	1
Violation of United States Revenue Law.....	2	1	3
Violation of chapter 209, Laws of 1880.....	1	..	1
Violation of Theatre Law.....	3	..	3
Violation of Hotel Act.....	2	1	3
Violation of chapter 202, Laws of 1884.....	4	..	4
Violation of Pool Law.....	11	..	11
Violation of Opium Act.....	6	..	6
Violation of Railroad Act.....	2	..	2
Violation of Election Law.....	1	..	1
Violation of Auction Law.....	2	..	2
Witness.....	2	..	2
Totals.....	12,206	3,865	16,071

Table Showing the Places of Nativity of Persons Arrested.

NATION OR COUNTRY.	MALE.	FEMALE.	TOTAL.
United States.....	5,890	1,582	7,472
United States—Black.....	200	181	381
Ireland.....	2,786	1,557	4,343
Germany.....	1,803	248	2,051
England.....	415	143	558
Scotland.....	122	41	163
British Provinces.....	71	23	94
France.....	120	32	152
Italy.....	394	15	409
Spain and Cuba.....	14	1	15
Norway and Sweden.....	47	5	52
Russia.....	72	2	74
Poland.....	124	15	139
Turkey and Greece.....	7	..	7
Austria.....	32	2	34
China.....	14	..	14
Denmark.....	17	1	18
Holland.....	8	..	8
Switzerland.....	12	..	12
Mexico.....	3	..	3
Bohemia.....	12	4	16
Hungary.....	27	10	37
Belgium.....	3	1	4
West Indies.....	6	..	6
Australia.....	2	1	3
All other countries.....	5	1	6
Totals.....	12,206	3,865	16,071



Table Showing the Classified Ages of Persons Arrested.

	MALE.	FEMALE.	TOTAL.
Under twenty years .....	1,672	302	1,974
Twenty to thirty years .....	4,422	1,370	5,792
Thirty to forty years .....	3,131	1,021	4,152
Forty to fifty years .....	1,879	762	2,641
Over fifty years .....	1,102	410	1,512
Totals .....	12,206	3,865	16,071

Table Showing the Social Condition of Persons Arrested.

	MALE.	FEMALE.	TOTAL.
Married .....	4,034	1,273	5,307
Single .....	8,172	2,592	10,764
Totals .....	12,206	3,865	16,071

Table Showing Degree of Education of Persons Arrested.

	MALE.	FEMALE.	TOTAL.
Able to read and write .....	11,881	3,641	15,522
No education .....	325	224	549
Totals .....	12,206	3,865	16,071

Table Showing the Occupations of Persons Arrested.

Agents .....	104	Frame-makers .....	6
Actors .....	18	Flower-makers .....	11
Artists .....	10	Framers .....	11
Auctioneers .....	2	Furniture-dealer .....	1
Architects .....	3	Fruit-dealers .....	11
Actress .....	1	Foremen .....	8
Author .....	1	Grocers .....	47
Blacksmiths .....	60	Gas and steam fitters .....	34
Bakers .....	120	Gold and silver smiths .....	8
Butchers .....	134	Gardeners .....	11
Barbers .....	70	Glass-workers .....	8
Brokers .....	36	Gilders .....	4
Bartenders .....	304	Glazier .....	1
Bootblacks .....	30	Glove-makers .....	2
Brass-finishers .....	24	Housekeepers .....	227
Bookbinders .....	22	Hatters .....	48
Bookkeepers .....	26	Hostlers .....	37
Bill-posters .....	3	Horseshoers .....	12
Boiler-makers .....	34	Hotel-keepers .....	7
Box-makers .....	14	Hackmen .....	14
Builders .....	8	Horse-dealers .....	7
Brewers .....	7	Harness-makers .....	29
Brush-makers .....	13	Houseworkers .....	686
Brakemen .....	3	Ice-men .....	3
Boatmen .....	34	Inspectors .....	5
Bricklayers .....	30	Iron-workers .....	10
Boarding-house keepers .....	12	Insurance patrol .....	1
Bell-boy .....	1	Junkmen .....	41
Bag-makers .....	2	Jewelers .....	37
Bottlers .....	3	Janitors .....	19
Basket-makers .....	3	Jockeys .....	2
Boxers .....	3	Keeper .....	1
Bookfolder .....	1	Liquor-dealers .....	137
Clerks .....	591	Laundresses .....	33
Carpenters .....	192	Lawyers .....	21
Cartmen .....	27	Lock and gun smiths .....	7
Coachmen .....	18	Lithographers .....	5
Coopers .....	39	Laborers .....	2,928
Cooks .....	107	Laundrymen .....	8
Cabinet-makers .....	19	Lathers .....	7
Cigar-makers .....	107	Lumber inspector .....	1
Carriage-makers .....	6	Merchants .....	33
Confectioners .....	5	Machinists .....	96
Cutters .....	25	Messengers .....	31
Carvers .....	8	Musicians .....	21
Caulkers .....	4	Milkmen .....	12
Contractors .....	14	Masons .....	72
Coal-dealer .....	1	Moulders .....	75
Carpet-maker .....	1	Manufacturers .....	6
Chandler .....	1	Miners .....	2
Conductors .....	21	Milliners .....	9
Collectors .....	12	Miller .....	1
Clothiers .....	12	Midwives .....	4
Canvassers .....	15	Managers .....	5
Coppersmiths .....	3	Newsboys .....	35
Cutlers .....	7	Nurses .....	4
Cashiers .....	5	Oystermen .....	45
Clergymen .....	2	Operators (sewing machine) .....	7
Cap-makers .....	3	Opticians .....	2
Cash boys .....	3	Organ-grinders .....	2
Caterers .....	2	Prostitutes .....	307
Drivers .....	572	Painters .....	173
Druggists .....	17	Peddlers .....	344
Dyers .....	7	Printers .....	221
Dentist .....	1	Plasterers .....	35
Dress-makers .....	39	Porters .....	52
Dry goods dealers .....	9	Plumbers .....	96
Deputy sheriff .....	1	Policemen .....	5
Decorators .....	2	Photographers .....	13
Draftsman .....	1	Physicians .....	16
Engineers .....	63	Piano-makers .....	15
Expressmen .....	26	Polishers .....	11
Engravers .....	9	Paper-hangers .....	4
Editors and reporters .....	20	Platers .....	9
Errand boys .....	26	Produce-dealers .....	10
Electrotypers .....	1	Publishers .....	10
Electricians .....	2	Pocketbooks .....	5
Farmers .....	37	Paper-makers .....	2
Florists .....	11	Pilots .....	4
Furriers .....	9	Packers .....	3
Firemen .....	45	Potters .....	2

Paver .....	1	Surveyors .....	3
Pump-maker .....	1	Scavengers .....	2
Roofers .....	22	Second-hand dealers .....	2
Riggers .....	3	Tailors .....	144
Rag-pickers .....	14	Tinsmiths .....	58
Runners .....	3	Tobacconists .....	19
Restaurant-keepers .....	10	Turners .....	5
Servants .....	159	Teachers .....	8
Sailors .....	147	Telegraphers .....	11
Shoemakers .....	135	Tanners .....	4
Seamstresses .....	35	Upholsterers .....	22
Saloon-keepers .....	206	Umbrella-makers .....	6
Stone-cutters .....	37	Undertakers .....	2
School children .....	54	Ushers .....	2
Storekeepers .....	10	Venders .....	104
Salesmen .....	47	Varnishers .....	16
Sail-makers .....	7	Waiters .....	189
Soldiers .....	15	Waitresses .....	13
Speculators .....	21	Weavers .....	16
Stewards .....	6	Weighers .....	2
Students .....	4	Watchmen .....	22
Stenographer .....	1	Wheelwrights .....	4
Superintendents .....	2	Whitewashers .....	4
Singer .....	1	Wrestlers .....	2
Spinner .....	1	All other occupations .....	7
Sawyers .....	6	No occupation .....	4,966
Saw-filer .....	1		
Sugar refiners .....	3		
Switchman .....	1		
		Total .....	16,071

Table Showing the Number of Lodgings furnished to Indigent Persons during the Quarter.

PRECINCT.	MALE.	FEMALE.	TOTAL.
Fourth .....	5,182	1,885	7,067
Fifth .....	800	397	1,197
Sixth .....	3,142	1,956	5,098
Seventh .....	2,571	819	3,390
Ninth .....	41	10	51
Tenth .....	1,646	1,110	2,756
Eleventh .....	1,356	1,163	2,519
Twelfth .....	630	34	664
Thirteenth .....	1,436	1,450	2,886
Fifteenth .....	1,247	1,300	2,547
Seventeenth .....	39	557	596
Eighteenth .....	2,084	1,404	3,488
Nineteenth .....	1,901	991	2,892
Twentieth .....	326	331	657
Twenty-first .....	1,720	910	2,630
Twenty-second .....	1,030	631	1,661
Twenty-third .....	803	36	839
Twenty-seventh .....	364	647	1,011
Twenty-ninth .....	1,104	661	1,765
Thirty-first .....	394	5	399
Thirty-second .....	1,501	9	1,570
Thirty-third .....	445	4	449
Thirty-fourth .....	12	2	14
Thirty-fifth .....	381	.....	381
Totals .....	30,215	16,312	46,527

Miscellaneous Statistics.

Persons aided by Police—	
Sick and destitute .....	487
Insane .....	37
Injured in assaults and affrays .....	54
Taken with fits in street .....	75
Run over .....	53
Injured by falling .....	477
Received cuts .....	35
Scalded .....	7
Shot .....	9
Suffering from burns .....	19
Suffering from stab wounds .....	23
Crushed and bruised .....	57
Taken sick in street .....	88
Rescued from drowning .....	12
Overcome by cold .....	10
Suffering from alcoholism .....	21
Thrown from vehicle .....	24
Attempted suicide .....	23
Suffering from labor pains .....	9
Injured by explosion .....	2
Kicked by horses .....	7
Total .....	1,529
Conveyed to hospital .....	1,494
Conveyed to home .....	35
	1,529

Buildings secured by Police—

Stores .....	184
Dwellings .....	18
Basements .....	10
Cellars .....	13
Saloons .....	2
Stables .....	3
Offices .....	9
Shops .....	13
Factories .....	8
Hotel .....	1
Church .....	1
Total .....	262

Suicides—

By poison .....	6
By hanging .....	6
By shooting .....	16
By drowning .....	1
By knife .....	1
Total .....	30

Fires, number reported .....	520
Animals found astray, number reported .....	14
Sudden deaths, number reported .....	220
Foundlings, number reported .....	23



Persons found drowned, number reported.....	11
Croton water found running and turned off, number of times.....	8
Runaway teams, number reported.....	5
Foetuses found, number reported.....	9
Dead infants found, number reported.....	24
Mad dogs shot, number reported.....	6
Still-born children, number reported.....	1
Vessels collided, number reported.....	1
Violations of Corporation Ordinances, number reported.....	74,451
Dead bodies found, number reported.....	15
Boat sunk, number reported.....	3

## Fatal accidents—

By drowning.....	11
By being run over.....	8
By gas suffocation.....	8
Total.....	27

## Lost Children.

Number of males.....	199
Number of females.....	140
Total.....	339

Restored to parents or guardians.....	208
Brought to Central Office.....	131
Total.....	339

## Disposition of those brought to Central Office—

Restored to parents or guardians.....	77
Sent to Commissioners of Charities and Correction.....	42
Sent to Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Children.....	12
Total.....	131

## Felony Report for Quarter ending March 31, 1885.

	NUMBER ARRESTS.			DISPOSITION OF CASES.					
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Discharged without Trial.	Acquitted.	Convicted.	Sent to other Authorities.	Died.	Pending.
Arson.....	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1
Abduction.....	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1
Attempt at Suicide.....	16	3	19	19	6	2	1	1	3
Attempt at Burglary.....	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1
Attempt at Rape.....	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1
Attempt at Robbery.....	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1
Burglary.....	240	1	241	52	22	106	11	1	50
Bigamy.....	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1
Crime against Nature.....	3	1	4	1	1	2	1	1	1
Embezzlement.....	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1
Felony Assault.....	139	7	146	35	18	27	1	1	66
Forgery.....	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1
False Pretense.....	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1
Grand Larceny.....	258	43	301	96	27	89	5	1	84
Homicide.....	20	0	20	7	6	1	1	1	12
Larceny from Person.....	48	16	64	19	6	19	1	1	20
Mayhem.....	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1
Manslaughter.....	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1
Passing Counterfeit Money.....	11	1	12	1	1	1	1	1	1
Perjury.....	9	2	11	4	2	2	1	1	1
Robbery.....	66	4	70	17	14	20	1	1	19
Receiving Stolen Goods.....	22	1	23	10	2	1	1	1	10
Rape.....	10	1	11	4	2	1	1	1	3
Seduction.....	3	1	4	2	1	1	1	1	1
Violation of Election Law.....	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1
Totals.....	998	94	1,092	317	114	318	25	1	318

## Schedule "C."

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
HOUSE OF DETENTION,  
NEW YORK, April 1, 1885.

WILLIAM H. KIPP, Chief Clerk:

SIR—In compliance with the rules of the Department, I respectfully submit the following report for the quarter ending March 31, 1885, of the names of persons detained as witnesses during the months of January, February and March, 1885, together with the offense in which they were detained to give evidence, and the date of their commitment and discharge.

Respectfully,

TEUNIS V. HOLBROW, Sergeant in Command.

## Committed, January, 1885.

NAMES.	OFFENSES CHARGED.	COMMITTED.	DISCHARGED.
Michael H. Burns.....	Robbery.....	Jan. 3, 1885	Mar. 6, 1885
Walter Roach.....	Burglary.....	" 3, "	Jan. 29, "
Martha Kane.....	Felony Assault and Battery.....	" 6, "	" 16, "
Michael Gallagher.....	Homicide.....	" 6, "	Feb. 17, "
Kittie Wilson.....	Disorderly House.....	" 7, "	Jan. 12, "
Emma White.....	".....	" 8, "	" 12, "
Kittie Fallon.....	".....	" 8, "	" 10, "
John M. Frost.....	Felony Assault.....	" 9, "	Feb. 2, "
Edwin Webster.....	".....	" 9, "	" 2, "
John Fletcher.....	Robbery.....	" 11, "	Jan. 16, "
Minnie Throckmorton.....	Grand Larceny.....	" 13, "	" 14, "
Felix Luigi.....	Robbery.....	" 15, "	" 30, "
Emma White.....	Disorderly House.....	" 17, "	" 26, "
Kate Fallon.....	".....	" 18, "	" 26, "
Minnie Ettinger.....	Assault and Battery.....	" 18, "	" 20, "
Jeremiah Lenehan.....	Robbery.....	" 21, "	Feb. 5, "
Barbara Hahn.....	Disorderly House.....	" 21, "	Jan. 28, "
Pauline Thurman.....	".....	" 21, "	" 28, "
Frances Tembrook.....	".....	" 21, "	" 28, "
Jennie Melton.....	".....	" 21, "	" 28, "
Catharine V. Goodenough.....	Felony Assault and Battery.....	" 24, "	No.
Robert Frank.....	Robbery.....	" 27, "	Jan. 30, 1885
William Harris.....	Felony Assault and Battery.....	" 29, "	Feb. 5, "
William Connors.....	".....	" 29, "	" 2, "
James McGinlay.....	Robbery.....	" 29, "	" 19, "
Addie Asher.....	Attempt at Rape.....	" 31, "	" 24, "

## Committed, February, 1885.

NAMES.	OFFENSES CHARGED.	COMMITTED.	DISCHARGED.
John McCabe.....	Burglary.....	Feb. 3, 1885	Feb. 5, 1885
Ann Moore.....	Homicide.....	" 3, "	" 4, "
Louis Bulgar.....	Disorderly House.....	" 4, "	" 5, "
Wm. H. Larkin.....	Homicide.....	" 5, "	No.
Harry Williams.....	Burglary.....	" 6, "	Feb. 11, 1885
James Ryan.....	".....	" 7, "	" 25, "
Gennora Granato.....	Felony Assault.....	" 8, "	" 12, "
Mary Davis.....	Disorderly House.....	" 11, "	" 17, "
John McEvoy.....	Grand Larceny.....	" 11, "	" 13, "
Richard O'Gorman.....	Larceny from Person.....	" 13, "	Mar. 3, 1885
James Coulahan.....	Homicide.....	" 16, "	No.
Alice Kelly.....	Felony Assault and Battery.....	" 17, "	Feb. 26, 1885
Thomas Connolly.....	Robbery.....	" 18, "	Mar. 13, "
Daniel Walters.....	Felony Assault and Battery.....	" 21, "	" 11, "
Thomas Gannon.....	".....	" 22, "	No.
Walter N. Howard.....	Robbery.....	" 22, "	Feb. 24, 1885
Lena Cohen.....	Assault.....	" 23, "	Mar. 11, "
Alfred Kuttner.....	Grand Larceny.....	" 26, "	No.
John Eastman.....	Robbery.....	" 28, "	Mar. 3, "

## Committed, March, 1885.

NAMES.	OFFENSES CHARGED.	COMMITTED.	DISCHARGED.
Alonso Speight.....	Felony Assault and Battery.....	Mar. 2, 1885	Mar. 6, 1885
John Rocco.....	Grand Larceny and Receiving Stolen Goods.....	" 2, "	" 3, "
William Bunting.....	Grand Larceny.....	" 5, "	" 11, "
James P. Davis.....	Robbery.....	" 7, "	" 20, "
George Melton.....	Grand Larceny.....	" 7, "	" 11, "
Nellie Smith.....	Disorderly House.....	" 8, "	" 17, "
Rosie Mayer.....	".....	" 8, "	" 17, "
John Banfield.....	Robbery.....	" 9, "	No.
William Snyder.....	".....	" 9, "	" 9, "
Henry Lissner.....	".....	" 9, "	Mar. 10, 1885
Abraham Gallick.....	Assault and Battery.....	" 11, "	" 26, "
Emma McCaulay.....	Disorderly House.....	" 13, "	" 17, "
John McKeon.....	".....	" 13, "	" 17, "
John P. Wright.....	Robbery.....	" 15, "	" 16, "
Maggie Brownie.....	".....	" 17, "	No.
John Quinn.....	Assault and Battery.....	" 19, "	Mar. 24, 1885
John Johnson.....	Petit Larceny.....	" 19, "	" 25, "
Godfrey Zenscher.....	Homicide.....	" 24, "	" 31, "
Henry Richard.....	".....	" 24, "	" 30, "
Otto Lungen.....	".....	" 24, "	No.
Augustus Davenport.....	Cruelty to Animals.....	" 26, "	" 26, "
Ida Dryfus.....	Disorderly House.....	" 26, "	" 26, "
Charles Peters.....	Robbery.....	" 27, "	" 27, "
Frank Williams.....	Petit Larceny.....	" 29, "	Mar. 31, 1885
William Foley.....	Homicide.....	" 30, "	No.
Henry F. Kelly.....	".....	" 30, "	" 30, "
John Rosa.....	Robbery.....	" 31, "	" 31, "

## RECAPITULATION.

Remaining in House December 31, 1884.....	17
Committed during January, 1885.....	26
Total.....	43
Discharged during January, 1885.....	23
Remaining in House February 1, 1885.....	20
Committed during February, 1885.....	20
Total.....	40
Discharged during February, 1885.....	29
Remaining in House March 1, 1885.....	11
Committed during March, 1885.....	27
Total.....	38
Discharged during March, 1885.....	24
Remaining in House April 1, 1885.....	14
1,460½ days, 4,381 meals, at 25 cents.....	\$1,095 25

## Schedule "D."

## REPORT OF THE SANITARY COMPANY, MUNICIPAL POLICE.

For the Quarter ending March 31, 1885.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
SANITARY COMPANY,  
NEW YORK, April 1, 1885.

S. B. FRENCH, Esq.,

President of the Board of Police of the Police Department of the City of New York:

SIR—In conformity with the rules of the Department, I herewith transmit to you the report of this branch of the New York City Police, for the quarter ending March 31, 1885, said report containing the number of steam boilers examined, tested hydrostatically, and their condition; the number of applicants examined as to their qualifications as engineers, to take charge of stationary and portable steam boilers and engines in this city; also the amount of money received for engineers' certificates, and paid over to the Treasurer of the Police Pension Fund, in compliance with chapter 180 of the Laws of 1884, passed April 21, 1884.

Respectfully submitted,

WASHINGTON MULLIN,

Sergeant in Command, Sanitary Company.

For the quarter ending March 31, 1885, there have been 1,187 applicants examined for engineers' certificates, to take charge of stationary and portable steam boilers and engines. Each applicant has been examined as to his experience, qualification, and knowledge of steam boilers. Of this number 924 passed a satisfactory examination, and have been granted certificates, 182 have been transferred, and 81 rejected.

## Recapitulation.

Number of examinations.....	1,187
Of which number were renewals.....	732
" " first examinations.....	219
" " second examinations.....	49
" " third examinations.....	5
Number of certificates transferred.....	182
Total number of examinations.....	1,187
Total number of examinations.....	1,187
Of which number were refused certificates on first examination.....	73
" " " second examination.....	8
Total number refused certificates.....	81
Transferred.....	182
Total number of certificates issued.....	924
Of which number were first class.....	248
" " " second class.....	409
" " " third class.....	234
" " " members of the New York Fire Department.....	33
Total number of certificates issued.....	924
For which, at \$2 each, was received the sum of.....	\$1,848 00



## Steam Boilers.

Number of steam boilers examined.....	805
“ “ tested hydrostatically.....	734
“ “ not tested (no motive power).....	31
“ “ “ (defective).....	17
“ “ “ (insured).....	4
“ “ “ (not in use).....	19
Total.....	805

Number of steam boilers defective.....	17
“ “ removed and replaced by others.....	13
“ steam gauges defective.....	13
“ steam joints and connections defective.....	4
Total defects.....	47

Number of steam boilers defective.....	17
“ “ repaired.....	11
“ “ under repairs.....	6
“ steam gauges repaired.....	5
“ “ under repairs.....	8
“ steam joints and connections repaired.....	4
“ steam boilers removed and replaced by others.....	13
Total.....	47

## Schedule "E."

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, March 31, 1885.

To STEPHEN B. FRENCH, Esq., President of the Board of Police:

SIR—I hereby respectfully submit a report of the business of this office for the quarter ending March 31, 1885.

Respectfully,

JOHN F. HARRIOT, Property Clerk.

Number of lots received for quarter ending March 31, 1885.....	375
“ delivered.....	161

The value of property delivered from this office, as estimated by the various parties receiving the same, for the quarter ending March 31, 1885.....	\$11,614 70
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There was also delivered by the several Precincts, Court and Detective Squads, according to the weekly returns for the quarter ending March 31, 1885.....	\$209,183 59
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PRECINCTS.	AMOUNT.	PRECINCTS.	AMOUNT.	PRECINCTS.	AMOUNT.
First.....	\$2,317 22	Nineteenth.....	\$12,316 52	Thirty-fifth.....	\$863 50
Fourth.....	4,016 54	Twentieth.....	9,508 76	Nineteenth Sub.....	384 04
Fifth.....	20,394 77	Twenty-first.....	7,641 97	Detective Bureau Squad	
Sixth.....	2,954 70	Twenty-second.....	15,301 85	Steamboat Squad (Third)	
Seventh.....	4,873 01	Twenty-third.....	5,787 55	Second.....	1,668 15
Eighth.....	7,939 68	Twenty-fourth.....	810 00	First Court.....	
Ninth.....	6,473 26	Twenty-fifth.....	1,593 90	Second Court.....	
Tenth.....	4,486 76	Twenty-sixth.....	602 50	Third Court.....	
Eleventh.....	1,671 23	Twenty-seventh.....	3,965 10	Fourth Court.....	
Twelfth.....	3,778 39	Twenty-eighth.....	12,415 69	Fifth Court.....	
Thirteenth.....	3,547 47	Twenty-ninth.....	19,181 55	Sanitary Company.....	
Fourteenth.....	3,373 36	Thirtieth.....	5,022 14	Special Service Squad.....	
Fifteenth.....	9,857 90	Thirty-first.....	1,990 60	First Inspection District	
Sixteenth.....	8,209 27	Thirty-second.....	1,397 60	Second.....	
Seventeenth.....	6,314 08	Thirty-third.....	4,508 13	Total.....	\$209,183 59
Eighteenth.....	13,781 45	Thirty-fourth.....	45 00		

## Schedule "F."

THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

Disbursements for the Quarter ending March 31, 1885.

ACCOUNTS.	JANUARY.	FEBRUARY.	MARCH.	TOTAL.
Commissioners.....	\$1,666 64	\$1,666 64	\$1,666 64	\$4,999 92
Superintendent.....	500 00	500 00	500 00	1,500 00
Inspectors.....	1,166 64	1,166 64	1,098 13	3,371 41
Surgeons.....	3,125 00	3,125 00	3,125 00	9,375 00
Captains.....	5,850 56	5,231 16	5,735 78	16,817 50
Sergeants.....	19,627 21	17,721 29	20,210 08	57,558 58
Patrolmen.....	239,303 59	215,718 03	238,168 66	693,190 28
Doormen.....	5,996 08	5,343 74	5,939 36	17,279 18
Detective Sergeants.....	5,415 87	4,999 20	5,435 60	15,760 67
Provisional Employment.....	1,388 93	1,525 85	2,069 79	5,014 57
Police Pension Fund.....	4,912 82	4,973 55	5,959 50	15,845 87
Tenement and Lodging-house Squad.....	2,971 83	2,755 75	3,057 30	8,784 88
Clerical.....	4,031 84	4,108 26	4,108 26	12,248 36
“ Telegraph.....	843 90	882 86	949 99	2,676 75
“ Employees.....	1,350 57	1,313 06	1,381 66	4,045 29
Election Expenses—Salaries.....	416 66	416 66	416 66	1,249 98
Contingent Expenses—Central Department.....	102 50	223 74	193 55	519 79
Expenses of Detectives.....	36 00	604 41	675 86	1,316 27
Supplies for Police.....	1,637 05	4,040 37	4,441 85	10,119 27
Police Station-houses—Alterations, Fitting-up, Additions to, and Repairs.....	1,046 66	2,101 68	1,926 62	5,074 96
Totals.....	\$304,390 35	\$278,327 89	\$307,630 29	\$887,348 53

Police Pension Fund—Pensions.....	\$55,605 23
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Police Department, from January 1, 1885—Account of 1884.

