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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

MEETINGS, APRIL 23 TO 28, 1888.

Communications Received.

From Penitentiary—List of prisoners received during week ending April 21, 1888: Males, 35; females, 6. On file.
List of 30 prisoners to be discharged from April 26 to May 5, 1888. Transmitted to Prison Association.
From Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—History of 11 patients received during week ending April 21, 1888. On file.
From N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—History of 14 patients received during week ending April 21, 1888. On file.
From the Comptroller—Weekly statement of unexpended balances up to and including April 21, 1888. To Bookkeeper.
From City Cemetery—List of burials during week ending April 21, 1888. On file.
From Heads of Institutions—Reporting meats, milk, fish, etc., received during week ending April 21, 1888, of good quality and up to the standard. On file.
From District Prisons—Amount of fines received during week ending April 21, 1888, \$381. On file.

Contracts Awarded.

Joseph Moore—Two groups of three pavilions each at Central Islip, Long Island, for \$64,000. Sureties: John McQuade, No. 1338 Lexington avenue; John McLaughlin, No. 346 East Eighty-first street.
R. T. Pierce—9,400 pounds dairy butter, at 21 72-100 cents per pound. Sureties: Lorin Palmer, No. 70 Warren street; Nelson Miller, No. 57 West Forty-eighth street.
N. Miller & Co.—40,000 pounds brown sugar, at 5 61-100 cents per pound; 50 dozen Sea Foam, at \$2.63 per dozen. Sureties, George R. Lansing, No. 183 Duane street; George F. Gantz, No. 176 Duane street.
W. H. Trainer—8,000 yards blue denim, at 9 6-100 cents per yard; 5,000 yards shroud muslin, at 4 84-100 cents per yard; 1,500 yards white flannel, at 19 98-100 cents per yard. Sureties, J. H. Sweetser, No. 33 West Fifty-eighth street; N. D. Williams, No. 151 East Ninetieth street.

Appointed.

April 23. Cassie McManus, Attendant, Branch Lunatic Asylum. Salary, \$216 per annum.
" 23. Henry Spear, Laborer, Storehouse. Salary, \$240 per annum.
" 23. Maurice Barrett, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane. Salary, \$240 per annum.
" 24. William Hassert, Assistant Cook, Charity Hospital. Salary, \$400 per annum.
" 24. Joseph Sullivan, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane. Salary, \$300 per annum.
" 24. Julia Troy, Assistant Nurse, Randall's Island Hospital. Salary, \$120 per annum.
" 24. Archibald Campbell, Assistant Physician, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane. Salary, \$800 per annum.
" 24. Kate Phelan, Attendant, Lunatic Asylum. Salary, \$216 per annum.
" 24. John J. Norton, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane. Salary, \$300 per annum.
" 26. John Lee, Fireman, City Prison. Salary, \$144 per annum.
" 26. Ann Cassidy, Attendant, Branch Lunatic Asylum. Salary, \$216 per annum.
" 26. Joseph A. Brandt, Nurse, Homoeopathic Hospital. Salary, \$192 per annum.
" 26. Margaret J. Barron, Mary Slattery, Mary M. Carter, Attendants, Lunatic Asylum. Salary, \$216 per annum each.

Reappointed.

April 23. Mary L. Fritz, Attendant, Lunatic Asylum. Salary, \$216 per annum.
" 23. James Ahearn, Charles Henegan, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane. Salary, \$300 per annum each.

Resigned.

April 23. Ellen Kent, Attendant, Lunatic Asylum.
" 23. Margaret Hughes, Assistant Nurse, Randall's Island Hospital.
" 23. Mary J. Mahanna, Nurse, Randall's Island Hospital.
" 23. William Timmons, Attendant, Branch Lunatic Asylum.
" 24. Antonio Rott, Assistant Cook, Charity Hospital.
" 27. James Fitzgerald, Orderly, Bellevue Hospital.
" 28. Mary Forrest, Nurse, Randall's Island Hospital.
" 28. Dennis McAuliffe, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane.
" 28. Charles E. Yates, Fireman, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane.

Relieved from Duty.

April 24. John McAfee, Fireman, City Prison.

Dropped from Roll.

April 23. Henrietta Donahue, Attendant, Lunatic Asylum.

Transferred.

April 23. William Dwyer, Attendant to Fireman, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane. Salary increased from \$300 to \$360 per annum.
" 25. Charles F. Wilson, Orderly to Chief Orderly, Gouverneur Hospital. Salary increased from \$240 to \$300 per annum.

Salary Increased.

From April 1. Charles H. Crankshaw, Richard McHugh, J. H. Cromwell, Bernard Schonfeld, Peter McIntyre, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, from \$360 to \$420 per annum.
" 1. B. D. Fleet, G. C. Born, Michael Clinch, John Prudhome, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, from \$300 to \$360 per annum.
" 1. Joseph Carroll, Fireman, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, from \$300 to \$360 per annum.
" 1. George T. Reeves, Clerk, Central Office, from \$700 to \$900 per annum.
" 24. George O'Brien, Orderly, Randall's Island Hospital, from \$240 to \$300 per annum.
" 24. Mary Good, Hall-keeper, Workhouse, from \$240 to \$300 per annum.
" 27. Margaret J. O'Connell, Nurse, Bellevue Hospital, from \$180 to \$300 per annum.

G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
NEW YORK, May 3, 1888.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment.
Present—Commissioners James C. Bayles, Joseph D. Bryant, and the President of the Board of Police.
The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The Attorney and Counsel Presented the following Reports:

Weekly report of suits commenced and discontinued, judgments obtained and costs collected:

Orders received for prosecution	365
Attorney's notices issued	399
Nuisances abated before suit	237
Civil suits commenced for violation of ordinances (Sanitary Code)	40
Nuisances abated after commencement of suit	27
Suits discontinued—By Board	27
Judgments for the Department—Civil suits	4
Executions issued	2
Judgments for the People—Criminal suits	4
Civil suits now pending	285
Criminal suits now pending	94
Money paid into the court—Criminal suits	\$125 00

Weekly report of cases wherein nuisances have been abated and recommendations that actions be discontinued.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the actions against the following-named persons for violations of the Sanitary Code be discontinued without costs, to wit:

NAMES.	No.	NAMES.	No.
Frederick Hoffman	616	Maria S. Dale	1317
Bertha Frank	790	B. F. Cadigan	1352
Morris Isaacs	876	Joseph Corbet	1355
John Eichler	920	William Schelle	1378
Sarah K. Wells	1026	John F. Attidge	1389
Jefferson M. Levy	1133	John Early	1401
John Bissell	1187	Isabella V. Hogan	1405
Louis Davis	1234	Auguste Noel	1414
Rosalie Feldman	1275	Mary Smith	1417
Mary Lang	1283	Edgar H. Fox	1441
William Raab	1293	David Quinlan	1457

The Sanitary Committee Presented the following Reports:

Weekly report from Riverside Hospital (small-pox).

Weekly report from Riverside Hospital (fevers).

Weekly report from Reception Hospital.

Bills Audited.

NAMES.	AMOUNT.	NAMES.	AMOUNT.
N. Y. Mutual Gas-light Co.	\$13 25	J. B. Purroy	\$166 66
C. Golderman	267 99	Cox & Rockwell	853 15
Charles Lederer	201 12	Jacob Fleischman	465 00
William McKenna	10 00	C. W. Klappert's Sons	137 15

The following Communications were Received from the Sanitary Superintendent:

Weekly report of the Sanitary Superintendent.
Weekly report of the Chief Sanitary Inspector.
Weekly report of the Chemist and Assistant Chemist.
Weekly report of work performed by the Inspectors of Offensive Trades.
Weekly report on manure dumps.
Weekly reports on condition of offal and night-soil boats.
Weekly reports on condition of slaughterhouses.
Monthly reports of charitable institutions.
Reports on leave of absence.
Reports on applications for permits.
Reports on applications for relief from orders.
Report on sanitary condition of streets and removal of ashes and garbage in the sanitary districts of this city.
Report of Assistant Sanitary Superintendent James, with report of Inspector Decker, on premises One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and Anthony avenue, House of Rest for Consumptives.

The following Communications were Received from the Chief Inspector of Contagious Diseases:

Weekly report of work performed by the Division of Contagious Diseases.
Weekly report of work performed by the Veterinarian.

The following Communications were Received from the Register of Records:

Weekly letters.
Weekly abstracts of births.
Weekly abstracts of still-births.
Weekly abstract of marriages.
Weekly mortuary statement.
Weekly abstract of deaths from contagious diseases.
Weekly report of work performed by clerks.
Reports on delayed birth and marriage returns.

Permits Granted.

No.	BUSINESS-MATTER OR THING GRANTED.	ON PREMISES AT
629	To keep a lodging-house	No 57 Washington street.
635	To use smoke-house	No. 5 Rivington street.
634	To keep live poultry for sale	No. 183 Third avenue.
637	To use smoke-house	No. 205 Avenue A.
4936	To maintain a manure vault	No. 205 East Twenty-seventh street.

Permits Denied.

No.	BUSINESS-MATTER OR THING DENIED.	ON PREMISES AT
35	To keep ten chickens	West side Fourth avenue, One Hundred and Ninth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.
36	To keep two chickens	No. 175 East One Hundred and Fourth street.
37	To keep two chickens	No. 136 Orchard street.
38	To maintain manure vault	No. 227 Mott street.
39	To smoke sausages	No. 174 Avenue A.

NAMES.	RETURN.	DATE.
Ernestine D. M. Ziegler	Born	July 22, 1887
Johannes P. M. Settenstein	"	" 26, "
Frank Heineman	"	Aug. 1, "
August F. Haske	"	" 19, "
Frida M. Remeschatis	"	" 24, "
George W. Ruete	"	" 28, "
William C. Nagle	"	Nov. 3, "
George Kahn	"	" 28, "
Frederick J. Muhlhauser	"	Dec. 25, "
Josephine Fleming	"	Jan. 18, 1888

Tabled for Amendment.

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

- Plan No.
7894. For one tenement, No. 192 Hester street.
7952. For three dwellings, south side of One Hundred and Twenty-third street, eighty feet west of Lenox avenue.
8029. For one extension, south side of Christopher street, forty-seven feet east of West street.
8030. For one tenement, No. 315 Delancey street.
8031. For five tenements, north side of One Hundred and Forty-first street, seventy-five feet west of Seventh avenue.
8037. For five dwellings, south side of One Hundred and Thirty-first street, two hundred and thirty-five feet west of Fifth avenue.
8038. For one tenement, southwest corner of Eighty-fourth street and Lexington avenue.
8041. For one tenement, east side of Thompson street, sixty-seven feet south of Spring street.
8047. For two dwellings, north side of One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, one hundred feet west of Alexander avenue.
8043. For two tenements, northwest corner of One Hundred and Sixteenth street and Fourth avenue.
8044. For two tenements, northeast corner of One Hundred and Seventeenth street and Second avenue.
8045. For two tenements, north side of One Hundred and Seventeenth street, eighty-one feet east of Second avenue.
8046. For four tenements, south side of One Hundred and Sixteenth street, one hundred and ninety feet east of Second avenue.
8050. For one extension, (rear) No. 120 Columbia street.
8053. For one dwelling, south side of Harrison street, sixty feet east of Greenwich street.
8056. For three dwellings, south side of One Hundred and Sixteenth street, one hundred feet east of Eighth avenue.
8061. For one tenement, No. 10 Stanton street.
8063. For two tenements, north side of Fifty-second street, seventy-five feet west of Tenth avenue.
8065. For four tenements, (two) on north side of Fifty-second street and (two) on south side of Fifty-third street, sixty feet west of Tenth avenue.
8066. For three tenements, Nos. 41, 43 and 45 Jane street.
8069. For one tenement, No. 240 West Fortieth street.
8070. For one dwelling west side of Vyse street, three hundred and fifty feet south of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street.

Amendments to Plumbing Specifications.

- Plan No.
5916. For two tenements, west side of First avenue, fifty feet eight inches south of Ninety-second street.
6689. For one hotel, northwest corner of Thirty-sixth street and Broadway.
6763. For four tenements, southwest corner of Fourth avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-second street.
7294. For one theatre, Broadway, Seventh avenue and Forty-first street.
7402. For one factory, south side of Forty-sixth street, east of Tenth avenue.
7493. For one storage-house, Nos. 640 to 644 West Thirty-fourth street.
7519. For one factory, No. 5 Elizabeth street.
7553. For one factory, east side of Tenth avenue, twenty-five feet north of Fifty-third street.
7656. For ten dwellings, west side of First avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-fourth to One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.

Violations to Attorney.

Resolved, That the following violations of law in respect to plumbing and drainage of new houses be and are hereby referred to the Attorney:
Nos. 417, 378, 541, 612, 638, 653, 4211.