Supplies for Police.....	\$1,548 40
Contingent Expenses—Central Department.....	526 45
Expenses of Detectives.....	425 32
Total.....	\$2,500 17

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Report for the Quarter ending March 31, 1885.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, April 11, 1885.

Hon. WM. R. GRACE, Mayor:

DEAR SIR—In pursuance of section 27, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, I have the honor to transmit the following report of the operations and transactions of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, for the three months ending March 31, 1885.

Very respectfully,

THOMAS S. BRENNAN, President.

Census Report for the Quarter ending March 31, 1885.

INSTITUTIONS.	Remaining Dec. 31, 1884.	Admitted.	Discharged.	Transferred.	Returned.	Died.	Eloped.	Adopted.	Pardoned.	Executed.	Remaining Mar. 31, 1885.
City Prisons.....	477	10,640	4,564	5,991	....	....	....	....	....	....	562
Bellevue Hospital.....	538	2,739	2,455	....	....	256	....	....	....	....	566
Workhouse Help.....	31	162	165	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	28
Ninety-ninth Street Hospital.....	22	219	49	142	....	25	3	....	....	....	22
Workhouse Help.....	4	4	4	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	4
Charity and Maternity Hospitals.....	876	1,745	1,481	57	....	150	....	....	....	....	933
Workhouse Help.....	60	170	135	22	....	....	....	....	....	....	73
Hospital for Nervous Diseases.....	37	19	21	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	34
Penitentiary.....	1,111	548	521	2	....	4	....	....	....	....	1,130
Alms-house.....	1,585	592	624	2	....	98	....	....	....	....	1,453
Workhouse Help.....	46	99	104	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	41
Incurable Hospital.....	85	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	85
Workhouse.....	105	18	2	....	....	16	....	....	....	....	105
Lunatic Asylum, B. I.....	1,439	5,151	5,278	1,675	1,665	53	9	....	....	....	1,240
Workhouse Help.....	1,508	152	40	19	1	40	....	....	....	....	1,562
Homoeopathic Hospital—	58	163	152	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	69
Patients.....	417	896	824	....	....	86	....	....	....	....	403
Insane Patients.....	149	4	1	....	....	4	....	....	....	....	148
Workhouse Help.....	72	141	142	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	71
Inebriate Asylum.....	2	1	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	2
Insane Asylum, W. I.....	1,509	165	31	6	....	55	....	....	....	....	1,582
Workhouse Help.....	40	61	74	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	27
Randall's Island Hospital—	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Children.....	280	70	35	4	....	11	....	....	....	....	300
Adults.....	125	201	182	3	....	25	....	....	....	....	116
Insane Patients.....	131	3	....	1	....	1	....	....	....	....	132
Epileptics.....	31	7	....	3	....	1	....	....	....	....	34
Workhouse Help.....	107	165	163	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	109
Idiot Asylum.....	253	9	6	....	....	8	....	....	....	....	248
Infants' Hospital—	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Children.....	242	236	78	....	....	202	....	4	....	....	194
Adults.....	109	94	116	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	87
Workhouse Help.....	54	99	77	8	....	....	....	....	....	....	68
Branch Workhouse.....	2	....	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Workhouse Help.....	274	361	278	52	....	....	5	....	....	....	300
Branch Lunatic Asylum.....	495	15	1	....	....	9	....	....	....	....	500
Workhouse Help.....	47	38	45	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	40
Hart's Island Hospital.....	261	133	109	....	....	20	....	....	....	....	265
Workhouse Help.....	32	40	42	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	30
Randall's Island Farm.....	19	33	30	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	21
Colored Home and Hospital.....	259	180	113	....	....	37	....	....	....	....	289
New York Catholic Protectory.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Institution of Mercy.....	6	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	6
Nursery and Child's Hospital.....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1
Total.....	12,899	25,373	17,944	7,989	1,666	1,102	17	4	2	....	12,890

Report of General Bookkeeper for Three Months ending March 31, 1885.

For Supplies.....	\$190,213 85
“ Salaries.....	91,235 88
“ Repairs to B. and A.....	3,610 67
“ Transportation of paupers, coffins, etc., and medicines to Out-door Poor.....	573 32
“ Distribution of coal to Out-door Poor.....	9,399 00
Total.....	\$295,032 72

## OUT-DOOR POOR DEPARTMENT.

QUARTERLY REPORT FOR THE THREE MONTHS ENDING MARCH 31, 1885.

Admissions to the different Institutions from Central Office.

## ADULTS.

To Examining Physician.....	4,941
“ Charity Hospital (direct).....	560
“ Homoeopathic Hospital (direct).....	3
“ Alms-house.....	465
“ Workhouse.....	79
“ Randall's Island.....	150
“ Colored Home.....	185
Total.....	6,383

## CHILDREN.

To Nursery Hospital.....	79
“ Infants' Hospital.....	236
Total.....	315

Discharged—To parents and guardians.....	122
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Out-door Poor interments in City Cemetery.....	452
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Requisitions granted on complaints of abandonment.....	215
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Transportation has been afforded to seventy-eight sick and destitute persons to reach their homes, and thereby preventing them from becoming a charge to this county.  
There has also been one hundred and sixty-eight insane, sick and destitute persons committed to the State Alms-house at Flatbush, there to be cared for by the State Board of Charities, thus relieving this Department of their care and maintenance.

Very respectfully,

WILLIAM BLAKE, Superintendent.

Quarterly Report of the Examining Physician.

OFFICE OF THE EXAMINING PHYSICIAN,  
NEW YORK, April 9, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction:

SIRS—I hereby transmit for your consideration the report for the third quarter, ending March 31, 1885:

Number of applicants during January, 1885.....	2,428
“ “ February, 1885.....	2,064
“ “ March, 1885.....	2,196
Total.....	6,688



	JANUARY.	FEBRUARY.	MARCH.	TOTAL.
Number of Patients assigned to—				
Bellevue Hospital.....	978	789	763	2,530
Charity Hospital.....	570	501	573	1,644
Homoeopathic Hospital.....	332	307	299	938
Emergency Hospital.....	..	3	5	8
Epileptic and Paralytic Hospital.....	9	4	7	20
Randall's Island Hospital.....	65	70	49	184
Hart's Island Hospital.....	35	26	44	105
Bureau of Medical and Surgical Relief for Out-door Poor.....	209	171	205	585
Number of applicants rejected.....	209	171	205	585
Number of applicants refusing to go to Hospital.....	13	8	24	45
Number of applicants referred to Department of Emigration.....	6	11	15	32
Number of cases of contagious diseases referred to Department of Health.....	2	3	7	12
Total.....	2,428	2,064	2,196	6,688

Respectfully submitted,  
THEO. PARKER, Examining Physician.

STOREHOUSE, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND,  
NEW YORK, April 8, 1885.

Hon. THOS. S. BRENNAN, President:

SIR—I have the honor to submit herewith my report of the transactions of this Department during quarter ending March 31, 1885.

The total receipts of supplies and materials amounted to \$242,514.03, of which amount there was expended, on account of contract, for—

Coal.....	\$42,399 26
Meats.....	45,502 34
Flour.....	32,960 00
Milk.....	12,954 77
Fish.....	4,425 70
Poultry.....	1,622 75
Vegetables.....	568 48
And for sundry supplies, material, etc., including purchases in open market.....	102,080 73
Total.....	\$242,514 03

Supplies, represented by the \$102,080.73 only being liable to rejection by Storekeeper, I rejected, as inferior to samples, goods amounting to \$15,705.26, which were subsequently replaced by the contractors.

As Chief of the Manufacturing Bureau, I report the following results, viz.:

#### Blackwell's Island Bakery.

Bread made during month of—	
January.....	544,821 pounds.
February.....	489,289 "
March.....	514,695 "
Total.....	1,548,805 pounds.

#### Hart's Island Bakery.

Bread made during month of—	
January.....	46,800 pounds.
February.....	42,760 "
March.....	44,910 "
Total.....	134,470 pounds.

#### Blackwell's Island Gas Works.

Gas made during month of—	
January.....	1,073,005 cu. feet.
February.....	895,421 "
March.....	829,674 "
Total.....	2,798,100 cu. feet.

#### Ward's Island Gas Works.

Gas made during month of—	
January.....	333,300 cu. feet.
February.....	290,000 "
March.....	274,000 "
Total.....	897,300 cu. feet.

#### Randall's Island Gas Works.

Gas made during month of—	
January.....	122,100 cu. feet.
February.....	119,200 "
March.....	174,800 "
Total.....	416,100 cu. feet.

#### Clothing Bureau.

Number of garments cut and made during the three months:

Coats.....	1,150
Pants, pairs.....	1,689
Vests.....	602
Caps.....	1,178
Mittens, pairs.....	1,485
Suspenders, pairs.....	1,248
Dresses.....	3,140
Chemises.....	3,818
Petticoats.....	1,789
Drawers.....	1,200
Night-gowns.....	1,000
Baby dresses.....	800
“ shirts.....	800
“ petticoats.....	900
“ hoods and cloaks.....	400
“ diapers.....	1,000
Bed-spreads.....	535
Sheets.....	4,848
Pillow-cases.....	2,749
Bed-ticks.....	1,350
Pillow-ticks.....	1,025
Towels.....	1,403
Men's shirts.....	4,562
Shrouds.....	1,400
Aprons.....	650
Miscellaneous.....	1,400
Total.....	41,190

#### Tin Shops.

Made during the quarter:

Bake-pans.....	34
Boilers.....	28
Bread-boxes.....	36
Candlesticks.....	42
Coal-hods.....	50
Cups.....	1,000
Coffee-cans.....	38
Colander.....	1
Dippers.....	201
Dish-pans.....	100
Dust-pans.....	200
Fog-horns.....	2
Gutter-straps.....	75
Measures.....	20
Milk-pans.....	6
Mess-pans.....	1,111
Oil-cans.....	3
Pie-pans.....	3
Pails.....	136
Sauce-pans.....	7
Tea-kettles.....	31
Wash-basins.....	200
Stove-pipe, feet.....	40
Elbows.....	6
Total.....	3,370

#### Carpenter Shop.

Made during the quarter:

Coffins.....	908
Bed blocks.....	1,425
Bed screens.....	2
Crutches, pairs.....	6
Clips.....	700
Document boxes.....	37
Meat boxes.....	2
Stools.....	154
Pails.....	481
Total.....	3,715

#### Shoe Shops.

Made during the quarter:

Men's shoes, pairs.....	2,451
Women's shoes, pairs.....	1,410
“ slippers, pairs.....	228
Total.....	4,089

#### Blacksmith Shops.

Made during the quarter:

Iron bedsteads.....	110
Cot-frames.....	15
Total.....	125

#### Brooms, etc.

Made during the quarter:

Brooms.....	3,648
Scrub-brushes.....	5,028
Total.....	8,676

#### Miscellaneous.

Made during the quarter:

Cot-bottoms.....	70
Men's socks, pairs.....	713
Total.....	783

Aside from the articles manufactured by the several departments, as set forth in the foregoing statement, all necessary repairs to buildings, wagons, carts, ambulances, harness, furniture, and household ware, as well as to clothing, beds and bedding, tinware, shoes, etc., were made, besides the shoeing of 24 horses during the quarter covered by this report.

Very respectfully,

ROBT. E. CLEARY, Storekeeper.

NEW YORK PENITENTIARY, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND,  
April 1, 1885.

Hon. THOS. S. BRENNAN, President Department of Public Charities and Correction:

DEAR SIR—Annexed I beg leave to submit to your Honorable Board my report for the quarter ending March 31, 1885, the number of prisoners received and discharged, the labor on which they have been employed, and the results accomplished during the quarter.

Very respectfully, etc.,

JOHN M. FOX, Warden.

Blacksmiths—Made 1 pair iron stairs with 21 steps for fire-escape, 142 feet lattice work, 36 feet hand-rail, 9 iron beams, 79 iron bedsteads, 5 stove-guards, 2 ox-carts, 1 lumber truck, 4 keys, 1 wrench, 1 hand-cart, 1 machine for rolling bandages, 30 stonecutters' drills, 96 steel points, 96 steel chisels, 12 pitching-tools, 65 stonebreakers' hammers, 156 plugs and feathers, 4 wedges, 555 rivets, 4 ash-tubs, 45 cot-frames, 44 bucket-handles, 299 ears, 1 hub band, 3 rakes, 1 slat, 2 sliding bolts, 25 standards, 1 swedging-tool, 12 soldering-irons, 2 hand-carts ironed, 16 ice-hooks, 1 ice-axe, 1 iron stove platform, 8 iron-plates, 2 spoke-share blades, reset tire on 3 wheels, 10 tire-bolts, 1 crank, 17 locks repaired and altered, also all necessary repairs to carts, wagons, wheels, wheelbarrows, machinery, etc., etc.

Tinsmiths—Made 1 twenty-foot galvanized pump, 400 quart-cups, 411 mess-pans, 17 dippers, 13 galvanized pails, 4 coal-hods, 6 pepper-boxes, 1,177 feet galvanized leader, 1 smoke-jack, 6 bake-pans, 31 cans, 12 wash-basins, 30 elbows, 106 feet stove-pipe, 1 iron, 2 T's, 10 coffee-pots, 15 galvanized iron ventilators, 15 flanges, 13 tea-pots, also all necessary repairs to utensils and roof of prison and buildings on Randall's Island.

Carpenters—Made 969 coffins, 2 ox-carts, 2 trucks, 8 buckets, 120 pails, 12 tubs, 160 stools, 2 bed-screens, 2 mallets, 1 tray, 158 handles, 22 window-frames, 2 wheels bored, 1 fracture box, 12 straight edges, 24 salt cellars, 36 benches, 15 tables, 18 hot-bed frames, 4 chests, 1 hand-rail, 700 clips, 11 tail-boards, 4 meat-boards, 1 pair shafts, 1 storm-porch, 1 closet, 42 boxes, 1,799 bed-blocks, 6 ice-runs, 36 wands, 17 snow-shovels, 2 wooden horses, 2 fire-doors, 6 ladders, 7 pair crutches, 250 clothespins; repaired 158 buckets, 11 tubs, 7 pails, 93 barrels coopered, 25 wheelbarrows, 2 trucks, 7 carts, 10 benches, 2 boats, 1 ambulance, 2 wheels, 3 wagons, 1 hearse, 13 lasts, 1 screen, 9 chairs, 9 stools, 4 snow-shovels, 5 boxes, 6 balusters turned, 1 guard boat.

Broom and Brush Makers—Made 193½ dozen brooms, 388¼ dozen scrubs, ¼ dozen whisk-brooms, ½ dozen dandruff brushes.

Shoemakers—Made 2,320 pairs men's and 1,140 pairs women's shoes; repaired 1,630 pairs men's and 41 pairs women's shoes.

Tailors and Cot Makers—Made 606 pairs pants, 106 coats, 206 vests, 10 caps, 892 pairs mitts, 2 citizens' suits, 134 cot-bottoms; repaired 598 jackets, 879 pairs pants, 371 vests, 98 caps, 568 cot-bottoms.

At the sewing room the female prisoners made 1,400 shirts, 231 shrouds, 400 night-gowns, 100 hoods, 110 sacques, 972 dresses, 104 blankets, 692 petticoats, 76 pillow-ticks, 300 waists, 400 drawers, 200 chemises, 299 petticoats, 6 bed-ticks, 112 sheets, 112 pillow-cases; repaired 2,096 shirts, 517 under-shirts, 459 dresses, 498 chemises, 115 petticoats, 1,112 pair socks, 379 pillow-ticks, 28 aprons.

At the stone shed the prisoners cut 1,136 feet building stone, 76 feet corner stone, 17 feet window jambs, 95 feet water-table, 49 feet coping stone, 3,898 feet flagging, 14 feet steps, 8 feet pedestal.



By prisoners employed at out-door labor the roads and sea-wall have been kept in proper repair; 5,113 tons of coal have been discharged from boats, 10 barge-loads of stone sent to Hart's Island, and a large quantity of stone quarried.

The daily average of male prisoners during the quarter has been employed as follows:

52 men at Randall's Island unloading coal, quarrying, etc.  
140 " as stonecutters.  
60 " as stonebreakers.  
150 " quarrying and hauling out stone.  
35 " as blacksmiths.  
22 " as tinsmiths and tin roofers.  
65 " as carpenters, painters, etc.  
90 " as shoemakers, tailors, broom, brush and cot makers.  
40 " as gardeners and cleaning buckets.  
16 " at work at new boiler-house, Lunatic Asylum.  
18 " repairing roads and sea-wall.  
110 " unloading coal.  
21 " performing unskilled labor on Insane Asylum, Ward's Island.  
24 " continually sick in hospital.  
20 " detained in prison and locked in cells.  
7 " whitewashing.  
79 " in and about prison as utility men.

The daily average number of female prisoners during the quarter has been 188, employed as follows:

Sewing room ..... 104  
Washhouse ..... 27  
Scrubbing, cleaning and domestic work ..... 39  
Continually sick in hospital ..... 13  
Disabled and locked in cells ..... 4  
At Lunatic Asylum ..... 1

OFFICE OF CITY PRISON, CORNER FRANKLIN AND CENTRE STREETS,  
NEW YORK, April 4, 1885.

Hon. THOMAS S. BRENNAN, President Department Public Charities and Correction:

SIR—Subjoined your Honorable Board will please find statistical report of City Prisons for quarter ending March 31, 1885; also labor report covering same period.

Very respectfully,

JAMES FINN, Warden.

Report of City Prisons for Quarter ending March 31, 1885.

	MALES.	FEMALES.	TOTAL.
FIRST DISTRICT PRISON.			
Remaining December 31, 1884.....	291	67	358
Received from January 1 to March 31, 1885.....	4,781	2,276	7,057
Total.....	5,072	2,343	7,415
Disposition.			
Sent by Courts of General and Special Sessions to—			
State Prison.....	147	....	147
Penitentiary.....	465	53	518
House of Refuge.....	63	5	68
Elmira Reformatory.....	67	....	67
Roman Catholic Protectory.....	12	....	12
Juvenile Asylum.....	1	....	1
Hudson River Insane Asylum (Poughkeepsie).....	1	....	1
Sent by Police Courts to—			
Workhouse.....	2,531	1,746	4,277
Sent by Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction to—			
Workhouse (Vagrant).....	171	119	290
Bellevue Hospital.....	55	26	81
Alms-house.....	7	4	11
Superintendent of Out-door Poor.....	53	6	59
Discharged.....	1,189	317	1,506
Remaining March 31, 1885.....	310	67	377
Total.....	5,072	2,343	7,415
SECOND DISTRICT PRISON.			
Remaining December 31, 1884.....	48	25	73
Received from January 1 to March 31, 1885.....	1,890	944	2,834
Less number sent to City Prison.....	1,938	969	2,907
Total.....	1,110	547	1,657
Disposition.			
Sent to Workhouse (Vagrants).....			
" Bellevue Hospital.....	108	43	151
" Superintendent of Out-door Poor.....	40	21	61
Discharged.....	35	13	48
Remaining March 31, 1885.....	873	449	1,322
Total.....	54	21	75
Total.....	1,110	547	1,657
THIRD DISTRICT PRISON.			
Remaining December 31, 1884.....	....	....	....
Received from January 1 to March 31, 1885.....	1,703	986	2,689
Less number sent to City Prison.....	1,703	986	2,689
Total.....	1,016	765	1,781
Total.....	687	221	908

	MALES.	FEMALES.	TOTAL.
Disposition.			
Sent to Bellevue Hospital.....	12	6	18
Discharged.....	647	198	845
Remaining March 31, 1885.....	28	17	45
Total.....	687	221	908
FOURTH DISTRICT PRISON.			
Remaining December 31, 1884.....	26	14	40
Received from January 1 to March 31, 1885.....	1,157	303	1,460
Less number sent to City Prison.....	1,183	317	1,500
Total.....	625	158	783
Total.....	558	159	717
Disposition.			
Sent to Workhouse (Vagrants).....			
" Bellevue Hospital.....	3	....	3
Discharged.....	30	13	43
Remaining March 31, 1885.....	490	125	615
Total.....	35	21	56
Total.....	558	159	717
FIFTH DISTRICT PRISON.			
Remaining December 31, 1884.....	2	4	6
Received from January 1 to March 31, 1885.....	487	122	609
Less number sent to City Prison.....	489	126	615
Total.....	182	13	195
Total.....	307	113	420
Disposition.			
Sent to Bellevue Hospital.....	68	67	135
Discharged.....	233	43	276
Remaining March 31, 1885.....	6	3	9
Total.....	307	113	420

CITY PRISON, NEW YORK, April 1, 1885.

The following improvements and repairs have been made at First, Third, Fourth, Fifth, and Sixth District Prisons from January 1 to March 31, 1885, by prison labor and without expense to the Department of Public Charities and Correction except the cost of the material:

FIRST DISTRICT PRISON.

The roofs of male prison, new prison, and Magdalen have been repaired; repaired water pipes in male prison, Warden's office, water-closets and cellar and waste pipes in male prison and new prison. Plastered walls in male prison, female prison and Magdalen; reflagged hall in male prison and female prison.

Painted closets, iron railing and gate in kitchen rooms in Magdalen, 35 cells in new prison, wall and wainscoting male prison, wall, ceiling and windows, Warden's office, windows of boy's prison, windows in counsel rooms, wooden doors and iron gates in office, etc.

Built tables, benches and closets, etc., repaired cell locks, also repaired range. Constructed a number of tin boilers, dippers, cans, etc., and repaired numerous articles of tin-ware, etc.

THIRD DISTRICT PRISON.

Painted office and roof of office, and repaired water-pipe.

FOURTH DISTRICT PRISON.

Painted walls, windows, doors, railings, etc., and repaired water-pipes.

FIFTH DISTRICT PRISON.

Repaired stoves, cell key, etc.

SIXTH DISTRICT PRISON.

Repaired water-pipes, etc.

HOMOEOPATHIC HOSPITAL, WARD'S ISLAND,  
April 1, 1885.

Hon. THOS. S. BRENNAN, President of Board of Public Charities and Correction:

SIR—Report for quarter ending March 31st is herewith respectfully forwarded:

Quarterly Census.

	MALES.	FEMALES.	TOTAL.	NATIVE.	FOREIGN.
Remaining December 31, 1884.....	296	121	417	113	304
Admissions.....	708	188	896	230	666
Total.....	1,004	309	1,313	343	970
Discharges.....	660	164	824	207	617
Deaths.....	64	22	86	25	61
Total.....	724	186	910	232	678
Remaining March 31, 1885.....	280	123	403	111	292

LABOR REPORT.

Carpenter work—711 square feet new flooring put down in Female Dormitory; 476 square feet new flooring put down in Male Dormitory; 60 square feet new flooring put down in large pantry; 1 14-foot partition put up in Female Dormitory; 1 9-foot platform for rear entrance to Hospital; 4 bed-screens made for wards; new flooring put down and half door made for Drug Store; 1 5-foot closet made for Ward C; 3 door sills put down; 1 9-foot platform made for Ward B; 8 broom-racks made for wards; repaired 1 ironing table, 1 washstand, 4 windows, 5 doors, 3 tables, 4 bedsteads, 2 benches, 1 head-rest, 3 pairs blinds, 4 stretchers, 1 bread-box, 1



wheelbarrow, 1 meat-cart, 1 quaker, floors in Wards C, B and basement; miscellaneous, 1 lounge reupholstered, new cord put in 19 window sash, new covers put on 3 bed screens, 28 chairs and 21 stools repaired, 32 lights window glass put in.

Painted—5 bedrooms, 12 bedsteads, 11 bath-tubs, 1 closet, calcimined 8 bedrooms and white-washed cellar.

Linen-room—Made 150 chemises, 200 sheets, 60 petticoats, 53 cotton shirts, 13 dresses, 5 tablecloths; repaired 382 chemises, 579 sheets, 170 pillow-cases, 531 shirts, 217 flannel chemises, 187 drawers, 103 night-gowns, 146 bed-spreads, 175 dresses, 122 bed-ticks, 11 pillow-ticks, 113 denim jackets, 36 petticoats, 5 tablecloths, 61 denim shirts, 12 wrappers.

At Gas-house—897,000 feet of gas was manufactured for use of Insane Asylum and this Hospital.

Respectfully submitted,

T. M. STRONG, Chief of Staff.

BELLEVUE HOSPITAL, April 6, 1885.

Hon. THOS. S. BRENNAN, President Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction:

SIR—The following is a report of labor performed by unpaid help at this institution during the quarter ending March 31, 1885:

12 pairs of crutches.  
Repairing and hanging 36 pairs of blinds; repairing 10 floors and window-sashes.  
Calcimining and painting throughout Wards 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6.  
Painting outside walls, windows, etc., of laundry building and cook-house building on First avenue side.  
Plastering and repairing ceilings.  
Female help employed in washing for 800 inmates, assisting in ward sweeping, scrubbing, etc.  
Male help employed in cooking for inmates, stretcher carriers, coal heavers.  
Firemen assisting in General Drug Department.