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

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

- Plan No.
4916-2. For one tenement, north side of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, seventy-five feet west of Sixth avenue.
5923-2. For one tenement, southwest corner of Eighth avenue and Twenty-third street, as amended.
5796. For three tenements, east side of Madison avenue, twenty-six feet south of One Hundred and Sixteenth street, as amended.
5998. For one tenement, No. 232 East Fourth street (rear).
6016. For one tenement, No. 86 Thompson street, as amended.
6020. For one tenement, No. 124 East One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, as amended.
6023. For one tenement, southeast corner of One Hundred and Fourteenth street and Madison avenue, as amended.
6027. For three tenements, southeast corner of Seventh avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street.
6028. For one tenement, No. 352 East Eighty-second street, as amended.
6030. For two tenements, north side of Thirty-second street, one hundred feet east of Seventh avenue, as amended.
6032. For one tenement, east side of Ninth avenue, seventy-five feet north of Sixtieth street.
6036. For four tenement-houses, north side of Eighty-second street, two hundred feet east of Avenue A.
6037. For one tenement, No. 320 East Twenty-seventh street.
6039. For one tenement, southeast corner of Madison avenue and Eighty-fifth street, as amended.
6040. For one tenement, No. 210 East One Hundred and Third street.
6041. For one tenement, No. 120 East One Hundred and Fourteenth street.
6045. For two tenements, south side of Eighty-seventh street, two hundred and thirty feet east of Fifth avenue.
6046. For one hall, No. 143 East Broadway.

Tabled for Amendment.

Resolved, That the following plans for light and ventilation of new tenement-houses be and are hereby tabled for amendment:

- Plan No.
6019. For two tenements, Nos. 54 and 56 Henry street.
6025. For one tenement, south side of Eighteenth street, one hundred and twenty-eight feet west of Eighth avenue.
6031. For one tenement, southwest corner of Seventy-sixth street and Ninth avenue.
6034. For one tenement, southeast corner of Seventy-second street and Ninth avenue.
6035. For one tenement, south side of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, one hundred feet east of Tenth avenue.
6038. For one tenement, No. 26 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.
6043. For one tenement, south side of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, sixty-four feet north of Third avenue.
6044. For one tenement, southeast corner of Eighty-fourth street and Lexington avenue.

Disapproved.

Resolved, That the following plans for light and ventilation of new tenement-houses be and are hereby disapproved:

- Plan No.
5973. For one tenement, southwest corner of One Hundred and Fifth street and Second avenue (rear).
6026. For one tenement, No. 322 East Twenty-seventh street.
6033. For one tenement, northeast corner of Lexington avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-third street.
6042. For one tenement, No. 440 West Forty-eighth street.

Amendments to Light and Ventilation Permits Approved.

- Plan No.
5134. For one tenement, west side of Pleasant avenue, one hundred feet south of One Hundred and Sixteenth street.
5408. For two tenements, Nos. 436 and 438 West Thirty-fifth street.
5500. For one tenement, northwest corner of One Hundred and Third street and Tenth avenue.
5772. For four tenements, north side of Fortieth street, four hundred feet east of Ninth avenue.

Amendments to Light and Ventilation Permits Disapproved.

- Plan No.
4955. For two tenements, Nos. 405 and 407 West Fiftieth street.
4958. For one tenement, No. 30 Pike street.
5805. For one tenement, No. 136 Monroe street.
5806-2. For one tenement, northwest corner of Pike and Madison streets.

Violations to Attorney.

Resolved, That the following plans for light and ventilation of new tenement-houses be and are hereby referred to the Attorney:

Nos. 567, 570, 610, 877, 725, 934, 938, 989, 1009, 786, 979, 895, 1018.

Sanitary Bureau.

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

There were 6,398 inspections made by the Sanitary Inspectors and the Sanitary Police.
There were 566 complaints returned by the Sanitary Inspectors and the Sanitary Police.
There were 374 complaints received from citizens and referred to the Sanitary Inspectors and Sanitary Police for investigation and report.
There were issued to the consignees of vessels, to discharge cargoes, on vouchers from the Health Officer of the Port, 42 permits.
There were issued to consignees, to discharge rags (in bulk, under bonds), 1 permit.
There were issued to scavengers to empty, clean and disinfect privy sinks, 101 permits.

Report of Vital Statistics for the Week Ending April 28, 1888.

WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 12 M.	Certificates received and Tabulated.	Increase over Previous Week.	Decrease from Previous Week.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Population at 1,518,376.	Burial Permits Issued.	Transit Permits Issued.	Coroner's Cases.	Searches Made.	Transcripts Issued.	Entered in Registers.	Indexed.
Marriages.....	232	..	31	7.95	..	..	..	19	14	..	501
Births.....	536	..	90	18.36	..	..	..	22	10	83	1,132
Deaths.....	782	48	..	26.78	782	13	97	110	106	..	800
Still-births.....	70	18	..	2.40	70	..	5	..	..	..	..

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

CAUSE OF DEATH.	Deaths Reported.	Deaths Reported Previous Week.	INCREASE OR DECREASE OF DEATHS, BY WARDS.											
			1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Cerebro-spinal Meningitis.	3	6	..	..	..	..	-1	..	-1	..	..	..	..	..
Diphtheria.....	41	42	-1	..	..	-2	+1	-1	+4	-2	-1	+1	-1	..
Enteric Fever.....	2	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Erysipelas.....	7	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Malarial Fevers.....	4	5	..	..	..	+1	..	..	..	..	..	+1	..	..
Measles.....	9	10	..	..	..	+1	..	..	-1	..	..	+1	..	..
Scarlatina.....	36	32	+1	..	..	-1	..	+2	-1	..	+2	+3	..	..
Small-pox.....	8	7	..	..	..	-1	..	+1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Typhus Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Whooping-cough.....	8	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	-1	..	..	+1	..
Diarrhoeal Diseases.....	16	19	-1	..	..	..	..	..	-1	..	..	..	-1	..
Bronchitis.....	52	32	+1	..	..	+1	..	+1	-2	-2	+1	..	+5	..
Croup.....	11	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	+1	..	..	..
Pneumonia.....	95	89	-1	..	..	-2	..	..	+2	-1	+1	+1	+2	..
Puerperal Diseases.....	11	4	..	..	..	..	+1	+2	..	..	..	..	..	..
Under 1 Month.....	40	49	+1	-1	..	..	..	-1	..	+3	-1	-1	..	..
1 Month and under 5 Years.	249	246	-1	-2	-1	+2	+1	-1	-1	-1	+4	+3	+9	..
65 and over.....	80	62	-1	-1	..	-1	..	..	-1	-1	+1	..	+3	..
Total.....	782	734	+4	-4	+2	+2	+3	+7	..	+5	..	..	+17	..

CAUSE OF DEATH.	INCREASE OR DECREASE OF DEATHS, BY WARDS.													
	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	
Cerebro-spinal Meningitis.	-1	...	-1	...	...	...	...	-2	...	...	+3	...	...
Diphtheria.....	-5	+3	...	...	...	...	+2	+6	-4	...	-2	...	+
Enteric Fever.....	-2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Erysipelas.....	...	-1	...	...	...	+2	...	+1	...	+1	+1	...	...
Malarial Fevers.....	+1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-1	-2	...	-
Measles.....	-1	-1	+1	...	+1	-1	...	-2	...	...	+1	...	...
Scarlatina.....	-1	-1	+2	...	...	-4	...	-1	+4	...	-1	...	...
Small-pox.....	+1	...	...	...	...	...	-1	...	...	...	...	+1	...
Typhus Fever.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Whooping-cough.....	+1	...	-1	...	+2	-1	...	+1	+1	...	-2	...	...
Diarrhoeal Diseases.....	...	-1	+1	...	-1	...	+1	-2	-1	+1	+2	...	...
Bronchitis.....	+6	-1	-1	+2	+2	+7	...	+3	+1	...	-3	-1	...	
Croup.....	+1	...	+2	...	-1	+2	...	-1	-1	...	+1	...	...
Pneumonia.....	-4	+1	-3	+1	-1	+2	+1	-1	+3	+5	-2	+2	+	
Puerperal Diseases.....	-1	...	...	...	+1	...	...	+1	+1	...	+1	+1	...
Under 1 Month.....	+1	-4	...	+1	+1	-6	+3	-4	+1	...	-1	-1	...	
1 Month and under 5 Years.	-2	-2	-1	+1	-3	...	+1	-13	+15	+6	-10	-2	+	
65 and over.....	+4	+1	+1	+3	+4	+5	+1	-4	+4	+3	-4	+1	...	
Total.....	+14	-6	-3	+5	+3	-6	+10	+3	+7	+3	-20	+4	-2	

The 782 deaths registered during the week represent an annual death-rate of 26.78 on an estimated population of 1,518,376, as against 25.15 for the previous week and 25.71 for the corresponding week of 1887.

The increase of 48 deaths over the previous week was mainly due to an increase in bronchitis, phthisis and pneumonia, the deaths from diphtheria having diminished by 1 and those from scarlatina having increased by 4. The total increase of deaths was greatest in the Eleventh, Twelfth and Eighteenth Wards, and the decrease greatest in the Thirteenth, Seventeenth and Twenty-second Wards.

Analyses of Croton Water for the Week ending May 5, 1888. Results Expressed in Grains per U. S. Gallon of 231 Cubic Inches.

	SUNDAY, April 29.	MONDAY, April 30.	TUESDAY, May 1.	WED'DAY, May 2.	THURSDAY, May 3.	FRIDAY, May 4.	SATURDAY, May 5.
Appearance	Very Turbid; Heavy Organic Sediment.	Clear.	Somewhat Turbid.	Very Turbid; Heavy Organic Sediment.	Somewhat Turbid.	Very Turbid; Heavy Organic Sediment.	Slightly Turbid.
Color	Yellowish Brown.	Light Yellow.	Light Yellowish Brown.	Yellowish Brown; Dark.	Yellowish Brown.	Yellowish Brown.	Very Light Yellow; Brownish Cast.
Odor (heated to 100° Fahr.).....	.....	.....	.....	Faint marshy.	.....	.....	.....
Chlorine in Chlorides.....	0.145	0.125	0.140	0.135	0.130	0.145	0.120
Equiv. to Sodium Chloride.....	0.238	0.205	0.230	0.222	0.213	0.238	0.197
Phosphates.....	.....	.....	.....	None.	.....	.....	.....
Nitrites.....	.....	.....	.....	"	.....	.....	.....
Nitrogen in Nitrates and Nitrites.....	.....	.....	.....	0.0336	.....	.....	.....
Free Ammonia.....	.....	.....	.....	Trace.	.....	.....	.....
Albuminoid Ammonia.....	.....	.....	.....	0.0020	.....	.....	.....
Hardness equiv. to Carbonate of Lime (before boiling).....	.....	.....	.....	1.983	.....	.....	.....
(after boiling).....	.....	.....	.....	1.755	.....	.....	.....
Organic and Volatile (loss on ignition).....	1.749	0.933	0.933	1.750	0.991	1.166	0.816
Mineral matter (non-volatile).....	2.566	2.683	2.274	2.624	2.449	3.149	2.333
Total solids (by evaporation).....	4.315	3.616	3.207	4.374	3.440	4.315	3.149

By order of the Board.

Analyses of Croton Water for the Week ending May 5, 1888. Results Expressed in Parts by Weight in One Hundred Thousand.

	SUNDAY, April 29.	MONDAY, April 30.	TUESDAY, May 1.	WED'DAY, May 2.	THURSDAY, May 3.	FRIDAY, May 4.	SATURDAY, May 5.
Appearance	Very Turbid; Heavy Organic Sediment.	Clear.	Somewhat Turbid.	Very Turbid; Heavy Organic Sediment.	Somewhat Turbid.	Very Turbid; Heavy Organic Sediment.	Slightly Turbid.
Color	Yellowish Brown.	Light Yellow.	Light Yellowish Brown.	Yellowish Brown; Dark.	Yellowish Brown.	Yellowish Brown.	Very Light Yellow; Brownish Cast.
Odor (heated to 100° Fahr.).....	.....	.....	.....	Faint marshy.	.....	.....	.....
Chlorine in Chlorides.....	0.248	0.214	0.240	0.231	0.222	0.248	0.205
Equiv. to Sodium Chloride.....	0.408	0.352	0.394	0.380	0.366	0.408	0.338
Phosphates.....	.....	.....	.....	None.	.....	.....	.....
Nitrites.....	.....	.....	.....	"	.....	.....	.....
Nitrogen in Nitrates and Nitrites.....	.....	.....	.....	0.0576	.....	.....	.....
Free Ammonia.....	.....	.....	.....	Trace.	.....	.....	.....
Albuminoid Ammonia.....	.....	.....	.....	0.0034	.....	.....	.....
Hardness equiv. to Carbonate of Lime (before boiling).....	.....	.....	.....	3.40	.....	.....	.....
(after boiling).....	.....	.....	.....	3.01	.....	.....	.....
Organic and Volatile (loss on ignition).....	3.00	1.60	1.60	3.00	1.70	2.00	1.40
Mineral matter (non-volatile).....	4.40	4.60	3.90	4.50	4.20	5.40	4.00
Total solids (by evaporation).....	7.40	6.20	5.50	7.50	5.90	7.40	5.40

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, SANITARY BUREAU, DIVISION OF VITAL STATISTICS, No. 301 Mott Street.

REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDING APRIL 28, 1888.

Col. EMMONS CLARK, Secretary Board of Health.

SIR—782 deaths were registered in this office during the week ending at noon of Saturday, April 28, 1888, representing an annual death-rate of 26.78 per 1,000 on an estimated population of 1,518,376.