Respectfully submitted,

JAS. F. O'ROURKE, Warden.

CHARITY HOSPITAL, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, }  
April 1, 1885.

Admissions, Births, Discharges and Deaths in Charity Hospital, for Quarter ending March 31, 1885.

1885.	ADMISSIONS AND BIRTHS.						DISCHARGES.						DEATHS.					
	WHITE.			COLORED.			WHITE.			COLORED.			WHITE.			COLORED.		
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
	Native.	Foreign.		Native.	Foreign.		Native.	Foreign.		Native.	Foreign.		Native.	Foreign.		Native.	Foreign.	
January.....	337	221	558	30	13	43	603	235	368	314	190	504	205	299	24	13	37	25
February....	294	183	477	16	25	41	519	293	296	258	192	450	197	256	29	19	48	23
March.....	348	225	573	21	28	49	623	259	354	344	233	577	227	353	40	24	64	39
Total.....	979	629	1,608	67	66	133	1,743	717	1,028	916	615	1,531	629	908	93	56	149	87

L. L. SEAMAN, Chief of Staff.

CHARITY HOSPITAL, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, }  
April 1, 1885.

Admissions, Discharges and Deaths in Hospital for Nervous Diseases for Quarter ending March 31, 1885.

1885.	ADMISSIONS.						DISCHARGES.						DEATHS.					
	WHITE.			COLORED.			WHITE.			COLORED.			WHITE.			COLORED.		
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
	Native.	Foreign.		Native.	Foreign.		Native.	Foreign.		Native.	Foreign.		Native.	Foreign.		Native.	Foreign.	
January.....	6	..	6	..	..	..	9	..	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
February....	6	..	6	..	..	..	5	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
March.....	7	..	7	..	..	..	8	..	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total.....	19	..	19	..	..	..	22	..	22	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

L. L. SEAMAN, Chief of Staff.

CHARITY HOSPITAL, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.

Labor Report for Quarter ending March 31, 1885.

Carpenters—Made 14 double wardrobes, 600 tallies, 24 bed stands, 1 closet, 2 bandage rollers, 1 14-foot ladder, 2 16-foot ladders, 5 folding screens, 10 dozen swabs, gratings for 4 urinals, 2 compartment boxes, 6 flower-pots, 2 examination tables, 1 douche, 4 window poles, 4 pairs crutches, 1 commode chair, 5 packing cases, shelving, 1 14-foot dining table, 2 small tables; repaired floors, locks, keys, bedsteads, 187 stools, 56 chairs, 3 water-closets, dumb-waiter, window blinds, folding screens, 2 wash-stands, 4 doors, tables, bath-tubs, bath-rooms, 2 wardrobes, 3 bureaus, 1 electric battery, 10 fire buckets, gate, 6 benches, put in window sashes, repairs on steam launch and various other jobbings.

Painters—Painted 456 stools, 58 chairs, 18 rooms, 1 ward, 24 bureaus, 14 wardrobes, 46 bed stands, 9 screens, 7 pails, 10 wooden boxes, 9 tin boxes, 29 bath-tubs, 9 medicine stands, 3 altars, 12 closets and shelves, 1 sign, 4 stairways, 35 bedsteads, painted and grained 2 kitchens, put in 136 lights and other jobbings.

Tinsmiths—Made galvanized-iron pipe, 2 soap boxes, 1 pudding-pan, 5 dust-pans, 1 galvanized-iron pan, 2 lemonade shakers, 1 galvanized-iron whirligig, 4 2-quart pails, 2 2-quart dippers, 6 1-quart dippers, 1 gravy dipper, 1 square tin box, 3 small bath-tubs, 7 douche cups, 1 sheet-iron blower, 1 syphon, 8 galvanized-iron garbage pails, 2 tin scoops, 2 1-gallon oil cans, 10 joints 6-inch stove-pipe, 10 joints 5-inch stove-pipe, 1 tin pan, 1 zinc basin, 1 tin evaporator, 2 strainers, 1 chamber pail, 1 8-quart pail, 1 galvanized-iron elbow, 1 brass binnacle lamp; repaired range and sink, roofs, speaking tube, launch, stoves and pipe leaders, stencil plate; marked and repaired a large quantity of miscellaneous tinware.

Plasterers—Repaired plastering and whitewashing ceilings, rooms, wards, water-closets, pavilion and cellar, cementing traps, repairs to kitchen yards and various small jobbings.

L. L. SEAMAN, Chief of Staff.

RANDALL'S ISLAND HOSPITAL, April 6, 1885.

Hon. THOMAS S. BRENNAN, President Department Public Charities and Correction:

SIR—I respectfully submit to your Honorable Board the following report of labor performed at Randall's Island Hospital during the quarter ending March 31, 1885:

Carpenters—Made 6 sash-doors, 1 pair double doors, 1 water-closet, new floor to wash-house, ceiling 2 hallways, 2 medicine-closets, 1 wash-tub, 2 clothes-boxes, 2 tables, 1 step-ladder, 2 water bed frames, 6 bed-screens, 2 boxes for doctors, 18 12-foot benches for wards, and 12 benches for church.

Repairs—15 days' labor repairing floors, sashes, etc., in Idiot House, 7 days' labor repairing floors, etc., Pavilion D, 11 days' labor repairing doors, sashes, locks, etc., in North and South Hospitals, 10 days' labor repairing floors, etc., Pavilions E and F, 8 days' labor in cow stables, 28 days' labor repairing furniture, 6 days' labor in wash-house repairing clothes-horses, etc., 6 days' labor in engine-house, put in 80 sash-cords, put on 18 locks, and all the general repairs needed to keep the buildings in good order.

Tinsmiths—Made 2 coffee-pots, 2 tea-pots, 3 tea-kettles, 4 sauce-pans, 1 bread-box, 5 baking-pans, 2 coffee-strainers, 3 collenders, 1 kerosene-can, 1 funnel, 6 covers for boilers, 2 two-gallon cans, 11 bath-tubs, 12 cups (for cupping); have kept in repair the tinware used in the institution, put up stove-pipes, and repaired roofs, leaders, etc., on the different buildings.

Blacksmith—Has made repairs on wagons, carts, stove-guards, tools, etc., and done all the necessary labor in keeping the iron work around the buildings in good order.

Plumbers—Have been engaged in keeping the gas and water pipes, water-closets, sewers, etc., in good condition.

Painters—Have painted and calcimined the interior of Pavilions D and E, and the Idiot House, and have painted 4 medicine-closets, 2 clothes-boxes, 5 tables, 30 benches, and done the necessary glazing, etc., required in the buildings.

Tailor—Made 100 pairs boys' drawers; repaired 971 pairs pants and 881 jackets.

Laundry—The women employed in the Laundry have washed and made up for the use of the institution 59,682 pieces; they have furnished clean clothing for the Branch Penitentiary, and have also done the washing and ironing for the employees.

Idiot School Mat-room—Made 30 door mats.

Idiot School Sewing-room—Made 84 dresses.

Epileptics—Made 30 shirts, 30 chemises, 25 pairs of drawers, 50 sheets, and 304 pairs of suspenders.

Insane—Those of the inmates of the Pavilion for Insane able to do such work have been engaged in keeping the roads and walk clean and in good order, and in digging up water and gas pipes; they have also taken care of their pavilion and dormitories, and kept the same in good condition.

Very respectfully,

JAMES R. HEALY, Medical Superintendent.

INFANTS' HOSPITAL, RANDALL'S ISLAND, }  
April 1, 1885.

Hon. THOS. S. BRENNAN, President Department Public Charities and Correction:

SIR—I have the Honor to submit to your Honorable Board the following labor report, for the quarter ending March 31, 1885:

The work done by Carpenters was laying floors and saddles for doors, in some of the wards and in the Laundry; putting on new and repairing old locks; repairing sashes, doors and blinds; putting new seats and risers in water-closets; repairing scuttles and sky-lights; fitting up Drug Store with new fixtures; repairing roof of stable and of cow shed; putting a new ceiling in cottage of Medical Superintendent; repairing carts and wagons; repairing boat, and boat-house and steps; repairing gutter of Laundry; putting up scaffold for tinsmith, and removing same; and repairing the furniture of the institution.

The painters were employed at washing and touching up stains, pointing walls and ceilings, and calcimining same; oiling woodwork, painting dados, gas and steam fixtures and iron bedsteads and cribs, in Wards 3, 6, 7, 13, 17 and 21.

In Dining-room and pantries at washing off ceilings, touching up stains, pointing, calcimining ceilings, frescoing center pieces; painting walls and sashes, oiling woodwork, painting gas and steam fixtures and shelving in pantry.

In Drug Store the ceilings and walls were washed, touched up and pointed, the ceiling and cornice calcimined, walls painted, woodwork oiled, and store fixtures painted, grained, bronzed and varnished.

In Penitentiary Keeper's Dining-room the ceilings and walls were calcimined, gas and steam fixtures painted and woodwork painted and oiled.

In Engineer's Room ceiling and side walls washed off, touched up and calcimined; woodwork oiled and gas and steam fixtures painted.

Kitchen Hall, ceiling calcimined, stairs and other woodwork rubbed down, shellacked and oiled.

In Medical Superintendent's cottage the ceiling of one room was shellacked and varnished and the walls and woodwork painted.

In the Main Building 2 lights of glass were put in; in the Engine-house, 3; Laundry, 3; Penitentiary, 10; and Workhouse Dining-room, 7.

The following articles of tinware were manufactured: 2 12-quart coffee-pots, 2 12-quart tea-pots, 1 large collander, 1 copper swimmer, 1 large dipper, 3 large covers for steam boiler, 9 bath-tubs for infants, 18 screws and caps for ether bottles, and 1 new bottom for large boiler.

By the Engineer and his help, 250 feet of main steam-pipe were repaired, as also 68 steam-radiators; 200 feet of gas-mains were relaid and 8 lengths of Croton water-pipe renewed, and general repairs were done to Gas-works.

In the Gas-works, 415,900 feet of gas was made, to supply the Randall's Island and Infants' Hospitals and pavilions.

The horses at Randall's Island stables were employed in carting from boats to coal yard, 1,063 tons of coal, and for general distribution, 897 tons; in carting supplies from steamboat, carting lumber for repairs, hay and straw to stables, refilled bedding from Straw-house, and milk from the Dairy, in removing ashes and garbage from the various buildings, and manure from the stables and hog-pens. The number of days they were employed at Infants' Hospital was 76; at Randall's Island Hospital, 371; on the farm, 145; and on Randall's Island improvements, 28.

In the Laundry the number of pieces washed was 68,640.

The Workhouse help not engaged in the above labor have been employed in the kitchen and dining-rooms.

Yours very respectfully,

JAMES R. HEALY, Medical Superintendent.

#### LABOR REPORT.

Hart's Island Hospital, Quarter ending March 31, 1885.

Convalescent Male Patients—Were employed in keeping the wards and grounds in good order, carrying the food from kitchen to the several wards, delivering the bread.

Female Workhouse Help—Were employed in laundry in washing clothing and bedding for pavilions and wards, scrubbing, assisting night attendants, etc., etc.

The following is a statement of the number and kind of articles repaired by convalescent female patients at Hart's Island Hospital during quarter ending March 31, 1885:

Articles.	Made.	Repaired.
Bed-ticks.....	..	87
Chemises.....	..	170
Drawers.....	..	28
Dresses.....	..	123
Night-gowns.....	..	87
Petticoats.....	..	39
Pillow-slips.....	..	72
Sheets.....	..	251
Shirts.....	..	232
Stockings.....	68	94
Totals.....	68	1,183

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Brushmakers—Made 606 scrub-brushes.

Matmakers—Made 70 door-mats.

Carpenters—Day work: 69½ days' work for bake-house, 3½ for bath-house, 52 for Central Office, 2 making coopers' bench, 68½ for dispensary, 2½ for Female Hospital, 3½ for fire-engine house, 1½ making and repairing gang-planks, 4½ for General Store, 9½ for Incurable Hospital, 16 jobbing, 7½ sawing lumber, ½ for passengers' house, 68 for Penitentiary, 1 repairing roof, ½ for shed, 7 for steamboats, ½ for Steward, 4½ for Steward's store, 2½ making tags, 3 for tailors' shop, 12 for Warden's office, 4½ for Warden and 1 for wash-house; made 3 boards, 5 brush handles, 3 dipper handles, 1 gang-plank, 2 inkstands, 1 sash and 1 table; repaired 1 bath-tub, 3 bed springs, 1 bedstead, 1 bench, 1 box, 1 cart, 33 chairs, 1 clock case, 2 clothes-horses, 1 commode, 1 crutch, 12 drawers, 4 floors, 1 gang-plank, 1 grate, 1 grating cover, 1 roof, 2 sashes, 1 sink, 35 stools, 3



stretchers, 1 table, 2 trucks, 1 wardrobe, 10 washboards, 14 wheelbarrows and 1 wooden leg; filed and set 8 saws; handled 3 dippers; put in 15 sash-cords.

Blacksmiths and Machinists—New work: 2 bars, 1 barrel, 2 boiler covers, 248 bolts, 39 braces, 840 bucket-ears, 549 bucket-handles, 700 bucket rivets, 28 chisels, 12 coffee-pot handles, 1 corner iron, 1 fire-hoe, 1 grate, 51 hammers, 4 hinges, 1 hoe, 113 hooks, 11 holdfasts, 2,600 hoop nails, 26 horseshoes, 2 keys, 4 latches, 2 locks, 10 poker, 8 rings, 45 rivets, 9 scrapers, 12 shovel-handles, 1 slice-bar, 210 spikes, 16 staples, 1 pair tongs, 1 tub-handle, 6 washers, 1 wagon, 455 wedges, 1 wheelbarrow and 20 wrenches; repaired work: 2 artificial legs, 1 axe, 2 bars, 1 boiler cover, 37 bolts, 1 box, 3 brackets, 1 brace, 4 castors, 5 clamps, 2 cleavers, 11 clocks, 1 coffee-drum, 1 corner iron, 3 covers, 2 crow-bars, 1 grate, 79 hinges, 19 hoes, 4 hooks, 305 horseshoes, 4 keys, 22 locks, 48 pick-axes, 6 pipe-hangers, 25 poker, 14 rakes, 2 rings, 4 rivets, 3 roofers' tools, 5 pairs scissors, 1 scraper, 2 pairs shears, 10 shovels, 59 slice-bars, 624 stone chisels, 41 stone hammers, 17 pairs tongs, 8 trucks, 3 vises, 3 wagons, 6 washers, 6 wedges, 10 wheelbarrows and 1 wrench.

Painters and Plasterers—General repairs.

Tinsmiths—Made 13 ash-pans, 5 bake-pans, 17 boilers, 25 boxes, 12 bread-boxes, 12 candle-sticks, 125 cans, 3 chambers, 1 chimney cap, 50 coal-scuttles, 12 coal shovels, 1 coffee-pot, 9 covers, 900 cups, 207 dippers, 100 dish-pans, 100 ewers, 2 fog-horns, 4 funnels, 2 kettles, 3 lamps, 3 sets measures, 1,040 mess-pans, 25 pails, 200 saucers, 6 sauce-pans, 4 scoops, 1 skimmer, 93 feet stove-pipe, 10 stove-pipe elbows, 2 strainers, 400 strips, 14 tea-pots, 450 tickets and 200 wash-basins; repaired 2 boilers, 2 boxes, 113 cans, 21 dippers, 1 dish-pail, 20 kettles, 3 lanterns, 1 pail, 15 pans, 2 roofs, 1 strainer, 1 washstand and 4 watering-cans; lined 1 bath-tub.

Washerwomen—Washed 69,176 pieces of bedding and clothing.

Coopers—Coopered 235 beef barrels, 2 fish barrels, 90 flour barrels, 25 lard tubs, 12 lime barrels, 12 salt barrels and 2 vinegar barrels; made 364 pails and 1 bread barrel; repaired 87 beef barrels, 80 bread barrels, 11 flour barrels, 45 pails, 94 tubs and 16 vinegar barrels.

Shoemakers—Repaired 454 pairs shoes.

Tailors—Made 105 caps, 157 jackets, 185 pairs pants and 56 vests; repaired 288 caps, 807 jackets, 1,518 pairs pants and 134 vests.

Seamstresses and Knitters—Made 258 aprons, 490 chemises, 100 night-gowns, 200 petticoats, 100 pillow-cases, 48 roller towels, 860 sheets, 412 shirts, 269 shrouds, 145 shroud caps and 260 pairs socks; repaired 157 bed-ticks, 704 chemises, 1,229 dresses, 431 knit shirts, 217 petticoats, 21 pillow-cases, 431 sheets, 674 shirts, 728 pairs socks and 4 spreads.

Respectfully submitted,  
M. VOUGHT, Warden.

#### Report of Male Labor at Workhouse, B. I., for Quarter ending March 31, 1885.

WHERE EMPLOYED.	Number of Days' Work.	Number of Days Employed.	Daily Average.	OCCUPATION.
Steamboats.....	3,600	90	40	Firemen and Deckhands.
Bakery.....	6,300	90	70	Bakers and Assistants.
Bakery, Extra.....	84	7	12	Repairing ovens.
Almshouse Shop.....	548	76	7	Tinsmiths, Coopers and Blacksmiths.
Stables.....	1,484	90	16	Drivers and Hostlers.
Stables, Extra.....	650	28	23	Turning manure.
Storehouse.....	1,900	76	25	Clerks and Laborers.
Storehouse, Extra.....	415	26	16	Unloading lumber, potatoes, etc.
Cutters.....	876	71	12	Cutting cloth for Department.
Weavers.....	75	75	1	Weaving carpets.
Carpenters.....	76	76	1	Repairing about building.
Lunatic Asylum Grounds.....	1,612	74	22	Working about Lunatic Asylum grounds.
Lunatic Asylum Gang.....	1,282	90	14	Engineers, Firemen and Laborers.
Lunatic Asylum, Extra.....	992	38	26	Loading ashes, working on roads, etc.
Bricklayers.....	170	29	6	Working at Lunatic Asylum, Retreat.
Tinsmiths.....	174	74	1	Making and repairing tinware.
Bread-room.....	180	90	2	Cutting bread, etc.
Hall Runners.....	360	90	4	Employed as Messengers, etc.
Doormen.....	180	90	2	Watchmen stationed at hall doors.
Painters.....	76	76	1	Painting and glazing in building.
Water-closets.....	360	90	4	Keeping water-closets in order.
Office Help.....	720	90	8	Clerks and Messengers.
Dining-rooms.....	720	90	8	Waiters and Dishwashers.
Kitchen.....	2,700	90	30	Cooks and Assistants.
Road Gang.....	504	72	7	Repairing roads.
Scrub Gang.....	1,216	76	16	Scrubbing and cleaning halls, cells, etc.
Bucket Gang.....	1,451	90	16	Cleaning slop buckets.
Barbers.....	391	90	31	Shaving and hair-cutting for inmates.
Engine-house.....	900	90	10	Engineers, Firemen and Laborers.
Gas-house.....	920	90	10	Gasmen and Laborers.
Scullery.....	180	90	2	Clerk and Messenger.
Garden.....	1,792	64	28	General garden work.
Coal Yard.....	304	76	4	Loading carts at yard.
Coal Yard, Extra.....	4,900	73	67	Paving yard, unloading coal, etc.
Oven-house.....	90	90	1	Taking care of inmates' unclean clothes.
Middle-house.....	180	90	2	General help.
Whitewashers.....	304	76	4	Whitewashing halls, cells, etc.
Dispensary.....	31	31	1	Messenger.
Rowboat.....	1,092	90	12	Ferry to Seventy-sixth street.
Bellevue Hospital.....	47	47	1	Unloading coal at Bellevue Hospital.
Carting Stone.....	3,179	62	51	From quarry to stone-breakers.
Stone Gang.....	9,671	66	147	Stone-breakers.
General Labor.....	440	20	20	Shoveling snow, etc.
Shoemakers.....	1,740	58	30	<div> <div>Made.</div> <div>546 pairs men's shoes.</div> <div>228 " women's slippers.</div> <div>200 " women's shoes.</div> <div>974 pairs.</div> </div> <div> <div>Repaired.</div> <div>521 pairs men's shoes.</div> <div>50 " women's shoes.</div> <div>571 pairs.</div> </div>
Tailors.....	304	76	4	<div> <div>Pressed and Finished.</div> <div>196 men's jackets.</div> <div>977 pairs men's pants.</div> <div>200 " boys' pants.</div> <div>550 boys' coats.</div> <div>100 men's vests.</div> <div>2,023 articles.</div> </div>

#### Report of Female Labor at Workhouse, B. I., for Quarter ending March 31, 1885.

WHERE EMPLOYED.	Number of Days' Work.	Number of Days Employed.	Daily Average.	OCCUPATION.
Sewing-room—				<div> <div>Made.</div> <div>289 women's petticoats.</div> <div>3,062 men's shirts.</div> <div>1,800 pairs suspenders.</div> <div>825 bed-ticks.</div> <div>100 women's hoods.</div> <div>600 sheets.</div> <div>500 pillow-ticks.</div> <div>224 women's chemises.</div> <div>6 roller towels.</div> <div>36 hand towels.</div> <div>1,200 adult shrouds.</div> <div>550 women's night-gowns.</div> <div>281 women's dresses.</div> <div>185 bed-spreads.</div> <div>100 women's aprons.</div> <div>2 undershirts.</div> <div>2 pairs drawers.</div> <div>12 tablecloths.</div> <div>450 pillow-cases.</div> <div>10,224 articles.</div> </div> <div> <div>Repaired.</div> <div>3,146 women's dresses.</div> <div>1,552 " chemises.</div> <div>547 " petticoats.</div> <div>1,005 men's shirts.</div> <div>10 undershirts.</div> <div>6,261 articles.</div> </div>
Sewing.....	7,720	73	106	
Knitting.....	1,846	71	26	
Repairing.....	900	75	12	
Tailoresses' room.....	5,352	74	72	<div> <div>Made.</div> <div>1,384 men's mittens.</div> <div>196 " jackets.</div> <div>977 pairs men's pants.</div> <div>200 " boys' pants.</div> <div>350 boys' coats.</div> <div>400 men's caps.</div> <div>100 " shirts.</div> <div>100 pillow-cases.</div> <div>300 men's coats.</div> <div>100 " vests.</div> <div>4,307 articles.</div> </div> <div> <div>Repaired.</div> <div>445 men's jackets.</div> <div>990 " pants.</div> <div>224 " undershirts.</div> <div>1,659 articles.</div> </div>
Laundry—				<div> <div>Washing.....</div> <div>3,619</div> <div>77</div> <div>47</div> </div> <div> <div>Ironing.....</div> <div>263</div> <div>52</div> <div>5</div> </div> <div> <div>Washing and Ironing for Insane Asylum, Steamboats, City Prison and Workhouse.</div> </div>
Female Hall—				<div> <div>Dining-rooms.....</div> <div>720</div> <div>90</div> <div>8</div> </div> <div> <div>Tier Women.....</div> <div>450</div> <div>90</div> <div>5</div> </div> <div> <div>Scrubbers.....</div> <div>5,548</div> <div>76</div> <div>73</div> </div> <div> <div>Sundry Work.....</div> <div>2,880</div> <div>90</div> <div>32</div> </div> <div> <div>Steamboats.....</div> <div>360</div> <div>90</div> <div>4</div> </div> <div> <div>Asylum Night Watch.....</div> <div>2,700</div> <div>90</div> <div>30</div> </div> <div> <div>Almshouse Gang.....</div> <div>2,508</div> <div>76</div> <div>33</div> </div> <div> <div>Bakery.....</div> <div>270</div> <div>90</div> <div>3</div> </div> <div> <div>General Storekeeper.....</div> <div>4,500</div> <div>90</div> <div>5</div> </div> <div> <div>Waitresses and Dishwashers.</div> </div> <div> <div>In charge of Tiers.</div> </div> <div> <div>Scrubbers and Whitewashers.</div> </div> <div> <div>Doorkeepers, Messengers and Details.</div> </div> <div> <div>Cooks and Assistants.</div> </div> <div> <div>Night Watch in Halls and Pavilions.</div> </div> <div> <div>Washerwomen and Scrubbers.</div> </div> <div> <div>General Help.</div> </div> <div> <div>General Help.</div> </div>

Respectfully submitted,  
GEO. B. VAN BRUNT, Superintendent.