Registered Mortality from the Principal Causes, with Ages of Decedents and Meteorology, for Week ending Saturday, April 28, 1888.

METEOROLOGY.	AGES.							SEX, NATIVITY AND RACE.																				
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	Mean Barometer.....	Mean Humidity.....	Maximum Humidity.....	Minimum Humidity.....	Inches of Rain.....	Mean Temperature.....	Maximum Temperature (Fahr.).....	Minimum Temperature (Fahr.).....	Total for Week.	Annual Death-rate per 1,000 from each Cause for Week.	Total for Corresponding Week of Last Year.	Annual Death-rate per 1,000 from each Cause for same Week.	Average Annual Death-rate per 1,000 for past Ten Years.	Under 1 Month.	1 Month and under 1 Year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	Total under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and over.	Males.	Females.	Natives.	Foreign-born.	Colored.
29-068	29-711	29-881	30-074	29-959	30-049	29-902																						
86	91	92	50	80	82	77																						
100	100	100	100	100	100	100																						
52	68	72	62	51	49	50																						
0.01	0.50	0.79	1.65	1.35	1.23	0.27																						
25.7	26.9	30.0	38.9	44.9	40.9	44.1																						
45	45	54	57	53	57	57																						
10	6	12	16	33	28	16																						
WEEK ENDING—																												
CAUSE OF DEATH.																												
	Mar. 10	Mar. 17	Mar. 24	Mar. 31	April 7	April 14	April 21	Total for Week.	Annual Death-rate per 1,000 from each Cause for Week.	Total for Corresponding Week of Last Year.	Annual Death-rate per 1,000 from each Cause for same Week.	Average Annual Death-rate per 1,000 for past Ten Years.	Under 1 Month.	1 Month and under 1 Year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	Total under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and over.	Males.	Females.	Natives.	Foreign-born.	Colored.	
Total, all causes.....	799	800	861	768	772	787	734	782	26.78	729	25.71	26.73	40	115	69	65	289	40	57	177	139	80	432	350	432	350	20	
Cerebro-spinal Meningitis.....	6	6	1	3	8	6	3	10	.07	10	.07	.16	2	1	2	3
Diphtheria.....	40	18	57	47	27	33	42	41	1.40	50	1.76	1.10	..	1	20	12	33	7	..	..	..	..	18	23	40	1	..
Enteric Fever.....	2	2	2	0	2	4	2	4	.07	2	.07	.25	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..
Erysipelas.....	6	0	9	4	4	2	4	2	.04	1	.04	.12	1	2	1	..	4	..	1	1	..	1	2	5	7	..	..
Malarial Fever.....	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Measles.....	3	8	3	3	4	5	10	9	.31	..	.31	.46	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Scarlatina.....	19	28	27	20	22	30	32	36	1.23	16	.56	.78	..	3	63	16	27	9	..	..	..	..	21	15	34	2	..
Small-pox.....	2	4	3	4	7	4	7	6	.27	2	.27	.07	..	1	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	1	7	1	..
Typhus Fever.....	3	6	13	4	7	..	..	..	.02	..	.02	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Whooping-cough.....	3	6	13	4	7	..	..	..	.27	3	.11	.33	..	5	1	..	6	3	..	..	..	..	5	3	8	..	..
Yellow Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.0005	..	.0005	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cholera, Asiatic.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cholera Morbus.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other Diarrhoeal Diseases.....	22	10	11	11	18	16	19	16	.55	11	.39	.74	1	11	..	12	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	11	5	13	3
Other Zymotic Diseases.....	..	..	..	..	4	3	3	3	.10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	1	2	..
Cancer.....	13	17	19	15	17	24	22	18	.62	23	.91	.54	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	14	6	12	1	..
Rheumatism.....	3	10	4	4	..	2	5	2	.07	..	.16	.13	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tubercles Mesenterica.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other Constitutional Diseases.....	..	..	..	..	9	14	10	14	.48	..	..	..	..	..	2	3	5	1	1	3	3	1	6	8	10	4	1
Apoplexy.....	15	16	15	14	19	24	14	20	.68	18	.63	.48	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	8	7	13	1
Convulsions.....	19	16	15	15	14	16	6	12	.41	14	.49	.48	2	6	3	..	11	1	..	..	..	..	7	5	12	..	..
Meningitis and Encephalitis.....	24	19	18	15	22	21	20	25	.86	21	.74	.57	1	11	5	5	22	2	..	..	..	..	10	15	25	..	..
Other Diseases of Nervous System.....	..	..	..	..	34	29	37	39	1.03	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Aneurism.....	1	1	..	2	..	..	1	2	.07	2	.07	.06	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	1	..
Heart Diseases.....	37	33	38	37	42	25	40	37	1.27	39	1.38	1.18	1	..	..	..	1	2	1	15	12	6	15	22	14	23	1
Other Diseases of Circulatory System.....	..	..	..	..	4	3	5	4	.14	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	3	2	1
Bronchitis.....	48	52	54	47	48	32	32	52	1.78	49	1.73	1.16	1	25	3	3	32	..	..	..	..	..	30	22	37	15	3
Croup.....	12	16	19	11	12	10	8	11	.38	22	.76	.60	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	6	9	2	..
Phthisis.....	115	111	117	115	128	129	103	127	4.35	99	3.49	3.92	..	..	1	3	4	3	28	59	29	4	73	52	60	67	6
Pneumonia.....	122	129	139	124	102	123	89	95	3.25	100	3.74	2.48	1	18	11	8	38	3	5	20	17	12	50	39	59	36	4	
Other Diseases of Respiratory System.....	..	..	..	..	10	15	11	13	.45	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	1	2	..	..	..	6	7	10	3	..
Gastritis, Gastro-Enteritis, Enteritis and Peritonitis.....	17	23	19	11	19	16	11	18	.51	15	.53	.70	..	5	..	..	5	..	1	4	2	3	4	11	7	8	..
Cirrhosis of Liver and Hepatitis.....	6	10	8	7	5	6	5	6	.21	3	.11	.25	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	3	3	1	5	..
Other Diseases of Digestive System.....	..	..	..	..	9	18	11	11	.38	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	3	..	4	3	1	8	3	6	3	..
Bright's Disease and Nephritis.....	52	38	51	46	47	49	49	38	1.30	46	1.62	1.39	..	..	..	1	1	..	2	15	15	5	28	10	14	24	1
Premature and Preterm Births, Cyanosis and Astelectasis.....	32	19	30	27	24	18	25	24	.82	20	.71	.77	21	3	..	..	24	..	..	..	..	..	17	7	24	..	..
Puerperal Diseases.....	13	15	18	6	8	11	4	11	.38	13	.46	.30	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	9	..	..	..	11	4	7	..
Old Age.....	12	19	24	18	9	13	8	11	.38	8	.16	.38	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11	5	6	1	10
Alcoholism.....	2	5	3	2	1	5	2	2	.07	3	.11	.28	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	1	2	..
Sunstroke.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.08	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Accident.....	24	24	32	13	29	19	17	27	.92	27	.95	.82	..	..	..	..	1	2	10	12	2	19	8	12	15	..	
Homicide.....	..	3	3	5	3	..	2	..	..	1	.04	.05	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Suicide.....	6	1	4	7	2	7	7	7	.24	2	.07	.14	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	4	1	6	1	4	3	..
Under One Month.....	..	..	..	..	50	39	40	1.37	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
One Month and under One Year.....	..	..	..	..	107	115	122	115	3.94	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total under Five Years.....	317	302	336	294	280	304	295	289	9.90	251	8.85	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sixty-five Years and over.....	..	..	..	..	84	90	62	86	2.74	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Natives.....	..	..	..	..	477	483	497	491	16.81	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Foreign-born.....	..	..	..	..	495	504	527	521	9.97	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Colored.....	32	18	16	13	28	12	22	30	.68	13	.46	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

Deaths from Zymotic and Certain Other Preventable Diseases, by Wards, for Week ending Saturday, April 28, 1888.

WARDS.	AREA IN ACRES AND POPULATION BY CENSUS OF 1880.	CHARACTER OF DWELLINGS AND POPULATION. GENERAL SANITARY CONDITION.	Cerebro-spinal Meningitis.	Diphtheria.	Enteric Fever.	Erysipelas.	Malarial Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlatina.	Small pox.	Typhus Fever.	Whooping cough.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Rheumatism.	Tubercular Mesenterica.	Branchitis.	Croup.	Phthisis.	Pneumonia.	Puerperal Diseases.	Bright's Disease and Nephritis.	Alcoholism.	All Causes.	In Institutions.	Under One Month.	Total under 5 Years.	65 and Over.
First	Area, 154 Pop., 1,039	Banks, office buildings, wholesale stores, shipping region, some tenements for laborers, immigrant hotels, Castle Garden.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Second	Area, 61 Pop., 1,608	Stores and warehouses, office buildings, a few tenements.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Third	Area, 95 Pop., 3,582	Wholesale stores, banks, a few tenements and hotels.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Fourth	Area, 83 Pop., 27,015	Tenements of a poor class, sailors' boarding-houses, many Italian laborers.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Fifth	Area, 108 Pop., 16,134	Wholesale stores, factories, tenements and small dwellings; two-thirds of it once marshy land.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sixth	Area, 36 Pop., 20,193	Tenements, very poor people, crowded, many Polish Jews and Italian rag-pickers, dirty; one-half once marshy ground.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Seventh	Area, 126 Pop., 50,666	Tenements and middle-class dwellings, many poor Jews; crowded in many parts.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Eighth	Area, 183 Pop., 35,860	Business property, tenements and small dwellings; includes French quarter and many colored people; not crowded; St. Vincent's Hospital.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Ninth	Area, 322 Pop., 54,593	Large crowded tenements; Jewish quarter; very poor people, of filthy habits; much over-crowding.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tenth	Area, 110 Pop., 47,551	Tenements; Germans and Bohemians; crowded; two-thirds made land, wet cellars; St. Francis' Hospital.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Eleventh	Area, 5,504.13 Pop., 81,802	Tenements and private houses, much unimproved land, many large institutions; partly suburban.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Twelfth	Area, 108 Pop., 37,797	Tenements and factories; Germans; crowded; some made-land near the river.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Thirteenth	Area, 96 Pop., 30,172	Tenements; many Italian rag-pickers; crowded.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Fourteenth	Area, 108 Pop., 31,871	Stores, tenements and private houses; not crowded; gas works.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Fifteenth	Area, 348.77 Pop., 52,186	Mostly tenements, some private houses and boarding-houses; Germans and Bohemians; crowded.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sixteenth	Area, 331 Pop., 104,895	About half tenements and half private houses; one half of tenement part is made-land; two gas works; includes Union and Madison Squares; New York Hospital.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Seventeenth	Area, 449.89 Pop., 66,610	About half tenements, fine private houses, borders on Central Park, gas works and slaughter-houses on river, many public institutions, Blackwell's Island.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Nineteenth	Area, 158.108 Pop., 444	One-half private houses; remainder; many colored people; offal dock, fat-rendering and slaughter-houses.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Twentieth	Area, 411 Pop., 66,538	About one-third tenements; private houses, including many of the best class; Bellevue Hospital.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Twenty-first	Area, 1,249.89 Pop., 111,605	Many tenements, apartment-houses, private houses; much unimproved land; slaughter-houses and gas works near the river; Roosevelt Hospital.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Twenty-second	Area, 4,267.023 Pop., 8,338	Tenements and private houses; much unimproved land; badly drained and sewer; population increasing rapidly for 5 years.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Twenty-third	Area, 8,092.123 Pop., 13,288	Sparsely populated; mostly isolated dwellings; badly drained and sewer; suburban.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

Buried in City Cemetery (pauper burial-ground), 85; others outside of the city, 664; inside of the city, 33, including 3 on Ward's Island (immigrants recently arrived).

Places where Deaths Occurred during Week ending Saturday, April 28, 1888.

PLACE OF DEATH.	Cerebro-spinal Meningitis.	Diphtheria.	Enteric Fever.	Erysipelas.	Malarial Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlatina.	Small-pox.	Typhus Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Rheumatism.	Tubercu- lous Mesenteria.	Bronchitis.	Croup.	Empyema and Asthma.	Phthisis.	Pneumonia.	Bright's Disease and Nephritis.	Total—all causes.	Under One Month.	1 Month and under 1 Year.	Total under 5 Years.	65 and Over.
Institutions.....	..	4	2	1	..	1	4	8	..	..	7	..	..	3	..	..	36	24	16	183	3	13	30	22
Tenement-houses (three families or more).....	3	33	..	5	4	8	30	..	..	7	8	..	..	43	9	..	76	61	10	480	33	87	236	35
Dwellings with less than three families.....	..	4	..	1	..	..	2	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	6	..	13	9	10	95	4	14	28	17
Hotels and boarding-houses.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Elsewhere.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Basement and first floor.....	1	4	..	1	1	3	6	..	..	..	3	..	..	8	..	..	10	7	..	..	..	..	..	..
Upper floors.....	2	33	..	5	3	4	25	..	..	7	5	..	..	39	..	..	56	48	14	..	..	..	..	..

Particulars Regarding Births, Deaths, Marriages and Still-births for Week ending Saturday, April 28, 1888.