#### WORKHOUSE, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.

#### Census for Quarter ending March 31, 1885.

	MALES.	FEMALES.	TOTALS.
Remaining at Workhouse, December 31, 1884.....	849	590	1,439
Admitted during the quarter.....	3,168	1,983	5,151
Returned from other institutions during the quarter.....	735	910	1,665
Total.....	4,772	3,483	8,255
Discharged during the quarter.....	3,197	2,081	5,278
Died at Workhouse during the quarter.....	21	17	38
Died at other institutions during the quarter.....	7	8	15
Eloped from other institutions during the quarter.....	9	....	9
Transferred to other institutions during the quarter.....	774	901	1,675
Total.....	4,008	3,007	7,015
Remaining at Workhouse, March 31, 1885.....	764	476	1,240
Remaining at other institutions, March 31, 1885.....	534	438	972
Number on Register, March 31, 1885.....	1,298	914	2,212
Showing a decrease in house during the quarter.....	85	114	199

#### Statement showing How and Where the Number remaining on Register March 31, 1885, were distributed.

INSTITUTIONS.	HELP.		INMATES.		TOTALS.
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	
Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island.....	..	73	2	13	88
Steamboats, Twenty-eighth street.....	..	3	..	..	3
Central Office, New York.....	2	..	..	..	2
Branch Lunatic Asylum, Hart's Island.....	40	..	..	..	40
Randall's Island Hospital, Randall's Island.....	41	68	..	..	109
Randall's Island Farm, Randall's Island.....	21	..	..	..	21
Hart's Island Hospital, Hart's Island.....	..	30	..	..	30



INSTITUTIONS.	HELP.		INMATES.		TOTALS.
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	
Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island .....	45	26	..	..	71
Alms-house, Blackwell's Island .....	..	41	41	25	107
Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island .....	..	1	..	..	1
Engine Company No. 43, Blackwell's Island .....	2	..	..	..	2
Infants' Hospital, Randall's Island .....	19	49	..	..	68
New York City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island .....	16	11	4	..	31
Branch Workhouse, Hart's Island .....	233	17	..	..	300
Homoeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island .....	17	54	..	..	71
Bellevue Hospital, City .....	1	27	..	..	28
Workhouse, Blackwell's Island .....	739	468	25	8	1,240
Totals .....	1,226	818	72	46	2,212

Respectfully submitted,  
GEO. B. VAN BRUNT, Superintendent.

BRANCH WORKHOUSE, HART'S ISLAND, }  
NEW YORK, April 1, 1885. }

Hon. THOS. S. BRENNAN, President Public Charities and Correction:

SIR—According to custom, I submit to your Honorable Board the following statement of the amount and description of mechanical and miscellaneous labor performed under my direction for the three months ending March 31 ult., all of the labor specified therein having been performed by the inmates of Branch Workhouse.

*For Branch Workhouse.*

Carpenters—Erected a lumber-shed 53 feet by 12 feet by 11 feet, made 1 storm-porch, 2 storm-sashes, 6 dining tables, 5 doors, 1 tool-box, 6 spittoons, 5 towel rollers, 1 clothes-box, 2 coal-bins, 1 feed-bin, 1 ladder, 3 bread-boxes, 1 mortar-box, 2 closets, 50 feet sheathing; all the necessary alterations to one building, formerly occupied as a private dwelling, to accommodate male Workhouse help; repaired 20 wheelbarrows, 48 stools, 4 bread-boxes, 8 dirt carts, 4 wash-boards, 1 wash-tub, 2 shoemakers' benches, 2 common benches, 2 hammers, 18 windows, flooring in 3 buildings; handles in 24 sledges, striking hammers and picks.

Blacksmiths—Made 57 pipe hooks, 244 common hooks, 9 wood-carvers' chisels, 10 pairs smiths' tongs, 40 staples, 43 "S" hooks, 1 pair pipe tongs, 6 wrenches, 27 bolts, 5 plate staples, 20 rivets, 7 anchors, 14 wedges, 8 ventilator gratings, 1 stone bolt, 10 sets horseshoes, 5 door latches, 4 punches, 1 hasp, 20 coal-hod ears, 14 bails, 1 mason's hammer, 2 chisels, 2 pickers, 27 braces, 3 pickaxes, 1 fire poker, 9 strap hinges, 3 washers, 2 chain links, 1 rod, 16 wire window-guards; repaired 8 chains, 3 pails, 1 saddle, 1 cart wheel, 1 tin boiler, 4 pumps, 1 coal-hod, 5 carts, 1 tub, 2 cot-frames, 1 range, 1 wheelbarrow, 22 manure forks, 4 ash-tubs, 1 clothes-wringer, 1 wood-turning lathe, 1 covered wagon, 1 stove, 1 stove door; dressed and sharpened 345 drills, points, picks, and crowbars; put 17 sets shoes on horses.

Tinsmiths—Made 1 cauldron cover, 45 feet tin leader, 41 mess-pans, 19 coal-scuttles; made and put up 1 force and lift pump and connections; repaired 156 pieces tinware, 2 ranges, 3 stoves, 5 pumps, 11 roofs.

Painters—Painted one building throughout, 1 storm-porch, 12 head-boards, 2 tables, 1 pump house, 2 closets, 50 feet cornice, 7 cells, 20 coal-scuttles, 2 spittoons, 1 barrel, 1 bedstead, 2 pumps, 1 coal-box, 2 ladders, 2 rooms, 13 pails, 10 pairs window blinds, 1,250 square feet tin roofing; whitewashed interior of 8 buildings; glazed 31 lights glass.

Masons and Bricklayers—Laid 325 square feet concrete flooring, built 1 chimney flue.

Plasterers—Lathed and plastered 325 square feet ceiling.

Tailors—Repaired 756 jackets, 869 pairs pants, 1,107 pairs mitts, 119 caps, 8 vests.

Shoemakers—Repaired 572 pairs men's and 63 pairs women's shoes.

Cot-makers—Repaired 112 cot-bottoms.

Female Workhouse Help—Repaired 1,330 shirts, 1,675 undershirts, 1,972 pairs socks, 23 pairs stockings, 36 chemises, 269 pillow-cases, 40 dresses, 3 sheets; washed 19,514 pieces clothing and bedding.

*For Hart's Island Bakery.*

Bakers made 134,470 loaves bread.

*For City Cemetery.*

Interred 764 bodies in regular burial trenches; disinterred 7 bodies for delivery to friends, to be interred in private cemeteries.

*For Branch Lunatic Asylum.*

Laborers performed 87 days' labor.

*For Hart's Island Hospital.*

Laborers performed 75 days' labor.

*For New Laundry.*

Carpenters performed 665½ days' labor.

Bricklayers " 108½ "

Painters " 98 "

Laborers " 598 "

*For Island Improvement.*

Received from Street Cleaning Department and discharged into the area enclosed by the crib bulkhead 18 scow-loads ashes. Five (5) barges stone ballast placed in the crib-work.

Very respectfully,  
LAWRENCE DUNPHY, Warden.

NEW YORK CITY ASYLUM FOR THE INSANE, WARD'S ISLAND, }  
NEW YORK, April 10, 1885. }

Hon. THOMAS S. BRENNAN, President, etc.:

DEAR SIR—I have the honor to report that the following labor was performed by inmates of this institution during quarter ending March 31, 1885:

Printer—

17,500 passes, etc., Bellevue Hospital.

6,500 liquor orders, Infants' Hospital.

2,500 passes, etc., Hart's Island.

10,500 passes, etc., Insane Asylum, Ward's Island.

5,000 envelopes, Store-house.

10,000 coal orders, General Storekeeper.

3,000 admission cards, Charity Hospital.

500 concert programmes, Central Office.

15,000 meat tickets, General Bookkeeper.

6,000 steamer passes, General Bookkeeper.

25,000 blanks, General Drug Department.

Work done—Annual reports.

Painter—250 bedsteads, iron door in Wards Nos. 15, 17 and 23, 8 dozen chambers, 24 dozen chambers, 3 dozen spittoons; rooms in Wards Nos. 22, 15 and 14, fence in Ward No. 22 yard, work done in Medical Superintendent's apartments, in Engineer's apartments, rooms between Wards Nos. 22 and 23, painted and grained, work retinted in Ward No. 1, lettering doors leading in Ward No. 23 picture-frames polished, chairs and stools oiled and varnished, glazing throughout building and in "Annex," glass cut for numerous pictures, work commenced in Ward No. 16 and continued; general jobbing done throughout building.

Mason—Repaired walls in Wards Nos. 21, 14 and 23, walls in several rooms in Wards Nos. 11 and 13, ceiling in Wards Nos. 6 and 23, hallway in Wards Nos. 8 and 11, scraped and repaired Ward No. 1, scraping and repairing Ward No. 12, scraping and repairing Ward No. 9, general plastering in Ward No. 22, put one register in Ward No. 8, and 1 in Ward No. 14; general repairs throughout building.

Plumber—General repairs done to water and gas pipes throughout building, gas-pipes put in barber shop, closets cleaned and repaired, also baths and tanks, general jobbing done throughout building.

Matmaker—Made 35 keher mats, 7 reich mats, 9 fancy carpet mats, 6 wood baskets, 260 brooms, 36 whisk-brooms; repaired 7 extra keher mats, 9 spittoon mats; recovered 1 piano stool.

Shoemaker—Made 39 pairs shoes; repaired 830 pairs shoes.

Wash-house—Patients' wash, 181,413 pieces; attendants' wash, 9,330 pieces; total, 190,743.

Tailor—Made 43 table-covers, 59 blouses; repaired 1,855 pairs pants, 1,011 vests, 954 jackets.

Tinsmith—Made 18 card-cases for Hospital, large grater for matron, stove-pipes for engineer and boatmen, large box for Hospital, 5 large cans for Hospital, 5 dozen chambers, 6 dish pans and 2 water-cans, coppered oars for boat; repaired cans for kitchen, 37 spittoons, 52 chambers, lamps for lighting gas, kitchen strainers and boilers; general repairs to tinware throughout building.

Carpenter—Made medicine tray for Ward No. 2, 12 picture-frames, shelves for fire-extinguishers, boards for attendants' names, Medical Superintendent's office, step-ladder, shed for lumber, work done in Medical Superintendent's apartments, in "Annex"; general repairs throughout building.

Out-door improvement—Clearing roads and walks of snow, carting and distributing 9 barge-loads of coal, cutting and housing 450 tons of ice, distributing coal to the different boiler-houses, killing and dressing hogs, screening ashes, cleaning out sewers leading from building, carting stones, etc., to and from boat, cutting and leveling hill in front of building, work done on farm, work done on roads and walks, etc., etc.

Respectfully,  
A. E. MACDONALD, Medical Superintendent.

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LUNATIC ASYLUM, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.

Carpenter—Making three new hand-cart bodies; making new steps and risers to one flight of spiral stair-case in Main Building; making 4 new doors and 4 new closets in staff's rooms; repairing Lodge fence, new posts and rails, having been blown down by storm; making 435 square feet of wooden grating for wash-house, to protect the feet of patients from wet stone floor, also a new table for wet clothes; making and hanging 15 new window screens for guarded rooms in New Retreat; making 2 book-cases for medical staff rooms; putting on 8 dozen new pass locks on doors of New Retreat to replace those worn out; repairing 4 settees, new arms, etc.; also putting new floor to entrance, Hall No. 1; also all general repairs to windows, sash-cords, pulleys, locks, keys, etc., etc.

Engineer—Putting in 300 feet of 1-inch gas-pipe in Main Building, in place of 300 feet of ½-inch pipe taken out, to increase the gas supply of west wing, also 50 feet of ¾-inch gas-pipe, to connect the same with lights on halls; old coils taken out of one of staff's rooms and 140 feet ¾-inch steam-pipe used to make two circulating coils, to replace those taken out; used 100 feet 1-inch pipe to repair water-supply pipes in pavilions, also 100 feet ¾-inch pipe used to repair hot water-pipes in pavilions; one steam radiator put in new room, and same connected with an adjoining room; used 60 feet ¾-inch pipe to repair hot water supply to Main Building; used 30 feet 1¼-inch steam-pipe to repair leaky ones in Lodge, also steam radiator taken out and repaired for same place; also all necessary repairs to fixtures and machinery of the institution.

Plastering, etc.—Taking down loose plaster in Lodge, and patching and whitewashing it anew; also scraping and whitewashing ceilings, closets, pantries, bath-rooms and partitions of the entire Lodge building; also putting up cornice in Octagon, and plastering partition and ceiling of new room; plastering and whitewashing staff's kitchen, taking down old plastering loose, and putting it up new; also whitewashing bed-rooms soiled by patients at all times.

Painting and Glazing—Painting interior of general kitchen, woodwork, brickwork, sky-light and steam-pipes; painting and graining two new book-cases for Medical Staff's rooms; also painting, scraping and calcimining 3 bed-rooms, staff's quarters; also, painting parlor and library of Medical Superintendent's residence; glazing 200 panes of glass throughout the institution.

SEWING.	LUNATIC ASYLUM.	OTHER INSTITUTIONS.	TOTAL.
Bed-ticks .....	100	100	200
Pillow-ticks .....	100	500	600
Sheets .....	600	1,836	2,436
Pillow-cases .....	300	2,337	2,637
Burlaps .....	26	..	26
Bed-spreads .....	..	250	250
Roller-towels .....	100	546	646
Hand-towels .....	36	489	525
Muslin chemises .....	600	1,225	1,825
Canton-flannel chemises .....	302	..	302
" drawers .....	500	..	500
Women's dresses .....	600	..	600
" petticoats .....	300	..	300
Babies' diapers .....	..	800	800
Stockings knit .....	495	..	495
Scrubbing brushes made .....	4,050	8,083	12,133
			216
			12,359

T. M. FRANKLIN, Medical Superintendent.

NEW YORK CITY BRANCH LUNATIC ASYLUM, }  
HART'S ISLAND, NEW YORK, April 21, 1885. }

Hon. THOS. S. BRENNAN, President:

DEAR SIR—I have the honor to submit to your Honorable Board the enclosed labor report of Branch Lunatic Asylum for last quarter; reports for Hart's Island Hospital; census reports of inmates and Workhouse help for Branch Lunatic Asylum and Hart's Island Hospital.

Very respectfully,  
ANDREW EGAN, Medical Superintendent.

LABOR REPORT.

*Branch Lunatic Asylum, Quarter ending March 31, 1885.*

Engineer—Thawed out water-pipes and replaced broken ones with new; repaired leak-tanks, hand-pumps, stoves, stove-guards, roofs and kitchen utensils; made two new water tanks; kept water-closet and drainage-pipes in order.

Carpenter—Kept in repair roofs, stoops, floors, doors and windows; put up storm-doors at pavilion and wards; repaired pavilion and ward furniture; put locks on doors, closets and drawers, and made and fitted keys; put in 73 panes of glass.

Painter—Painted ceilings and side walls of attendants' rooms of Pavilion 3, also the iron window-guards, storm-doors.

Male Workhouse Help—Were employed in making roads, excavating a cellar, removing snow from roads, assisting in kitchen, removing soiled clothing from pavilions and wards to laundry, removing garbage, removing freight from steamboat, screening coal, etc.



The following is a Statement of the Number and Kind of Articles of Clothing and Bedding Made and Repaired by Patients at Branch Lunatic Asylum, Hart's Island, during Quarter ending March 31, 1885.

ARTICLES.	FOR BRANCH LUNATIC ASYLUM.		FOR INSANE ASYLUM, W. I.	
	Made.	Repaired.	Made.	Repaired.
Aprons .....	....	....	..	281
Bed-ticks .....	50	1,884	..	22
Blankets .....	....	32	..	72
Chemises .....	400	2,685	..	....
Drawers .....	200	1,519	..	....
Dresses .....	700	1,965	..	....
Hoods .....	....	663	..	....
Night-gowns .....	....	158	..	....
Petticoats .....	100	1,111	..	....
Pillow-cases .....	150	727	..	81
Socks, pairs .....	....	....	..	1,478
Stockings, pairs .....	218	1,116	..	....
Sheets .....	103	1,115	..	357
Shirts .....	....	35	..	1,047
Spreads .....	....	237	..	8
Towels .....	....	....	..	37
Undershirts .....	....	....	..	128
Total .....	1,918	13,237	..	3,511

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of transactions of the Finance Department for the week ending May 2, 1885:

## Deposited in the Treasury.

To the Credit of the Sinking Fund .....	\$1,067,191 69
City Treasury .....	2,274,629 42
Total .....	\$3,341,821 11

## Bonds Issued.

Two and one-half per cent. Bonds .....	\$2,037,000 00
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## Warrants Registered for Payment.

The Mayoralty— Contingencies—Mayor's Office .....	\$75 00	\$2,241 64
Salaries—Mayor's Office .....	2,166 64	
The Common Council— Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council .....	\$16 00	5,932 47
Salaries—Common Council .....	5,916 47	
The Finance Department— Cleaning Markets .....	\$2,250 66	18,547 74
Contingencies—Comptroller's Office .....	67 96	
Salaries—Chamberlain's Office .....	2,083 33	
Salaries—Finance Department .....	14,145 79	
For the State— State Taxes .....	1,000,000 00	3,867 50
Interest on the City Debt .....	3,867 50	
Aqueduct Commissioners— Additional Water Fund .....	3,627 57	8,376 86
The Law Department— Contingencies—Law Department .....	\$100 00	
Contingencies—Public Administrator's Office .....	78 00	11,889 01
Salaries—Law Department .....	7,782 20	
To Defray the Expenses of Proceedings in Street Openings .....	416 66	59,313 79
The Department of Public Works— Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening .....	\$392 66	
Croton Water Fund .....	11,889 01	4,004 24
Flagging Sidewalks and Fencing Vacant Lots in front of City Property .....	87 66	
Lamps and Gas and Electric Lighting .....	217 00	51,719 45
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs .....	528 31	
Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc. ....	4,381 50	18,819 96
Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading .....	1,387 50	
Reparing Streets and Avenues (Chapter 476, Laws 1875, etc.) ..	460 72	10,160 31
Salaries—Department of Public Works .....	14,500 25	
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning .....	806 93	112,305 42
Street Improvements Authorized, etc., after June 9, 1880 ..	15,943 32	
Street Improvements—For Surveying, Monumenting and Numbering Streets .....	78 00	4,004 24
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices .....	6,995 60	
Surveys, Maps, etc., for Street Openings and New Streets ..	1,345 33	51,719 45
Washington Market—Alterations and Rebuilding .....	300 00	
The Department of Public Parks— Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places .....	\$3,066 74	18,819 96
Rents and Repairs—Department of Public Parks .....	625 00	
Telephonic Service .....	312 50	10,160 31
The Department of Public Charities and Correction— Public Charities and Correction .....	312 50	
The Health Department— For Removal of Night-soil, Offal and Dead Animals .....	\$3,000 00	112,305 42
Health Fund .....	15,709 57	
Hospital Fund—For Completion of Hospital Building on North Brother Island .....	47 75	4,004 24
Hospital Supplies and Transportation for Care of Contagious Diseases .....	62 64	
The Department of Street Cleaning— Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning .....	62 64	10,160 31
The Fire Department— Fire Department Fund .....	62 64	

The Department of Taxes and Assessments— Salaries—Board of Assessors .....	\$1,549 99	\$8,679 10
Salaries—Department of Taxes and Assessments .....	7,129 11	
The Dock Department— Dock Fund .....	7,417 48	19,231 21
The Board of Education— College of the City of New York .....	\$8,721 97	
Public Instruction .....	5,009 24	5,699 95
Public Instruction—For Purchasing and Procuring Sites for and Erecting New Buildings .....	5,500 00	
The Board of Excise— Commissioners of Excise Fund .....	5,699 95	98,351 94
The Judiciary— Salaries—City Courts .....	\$20,499 77	
Salaries—Judiciary .....	77,852 17	48,394 94
Charitable Institutions— Foundling Asylum of the Sisters of Charity .....	\$20,739 37	
New York Catholic Protectory .....	18,559 56	1,727 51
Nursery and Child's Hospital .....	9,096 01	
Advertising, Printing, Stationery and Blank Books— CITY RECORD—Salaries and Contingencies .....	\$583 33	13,663 09
Printing, Stationery and Blank Books .....	1,144 18	
Miscellaneous— Armories and Drill Rooms—For Wages of Armorer, Janitors and Engineers .....	\$90 00	\$1,502,082 17
Assessment Fund—After June 9, 1880 .....	1 00	
Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Expenses of .....	250 00	1,502,082 17
Bureau of Permits .....	624 98	
Contingencies—District Attorney's Office .....	60 00	1,502,082 17
Coroners—Salaries and Expenses .....	2,958 30	
Croton Water Rent—Refunding Account .....	49 00	1,502,082 17
For Burial of Honorably Discharged Soldiers, Sailors or Marines ..	490 00	
For the Preservation of Public Records .....	5,071 77	1,502,082 17
Land Drainage Fund .....	153 84	
Rents .....	589 89	1,502,082 17
Salaries—Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments [Salary of the Recorder] .....	83 33	
Salaries—Commissioners of Accounts .....	1,824 32	1,502,082 17
Salaries—Commissioners of the Sinking Fund [Salary of the Recorder] .....	83 33	
Salaries of Engineer and Assistant Engineer of the County Jail ..	83 33	1,502,082 17
Salaries of Inspectors and Sealers of Weights and Measures .....	1,250 00	

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

COURT.	NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION.	ATTORNEY.
Supreme..	John McL. Nash.....	\$1,117 00	Order reducing assessment for paving Second avenue, from Eighty-sixth to One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, on Ward Nos. 46 to 52, Block 220.	E. M. Neville Thain & Kearney.
Superior..	Denis W. Moran .....	427 34	Orders reducing assessments, as follows: Eighth avenue regulating, etc., One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street to Harlem river—	
Supreme..	Nathaniel S. Simpkins, Jr. ....	2,650 66	Ward Nos. 29 958	T. H. Baldwin.
"	James M. Horton....	2,238 02	1 to 9, 54 to 64 854	"
"	John W. Guntzer....	356 26	Eleventh avenue regulating, etc., Fifty-ninth to Seventy-second street—	
"	Maria L. Grant and others.....	690 99	Ward Nos. 34 and 35 249	"
"	Maria L. Grant and others.....	1,533 72	Ninety-fifth street paving (trap-block), from First to Second avenue—	
"	William G. Nicoll....	684 60	Ward Nos. 27 to 40 210	"
"	Mary G. Murphy and others, executors..	2,552 79	Ninety-fifth street regulating, etc., First to Third avenue—	
"	Benjamin F. Romaine..	2,552 24	Ward Nos. 30 to 40 210	"
"	John Kennedy.....	104 20	8 to 13 210	"
"	John C. Shaw.....	3,664 79	One Hundred and First street regulating, etc., from Ninth to New avenue—	
"	" .....	363 30	Ward Nos. 1, 5 to 14 913	"
"	Charles A. Peabody..	44 24	51 to 61 912	"
"	Glovina R. Hoffman..	126 76	Transcript of judgment.....	T. F. Neville.
"	Henrietta Holz Jerber, executrix .....	16 04	" .....	John C. Shaw.
"	Phoebe B. Allen.....	1,811 97	" .....	"
Superior..	Daniel S. Hart.....	1,166 45	Summons and complaint. For balance of salary as Clerk in Department of Public Works, for year 1884, and from January 1 to March 17, 1885.....	James F. Rogers.
Supreme..	J. W. Pirsson.....	1,104 38	Orders reducing assessment for Sixty-sixth street outlet sewer, etc., as follows: Ward Nos. 112 112	P. A. Hargous.
"	G. W. Poillon.....	1,513 59	33 to 37 108	"
"	Louisa C. Miller....	1,223 67	29 to 31 151	"
"	Rosina Heimboach....	291 91	35 151	"
"	Edward Schell.....	4,861 09	26 to 42 150	"
"	The New York Hospital .....	838 47	Order reducing assessment for Boulevard tree planting, from Fifty-ninth to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, on lots Ward Nos. 1 to 4, 61 to 64, Block 1154; Ward Nos. 1 to 4, 61 to 64, Block 1155; Ward No. 1, Block 1156; Ward No. 1, Block 1157; Ward No. 29, Block 1273; Ward No. 1, Block 1158; Ward Nos. 29 and 37, Block 1274; Ward Nos. 29 37, Block 1275; Ward No. 1, Block 1159; Ward No. 1, Block 1160; Ward Nos. 28, 29, 36 and 37, Block 1276; and Ward No. 2, Block 1161.....	John C. Shaw.



COURT.	NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION.	ATTORNEY.
Supreme.	Michael H. Cashman.	\$1,718 45	Orders reducing assessment for regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Fifty-second street, St. Nicholas avenue and Boulevard, as follows: Ward Nos. Block Nos. 44 to 56 1078 50 to 54 1193 18 to 21 1194	A. B. Johnson.
"	Stella West.....	535 46		"
"	Isabella Garvey.....	546 45		"
"	Frederick Stehle and another.....	409 83	7 to 9 1194	"
"	Edward McQuade...	144 83	Orders reducing assessments, as follows: Forty-fourth street paving, Second to Third avenue— Ward Nos. Block Nos. 23 248 17 248	T. H. Baldwin.
"	Rosanna A. Haaren..	64 03		"
"	John Lorier.....	250 98	One Hundred and Third street regulating, grading, etc., First to Fifth avenue— Ward Nos. Block Nos. 35 and 36 306 59 to 61 487	T. H. Baldwin.
"	David L. Einstein....	653 79		"
"	Thos. H. Walter and others, executors and trustees.....	1,591 30	1, 5 to 10 458	"
"	William Moores.....	158 50	33 488	"
"	Peter Asten.....	380 99	1 307	"
"	Cornelia T. Young...	40 38	One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street paving, Second to Sixth avenue— Ward No. Block No. 44 512	"
"	Leonard J. Carpenter.	347 51	Eighth avenue regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street to Harlem river— Ward Nos. Block Nos. 27 to 32 946 36 954	"
"	Philip Smith.....	268 62		"
"	John W. Andreas....	1,402 23	Eleventh avenue regulating, grading, etc., Fifty-ninth to Seventy-second street— Ward Nos. Block Nos. 1 to 4, 62 to 64 203 29 210	"
"	Elizabeth Schultz....	95 26		"
City Court	Thomas Goulard agst. Albert H. Rogers.	78 34	Affidavit and order to examine third person as to property of judgment debtor.....	Charles P. Kearney.
Supreme..	J. & S. Wormser.....	525 49	Order vacating assessment for Boulevard sewers, between Sixty-first and Seventy-seventh streets, on lots Ward Nos. 14 to 16, 51 to 55, Block 108.....	John C. Shaw.
"	George Kober.....	257 54	Order reducing assessment for sewer in Eighty-eighth street, between Second and Third avenues, etc., on lots Ward Nos. 62 and 63, Block 381.....	T. F. Neville.
"	The Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York.....	135 90	Summons and complaint. To recover excess of assessment paid May 17, 1881, for regulating, etc., St. Nicholas avenue, on Ward No. 33, Block 934.....	Develin & Miller.
"	Silas D. Gifford.....	354 88	Orders reducing assessments, as follows: Third avenue paving, Westchester avenue to One Hundred and Sixty-third street— Ward No. Assessment No. 287 8	A. B. Johnson.
"	Joseph A. Steed.....	112 50	Third avenue regulating and paving, One Hundred and Sixty-third street to boundary of Twenty-third Ward: Ward No. Map No. 140 A. 215	"
"	St. Luke's Home for Indigent Christian Females.....	1,357 18	Madison avenue regulating and grading, Eighty-sixth to Ninety-ninth street: Ward Nos. Block Nos. 20, 21 and 24 474 17 and 20 475	"
"	Mary F. McNulty....	2,460 00		"
"	Jacob and William Scholle.....	594 50	Madison avenue regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Fifth to One Hundred and Twentieth street: Ward Nos. Block No. 14 to 16, 17 473 56 to 63 474	"
"	Benjamin H. Hutton.	1,578 50		"
City Court	Thomas Goulard vs. Albert H. Rogers.	78 34	Amended affidavit, and order to examine third person as to property of judgment debtor.	Charles P. Kearney.