	TOTAL	WHITE.		COLORED.		NATIVE PARENTS.		FOREIGN PARENTS.		MIXED PARENTAGE.		UNKNOWN.		SINGLE.		MARRIED.		WIDOWED.		NOT STATED.		NON-RESIDENTS.	The Returns of Births, Marriages and Still-births are incomplete.													
		M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.		MONTH OF UTEROGESTATION.													
																							1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	NOT STATED.			
Marriages.....	232	227	227	5	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	200	202	..	..	30	25	2	5	..	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	NOT STATED.	
Births.....	536	262	271	2	1	81	62	150	169	30	34	3	7	12	263	191	122	21	35	61	12	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Deaths.....	782	440	340	11	11	89	68	274	242	39	22	30	13	263	191	122	21	35	61	12	3	16	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Still-births.....	70	42	28	1	1	14	2	25	12	2	4	4	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

Statistics of American and Foreign Cities.

CITIES.	ESTIMATED PRESENT POPULATION.					WEEK ENDING	Annual Death Rate per 1,000.	Cerebro-spinal Meningitis.	Diphtheria and Croup.	Enteric Fever.	Malarial Fever.	Measles.	Scarlatina.	Small pox.	Typhus Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Cholera (Asiatic).	Diarrheal Diseases.	Bronchitis.	Phthisis.	Pneumonia.	Under 5 Years.	Mean Tempera- ture, Fahr.	Mean Humidity.	
		Births.	Marriages.	Still-Births.	Deaths.																				
New York.....	1,518,376	536	232	70	782	April 28.....	26.78	3	52	2	4	9	36	8	..	8	..	16	52	127	95	280	48.3	77	
Baltimore.....	437,155	..	..	9	146	" 21.....	17.37	..	7	..	1	2	1	..	..	..	..	1	15	11	14	60	48.4	..
Boston.....	395,924	..	..	186	..	" 28.....	23.07	..	8	..	1	1	2	..	..	..	..	1	15	36	23	47	..	..
Brooklyn.....	774,870	203	133	20	306	" 21.....	20.60	..	30	..	5	..	11	2	..	1	..	3	23	50	34	131	45.61	69.65	
Chicago.....	760,000	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
District of Columbia (Washington).....	205,000	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
New Orleans.....	248,000	..	..	10	121	April 21.....	25.46	..	6	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	23	9	32	59.5	71.7
Philadelphia.....	993,801	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
San Francisco.....	300,000	..	..	42	488	Month of March.....	19.52	3	11	6	5	2	4	4	..	1	..	..	11	87	62	114	59.5	72.0
St. Louis.....	440,000	888	..	52	796	" 21.....	22.7	2	72	6	7	..	1	..	..	4	..	12	68	89	117	283	40.8	70.8
FOREIGN.*																									
London.....	4,289,921	2,831	..	..	1,692	April 14.....	20.6	..	31	9	..	12	17	..	..	108	..	19	263	150	131	697	42.2	78
Liverpool.....	599,973	392	..	..	263	" 14.....	22.0	..	..	..	..	2	4	..	..	9	..	3	..	..	..	..	43.0	..
Birmingham.....	447,912	296	..	..	179	" 14.....	20.5	..	..	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Manchester.....	378,164	317	..	..	253	" 14.....	34.9	..	..	..	..	2	3	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
Glasgow.....	256,688	388	..	85	225	" 14.....	22.2	..	..	..	..	3	2	..	..	11	..	1	..	..	..	..	43.8	..
Dublin.....	353,682	232	..	..	187	" 14.....	27.6	..	..	..	..	3	1	..	1	7	..	1	43	19	5	37	45.0	84
Copenhagen.....	300,000	252	..	48	1130	" 10.....	22.5	..	..	..	..	8	..	..	..	1	..	..	14	7	14	57	..	..
Christiania.....	130,900	37	..	1	65	" 7.....	24.69	..	12	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	..	..	33	..	..
Stockholm.....	181,777	605	..	9	88	" 7.....	20.9	..	6	..	..	1	4	..	..	..	..	6	4	13	17	35	..	..
St. Petersburg.....	391,303	615	9	38	743	" 7.....	24.9	..	21	25	..	22	18	5	1	4	..	1	..	136	..	39	..	..
Amsterdam.....	389,416	261	..	..	148	" 7.....	19.7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Rotterdam.....	193,660	131	..	..	89	" 7.....	19.9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Antwerp.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Brussels.....	454,410	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Paris.....	2,280,945	1,198	564	88	1,182	April 14.....	25.12	..	39	10	..	12	4	7	..	5	..	54	84	189	107	398	42.8	..	
Marseilles.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Naples.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Rome.....	388,973	257	41	16	191	March 17.....	28.7	..	..	3	8	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	15	16	25	68	46.94	75
Venice.....	150,502	81	21	1	61	April 7.....	18.6	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Berlin.....	1,422,332	890	346	32	572	March 24.....	20.0	..	17	..	..	4	4	..	3	17	..	54	38	74	39	..	..	..
Munich.....	275,090	169	..	3	105	April 7.....	21.2	..	8	..	..	4	2	..	2	..	..	..	16	..	..	85	..	..
Prague.....	295,857	..	..	..	196	" 7.....	34.45	..	5	3	..	9	3	15	3	..	..	1	..	40	..	47	..	..
Vienna.....	800,836	651	49	35	401	" 7.....	29.0	..	16	5	..	6	5	4	..	1	..	..	107	..	103	..	..	..
Buda-Pesth.....	447,787	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Bombay.....	773,196	..	..	17	391	March 20.....	23.05	..	..	..	..	107	10	..	19	..	..	2	32	..	55	..	..	..
Calcutta.....	433,219	..	..	28	..	" 3.....	27.4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	58	..	..	..	..	..	..
Madras.....	398,777	321	..	19	314	" 9.....	40.5	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	2	..	..	15	69	..	..	..	..	..
Cairo.....	374,838	389	..	17	256	April 5.....	35.5	..	2	10	2	1	1	..	..	10	..	23	..	30	8	135	71.6	57.7

BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, No. 61 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK CITY, May 11, 1888.

A meeting of the Armory Board was held this day, at 3 P. M., at the office of his Honor Mayor Hewitt.

Present—The Mayor, the President Commissioner of Taxes and Assessments, the Commissioner of the Public Works Department, Brigadier-General Louis Fitzgerald, and Colonel Emmons Clark.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The Committee on Plans reported that they had received no encouragement from the Architect of the Twenty-second Regiment Armory that he could build the armory within the appropriation; but they had received intimations and direct offers from other architects offering to construct a satisfactory building that would come within the amount.