## CLAIMS FILED.

DATE.	NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.
1885.				
April 27..	Patrick Donnelly.....	\$2,000 00	Claim. For damages for personal injuries received by falling over a wooden platform in front of No. 8 Rector street, on April 17, 1885.....	Henry J. Schenck.
" 29..	John McL. Nash.....	922 20	Demand. To recover excess and interest paid for assessment for paving Second avenue, from Eighty-sixth to One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, on lots Ward Nos. 46 to 52, Block 220.....	E. M. Neville.
May 2..	Michael H. Cashman.	649 87	Demand. For return of amount overpaid for assessment for One Hundred and Fifty-second street regulating, etc., St. Nicholas avenue and Boulevard, on lots Ward Nos. 51 to 56, Block 1078, Twelfth Ward, paid April 9, 1885.....	A. B. Johnson.

## CONTRACTS REGISTERED FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 2, 1885.

NO.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT.	NAMES OF CONTRACTORS.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.
7014	Apr. 16, 1885	Public Parks.....	Bernard Mahon..... (Sureties: Charles H. Field, Maurice B. Flynn. Bond, \$3,500.)	Erection of a wall on the easterly side of Eighth avenue, between Seventy-seventh and Eighty-first streets. Total, \$6,700.
7015	" 21, "	Board of Education..	George M. Mittnacht..... (Sureties: Wolfgang Goetz, M. D., Jacob A. Mittnacht. Bond, \$300.)	Iron stairway, etc., in Grammar School Building No. 30, in Baxter street, Fourteenth Ward. Total, \$890.

## THE CITY DEBT AS REPRESENTED IN BONDS AND STOCKS APRIL 30, 1885.

CLASSIFICATION OF DEBT.	DECEMBER 31, 1884.	MARCH 31, 1885.	APRIL 30, 1885.
1. Bonds payable from the Sinking Fund, under ordinances of the Common Council.....	\$9,737,871 00	\$9,737,871 00	\$9,737,871 00
2. Bonds payable from the Sinking Fund, under provisions of section 6, chapter 383, Laws of 1878.....	9,700,000 00	9,700,000 00	9,700,000 00
3. Bonds payable from the Sinking Fund, under provisions of section 8, chapter 383, Laws 1878.....	15,972,337 96	15,972,337 96	15,972,337 96
4 a. Bonds payable from Taxation, under provisions of chapter 490, Laws 1883 (New Aqueduct).....	445,000 00	445,000 00	445,000 00
4 b. Bonds payable from the Sinking Fund, under the provisions of the Constitutional Amendment, adopted November 4, 1884, (New Aqueduct).....		1,550,900 00	1,600,000 00
5. Bonds payable from Taxation, under the several statutes authorizing their issue.....	84,666,611 65	84,639,811 65	84,639,811 65
6. Assessment Bonds issued for Local Improvements prior to June 3, 1878, date of the passage of chapter 383, Laws of 1878.....	4,500 00	3,000 00	2,500 00
7. Assessment Bonds issued for Local Improvements after June 3, 1880.....	5,547,317 97	5,547,317 97	5,547,317 97
8. Bonds of the Annexed Territory of Westchester County.....	797,500 00	771,500 00	770,000 00
Total Funded Debt.....	\$126,871,138 58	\$128,366,838 58	\$128,414,838 58
Deduct Sinking Fund for the Redemption of Debt (investments and cash).....	34,823,735 48	35,872,368 40	36,032,853 07
Net Funded Debt.....	\$92,047,403 10	\$92,494,470 18	\$92,381,985 51
Revenue Bonds— Issued under Special Laws.....	\$32,000 08	\$32,000 08	\$32,000 08
" in anticipation of Taxes of 1884.....	2,326,825 00	2,147,600 00	1,897,600 00
" " " 1885.....		4,550,525 00	6,662,525 00
Total Revenue Bonds.....	\$2,358,825 08	\$6,730,125 08	\$8,592,125 08
Cash— City Treasury account.....			\$2,609,228 37
Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt.....			1,720,013 51
" " Payment of Interest on the City Debt.....			333,616 54
Total cash.....			\$4,662,858 42

## Certificate of the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments of Clerical Error made in Tax of 1884 on Real Estate, received, as follows:

DATE.	WARD.	ADDRESS.	WARD NO.	RECEIVER'S BOOK.	CORRECT VALUATION.
Apr. 28..	21	324 East Thirty-fifth street.....	4372	\$10,000 00	\$4,000 00

## Certificate of the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments of the Remission by them of Taxes of 1884, on Personal Estate, received, as follows:

DATE.	NAME.	ADDRESS.	RECEIVER'S BOOK.	TAX REMITTED.
May 2..	Jacob Gerstl.....	27 Mercer street.....	\$5,000 00	\$112 50

## Certificate of the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments of the Reduction by them of Taxes of 1884 on Personal Estate, received, as follows:

DATE.	NAME.	ADDRESS.	RECEIVER'S BOOK.	CORRECTED AMOUNT.	TAX REMITTED.
May 2..	New York Textile Filter Co....	46 Murray street.....	\$14 900 00	\$5,000 00	\$2 2 75

## Opening of Proposals.

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

April 28. The Health Department (by representative)—For building a stable, ice-house, disinfecting-house and coal shed on North Brother Island.

April 29. The Department of Public Works (by representative)—For furnishing and delivering ice to the Department of Public Works and the public buildings and offices in care of said Department for the eight months ending December 31, 1885.

## Approval of Sureties.

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

- April 27. For furnishing 2,000 barrels flour No. 2, for use of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.  
Alfred V. Ryder, No. 28 East Seventy-eighth street, Principal.  
Josiah H. Abbot, No. 46 Front street, } Sureties.  
S. Ellis Briggs, Nos. 62 and 64 Rutgers Slip, }
- April 27. For furnishing 7,500 pounds dairy butter for use of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.  
B. W. Lederer, No. 317 Washington street, Principal.  
H. Henneberger, No. 719 East One Hundred and } Sureties.  
Thirty-eighth street, }
- April 27. For furnishing 23 pieces cotton duck and 20,000 yards bandage muslin for use of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.  
J. L. Chamberlin, No. 25 West Eighteenth street, Principal.  
William E. Tefft, No. 22 East Sixty-fourth street, } Sureties.  
Joseph H. Weller, No. 64 East Fifty-fourth street, }
- April 27. For furnishing an upright tubular boiler for almshouse, Blackwell's Island, for Department of Public Charities and Correction.  
N. F. Palmer, Jr. & Co., foot of Eleventh street, East river, Principals.  
Abner B. Mills, No. 127 Avenue D, } Sureties.  
James J. Burnet, No. 706 East Twelfth street, }
- April 27. For furnishing water-heater for laundry building, Hart's Island, for Department of Public Charities and Correction.  
N. F. Palmer, Jr. & Co., foot of Eleventh street, East river, Principals.  
Abner B. Mills, No. 127 Avenue D, } Sureties.  
James J. Burnet, No. 706 East Twelfth street, }
- April 28. For furnishing 2,000 barrels flour No. 1, for use of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.  
George Hollister, No. 90 Broad street, Principal.  
William N. Crane, No. 7 East Forty-third street, } Sureties.  
Effingham Maynard, No. 286 Lexington avenue, }
- April 28. For furnishing the illuminating material for and lighting and extinguishing, cleaning, painting, repairing and maintaining (and supplying gas, etc. for new lamps when required) the public lamps on the streets, avenues, piers, parks and places in the City of New York, for the period from May 1, 1885 to April 30, 1886, both days inclusive, to-wit:
- The Brush Electric Illuminating Company, of New York, No. 204 Elizabeth street, Principals.  
Augustus D. Juilliard, No. 16 West Fifty-seventh street, } Sureties.  
David L. Einstein, No. 39 West Fifty-seventh street, }



The United States Illuminating Company, No. 59 Liberty street, Principals.  
 Marcellus Hartley, No. 232 Madison avenue, } Sureties.  
 Anson Phelps Stokes, No. 45 Wall street, }

The Yonkers Gas-light Company, Yonkers, N. Y., Principals.  
 Samuel D. Babcock, No. 32 Nassau street, } Sureties.  
 Thomas C. Cornell, Yonkers, N. Y., }

The Northern Gas-light Company, No. 1845 Railroad avenue, Principals.  
 B. W. Van Voorhis, Manhattanville, } Sureties.  
 James M. Cumings, No. 45 Duane street, }

The Equitable Gas-light Company, No. 340 Third avenue, Principals.  
 E. C. Benedict, No. 29 Broad street, } Sureties.  
 Charles F. Tag, No. 184 Front street, }

The New York Mutual Gas-light Company, No. 36 Union square, Principals.  
 John P. Kennedy, No. 38 East Thirty-sixth street, } Sureties.  
 Arthur Leary, No. 90 Fifth avenue, }

The Consolidated Gas Co., Principals.  
 Percy R. Pine, No. 25 East Twenty-second street, } Sureties.  
 Samuel Sloan, No. 7 East Thirtieth street, }

The New York and New Jersey Globe Gas-light Co. (Limited), No. 1 Park Place, Principals.  
 William H. Hurst, No. 156 West Fifty-fourth street, } Sureties.  
 Francis Higgins, No. 53 West Thirty-third street, }

May 1. For furnishing four provision boilers for Laundry Building, Hart's Island, for Department of Public Charities and Correction.

Samuel Booth, No. 550 West Thirty-sixth street, Principal.  
 James Curran, No. 512 West Thirty-sixth street, } Sureties.  
 Charles Rohe, No. 266 West Thirty-third street, }

May 1. For furnishing two provision boilers for Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island, for Department of Public Charities and Correction.

Samuel Booth, No. 550 West Thirty-sixth street, Principal.  
 James Curran, No. 512 West Thirty-sixth street, } Sureties.  
 Charles Rohe, No. 266 West Thirty-third street, }

May 1. For furnishing tubular boiler and water heater for kitchen at Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island, for Department of Public Charities and Correction.

Samuel Booth, No. 550 West Thirty-sixth street, Principal.  
 James Curran, No. 512 West Thirty-sixth street, } Sureties.  
 Charles Rohe, No. 266 West Thirty-third street, }

May 2. For building lodge and iron railing at Bellevue Hospital, for Department of Public Charities and Correction.

Michael Reilly, No. 1976 Fourth avenue, Principal.  
 William J. Light, No. 218 East One Hundred and Fourth street, } Sureties.  
 Thomas Hagan, No. 337 East One Hundred and Twenty-third street, }

#### Return of Proposals.

April 28. Proposal of the New York & New Jersey Globe Gas-Light Company, Limited, returned to the Department of Public Works for action on the proposed substitution of William H. Hurst, No. 156 West Fifty-fourth street, and Francis Higgins, No. 53 West Thirty-third street, as sureties thereon, in the place of Henry Wellington, Nos. 468 and 470 Cherry street, and Thomas P. Fiske, No. 61 Water street, the original sureties.

April 29. Proposal of Michael Reilly, for lodge and iron railing at Bellevue Hospital, returned to the Department of Public Charities and Correction for action on the proposed substitution of Thomas Hagan, No. 337 East One Hundred and Twenty-third street, as surety thereon in the place of Charles A. Fuller, one of the original sureties.

May 2. Proposal of John Cox, for building addition to City Prison, "Tombs," returned to the Department of Public Charities and Correction for action on the proposed substitution of Edward J. Cassidy, No. 1119 Madison avenue, as a surety thereon in the place of J. Richard Adler, No. 533 West Fifty-fifth street, one of the original sureties.

#### Official Bond Filed.

April 29. John F. Ahearn, Police Clerk, Principal.  
 Roger Donegan, No. 293 East Broadway, } Sureties.  
 Valentine Hill, No. 131 Cannon street, }  
 Bond dated April 29, 1885. Penalty, \$5,000. Approved by Justice O'Gorman, Superior Court.

#### Resignation.

May 1. Benjamin Drake, Interest Clerk in Bureau for the Collection of Taxes, to take effect May 1, 1885.

EDWARD V. LOEW, Comptroller.

## COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND.

*Proceedings of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at the Meeting held May 4th, 1885.*

Present—William R. Grace, Mayor; Frederick Smyth, Recorder; Edward V. Loew, Comptroller; Henry B. Laidlaw, Chamberlain; and Charles H. Reilly, Chairman of the Finance Committee of the Board of Aldermen.

The minutes of the meeting held April 17th, 1885, were read and approved.

The following communication from the Board of Police, requesting a change in the location of the site for a station-house for the Twenty-eighth Police Precinct, as designated in the resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted February 25th, 1885, was received, viz.:

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
 NEW YORK, April 17th, 1885.

*The Honorable Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:*

GENTLEMEN—At a meeting of the Board of Police, held this day, it was Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be and are hereby respectfully requested to rescind a resolution adopted February 25th, 1885, appropriating and setting apart a plot of ground located on the south side of East Sixty-eighth street, for the use of the Police Department of the City of New York, for the erection thereon of a station-house for the Twenty-eighth Police Precinct. And that they be and are hereby respectfully requested to appropriate and set apart for the use of the said Department the following-described plot of ground on the north side of East Sixty-seventh street, belonging to the City of New York, for the erection thereon of a station-house, lodging-house and prison for the Twenty-eighth Police Precinct, to wit: the plot of ground situate on the north side of East Sixty-seventh street, beginning at a point one hundred and twenty-five feet easterly from the northeast corner of Lexington avenue and the said street, running thence easterly along the northerly side of said street seventy-five feet; thence northerly on a line parallel with Lexington avenue to the centre line of the block, between Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets, one hundred feet five inches; thence westerly along the said centre line of the block seventy-five feet; thence southerly in a line parallel with Lexington avenue one hundred feet five inches, to the place of beginning.

Very respectfully,  
 WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

The following communication from the Board of Fire Commissioners, requesting additional space adjoining building in course of erection on Sixty-seventh street, was received, viz.:

*To the Honorable Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:*

The Board of Fire Commissioners of the City of New York respectfully represent: That there is now in course of erection on the north side of Sixty-seventh street, commencing two hundred feet east of Lexington avenue, on the plot of land being fifty feet in width by two hundred feet in depth, a building to be used for the purposes of the Fire Department. That said structure, when completed, will cover the entire front of the plot and to the depth of one hundred feet on each side.

That it appears from a resolution adopted by the Board of Police, on April 17th, 1885, that an

application is about to be made to your Honorable Board, that a plot of land, seventy-five feet in width and one hundred feet five inches in depth, adjoining the premises upon which said structure is in course of erection, on the west thereof, be appropriated and set apart for the erection thereon of a station-house for the Twenty-eighth Police Precinct.

That in case said last-mentioned application be granted by your Honorable Board, and a building erected upon the plot so asked for by said Police Board, the usefulness of the building in course of construction for the Fire Department will be seriously impaired, for the reason that all light and air will be in danger of being shut off on both sides of said building.

The Board of Fire Commissioners therefore earnestly request that a sufficient space of land adjoining the plot assigned to them, on the west side thereof, be reserved so as to admit the necessary light and air to the interior of said building.

Very respectfully,

CORNELIUS VAN COTT,  
 HENRY D. PURROY,  
 RICHARD CROKER,  
 Commissioners.

NEW YORK, April 22d, 1885.

Whereupon the Comptroller submitted the following preamble and resolution, viz.:

Whereas, The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at a meeting held February 25th, 1885, adopted a resolution appropriating and setting apart a certain plot of ground, situated on the south side of East Sixty-eighth street, between Lexington and Third avenues, for the use of the Police Department of the City of New York, as a site for a station-house, lodging-house and prison for the Twenty-eighth Police Precinct; and

Whereas, The Board of Police, on the 17th day of April, 1885, adopted a resolution requesting the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to rescind the resolution adopted by them February 25th, 1885, appropriating said plot of ground on East Sixty-eighth street for the use of the Police Department for the purposes therein stated, and also requesting said Commissioners to appropriate and set apart for the use of said Department, for the same purposes, another plot of ground of the same dimensions, situated on the north side of West Sixty-seventh street, and abutting in the rear against the said plot situated on Sixty-eighth street; therefore

Resolved, That the resolution, adopted February 25th, 1885, appropriating and setting apart for the use of the Police Department of the City of New York, of a plot of ground situated on the south side of East Sixty-eighth street, between Lexington and Third avenues, seventy-five feet front by one hundred feet five inches deep, for the erection thereon of a station-house, lodging-house and prison for the Twenty-eighth Police Precinct, be and the same is hereby rescinded and declared to be null and void, and in pursuance of the authority conferred upon the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund by chapter 200 of the Laws of 1884, the following-described plot of ground belonging to the Corporation of the City of New York, which is not already appropriated to some other public use, is hereby appropriated and set apart for the use of said Police Department and the erection thereon of a station-house, lodging-house and prison for the Twenty-eighth Police Precinct, to wit: "The plot of ground situate on the north side of East Sixty-seventh street, beginning at a point one hundred and twenty-five feet easterly from the northeast corner of Lexington avenue and the said street, running thence easterly along the northerly side of said street seventy-five feet; thence northerly on a line parallel with Lexington avenue to the centre line of the block, between Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets, one hundred feet five inches; thence westerly along the said centre line of the block seventy-five feet, thence southerly in a line parallel with Lexington avenue one hundred feet five inches, to the place of beginning;" provided, however, that a sufficient space (not less than five feet) be reserved on the easterly side of said plot of ground to admit the necessary light and air to the interior of a building now in the course of construction by and for the use of the Fire Department of the City of New York, upon the plot of ground adjoining and fronting on the north side of East Sixty-seventh street, heretofore appropriated and set apart for the use of the Fire Department.

On motion, the resolution was unanimously adopted, all the Commissioners voting in the affirmative.

The Comptroller submitted the following report, viz.:

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
 COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
 May 4th, 1885.

*To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:*

GENTLEMEN—Herewith I present a communication from the President of the Staten Island Rapid Transit Railroad Company, calling attention to the fact that a ferry is being run from Staten Island to New York and from New York to Staten Island by the New Jersey Steamboat Transportation Company, in violation of the franchise which has been leased by the Rapid Transit Railroad Company, of the ferry to Staten Island from the foot of Whitehall street.

A notice of the running of the ferry referred to by the President of the Staten Island Rapid Transit Railroad Company, contained in the "Sun" newspaper of Friday, May 1st, 1885, is also submitted, and a resolution requesting the Counsel to the Corporation to take the necessary legal measures for the protection of the rights and interests of the city in regard to the franchise of the Staten Island Ferry.

Respectfully,

EDWARD V. LOEW, Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Counsel to the Corporation be requested to take such legal measures as may be necessary to protect the rights and interests of the Corporation of the City of New York against violation and injury by the New Jersey Steamboat Transportation Company in running and operating a ferry from and to the City of New York and to and from Staten Island, without having received the grant of a franchise or right to run and operate such ferry from the authorities of the said City of New York.

The report was accepted, and, on motion, the resolution was unanimously adopted, all the Commissioners voting in the affirmative.

The following communications were submitted with the report, viz.:

THE STATEN ISLAND RAPID TRANSIT RAILROAD COMPANY,  
 NEW YORK, May 4th, 1885.

*Hon. E. V. LOEW, Comptroller City of New York:*

MY DEAR SIR—Your attention is drawn to the fact that a ferry is being run from Staten Island to New York and from New York to Staten Island by the New Jersey Steamboat Transportation Company in violation of the franchise which has been leased by the Staten Island Rapid Transit Railroad Company, from the pier at the foot of Whitehall street.

Will you be good enough to take the necessary steps to ask the Corporation Counsel to proceed against the New Jersey Steamboat Transportation Company, to enjoin them from diminishing the receipts of the Staten Island Rapid Transit Railroad Company, and hence diminishing the receipts of the city from the percentage we pay for the franchise.

I am respectfully yours,  
 J. FRANK EMMONS, President,  
 Per E. W.

#### A NEW STATEN ISLAND FERRY.

A Jersey Corporation is Carrying Passengers to this City for Seven Cents Each.

Ten thousand printed circulars showered down all over Staten Island Tuesday and Wednesday, telling people that the steamboat "Harlem" would begin transporting them either way at seven cents per capita on yesterday, and from Elizabethport for thirteen cents. At daylight yesterday the steamboat left the dock at Elizabethport with a view of knocking out Millionaire Wiman's ten-cent and twenty-cent ferry, and hurried around to corral anti-monopolist passengers. A score or so got on board by 5 o'clock, and the "Harlem" started for the city, stopping on the way at Constable Hook to catch up some more Jerseymen.

The trip was made under the supervision of the New Jersey Steamboat Transportation Company, and ex-Speaker Stoney of the Trenton Legislature looked after things as manager of the new line. It was his intention to make four round trips, but the "Harlem" got stuck in the mud at Elizabethport just before noon, and it took two long hours to get her off again. The adventure didn't hurt the steamboat a bit, but it took some money out of the treasury of the new company by forcing anti-monopolists, who were in a hurry to get to town, to go over to the Wiman boats.



Mr. Stoney stood on Pier 6, North river, at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon and lifted his hat to the anti-monopoly ladies who hurried down the pier to catch the last boat.

"We've carried 1,000 people altogether to-day," he said, "and patronage will increase steadily. More boats will be put on next week. This is a Jersey enterprise all the way through, and there is enough capital back of it to see that it don't fail. Thomas Taylor of Jersey City is President of the new company. We won't stick in the mud at Elizabethport again. Hereafter landings will be made at West Brighton, Port Richmond, Elm Park and Elizabethport."—"Sun" newspaper, New York, May 1st, 1885.

The Comptroller submitted the following reports, viz:

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
May 4, 1885.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

GENTLEMEN—Herewith I present applications of the Board of Police for renewals of leases for one year of premises for a station-house for the Thirtieth Police Precinct, on West One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, near Eighth avenue, at the annual rent of \$1,000, and in Parepa Hall, corner Third avenue and Eighty-sixth street, for an office for the Inspector of the Third and Fourth Inspection Districts, at the annual rent of \$480. The old leases for the premises expired May 1st, 1885.

I consider the rentals fair and reasonable, and submit resolutions to authorize new leases with the same covenants and conditions as the old ones.

Respectfully,  
EDWARD V. LOEW, Comptroller.

1. Resolved, That the Counsel to the Corporation be requested to prepare a lease to the city of the premises on south side of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, near Eighth avenue, for a station-house for the Thirtieth Police Precinct, for one year from May 1st, 1885, with the privilege of further renewal for four years, at the annual rent of one thousand dollars (\$1,000), with the same covenants and conditions as the lease of the same premises terminating May 1st, 1885, it being deemed a fair and reasonable rent, and that it would be for the interest of the city that such lease of said premises should be made; and the Comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to execute such lease when the same is prepared and approved by the Counsel to the Corporation, as provided by sections 123 and 181 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

2. Resolved, That the Counsel to the Corporation be requested to prepare a lease to the city of the Rooms Nos. 1 and 2, Parepa Hall, northeast corner of Third avenue and Eighty-sixth street, for an office for the Inspector of the Third and Fourth Inspection Districts, for one year from May 1st, 1885, at the annual rent of four hundred and eighty dollars (\$480), with the same covenants and conditions as those of the lease of the same premises terminating May 1st, 1885, it being deemed for the interest of the city that such lease should be made, and that the rental of the premises is fair and reasonable; and the Comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to execute such lease, when the same is prepared and approved by the Counsel to the Corporation, as provided by sections 123 and 181 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

The report was accepted, and, on motion, the resolutions were respectively adopted, all the Commissioners voting in the affirmative.

The following applications were submitted with the report, viz:

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, April 25th, 1885.

The Honorable Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

GENTLEMEN—The Board of Police have directed me to respectfully request that authority be given to the Comptroller to renew the lease of the premises on south side of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, near Eighth avenue, for a station-house for the Thirtieth Police Precinct, for one year from May 1st, 1885, with privilege of a further renewal for four years, at the annual rent of \$1,000, with Croton-water tax.

Very respectfully,  
WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, April 29th, 1885.

Hon. Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

GENTLEMEN—The Board of Police have directed me to respectfully request that authority be given to the Comptroller to renew the lease of the rooms Nos. 1 and 2 (Parepa Hall), northeast corner Third avenue and Eighty-sixth street, for an office for the Inspector of the Third and Fourth Inspection Districts, for one year from May 1st, 1885, at the annual rent of \$480.

Very respectfully,  
WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

The Comptroller submitted the following statement, viz:

I hereby certify that the cash balance in the City Treasury to the credit of the Sinking Fund for the Payment of Interest on the City Debt on the morning of this May 4th, 1885, was \$309,328.42, and that there are no immediate liabilities outstanding against the Fund.

ISAAC S. BARRETT, General Bookkeeper.

Whereupon the following resolution, submitted by the Comptroller, was, on motion, unanimously adopted, all the Commissioners voting in the affirmative:

Resolved, That a warrant for two hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000), payable from the Sinking Fund for the Payment of Interest on the City Debt, be drawn in favor of the Chamberlain for deposit to credit of the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, the said amount being surplus revenues of the Interest Fund transferred to the Redemption Fund, pursuant to section 172 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

The Comptroller submitted the following applications, duly approved by the Commissioner of Public Works, made for the refunding of Croton-water rent paid in error, viz:

E. S. Higgins & Co.....	\$454 57
D. W. McWilliams, secretary and treasurer.....	15 00
Mary A. Newcomb.....	7 50
Richard A. Thorp, agent.....	5 00
Total.....	\$482 07

Whereupon the following resolution, submitted by the Comptroller, was, on motion, unanimously adopted, all the Commissioners voting in the affirmative:

Resolved, That a warrant for four hundred and eighty-two dollars and seven cents (\$482.07), payable from the "Sinking Fund for the Payment of Interest on the City Debt," be drawn in favor of the Chamberlain for deposit in the City Treasury, to credit of "Croton Water Rent—Refunding Account," for refunding Croton-water rent paid in error, as per statement herewith.

The Comptroller submitted the following report on sale of franchise of ferry from foot of Jay street, North river, to Weehawken, New Jersey, viz:

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
May 4th, 1885.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopted April 9th, 1885, authorizing the sale of the franchise of a ferry to run to and from a point

at or near the foot of Harrison street and the foot of Jay street, North river, and Weehawken, New Jersey, the same was sold at public auction April 28th, 1885, at the upset price of \$1,000, annual rent, to Horace Russell and Theodore Houston, Receivers of the New York, West Shore and Buffalo Railway, on a lease for the term of one year, from May 1st, 1885.

Respectfully,  
EDWARD V. LOEW, Comptroller.

Report accepted and ordered on file.

The following application from the Commissioner of Public Works was received, and referred to the Comptroller, viz:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
NEW YORK, May 4th, 1885.

Hon. WILLIAM R. GRACE, Mayor and Chairman Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

SIR—In the letter addressed to you by my predecessor on December 27th, ultimo, requesting the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to authorize the leasing of certain premises required for the business of this Department, an omission was made in leaving out the rooms on the third floor of the Acker Building, in Yonkers, hitherto occupied by the Engineer and Assistants having charge of the Croton Aqueduct, and still required for that purpose. I request that the Commissioners authorize the leasing of the same from Mr. David D. Acker for one year from September 30th, 1884, the date of the expiration of the last lease, which is dated May 26th, 1884, and at the same terms, viz., \$425 per annum, payable quarterly.

Very respectfully,  
ROLLIN M. SQUIRE, Commissioner of Public Works.

The following communications were received from Randolph B. Martine, District Attorney, in relation to providing "for the criminal courts, a court-room for the holding of Part III. of Court of General Sessions and of the Oyer and Terminer of the Supreme Court," which were referred to the Comptroller, viz:

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE,  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK,  
NEW YORK, May 2d, 1885.

To his Honor WILLIAM R. GRACE, Mayor, etc.:

DEAR SIR—Enclosed I send to you copy of a presentment made by the Grand Jury of the Court of General Sessions, at the April Term thereof, by instructions of that body. I also enclose to you copy of a letter this day addressed by me to the Common Council. The subjects treated in the presentment of the Grand Jury and by the letter are of great importance to the enforcement of the criminal laws in the City of New York, and to which I ask your careful attention.

Very respectfully yours,  
RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, District Attorney.

To the Honorable RUFUS B. COWING, City Judge:

The Grand Jury of the Court of General Sessions of the City and County of New York respectfully present: That during the deliberations of this body the imperative necessity for the more speedy trial and disposition of criminal actions has become manifest. We have ascertained that the facilities for the disposition of indictments has not been increased in proportion to the causes that create prosecutions of persons charged with crime; that during the last twenty-one years the population of the City of New York has nearly doubled; that the police force, police justices and coroners, and, in fine, the whole machinery for the detection and apprehension of persons accused of offenses has been largely increased, while the criminal courts have remained substantially the same as they were twenty years ago. As a direct result, the trial of such offenders who are able to give bail has been delayed until the giving of bail by one charged with crime in the City of New York is almost tantamount to an absolute acquittal. The two parts of the Court of General Sessions are kept constantly engaged in the trials of offenders in actual custody. The Court of Oyer and Terminer, owing to the inadequate provisions for court room, is only enabled to be in sitting four months in the year, and the machinery, as now provided, is barely able to dispose of jail cases. It is not necessary for us to point out the manifest injustice to individuals and the enormous injury resulting to the community from such a state of things, but as a direct and speedy remedy for this evil the Grand Inquest is of opinion that another court-room, adapted for the sitting of Part III. of the Court of General Sessions, should at once be provided. That court is by law divided into three parts; it has three justices but only two court-rooms, and the result has been that only two parts of the Court of General Sessions have ever been organized. The Grand Inquest submits that the room now occupied by the Receiver of Taxes should at once be transformed into a court-room for the purposes above stated. We are informed that as the courts are at present organized, it is impossible for the District Attorney to do more than dispose of the cases that are pressed upon him from day to day, and where the defendants are in actual custody. This leaves no opportunity for the trial of actions that he received from his predecessor, or for the disposition of many cases that arise under his own administration; and cases that are tried are often brought on so long after the commission of the offense, that the example of punishment is entirely lost, and frequently men who are demonstrated to be innocent of crime have to remain a long time incarcerated before their trial. The department that we have indicated as proper for an additional court-room, is admirably adapted for that purpose; it is adjoining the District Attorney's office; it is in the same building with the court-rooms of Parts I. and II. of the Court of General Sessions, and we know of none so well adapted for the purpose in the city. Another reason why we make this presentment is that, in our judgment, the office of the Receiver of Taxes should be removed from its present location. It is in the same building where criminal courts are held, and where, daily, large numbers of men guilty of crime are brought for trial and punishment. The trials of these criminals attract not only their friends and associates, but large numbers of the criminal and dangerous classes to the same place, but still every year, of necessity, all the citizens who have to pay taxes on their property are necessarily brought to the same place. The result is, during the months of October and November in each year, large numbers of our most respectable citizens are forced into actual and physical contact with the dangerous and criminal classes, and the citizen coming to the public treasury with his money is commingled with the handcuffed offender coming to the same place to receive punishment for his evil doings. In order to protect the citizens from any attempts upon their person or property by offenders against the laws and their associates, with which the citizen is thus necessarily forced into contact, it becomes necessary that a large number of policemen should be taken from their other duties and detailed for this purpose. Two patrolmen are kept constantly on duty at the office of the Receiver of Taxes, and during the times when taxes are paid, that is in the months of October and November, an additional force of from seven to ten men is kept constantly employed, thus entailing upon the city a large and, in our judgment, unnecessary expense. Two policemen receiving \$1,200 per annum are constantly employed, and eight others on an average of one month per year are occupied in a like capacity, their pay at \$100 per month making \$800 additional to the \$2,400, making a total of over \$3,000, which we believe to be unnecessarily expended. In the judgment of this Grand Inquest other offices for the Receiver of Taxes should be provided. It would seem that in the Stewart Building, near the Comptroller's office, is the proper place for the Receiver of Taxes, and we therefore present that in view of the foregoing facts the Common Council should immediately pass the appropriate resolution for the transforming of the rooms now occupied by the Receiver of Taxes into a court-room for the trial of criminal causes, and that other provision be made for offices for the Receiver of Taxes, and we respectfully ask that a copy of this presentment be transmitted to his Honor the Mayor and to the Common Council.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE,  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK,  
NEW YORK, May 2d, 1885.

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—I find that, for the proper and efficient administration of criminal justice in the City and County of New York, an additional room for the holding of the criminal courts is absolutely necessary, and that the present facilities for the sitting of the courts is entirely inadequate. Since the year 1864, the facilities for the holding of these courts have not been increased, and yet, during this period of twenty-one years, the city has more than doubled in population and crime has proportionately increased. The increase of crime has necessitated the enlargement of the machinery for the detection, prosecution and punishment thereof. The police force has been nearly doubled, and the number of police courts, police magistrates and coroners have been largely increased. All of the courts for the administration of civil procedure have been augmented, both by a number of courts and additional judges. The provisions of law organizing the Court of General Sessions provide for three justices and for three parts of such court, and yet, owing to the lack of room, there has never been in session, although there are three judges, but two parts of the Court of General Sessions. It is found that these two courts are kept constantly engaged by the trial and disposition of offenders actually in custody, and as the trials of such cases are preferred it leaves little or no opportunity for the trial of offenders on bail. The Court of Oyer and Terminer, under the present court facilities, cannot be in session, for lack of room, whenever the General Term of the Supreme Court is sitting, and this gives me but four terms of Oyer and Terminer per annum, and I find myself confronted by the fact that the giving of bail by an offender is in many instances



tantamount to an absolute acquittal; and thus it may happen that the rich and powerful offender, by being able to procure bail, escapes, while the poor and friendless suffer the penalty of their acts. Such a condition of affairs, while being grossly unjust, tends to bring the administration of criminal justice into contempt. I therefore call upon you to aid me in remedying this evil, and as a direct means thereto, furnish for the criminal courts a court-room for the holding of Part III. of the Court of General Sessions and of the Oyer and Terminer of the Supreme Court. The room now occupied by the Receiver of Taxes is admirably adapted for such a purpose. It is in the same building with the other parts of the Court of General Sessions, it is adjoining my office, and I do not know of any room as suitable for the purpose in the city. Of course some provision must be made for the offices of the Receiver of Taxes. I have no doubt that in the Staats Zeitung Building or in the Stewart Building space well adapted for such purpose can be obtained. I therefore respectfully ask that in view of the foregoing facts your Honorable Body pass the appropriate resolutions for the providing of a court-room as I have suggested.

Very respectfully,

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, District Attorney.

P. S.—I herewith enclose copy of presentment by the Grand Jury of the Court of General Sessions for the April Term.

W. H. DIKEMAN, Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

At a meeting of the Board of Docks held April 22, 1885.

Present—The full Board.

The minutes of the meetings held April 13th and 15th instant were read and approved.

The following communications were received, read, and,

On motion, laid on the table to await action, as stated, to wit:

From T. E. Crimmins—Requesting permission to locate dumping-board at foot of East Sixty-fourth street, East river. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to examine and report as to the advisability of locating and erecting a dump at the place mentioned.

From James Gillies—Requesting permission to drive two rows of piles from the inner end of platform between West Forty-ninth and West Fiftieth streets, for a distance of about one hundred feet, to the northerly side of West Fiftieth street, North river, and also requesting permission to fill in behind the same, and erect a platform thereat. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to examine and report.

From Staten Island Rapid Transit Railroad Company—Requesting a decision on their application for an extension of the ferry racks at Pier 1, East river, and for permission to erect a shed on the pier next to the Barge Office, as per plans submitted. Plans referred to Engineer-in-Chief to examine and report.

From New York, Lake Erie and Western Railroad Company—In reference to rental for use of bulkhead at foot of West Twenty-third street, North river. Secretary directed to advise that the Board will meet on Monday, April 27th, instant, at 1 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of conferring with the officers or representatives of their company in respect to the subject.

From Morris, Mitchell & Vedder, and others—Requesting the Board to extend the present bulkhead north of West One Hundred and Thirty-second street to the south side of West One Hundred and Thirty-third street, North river, and also requesting that a new pier be built at the foot of West One Hundred and Thirty-third street, North river.

From Engineer-in-Chief—Report on Secretary's Order No. 4144, in reference to the application of the Department of Public Charities and Correction for permission to erect a shed on the Pier foot East Twenty-sixth street, East river. Referred to Executive Session.

The following communications were received, read, and,

On motion, ordered to be placed on file, action being taken where necessary, as stated, to wit: From Police Department—Reporting that the bulkhead between Piers 14 and 15, East river, is in a dangerous condition. The Secretary reported that the owners had been notified to make the repairs required thereat.

From the Hartford and New York Transportation Co.—Requesting information in reference to the renewal of lease for Pier 24, East river. Secretary directed to advise that when the lease for the pier expires, in May, 1886, the Board may be differently constituted, and the present Board could not with any certainty state what their action might be in regard to the matter, but the probabilities are that the public sale of leases of piers and bulkheads to be sold in 1886 will take place some time in March of that year.

From Theodore F. Tone—Requesting permission to place a small engine for hoisting on the bulkhead between One Hundred and Twenty-ninth and One Hundred and Thirtieth streets, North river. Permission granted, the said engine not to exceed five horse power, made portable, being placed on wheels, and to remain only during the pleasure of the Board.

From Mutual Benefit Ice Company:

1st. Requesting a berth on the south side of Pier 37, East river, with the privilege of placing a scale on the said pier. Application denied.

2d. Requesting permission to plank the bulkhead from front of ice bridge just south of Little West Twelfth street, North river, to the gutter of street in front of said ice bridge. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to examine and report.

From Tuttle Culver—In reference to his application for permission to extend shed on Pier at One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, Harlem river.

From Homer Ramsdell—Requesting permission to replace sheathing on Pier, old 35, North river. The Secretary stating that by direction of the Commissioners he had issued a permit therefor, the said work to be done under the supervision and direction of the Engineer-in-Chief, his action was approved.

From Old Colony Steamboat Company—Requesting permission to replace piles under Pier, old 28, North river. The Secretary stating that by direction of the President he had issued a permit therefor, the said work to be done under the supervision and direction of the Engineer-in-Chief, his action was approved.

From A. Van Santvoord—Requesting permission to repair deck and understructure of Pier, old 39, North river. The Secretary stating that by direction of the Commissioners he had issued a permit therefor, the said work to be done under the supervision and direction of the Engineer-in-Chief, his action was approved.

From John Murray—Requesting lease of dock at foot of East Sixty-fourth street, East river. Secretary directed to advise that the Board cannot lease the premises except at public auction.

From Henderson Brothers, agents Anchor Line—In reference to repairing Pier, old 21, North river. Secretary directed to advise that the Board understands that the lessees were to continue in the use of the premises under the same terms and conditions contained in the lease, one of which was to keep the premises in repair.

From G. E. Emmon—Requesting the use of the one hundred ton derrick. Permission granted, at such terms as may be agreed upon.

From Bridgeport Steamboat Company—Requesting permission to drive piles at the end of Pier 35, East river. Permission granted, the said work to be done under the supervision and direction of the Engineer-in-Chief.

From Robert J. Wright—For permission to build a dump at the foot of East Twenty-fifth street, East river. Application denied.

From Engineer-in-Chief:

1st. Reporting assignment of employees to special duty other than that to which they were appointed. Secretary directed to notify the Bookkeeper.

2d. Reporting the amount of work done during the week ending April 11, 1885.

3d. Reporting the amount of work done during the week ending April 18, 1885.

4th. Reporting the suspension of laborers Wm. Cull, Patrick Griffin, John Hannon, James McCormick, and John Regan, and recommending that they be discharged. Action of the Engineer-in-Chief approved, and the said laborers discharged.

5th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 4035, that he had supervised the dredging in half-slip north of Pier, new 42, North river.

6th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 4100, that the damage done to Pier, new 46, North river, by the steamship "Orinoco," on December 24, 1884, had not been repaired by the agents, A. E. Outerbridge & Co. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to report the value of the piles damaged.

7th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 4132, that he had repaired the portion of the bulkhead at the foot of Bank street, North river, owned by the city.

8th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 4177, that he had repaired Pier foot of West Forty-seventh street, North river.

9th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 4189, that he had repaired Pier 60, East river.

10th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 4190, that he had repaired Pier at Third street, East river.

11th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 4235, that he had repaired the understructure of the dumping Pier at the foot of East One Hundred and Tenth street, Harlem river.

12th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 4254, that he had superintended the repairing of Pier 49, East river.

13th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 4256, as to the condition of the sheathing of platform in front of Pier, old 26, North river. Secretary directed to notify the owner or owners of the said premises to repair the same within twenty days, under the supervision and direction of the Engineer-in-Chief, or the penalty for violation of Rule 9 will be imposed.

14th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 4259, that he had made the repairs required to the outer end, lower side, of Pier 41, East river.

15th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 4263, in reference to the condition of the old Pier foot of West Thirty-seventh street, North river.

16th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 4265, that he had repaired deck of approach to Pier at foot of West Forty-seventh street, North river, immediately adjoining the street pavement.

17th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 4272, that he had superintended and directed the driving of six white oak spring piles on the southerly corner of Pier, old 29, North river.

18th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 4275, that the repairing of a dangerous hole in the pavement opposite Pier 47, East river, had been done under his supervision.

19th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 4258, that he had repaired the outer end and upper corner of Pier 44, East river.

20th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 4260, that he had repaired the paving at the entrance to the Pier at the foot of West Thirty-fifth street, North river. Also reporting that the pavement in West Thirty-fifth street had settled very much since it was laid, and suggesting that the Department of Public Works be requested to raise it west of Twelfth avenue. Secretary directed to request the Department of Public Works to raise the grade of the pavement at the foot of West Thirty-fifth street, North river, to the proper grade, and to relay and repair the same, so as to afford a proper approach to the pier thereat.

From Edward Gilon, Dock Master—Reporting that there is an additional break in the deck of Pier at foot of West Fortieth street, North river, near the out-shore end. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to repair.

From George W. Wanmaker, Dock Master:

1st. Reporting that the pavement adjoining the bulkhead between Piers, old 34 and 35, North river, has caved in in several places, and is in need of repairs. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to examine and report.

2d. Reporting that the sheathing on the in-shore end (north side) of Pier, old 34, North river, is in need of repairs. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to repair.

From Edward Abeel, Dock Master—Reporting that the bulkhead at the south corner of Pier 55, East river, has settled, and also reporting that there is a few rotten plank on the deck of the Pier that need replacing. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to examine and report.

From Bernard Kenney, Dock Master—Reporting that there is a dangerous hole in the sheathing on north side of Pier 56, East river. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to repair.

From John M. Smith, Dock Master:

1st. Reporting that the Fire Department removed a portion of the fence on Pier foot of Bogart street, North river, and recommending that the same be replaced. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to replace the fence on the said Pier.

2d. Reporting that the bulkhead between the Piers at Bogart street and Bloomfield street, North river, requires to be graded so that it can be used for berthing vessels. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to do the work of grading the said bulkhead.

A report from the Engineer-in-Chief as to repairs required to various piers and bulkheads on the North and East rivers, was received, read, and ordered to be placed on file, and action was taken in respect to the following:

East half of Pier 51, East river, and the bulkhead between Pier 51½ and Pier 52, East river. Secretary directed to notify Mr. J. V. Brown, the present lessee, to repair the same within five days, under the supervision and direction of the Engineer-in-Chief, or the penalty for violation of Rule 9 will be imposed.

West half of Pier 52, East river, and bulkhead at the foot of East Twentieth street, East river. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to repair the same.

In reference to the Pier at Gansevoort street, North river.

On motion of Commissioner Voorhis, the Secretary was directed to notify Mr. Shea, the lessee, to commence to repair the deck of the pier, and also to commence to dredge to a depth of fifteen feet at mean low water within five days, under the supervision and direction of the Engineer-in-Chief, or the penalty for violation of Rule 9 will be imposed; and the Engineer-in-Chief directed to sheath the pier with three-inch spruce plank, after the repairs to the deck are made by the lessee.

Which was adopted by the affirmative votes of Commissioners Laimbeer and Voorhis—Commissioner Stark voting in the negative.

A communication from the Counsel to the Corporation, in reference to the title to the premises between Forty-third and Forty-fourth streets, and between original high water-mark and Twelfth avenue, was received, read, and ordered to be placed on file, and the following preamble and resolution in relation thereto, offered by Commissioner Laimbeer, unanimously adopted:

Whereas, Certain premises on the North river water front, lying between Forty-third and Forty-fourth streets, and original high water-mark and Twelfth avenue, now in the possession of and claimed by Mr. E. S. Higgins, is believed by this Board to be the property of the Corporation of the City of New York; therefore,

Resolved, That the Counsel to the Corporation be and hereby is requested to institute such proceedings as may be proper to put the city in the legal possession of the said premises.

A communication from Dock Master Abeel, in reference to the application of the Ridgewood Ice Company for permission to erect a temporary bridge for landing ice on Pier 43, East river, was received, read, and ordered to be placed on file, permission being granted to the Ridgewood Ice Company to erect a temporary ice bridge, eighty feet long and six feet wide, the same to be and remain only during the pleasure of the Board, and to be erected under the supervision and direction of the Engineer-in-Chief.

Commissioner Voorhis reported in reference to the occupation of the ferry premises at Twenty-third street, North river, by the New York, Lake Erie and Western Railway Company during the past year, from May 1, 1884, without the payment of rent therefor, the Comptroller having requested on July 30, 1884, that this Department should not collect the rent of the said premises, as the franchise for running a ferry therefrom was about being sold at public auction by the Finance Department, and recommended that in view of the fact that the Comptroller had not sold the franchise for the running of the ferry therefrom, that the charge for the rent of the said premises be made on the books of this Department against the New York, Lake Erie and Western Railway Company for the sum of \$500, for the year ending April 30, 1885, being the same amount heretofore annually paid as rent for the said premises from May 1, 1879, to May 1, 1884.

On motion, the report was received and ordered to be placed on file, and the recommendation adopted, and the Treasurer directed to collect the said sum of \$500 from the railroad company for the use and occupation of the said premises for the year ending April 30, 1885.

Commissioner Laimbeer offered the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the Dock Masters of this Department be and are hereby directed to report at once to this Board, in writing, whether they have and are collecting any wharfage for the owners or lessees of any private piers or bulkheads or in any way devoting any of their time to work of any kind other than the care of and collection of dues from the wharves, piers, slips and bulkheads belonging to this city.

On motion of Commissioner Laimbeer, the Dock Masters were also notified and directed to prevent the deposit of or dumping of stable manure or other offensive or unwholesome material on the surface of any piers or bulkheads within their respective districts—it being necessary as a sanitary measure to assist in protecting the public health.

The Auditing Committee presented an audit of fifteen bills or claims, amounting in the aggregate to the sum of \$7,618.13, which was accepted and adopted, and the Secretary directed to enter the same in full on the minutes, as follows:

Audit No.	Bills or Claims.	Amount.
8929.	N. Y. Coal Tar Chemical Co., coal tar	\$224 00
8930.	Commonwealth Ice Co., ice	30 90
8931.	Wm. H. Gildersleeve, treenails, etc	18 00
8932.	F. W. Devoe & Co., oil	15 08
8933.	Fairbanks & Co., tests of iron, Pier "A"	45 00
8934.	Bell Bros., spruce plank, Pier "A"	26 00
8935.	Commonwealth Ice Co., ice, Pier "A"	2 70
On Construction Account		\$361 68
8936.	Morris & Cumings Dredging Co., Estimate No. 1, and final under Contract 224, dredging	\$2,233 53
8937.	John D. Walsh, Estimate No. 1, Contract 223 "B," Class 2	1,980 00
8938.	Jno. W. Flaherty & Thomas O'Connell, Estimate No. 1, Contract 223 "A," Class 1	1,492 48
8939.	Jno. W. Flaherty & Thos. O'Connell, Estimate No. 3, and final under Contract 220 "A"	434 59
8940.	Walls & Van Riper, repairs at Second avenue, Harlem river	500 00
8941.	Decker & Rapp, yellow pine	33 00
8942.	Bell Bros., spruce plank	519 10
8943.	Robert Biggart, dock plates and spikes	63 75
On General Repairs Account		\$7,256 45
RECAPITULATION.		
7	Bills or Claims on Construction Account	\$361 68
8	" " " General Repairs Account	7,256 45
15	" " " amounting to	\$7,618 13

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN R. VOORHIS, } Auditing Committee.  
WM. LAIMBEER, }



On motion, the Secretary was directed to forward the said bills, together with proper requisitions for the amounts, to the Finance Department for payment.

Commissioner Voorhis, the Treasurer of the Board, presented his report of receipts for the week ending April 20, 1885, which was received, read, and ordered to be placed on file, and the Secretary directed to enter the same in full on the minutes, as follows:

DATE.	FROM WHOM.	FOR WHAT.	AMOUNT.	TOTAL.	DATE DEPOSITED.
1885.					1885.
Apr. 17	N. Y. C. & H. R. R. Co.	Repairs to Pier 6, E. R.	\$3,578 70		
" 17	George T. Gaden & Co.	1 qrs. rent l.u.w. 50. of 126th st., H. R.	100 00		
" 18	Vandervoort & Tucker.	1 " float at 116th st., H. R.	30 00		
				\$3,708 70	Apr. 18
" 20	Charles H. Thompson.	Whfg. Dis. No. 1, to 18th inst., incl.	\$260 97		
" 20	George W. Wamaker.	" 2, " " "	424 41		
" 20	Edward Abeel.	" 3, " " "	609 24		
" 20	John M. Smith.	" 4, " " "	655 41		
" 20	Bernard Kenney.	" 5, " " "	172 44		
" 20	Edward Gilon.	" 6, " " "	251 17		
" 20	Joseph F. Sharkey.	" 7, " " "	60 67		
" 20	Abram Duryee.	" 8, " " "	107 69		
" 20	John Callan.	" 9, " " "	21 44		
				2,563 44	Apr. 20
			\$6,272 14	\$6,272 14	

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN R. VOORHIS, Treasurer.

The following requisitions were read and, on motion, approved.

Register No.

5181.	For 2 cast-iron ash pans, 1,400 pounds, per pound.	Estimated cost,	04
5182.	For 5 bundles and 25 bars round iron.	"	\$35 00
5183.	For services of dredge, etc., Pier, new 54, North river.	"	975 00
5184.	For 120 tons egg coal.	"	468 00
5185.	For 1,000 feet yellow pine.	"	30 00
5186.	For 1 upright boiler for borer "Woodcock".	"	145 00
5187.	For repairs borer "Woodcock".	"	25 00
5188.	For stationery, etc., office Engineer-in-Chief.	"	

Requisition No.

252. For stationery, etc.

The Board then went into Executive Session.

On motion of Commissioner Laimbeer, William Miller was appointed as laborer in place of William Bradley, who failed to serve.

On motion of President Stark, Daniel Sullivan was appointed as laborer in place of Lawrence Mulligan, who failed to serve, and William Harrison, as mason and stone-cutter, in place of Martin Flaherty, who has resigned and left work.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

JOHN T. CUMING, Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
Nos. 31 AND 32 PARK ROW,  
NEW YORK, May 4, 1885.

In accordance with the provisions of section 51, chapter 410, of the Laws of 1882, the Commissioner of Street Cleaning makes the following report of the transactions of the Department of Street Cleaning for the week ending May 2, 1885:

Number of loads of ashes removed.	15,918
" " rubbish removed.	6,288
" " material received from Department of Public Works.	115
" " Markets.	179
" " Permits.	3,167
Total.	25,667

### Bill

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

Schedule No. 320—

Vanderbilt & Hopkins.	\$718 13
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### Bills

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

Schedule No. 33—

Joseph Cicarelli, unloading scows.	\$886 50
John E. Connolly, supplies.	454 41
James Dillon, hire horses.	450 00
Hopkins, Russell & Co., supplies.	81 23
S. L. Hommedieu, towing.	697 50
Patterson Bros., supplies.	34 85
Mike Rossi, labor.	277 50
Slater & Reid, supplies.	177 47
Adolph Starke, " "	3 39
D. & J. Shea, towing.	676 00
T. G. Sellow, supplies.	3 00
Jas. S. Lewan, " "	133 60
George Thwaites, " "	1 15
The Bradley & Currier Co., supplies.	3 10
The Chapman & O'Neil Manufacturing Co., supplies.	408 00
The Communipau Coal Co., " "	710 00
Vanderbilt & Hopkins, " "	54 85
T. & H. Walsh, " "	52 00
A. H. Rodgers, unloading scows.	640 00
	\$5,750 55

Schedule No. 34—

### Pay-rolls

Commissioner, Deputy, etc.	\$3,349 98
Foremen.	900 00
Assistant Foremen.	406 00
Inspectors.	932 50
Tugs.	1,280 00
	\$6,868 48

Schedule No. 35—

Phillip J. Collins, services.	\$25 00
James Sangunito, " "	40 00
David Whipple, rent.	400 00
	\$465 00

### Appointments.

Patrick McCormick, Laborer. Cornelius Noonan, Laborer.  
G. B. Lagorio, Laborer.

### Discharges.

Thomas Sullivan, Laborer. Michael Slevin, Hired Carman.  
Mart Armstrong, Laborer. Ed. Mulcahey, Hired Cartman.  
Patrick Mulgrew, Laborer. John Campbell, Hired Cartman.  
Timothy Mulcahey, Hired Cartman. Mrs. E. Gononde, Hired Cartman.

### Transfers.

Thomas Reilly, Hired Cartman, Twentieth to Sixteenth Precinct.  
Michael Mooney, Hired Cartman, Twentieth to Sixteenth Precinct.

### Names Changed.

Thos. Booth, Inspector, to Thos. F. Booth.  
Jos. Tague, Hired Cartman, to Jos. McTague.

Very respectfully,

J. S. COLEMAN, Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

## OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

### EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

#### Mayor's Office.

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

#### Mayor's Marshal's Office.

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

#### Permit Bureau Office.

No. 13 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
HENRY WOOD, Registrar.

### COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

Rooms 114 and 115 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
WM. PITT SHEARMAN, J. B. ADAMSON.

### AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

Room 209, Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
THE MAYOR, President; JAMES W. McCULLOH, Secretary; BENJAMIN S. CHURCH, Chief Engineer.

### LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

#### Office of Clerk of Common Council.

No. 8 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
ADOLPH L. SANGER, President Board of Aldermen.  
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

#### City Library.

No. 12 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

#### Commissioner's Office.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
ROLLIN M. SQUIRE, Commissioner; DAVID LOWBER SMITH, Deputy Commissioner.

#### Bureau of Chief Engineer.

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

#### Bureau of Water Register.

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

#### Bureau of Street Improvements.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
GEORGE A. JEREMIAH, Superintendent.

#### Engineer-in-Charge of Sewers.

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

#### Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
THOMAS H. MCAVOY, Superintendent.

#### Bureau of Water Purveyor.

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

#### Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

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

#### Bureau of Streets.

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

#### Bureau of Incumbrances.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL, Superintendent.

#### Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.

MARTIN J. KEES, City Hall.

### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

#### Comptroller's Office.

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

#### Auditing Bureau.

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

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

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

### Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

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

### Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

First floor, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park.  
MARTIN T. MCMAHON, Receiver of Taxes; ALFRED VREDEBURG, 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.  
HENRY E. LAIDLAW, City Chamberlain.

### Office of the City Paymaster.

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

### LAW DEPARTMENT.

#### Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

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

#### Office of the Public Administrator.

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

#### Office of the Corporation Attorney.

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

### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

#### Central Office.

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

### DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

#### Central Office.

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

### FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

#### Headquarters.

Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.  
CORNELIUS VAN COTT, President; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

#### Bureau of Chief of Department.

CHARLES O. SHAY, Chief of Department.

#### Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

#### Bureau of Fire Marshal.

GEORGE H. SHELTON, Fire Marshal.

#### Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

ALBERT F. D'OENCH, Inspector of Buildings.

#### Attorney to Department.

WM. L. FINDLEY, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street

#### Fire Alarm Telegraph.

J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent of Telegraph, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.  
Central Office Fire Alarm Telegraph open at all hours.

#### Repair Shops.

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

#### Hospital Stables.

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

### HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

No. 301 Mott street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

ALEXANDER SHALER, President; EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.



## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

No. 36 Union Square, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JOHN D. CRIMMINS, President; EDWARD P. BARKER, Secretary.

## Civil and Topographical Office.

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

## Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

LUCIUS J. N. STARK, President; JOHN T. CUMING, Secretary.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS

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

THOMAS B. ASTEN, President; FLOYD T. SMITH, Secretary.

## Office Bureau Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

Nos. 31 and 32 Park Row, "World" Building, Rooms 8 and 9, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

## CIVIL SERVICE ADVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

No. 23 East Twentieth street.

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

## BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

Office of Clerk, Staats Zeitung Building, Room 5.

The MAYOR, Chairman; CHARLES V. ADEE, Clerk.

## BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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

JOHN R. LYDECKER, Chairman; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

## BOARD OF EXCISE.

Corner Bond street and Bowery, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

NICHOLAS HAUGHTON, President; JOHN K. PERLEY, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

## SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Nos. 3 and 4 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

ALEXANDER V. DAVIDSON, Sheriff; ARON ARONS, Under Sheriff; DAVID MCGONIGAL, Order Arrest Clerk.

## REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JOHN REILLY, Register; J. FAIRFAX McLAUGHLIN, Deputy Register.

## COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

GEORGE CAULFIELD, Commissioner; JAMES E. CONNER, Deputy Commissioner.

## COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

PATRICK KEENAN, County Clerk; H. S. BEATTIE, Deputy County Clerk.

## DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

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

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

## THE CITY RECORD OFFICE,

And Bureau of Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.

No. 2 City Hall, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays, on which days 8 A. M. to 3 P. M. THOMAS COSTIGAN, Supervisor; R. P. H. ABELL, Book-keeper.

## CORONERS' OFFICE.

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

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

## SUPREME COURT.

Second floor, New County Court-house, 10½ A. M. to 3 P. M.

General Term, Room No. 9. Special Term, Room No. 10. Chambers, Room No. 11. Circuit, Part I., Room No. 12. Circuit, Part II., Room No. 13. Circuit, Part III., Room No. 14. Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 15. NOAH DAVIS, Chief Justice; PATRICK KEENAN, Clerk.

## SUPERIOR COURT.

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

General Term, Room No. 35. Special Term, Room No. 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 SEDGWICK, Chief Judge; THOMAS BOESE, Chief Clerk.

## COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

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

Assignment Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Clerk's Office, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. General Term, Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment. Special Term, Room No. 21, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment. Chambers, Room No. 21, 10.30 o'clock A. M. to adjournment. Part I., Room No. 25, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment. Part II., Room No. 26, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment. Part III., Room No. 27, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment. Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. CHARLES P. DALY, Chief Justice; NATHANIEL JARVIS, Jr., Chief Clerk.

## COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

No. 32 Chambers street. Parts I. and II. Court opens at 11 o'clock A. M.

FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder; HENRY A. GILDER-SLEEVE and RUFUS E. COWING, Judges of the said Court. Terms, first Monday each month. JOHN SPARKS, Clerk. Office, Room No. 11, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

## CITY COURT.

City Hall.

General Term, Room No. 20. Trial Term, Part I., Room No. 20. Part II., Room No. 19. Part III., Room No. 15. Special Term, Chambers, Room No. 21, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M. Clerk's Office, Room No. 10, City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. DAVID McADAM, Chief Justice; JOHN REID, Clerk.

## OVER AND TERMINER COURT.

New County Court-house, second floor, southeast corner, Room No. 13. Court opens at 10½ 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 W. PARKER, 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. 134 Clinton street. JOHN H. MCCARTHY, Justice.

Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards, No. 61 Union place, Fourth avenue, southwest corner of Eighteenth street. Court opens 9 A. M. daily; continues to close of business. WILLIAM H. KELLY, 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. FREDERICK G. GEDNEY, Justice.

Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, No. 225 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street. HENRY P. MCGOWN, Justice. Clerk's office open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Trial days Tuesdays and Fridays. Court opens at 9½ 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. JAMES R. ANGELL, Justice.

Eleventh District—No. 919 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. LEO C. DESSAR, Justice.

## POLICE COURTS.

Judges—MAURICE J. POWER, J. HENRY FORD, JACOB PATTERSON, JR., JAMES T. KILBRETH, JOHN J. GORMAN, HENRY MURRAY, SOLON B. SMITH, ANDREW J. WHITE, CHARLES WELDE, DANIEL O'REILLY, PATRICK G. DUFFY.

GEORGE W. CREGER, 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.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS  
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,  
NEW YORK, May 1, 1885.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

## SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS

Department with new boiler to the steam fire engines known as Fifth Battalion spare engine (being number 162 of the Amoskeag Manufacturing Company), and for making repairs to said engine will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street, in the City of New York, until 11 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, May 13, 1885, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The boiler to be M. R. Clapp's Circulating Tubular Boiler, patented 1878, and as per specifications.

The engine to be delivered at the Repair Shops of the Fire Department in complete working order, with a guarantee that the material and workmanship are of the best character, and to replace, at the expense of the contractor, such parts, if any, as may fail, if such failure is properly attributable to defective material or inferior workmanship. Said engine shall have a full and complete trial of its working powers at New York, under the superintendence of a competent engineer.

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

The damages 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, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at twenty (\$20) dollars per day.

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

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

Any person making an estimate for the work shall present the same in a sealed envelope, to said Board, at said office, on or before the day and hour above named, which envelope shall be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates.

The Fire Department reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the 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 with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and 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 of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of seven hundred dollars (\$700); and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. 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 thirty-five dollars (\$35). Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but, if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet, as provided by law. Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate, in addition to inserting the same in figures.

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

CORNELIUS VAN COTT,  
HENRY D. PURROY,  
RICHARD CROKER,  
Commissioners.HEADQUARTERS  
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,  
NEW YORK, May 1, 1885.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

## SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS

Department with the following articles:

268,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as Best Sweet Timothy.  
50,000 pounds good clean Rye Straw.  
1,900 bags clean No. 1 White Oats, 80 pounds to the bag.  
1,000 bags first quality Bran, 40 pounds to the bag.

—will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street, in the City of New York, until 11 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, May 13, 1885, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

Proposals must include all the items, specifying the price per cwt. for hay and straw, and per bag for oats and bran.

All of the articles are to be delivered at the various houses of the Department below Fifty-ninth street, in such quantities and at such times as may be directed. No estimate will be received or considered after the hour named.

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

Any person making an estimate for the work shall present the same in a sealed envelope, to said Board, at said office, on or before the day and hour above named, which envelope shall be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates.

The Fire Department reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the 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 with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and 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 of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000); and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. 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 one hundred and fifty dollars (\$150). Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but, if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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The form of the agreement and specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the articles, may be seen and forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Department.

CORNELIUS VAN COTT,  
HENRY D. PURROY,  
RICHARD CROKER,  
Fire Commissioners.HEADQUARTERS  
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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 seventy-five dollars \$75. Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk, and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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CORNELIUS VAN COTT,  
HENRY D. PURROY,  
RICHARD CROKER,  
Fire Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS  
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
133 & 137 MERCER STREET,  
NEW YORK, NOV. 21, 1883.

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

CORNELIUS VAN COTT, President.  
HENRY D. PURROY,  
RICHARD CROKER,  
Commissioners

CARL JUSSEN,  
Secretary

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
300 MULBERRY STREET.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

#### PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR ALTERING, coppering, recaulking painting, and making general repairs on the steamboat "Patrol," will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police, in the City of New York, until ten o'clock A. M., of Tuesday, the 12th day of May, 1885.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimate for Repairs to Steamboat 'Patrol,'" 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 estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

For particulars of the nature and extent of the work to be done, reference must be made to the plans and specifications on file in the office of the Chief Clerk of the said Department.

Bidders will state, in writing, and also in figures, a price for the work complete. The price is to cover and embrace the furnishing of all the materials and labor and the performance of all the work called for by the specifications, plans, drawings, and form of agreement.

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

The entire work is to be completed within THIRTY DAYS from the date of the contract.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract in the manner prescribed by law, in the sum of FOUR THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED AND FIFTY DOLLARS.

Each estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The 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, upon 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 upon its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be subject to approval by the Comptroller of the City of New York at the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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

No estimate for a sum in excess of FOUR THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED AND FIFTY DOLLARS will be considered or entertained.

Plans may be examined and specifications and blank estimates may be obtained by application to the undersigned, at his office in the Central Department.

By order of the Board.

WILLIAM H. KIPP,  
Chief Clerk.

NEW YORK, April 28, 1885.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
OFFICE OF THE PROPERTY CLERK (Room No. 39),  
NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, 1884.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 39, for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boots, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc., also small amount money taken from prisoners and found by patrolmen of this Department.

JOHN F. HARRIOT,  
Property Clerk.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

### TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, DRY GOODS, HARDWARE, IRON, PAINTS, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES.

6,000 pounds Dairy Butter; sample on exhibition Thursday, May 7, 1885.

1,000 pounds Dried Apples.

2,000 pounds Maracabo Coffee, roasted.

1,000 pounds Cheese.

50 pounds pure Ground Pepper, in one-half pound papers.

40,000 pounds Brown Sugar.

1,000 pounds Cut Loaf Sugar.

500 barrels good sound Irish Potatoes, to weigh 168 pounds net per barrel, to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.

100 barrels prime Carrots, 120 pounds net per barrel.

100 barrels prime Russia Turnips, 135 pounds net per barrel.

100 barrels Crackers.

30 dozen Canned Peaches.

30 dozen Canned Pears.

100 pieces prime quality city cured Bacon, to average 6 pounds each.

100 bales prime quality Timothy Hay, tare not to exceed three pounds per bale and weight charged as received at Blackwell's Island.

2,800 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.

DRY GOODS.

2,000 Palm Leaf Fans.

5 M. Sewing needles, 2½ M. each Nos. 7 and 8.

25,000 yards Brown Muslin.

1,000 yards Huckabuck Toweling.

3,000 yards Crash Toweling.

500 yards Linen Dowels.

HARDWARE, ETC.

500 gross Wood Screws, as per schedule.

100 Pick Handles.

50 papers Finishing Nails, 30 1½ inch, 20 ½ inch.

4 dozen Garden Rakes.  
2 dozen Scythes.  
6 dozen Spades.  
5 pounds Button Head Rivets, ½ by 1¼.  
20 boxes Clothes Pins, five gross each.  
200 pounds Sail Twine.  
200 bunches Leather Shoe Laces.  
20 boxes Bath Brick, two dozen each.

PAINTS AND OIL.

10 barrels Standard White Kerosene Oil, 150° test.

150 pounds prime quality Venetian Red, 24 58, 10 28, 10 18.

150 pounds prime quality Raw Sienna, ground in oil, 24 58, 10 28, 10 18.

100 pounds prime quality Burnt Umber, ground in oil, 14 58, 10 28, 10 18.

500 pounds prime quality Chrome Green, ground in oil, 35 108, 25 58, 10 28, 5 18.

100 pounds prime quality Yellow Ochre, ground in oil, 14 58, 10 28, 10 18.

6 dozen Paint Brushes, 6°.

4 dozen Sash Tools, No. 6.

1 dozen Window Brushes.

8 dozen Whitewash Brushes.

LIME, ETC.

30 barrels best quality Whitewash Lime.

25 barrels best quality Plaster Paris.

IRON.

100 bars refined Iron, ¾ by 1¼ in.

1 bar refined Round Iron 1¼ in.

3 bars refined Half Oval Iron, 1½ in.

13 bundles Hoop Iron, No. 10, ½ by 1¼ in.

6 bundles Round Iron, refined, ½ in.

1 bundle Round Iron, refined, ½-inch.

1 bundle Half-round Iron, refined, ½-inch.

4 sheets R. G. Iron, No. 12, 24 by 84 inches.

—will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., of Friday, May 8, 1885. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Dry Goods, Hardware, Iron, Paints, etc.," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, issued on the completion of the contract, or from time to time, as the Commissioners may determine.

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

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

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

Dated New York, April 27, 1885.

THOMAS S. BRENNAN,  
HENRY H. PORTER,  
JACOB HESS,

Commissioners of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, April 24, 1885.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN ORDINANCE OF the Common Council, "In relation to the burial of strangers or unknown persons who may die in any of the public institutions of the City of New York," the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction report as follows:

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Frederick Metch; aged 88 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; brown hair and eyes. Had on when admitted brown coat, black vest, gray pants, white shirt and drawers, derby hat.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—John Jackson; aged 40 years; committed April 9, 1885.

At Homoeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Ann McDonald; aged 70 years; 4 feet 0 inches high; blue eyes, gray hair. Had on when admitted black dress and sacque, check shawl, cloth slippers.

Martin Regan; aged 36 years; 5 feet 3 inches high; blue eyes, black hair. Had on when admitted brown overcoat, blue coat, brown vest and pants, black derby hat.

Frederick Wagner; aged 42 years; 5 feet 3 inches high; gray hair, brown eyes. Had on when admitted black overcoat, dark pants and vest, laced shoes, black derby hat.

Charles Smith; aged 56 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; blue eyes, brown hair. Had on when admitted brown overcoat and vest, black pants, check jumper, laced shoes, black derby hat.

James Service; aged 48 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; hazel eyes, gray hair. Had on when admitted black overcoat, gray pants, rubber boots, brown cap.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order

G. F. BRITTON,  
Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
Room 8, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, May 6, 1885.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder endorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until Tuesday, May 19, 1885, at 12 o'clock M., at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read for the following:

No. 1. REPAIRS TO SEWER IN CANAL STREET, AT WEST STREET.

No. 2. REPAIRS TO SEWER IN NINETY-EIGHTH STREET, BETWEEN SECOND AND THIRD AVENUES.

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

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

The consent last above mentioned must be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at the office of the Engineer in Charge of Sewers, Room 8, No. 31 Chambers street.

ROLLIN M. SQUIRE,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, Nov. 7, 1883.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO property-owners of the City of New York that, by the New York City Consolidated Act of 1882, among other matters relating to Croton water rates and affecting all properties liable for Croton water charges, is embraced the following, in "Title 2, Duties and Powers of the Department of Public Works as to Procuring and Distributing Water":

§ 350. The Commissioner of Public Works shall, from time to time, establish scales of rents. \* \* \* \* \*



Such rents shall be collected from the owners or occupants of all such buildings, respectively, which shall be situated upon lots adjoining any street or avenue in said city in which the distributing water-pipes are or may be laid, and from which they can be supplied with water, said rents shall become a charge and lien upon such houses and lots, respectively, as provided by law.

It becomes my duty to state that on and after the first day of April, 1885, all extra charges, such as steam-engines, bakeries, barbers, bathing-tubs, boarding-houses, boarding-schools, building purposes, horses, horse-troughs, hotels, porter-houses, taverns, etc., printing offices, stone cutting or dressing, slaughter-houses, dyeing, water-closets and urinals, laundries, restaurants, soda fountains, extra families, oyster and coffee saloons, water by meter measurement, meters and meter setting, and all other purposes for which the use of Croton water is chargeable according to law, are liens, and unless paid on or before the 30th day of April next must be returned to the Clerk of Arrears, with the amount due on each lot.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,  
117 AND 119 DUANE STREET,  
NEW YORK CITY.

## NOTICE TO MARINERS IN THE PORT OF NEW YORK, PILOTS, AND ALL OTHERS TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT THIS DEPARTMENT has placed off the Battery and south of Pier, new 1, North river, two wooden floats or buoys, cubical in shape, six feet on each side, painted black, and anchored on a line bearing S. 7½° east from southwest corner of Pier, new 1, North river, the first float being anchored about 209 feet and the second about 335 feet distant therefrom.

By order of the Board.

JOHN T. CUMING,  
Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
36 UNION SQUARE,  
December 26, 1884.

PROPERTY-OWNERS INTERESTED IN THE proposed change of the grades of the streets and avenues intersecting and crossing the tracks of the Harlem Railroad Company, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, are requested to call at the office of the Topographical Engineer of the Department of Public Parks, at the Arsenal building, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, Central Park, and examine plans, as prepared by the Department of Public Parks, showing a system of proposed over grade crossings, and make known their views in relation to the same with the view of securing such legislation as may be necessary in order to secure such change of grades.

By order of the Department of Public Parks.

E. P. BARKER,  
Secretary.

## AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

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

EVERY OWNER OR PERSON IN ANY WAY interested in any real estate between the Harlem river and the northern boundary of the City and County of New York, intended to be taken or entered upon and used and occupied for the purposes of the new Aqueduct; also any owner or person interested in any real estate contiguous thereto, and which may be affected by the construction, and maintenance of said aqueduct, or of any of the works connected therewith, is hereby required to present his claim to the Commissioners of Appraisal appointed for the purpose of appraising such lands and easements, or ascertaining such damages, at the offices of said Commissioners, Room 803, in the Mutual Life Insurance Building, No. 32 Nassau street, in the City of New York.

All said claims may be filed on and after the first day of October, 1884. The maps showing the location of the Aqueduct, and the lands and interests to be acquired will be on file at the said offices on and after that date.

E. ELLERY ANDERSON,  
HENRY F. SPAULDING,  
ROBERT MURRAY,  
Commissioners

## 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 1960, No. 1. Regulating and grading Fourth avenue, from Ninety-sixth to One Hundred and Second street.

List 1935, No. 2. Regulating, grading, setting curbs and flagging in First avenue, from Ninety-second to One Hundred and Ninth street.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Fourth avenue, from Ninety-sixth to One Hundred and Second street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 2. Both sides of First avenue, from Ninety-second to One Hundred and Ninth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 2d day of June ensuing.

JOHN R. LYDECKER,  
JOHN W. JACOBUS,  
JOHN MULLALLY,  
HENRY A. GUMBLETON,  
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 11½ CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, April 30, 1885.

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

List 2119, No. 1. Flagging the sidewalks and setting curb and gutter stones in One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, between Willis and St. Ann's avenues.

List 2168, No. 2. Paving Sixty-ninth street, from Ninth to Eleventh avenues.

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

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, from Willis to St. Ann's avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of Sixty-ninth street, from Ninth to Eleventh avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 23d day of May ensuing.

JOHN R. LYDECKER,  
JOHN W. JACOBUS,  
JOHN MULLALLY,  
HENRY A. GUMBLETON,  
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 11½ CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, April 22, 1885.

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

List 1596, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curb, gutter and flagging Madison avenue, from Ninety-ninth to One Hundred and Fifth street.

List 2043, No. 2. Paving One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, between the Boulevard and Twelfth avenue, with granite-block pavement.

List 2045, No. 3. Drain in One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, between Eighth avenue and first new street, extended.

List 2057, No. 4. Paving One Hundred and Twentieth street, from Third to Sixth avenues, with granite-block pavement.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Madison avenue, from Ninety-ninth to One Hundred and Fifth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, from Boulevard to Twelfth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 3. Property bounded by One Hundred and Forty-fifth and One Hundred and Fifty-first streets, Eighth avenue and second new avenue west of Eighth avenue.

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

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 23d day of May ensuing.

JOHN R. LYDECKER,  
JOHN W. JACOBUS,  
JOHN MULLALLY,  
HENRY A. GUMBLETON,  
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 11½ CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, April 21, 1885.

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

List 1695, No. 1. Sewer in Fifth avenue, east side, between Fifty-fifth and Fifty-ninth streets.

List 1962, No. 2. Alterations and improvements to sewer in Thompson street, between Canal and Broome streets, and in Grand street, between Thompson and Wooster streets.

List 2003, No. 3. Sewer in One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, between Boulevard and Tenth avenue.

List 2055, No. 4. Receiving-basins on the southwest corners of One Hundred and Sixteenth, One Hundred and Seventeenth, One Hundred and Eighteenth, One Hundred and Twentieth, and One Hundred and Twenty-second streets and Lexington avenue, and on northwest corners of One Hundred and Eighteenth, One Hundred and Nineteenth, One Hundred and Twenty-second, and One Hundred and Twenty-third streets and Lexington avenue.

List 2044, No. 5. Sewer in Bank street, between West street and Hudson river, with alterations and improvements.

List 2097, No. 6. Regulating and grading Eighty-fifth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

List 2108, No. 7. Crosswalks in Alexander avenue, at One Hundred and Thirty-third, One Hundred and Thirty-fourth, One Hundred and Thirty-fifth, One Hundred and Thirty-sixth, One Hundred and Thirty-seventh and One Hundred and Thirty-eighth streets.

List 2124, No. 8. Regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging One Hundred and Eleventh street, from Sixth to Eighth avenues.

List 2127, No. 9. Regulating, grading, setting curbs and flagging sidewalks in One Hundredth street, from Boulevard to Riverside Drive.

List 2128, No. 10. Regulating and grading, setting curbs and flagging Ninety-ninth street, from Fourth to Fifth avenues.

List 2150, No. 11. Paving with granite-block pavement Eighth avenue from One Hundred and Twenty-fifth to One Hundred and Forty-fifth street.

List 2166, No. 12. Regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging One Hundred and First street, from Fourth to Fifth avenue.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Fifth avenue, from Fifty-fourth to Fifty-ninth streets, and blocks bounded by Fifth and Sixth avenues, Fifth-fourth and Fifty-ninth streets.

No. 2. Blocks bounded by Canal and Bleeker streets, Wooster and Sullivan streets, also blocks bounded by Broome and Houston streets, Macdougal and Sullivan streets.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, between Boulevard and Tenth avenue.

No. 4. Blocks bounded by One Hundred and Fifteenth and One Hundred and Twentieth streets, Lexington and Fourth avenues; also blocks bounded by One Hundred and Twenty-first and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth streets, Lexington and Fourth avenues.

No. 5. Both sides of Bank street, from Greenwich avenue to Hudson river; also property bounded by Bank and West Eleventh streets, Greenwich avenue and Hudson river.

No. 6. Both sides of Eighty-fifth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

No. 7. Property extending to half the block on each side of the intersections of One Hundred and Thirty-third, One Hundred and Thirty-fourth, One Hundred and Thirty-fifth, One Hundred and Thirty-sixth, One Hundred and Thirty-seventh, and One Hundred and Thirty-eighth streets and Alexander avenue.

No. 8. Both sides of One Hundred and Eleventh street, from Sixth to Eighth avenue.

No. 9. Both sides of One Hundredth street, from Boulevard to Riverside Drive, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenue.

No. 10. Both sides of Ninety-ninth street, from Fourth to Fifth avenue.

No. 11. Both sides of Eighth avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-fifth to One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 12. Both sides of One Hundred and First street, from Fourth to Fifth avenue.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or

either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 11½ City Hall, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 19th day of May ensuing.

JOHN R. LYDECKER,  
JOHN W. JACOBUS,  
JOHN MULLALLY,  
HENRY A. GUMBLETON,  
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 11½ CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, April 18, 1885.

## SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of EIGHTY-THIRD STREET, between Avenue A and Avenue B, in the City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 73 William street (third floor), in the said city, on or before the eleventh day of June, 1885, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said eleventh day of June, 1885, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2½ o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the fifteenth day of June, 1885.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded northerly by the centre line of the block between Eighty-third and Eighty-fourth streets, easterly by the westerly side of Avenue B, southerly by the centre line of the block between Eighty-second and Eighty-third streets, and westerly by the easterly side of Avenue A, excepting therefrom all the land lying within the streets and avenues within said area.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the twenty-sixth day of June, 1885, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, May 2, 1885.

PETER BOWE,  
EDWARD HOGAN,  
JOHN WHALEN,  
Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND FORTIETH STREET, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, in the City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 73 William street (third floor), in the said city, on or before the 11th day of June, 1885, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 11th day of June, 1885, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2½ o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 15th day of June, 1885.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded northerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Fortieth and One Hundred and Forty-first streets, easterly by the westerly side of Seventh avenue, southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Thirty-ninth and One Hundred and Fortieth streets, and westerly by the easterly side of Eighth avenue, excepting therefrom all the land lying within the streets and avenues within said area.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 26th day of June, 1885, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, May 2, 1885.

GILBERT M. SPEIR, JR.,  
JOHN T. BOYD,  
JOHN O'BRYNE,  
Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of EDGECOMBE ROAD, from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 22d day of May, 1885, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and prem-

ises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Edgcombe road, from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks, being the following-described lots or parcels of lands, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, distant 725½ feet easterly from the easterly line of Tenth avenue; thence northerly in a straight line, at an angle of 59 degrees, 50 minutes and 5 seconds, with said northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, distance 127½ feet; thence in a curved line to the right, radius 248½ feet, distance 226½ feet; thence in a reversed curved line to the left, radius 200½ feet, distance 200½ feet; thence northerly and tangent thereto, distance 134½ feet; thence in a curved line to the right, radius 355 feet, distance 299½ feet; thence northerly and tangent thereto, distance 400 feet, distance 158½ feet; thence northerly and tangent thereto, distance 1,217½ feet; thence in a curved line to the right, radius 900 feet, distance 478½ feet; thence in a reversed curved line to the left, radius 400 feet, distance 494½ feet; thence northwesterly and tangent thereto, distance 295½ feet; thence westerly and parallel with One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, distance 96½ feet, to the easterly line of Tenth avenue; thence northerly and along said easterly line of Tenth avenue to the northerly line of One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, extended, distance 1,409½ feet; thence easterly and along the northerly line of One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, extended, distance 10 feet; thence southerly and parallel with the easterly line of Tenth avenue, and 10 feet easterly therefrom, distance 1,159½ feet; thence in a curved line, to the left, radius 100 feet, distance 87½ feet; thence southeasterly and tangent thereto, distance 445½ feet; thence in a curved line to the right, radius 500 feet, distance 617½ feet; thence in a reversed curved line, to the left, radius 800 feet, distance 425½ feet; thence southerly and tangent thereto, distance 1,217½ feet; thence in a curved line to the right, radius 500 feet, distance 198½ feet; thence southwesterly and tangent thereto, distance 500½ feet; thence in a curved line, to the left, radius 255 feet, distance 214½ feet; thence southerly and tangent thereto, distance 134½ feet; thence in a curved line, to the right, radius 300 feet, distance 300½ feet; thence in a reversed curved line, to the left, radius 148½ feet, distance 135½ feet; thence southerly and tangent thereto, distance 154½ feet; thence in a curved line, to the right, radius 550 feet, distance 30½ feet, to the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; thence westerly and along said northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, distance 114½ feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, April 23, 1885.

E. HENRY LACOMBE,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that part of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIFTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority, extending from Union avenue to Westchester avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by said Department.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the twenty-second day of May, 1885, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, extending from Union avenue to Westchester avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by said Department of Public Parks, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at the southeastern extremity of the lands acquired for opening East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from Boston avenue to Union avenue.

(1) Thence northerly along the most eastern course of said East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street for 54½ feet.

(2) Thence deflecting to the right 90° 00' 24" south easterly for 663½ feet.

(3) Thence deflecting to the left 16° 27' 18" easterly for 198½ feet to a point of curve.

(4) Thence curving to the left northerly on the arc of a circle, tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 10 feet, for 13½ feet.

(5) Thence northerly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 123½ feet to a point of curve.

(6) Thence curving to the right northeasterly on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 110 feet for 186½ feet to a point of compound curve.

(7) Thence curving to the right southerly on the arc of a circle whose radius is 150 feet for 200½ feet to a point of reverse curve.

(8) Thence curving to the left easterly on the arc of a circle whose radius is 50 feet for 82½ feet.

(9) Thence easterly on a line forming an angle of 89° 35' 07" with the radius of the preceding course, drawn through its eastern extremity for 100½ feet.

(10) Thence deflecting to the left 3° 35' 07" easterly for 922½ feet to the northern side of Westchester avenue.

(11) Thence southwesterly along the northern side of Westchester avenue for 117½ feet.

(12) Thence deflecting to the right 30° 38' 15" westerly for 85½ feet.

(13) Thence deflecting to the right 3° 40' 10" westerly for 100½ feet.

(14) Thence curving to the right northwesterly on the arc of a circle, whose radius drawn through the western extremity of the preceding course forms an angle of 89° 40' 10" with the preceding course, and is 110 feet for 181½ feet to a point of reverse curve.

(15) Thence curving to the left northwesterly on the arc of a circle, whose radius is 90 feet for 120½ feet to a point of compound curve.

(16) Thence curving to the left southwesterly on the arc of a circle, whose radius is 50 feet for 84½ feet.

(17) Thence southerly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 123½ feet to a point of curve.

(18) Thence curving to the right southwesterly on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 70 feet for 97½ feet.

(19) Thence southwesterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 207½ feet.

(20) Thence deflecting to the right 16° 27' 18" northwesterly for 672½ feet.

(21) Thence deflecting to the right 89° 59' 36" northerly for 5½ feet to the point of beginning; and as shown on certain maps, filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, and in the Department of Public Parks.

Dated New York, April 22, 1885.

E. HENRY LACOMBE,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
Tryon Row, New York City.



In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIRST STREET, from Eleventh Avenue to the Boulevard, in the City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof in the City of New York, on Friday, the 22d day of May, 1885, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as One Hundred and Eighty-first street, from Eleventh Avenue to the Boulevard, in the City of New York, being the following-described lots or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Eleventh Avenue, distant 6,005 feet 8 inches northwesterly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, thence westerly and parallel with said street 530 feet to the easterly line of Kingsbridge road; thence northwesterly along said line 80 feet 9 1/2 inches; thence easterly 541 feet 0 1/2 inch to the westerly line of Eleventh Avenue; thence southerly along said line 80 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the westerly line of Kingsbridge road, distant 6,005 feet 8 inches northwesterly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; thence westerly 650 feet 2 1/2 inches to a point in the easterly line of Fort Washington Ridge road, said point being 6,806 feet 10 inches northwesterly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; thence easterly 666 feet 2 1/2 inches to the westerly line of Kingsbridge road; thence southerly along said line 76 feet 9 1/2 inches; thence still further along said westerly line of Kingsbridge road 3 feet 5 inches to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the westerly line of Fort Washington Ridge road, said point being 6,794 feet 10 inches northwesterly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; thence westerly 300 feet 8 1/2 inches to a point 6,749 feet 9 1/2 inches northwesterly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, and 2,660 feet 4 inches westerly from the easterly line of Tenth Avenue; thence westerly and in a curved line, radius 560 feet, distance 233 feet 4 inches; thence westerly and tangent thereto, distance 100 feet; thence westerly and northwesterly in a curved line, radius 340 feet, distance 283 feet 4 1/2 inches to a point 6,573 feet 5 1/2 inches northwesterly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, and 3,233 feet 8 1/2 inches westerly from the easterly line of Tenth Avenue; thence northwesterly and tangent thereto, distance 135 feet 2 1/2 inches to the easterly line of Boulevard; thence northwesterly along said line 80 feet 1 1/2 inches; thence southerly 121 feet 1 1/2 inches; thence easterly and northwesterly in a curved line, radius 260 feet, distance 216 feet 8 1/2 inches; thence easterly and tangent thereto, distance 100 feet; thence easterly and in a curved line, radius 640 feet, distance 266 feet 8 inches; thence easterly and tangent thereto, distance 295 feet 10 1/2 inches to the westerly line of Fort Washington Ridge road; thence southerly and along said line 80 feet 1 1/2 inches to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 80 feet wide between the Eleventh Avenue and the Boulevard.

Dated New York, April 22, 1885.

E. HENRY LACOMBE,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTIETH STREET from Tenth Avenue to the Kingsbridge road, in the City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 22d day of May, 1885, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue, known as One Hundred and Seventieth street, from Tenth Avenue to the Kingsbridge road, in the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Tenth Avenue, distant 4,047 feet 6 inches northwesterly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; thence westerly and parallel with said street, distance 800 feet to the easterly line of Eleventh Avenue; thence northwesterly and along said line 80 feet; thence easterly 800 feet to the westerly line of Tenth Avenue; thence southerly along said line 80 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the westerly line of Eleventh Avenue, distant 4,047 feet 6 inches northwesterly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; thence westerly and parallel with said street, distance 295 feet 9 1/2 inches to the easterly line of Kingsbridge road; thence southerly along said line 68 feet 9 1/2 inches to the westerly line of Eleventh Avenue; thence northwesterly and along said line 61 feet 11 1/2 inches to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 80 feet wide between the lines of Tenth and Eleventh Avenues, and to take all of the triangle of land at the junction of Kingsbridge road and Eleventh Avenue, south of the northerly line of One Hundred and Seventieth street, as laid down upon the Commissioner's map of the City of New York.

Dated New York, April 22, 1885.

E. HENRY LACOMBE,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
Tryon Row, New York City.

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

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 22d day of May, 1885, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the

Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue, known as East One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, extending from Elton Avenue to North Third Avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated, as a first-class street or road, by said Department of Public Parks, being the following-described lots, pieces, or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of North Third Avenue, distant 242.9 feet northeasterly from the intersection of the northern line of East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street with the western line of North Third Avenue; thence northeasterly along the western line of North Third Avenue for 51,166 feet; thence deflecting to the left 94° 02' 20" northwesterly for 231.54 feet; thence deflecting to the left 60° southwesterly for 50 feet; thence deflecting to the left 60° southeasterly for 227.47 feet to the point of beginning; and as shown on certain maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, in the Department of Public Parks, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York.

Dated New York, April 20, 1885.

E. HENRY LACOMBE,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
Tryon Row, New York City.

In the Matter of the Application of the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-NINTH STREET, from Eighth Avenue to the first new Avenue west of Eighth Avenue, and from Avenue St. Nicholas to the Hudson River, in the City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the fifteenth day of May, 1885, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue, known as One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from Eighth Avenue to the first new Avenue west of Eighth Avenue, and from Avenue St. Nicholas to the Hudson River, in the City of New York, being the following described lots or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Eighth Avenue, distant 459 feet 8 inches northwesterly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street; thence westerly and parallel with said street 225 feet to the easterly line of the first new Avenue west of Eighth Avenue; thence northwesterly and along said line 60 feet; thence easterly 225 feet to the westerly line of Eighth Avenue; thence southerly along said line 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the easterly line of Tenth Avenue, distant 459 feet 8 inches northwesterly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street; thence easterly and parallel with said street 756 feet 11 inches to the westerly line of Avenue St. Nicholas; thence northwesterly along said westerly line 61 feet 4 1/2 inches; thence westerly 743 feet 11 1/2 inches to the easterly line of Tenth Avenue; thence southerly along said line 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the westerly line of Tenth Avenue, distant 459 feet 8 inches northwesterly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street; thence westerly and parallel with said street 775 feet to the easterly line of Boulevard; thence northwesterly along said line 60 feet; thence easterly 775 feet to the westerly line of Tenth Avenue; thence southerly along said line 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the westerly line of Boulevard, distant 459 feet 8 inches northwesterly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street; thence westerly and parallel with said street, distance 775 feet, to the easterly line of Tenth Avenue; thence northwesterly along said line 60 feet; thence easterly 775 feet to the westerly line of Boulevard; thence southerly along said line 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the westerly line of Twelfth Avenue, said point being distant westerly from Boulevard 875 feet, and 459 feet 8 inches northwesterly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, extended westerly; thence westerly and parallel with the northerly line of said street, extended 100 feet to the bulkhead line, Hudson River; thence northwesterly along said line 60 feet; thence easterly 100 feet to the westerly line of Twelfth Avenue; thence southerly along said line 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 60 feet wide between the lines of Eighth Avenue and the first new Avenue, west of Eighth Avenue and between Avenue St. Nicholas and the bulkhead line, Hudson River.

Dated New York, April 17, 1885.

E. HENRY LACOMBE,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
Tryon Row, New York City.

In the Matter of the Application of the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, from Eighth Avenue to the first new Avenue west of Eighth Avenue, and from Avenue St. Nicholas to the Hudson River, in the City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 15th day of May, 1885, at the opening of the Court of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvements hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue, known as One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, from Eighth Avenue to the first new Avenue west of Eighth Avenue, and from Avenue St. Nicholas to the Hudson River in the City of New York, being the following-described lots, parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Eighth Avenue, distant 199 feet 10 inches northwesterly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street; thence westerly and parallel with said street 225 feet to the easterly line of first new Avenue, west of Eighth Avenue; thence northwesterly and along said line 60 feet; thence easterly 225 feet to the westerly line of Eighth Avenue; thence southerly and along said line 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the westerly line of Avenue St. Nicholas, distant 199 feet 10 inches northwesterly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street; thence westerly and parallel with said street, distance 800 feet, to the easterly line of Tenth Avenue; thence northwesterly along said line 60 feet; thence easterly 800 feet to the westerly line of Avenue St. Nicholas; thence southerly along said line 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the westerly line of Tenth Avenue, distant 199 feet 10 inches northwesterly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street; thence westerly and parallel with said street 775 feet to

the easterly line of Boulevard; thence northwesterly along said line 60 feet; thence easterly 775 feet to the westerly line of Tenth Avenue; thence southerly along said line 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the westerly line of Boulevard, distant 199 feet 10 inches northwesterly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street; thence westerly and parallel with said street 775 feet to the easterly line of Twelfth Avenue; thence northwesterly along said line 60 feet; thence easterly 775 feet to the westerly line of Boulevard; thence southerly along said line 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the westerly line of Twelfth Avenue, said point being distant westerly, from the Boulevard, 875 feet, and 199 feet 10 inches northwesterly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, extending westerly; thence westerly and parallel with the northerly line of said street, extending 100 feet to the bulkhead line, Hudson River; thence northwesterly along said line 60 feet; thence easterly 100 feet to the westerly line of Twelfth Avenue; thence southerly along said line 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be sixty feet wide between the lines of Eighth Avenue and the first new Avenue west of Eighth Avenue, and between the Avenue St. Nicholas and the bulkhead line, Hudson River.

Dated New York, April 17, 1885.

E. HENRY LACOMBE,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring right and title to certain lands required for a certain public park or parks, square or squares, or place or places, at or near the intersections of Sedgwick Avenue with Mott and Walton Avenues, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

CEDAR PARK.

**WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS** of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all whom it may concern:

That it is our intention to present our supplemental or amended report herein to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, for confirmation at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 15th day of May, 1885, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, having objections thereto, shall file the same in writing, duly verified, with us at our office, No. 73 William Street (third floor), in the said city, on or before the 4th day of May, 1885, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear such objections within the ten weekdays next after the said 4th day of May, 1885, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2 1/2 o'clock, P. M.

Dated New York, April 1, 1885.

HENRY M. WHITEHEAD,  
JOHN BERRY,  
RICHARD V. HARNETT,  
Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

### SALE OF STONE OF THE OLD CROTON AQUEDUCT.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** the Comptroller of the City of New York will sell at public auction, to the highest responsible bidder, at the Comptroller's Office, Room No. 15, Stewart Building, on Friday, the 8th day of May, 1885, at noon, the following property belonging to the Corporation of the City of New York, viz.:

All of the stone and other material of the old Croton Aqueduct lying above the grade of the streets, between Ninety-fifth and Ninety-seventh streets, and between One Hundredth and One Hundred and First streets.

#### TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

All of the material, down to the grades of the streets, to be removed within three months from the date of the sale, and the ground to be left clear and unencumbered by debris of any kind.

The work to be done under the direction and to the satisfaction of the Engineer of the Finance Department. The property will be sold for cash, the amount bid to be paid to the Comptroller on the day of the sale. If the material be not removed within three months the property shall revert to the Corporation.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

EDWARD V. LOEW,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 25, 1885.

SCOTT & MYERS, AUCTIONEERS.

### CORPORATION SALE OF REAL ESTATE ON THIRD AVENUE AND SIXTY-SEVENTH AND SIXTY-EIGHTH STREETS.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the City of New York, by virtue of the powers vested in them, will offer for sale, at public auction, on Wednesday, May 27, 1885, at noon, at the Real Estate Exchange and Auction Room (limited), Nos. 59 to 65 Liberty Street, in the City of New York, the following real estate belonging to the Corporation of said city, situated on Block Number 359 1/2, between Third and Lexington Avenues, and Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets, in the Nineteenth Ward of said city, and shown on a map or survey drawn by Eugene E. McLean, City Surveyor, dated March 23, 1885, filed in the Comptroller's office, to wit:

Lot No. 1. On the west side of Third Avenue, corner of Sixty-seventh street, 25.5 x 100.  
Lots Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7. On the west side of Third Avenue, between Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets, each 25 x 100.  
Lot No. 8. On the west side of Third Avenue, corner of Sixty-eighth street, 25.5 x 100.  
Lot No. 9. On the south side of Sixty-eighth street, in the rear of the lots on Third Avenue, 20 x 100.5.  
Lot No. 10. Adjoining, 25 x 100.5.  
Lot No. 11. Adjoining, 25 x 100.5.  
Lot No. 12. On the north side of Sixty-seventh street, 25 x 100.5.  
Lot No. 13. Adjoining, 25 x 100.5.  
Lot No. 14. Adjoining and in the rear of the lots on Third Avenue, 20 x 100.5.

#### TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

The highest bidders 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 sale; and the balance, sixty (60) 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 six 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 can be 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 if he 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 Comptroller is authorized and empowered to make such conditions and provisions with respect to the removal of any and all of the buildings on the premises fronting on Third Avenue, and for the erection of new buildings thereon as he may consider advisable and necessary in the interest of the city.

On and after May 1st, 1885, lithographic maps of the premises may be had at the office of the Comptroller.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under a resolution adopted April 17, 1885.

EDWARD V. LOEW,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 20, 1885.

### NOTICE OF POSTPONEMENT OF SALE OF LANDS AND TENEMENTS FOR UNPAID TAXES AND CROTON WATER RENTS IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

**PURSUANT TO SECTION 928 OF THE NEW** York City Consolidation Act of 1882, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives PUBLIC NOTICE that the sale at public auction of lands and tenements in said city for unpaid taxes levied in the year 1880, and Croton Water Rents laid for the year 1879, and now remaining due and unpaid, which sale is advertised to be held at the County Court-house, in the City Hall Park, in the City of New York, on Monday, December 22, 1884, at 12 o'clock noon, has been and is hereby postponed by him until Monday, May 11, 1885, to be held on that day at the same hour and place.

A pamphlet containing a detailed statement of the property advertised for sale may be obtained at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents.

EDWARD V. LOEW,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, Dec. 22, 1884.

### NOTICE OF POSTPONEMENT OF SALE OF LANDS AND TENEMENTS FOR UNPAID ASSESSMENTS FOR LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

**PURSUANT TO SECTION 928 OF THE NEW** York City Consolidation Act of 1882, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives PUBLIC NOTICE that the sale at public auction of lands and tenements in said city for unpaid assessments laid and confirmed during the year 1879 and prior thereto, for local improvements, which sale is advertised to be held at the County Court-house, in the City Hall Park, in the City of New York, on Monday, November 24, 1884, at 12 o'clock noon, has been and is hereby postponed by him until Monday, May 25, 1885, to be held on that day at the same hour and place.

A pamphlet containing a detailed statement of the property advertised for sale may be obtained at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents.

S. HASTINGS GRANT,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, Nov. 15, 1884.

## REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

**THE ATTENTION OF LAWYERS, REAL** Estate Owners, Monetary Institutions engaged in making loans upon real estate, and all who are interested in providing themselves with facilities for reducing the cost of examinations and searches, is invited to these Official Indices of Records, containing all recorded transfers of real estate in the City of New York from 1653 to 1857, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

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

EDWARD V. LOEW,  
Comptroller.

## JURORS.

### NOTICE

### IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,  
ROOM 127, STEWART BUILDING,  
CHAMBERS STREET AND BROADWAY,  
NEW YORK, June 1, 1885.

**APPLICATIONS FOR EXEMPTIONS WILL BE** heard here, from 10 to 3 daily, from all persons hitherto liable or recently serving who have become exempt, and all needed information will be given.

Those who have not answered as to their liability, or proved permanent exemption, will receive a "jury enrollment notice," requiring them to appear before me this year. Whether liable or not, such notices must be answered (in person, if possible, and at this office only) under severe penalties. If exempt, the party must bring proof of exemption, if liable, he must also answer in person, giving full and correct name, residence, etc., etc. No attention paid to letters.

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

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

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

GEORGE CAULFIELD,  
Commissioner of Jurors.

## THE CITY RECORD.

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