The following preamble and resolution were offered by General Fitzgerald, and seconded by Commissioner Coleman, and unanimously passed:

Whereas, The plans of Mr. George B. Post for an armory for the Twenty-second Regiment, which were approved on November 30, 1886 (conditioned upon the agreement that no claim for services would be made by him if the bids should exceed the amount of the appropriation), were duly advertised and the lowest bids received therefor on June 30, 1887, amounted to \$419,688. The plans were then modified, and after readvertisement bids were received on March 29, 1888, for \$329,952, being nearly \$45,000 in excess of the appropriation, and the Architect having stated his inability to reduce the cost any more; and

Whereas, This Board has recently contracted for a suitable building for an armory, covering a larger area than this one;

Resolved, That the following architects, viz.: J. R. Thomas, J. P. Leo, H. F. Kilburn, G. B. Post, J. A. Ware and Theodore Weston, be invited to present plans for an armory for the Twenty-second Regiment, N. G. S. N. Y., to be erected on the block bounded by Ninth avenue and the Boulevard, Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets, and which shall cost not to exceed \$300,000, including the architect's fees; the invitation to be extended with the understanding that any or all plans may be rejected by the Board, and that no compensation shall be claimed or allowed unless plans be approved by the Board and bids and contracts for the same be received and executed, the sum of which, together with the architect's fees, shall be within the amount already appropriated.

The meeting then adjourned.

M. COLEMAN, Secretary.

APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Ames Chamberlain to connect premises Nos. 517 and 518 West Thirty-third street by a steam-pipe not to exceed four inches in diameter, laid beneath the surface of the street, provided the said Ames Chamberlain shall stipulate with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the city harmless from any loss or damage to persons or property that may be occasioned by the exercise of the permission hereby granted during the progress of the work or subsequently, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 1, 1888.

Approved by the Mayor, May 7, 1888.

Resolved, That the Common Council, pursuant to the directions contained in section 93 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882 (the New York City Consolidation Act), hereby appoints Dr. John B. Cosby as Physician to the Jail of the County, to hold his office at the pleasure of the Board, at an annual salary of one thousand dollars, payable monthly, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of Dr. Edward A. Church.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 1, 1888.

Approved by the Mayor, May 7, 1888.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Michael Rice to construct a vault in front of his premises on the west side of Washington avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-third and One Hundred and Sixty-fourth streets, upon payment of the usual fee, as shown on the accompanying diagram, providing the work be done in a durable and substantial manner, and that the said Michael Rice shall stipulate with the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks to save the city harmless from any loss or damage that may occur during the progress or subsequent to the completion thereof, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction and to the satisfaction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 1, 1888.

Approved by the Mayor, May 8, 1888.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Henry Blumenthal to lay a crosswalk on Third avenue, opposite his premises, Nos. 993 and 995, from the easterly curb to the westerly rail of the horse-car tracks, the work to be done at his own expense, and under the direction and to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 1, 1888.

Approved by the Mayor, May 8, 1888.

Resolved, That the vacant lots on the southeast corner of One Hundred and Sixteenth street and Manhattan avenue, being one hundred and seventy feet on One Hundred and Sixteenth street and one hundred feet on Manhattan avenue, be fenced in, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 1, 1888.

Approved by the Mayor, May 8, 1888.

Resolved, That the name of William A. Kieler, who was recently superseded as Commissioner of Deeds by John H. Bones, be corrected so as to read William A. Keeler.

Resolved, That the name of Charles B. Ruch, who was recently superseded as Commissioner of Deeds by Charles O'Connor Cassidy, be corrected so as to read Charles B. Reed.

Resolved, That the name of Michael Oysterman, who was recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in place of James J. Fox, be corrected so as to read Michael Osterman.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 8, 1888.

Whereas, A bill is now pending before the Legislature of this State (Assembly Bill No. 782, introduced by Mr. Morgan) which contemplates the appropriation of the public piers owned by the city, and others on the East river front, to the exclusive use of certain steamboat companies, and the erection of sheds on the wharves, piers and bulkheads (now forbidden by law), which will, if passed, authorize the exclusion of the public from all approach to any part of the said East river water-front, as is now the case on the North river, from the Battery to Fourteenth street; and

Whereas, A shed was erected on Pier No. 27, East river, last year, by authority of the Department of Docks, in clear violation of law, and the illegal structure was ordered to be removed, in a decision rendered by Judge Charles Donohue, of the Supreme Court, but thus far the order has been disregarded, the illegal structure yet encumbers the pier, and the bill above alluded to is clearly intended to render nugatory the order of the Court and to enable the Dock Department to authorize the erection of such illegal structures, without let or hindrance, on the entire East river front of the city, in total disregard of the rights of our citizens indiscriminately, who should have as free access to the piers and other portions of the city's water-front as they have to the free uses of our public streets, of which, in most cases, the piers form a part; be it therefore

Resolved, That in order to prevent this intended exclusion of our citizens generally, and particularly those engaged in business along or near the water-front on the East river, who will be ruinously affected thereby, from free access to such wharves, piers and bulkheads, which are mainly the property of the Corporation of the City of New York and intended for the use of all our citizens, the Legislature of this State is hereby earnestly, yet most respectfully, requested not to pass said Assembly Bill No. 782, and the representatives from this city in the State Legislature are hereby also earnestly requested to use all honorable means to prevent the passage of said bill; and be it further

Resolved, That the Clerk of this Board be and he is hereby directed to transmit a copy of this preamble and resolution to the President of the Senate, the Speaker of the Assembly, and to each of the representatives from this city in the State Legislature.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 10, 1888.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, April 24, 1888, with his objections thereto.

In Board of Aldermen, May 8, 1888, taken up, reconsidered, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, February 10, 1888.

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

(Signed), ABRAM S. HEWITT,
Mayor.

CITY COURT—TRIAL TERM,
PART I.

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

MICHAEL T. DALY,
Clerk.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY
AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

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

THOMAS COSTIGAN, Esq.,
Supervisor City Record:

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

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

Yours respectfully,

LEE PHILLIPS,
Secretary and Executive Officer.

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

THOMAS COSTIGAN, Esq.,
Supervisor:

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

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

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

Very respectfully,

LEE PHILLIPS,
Secretary and Executive Officer.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.

No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
ABRAM S. HEWITT, Mayor. ARTHUR BERRY,
Secretary and Chief Clerk.

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

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

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

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

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

Room 200, Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
JAMES C. SPENCER, President; JOHN C. SHEEHAN,
Secretary; BENJAMIN S. CHURCH, Chief Engineer; J. C.
LULLY, Auditor.

BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

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

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.

No. 8 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE H. FORTIER, President Board of Aldermen.
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

City Library.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.

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

Bureau of Chief Engineer.

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

Bureau of Water Register.

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

Bureau of Street Improvements.

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

Engineer-in-Charge of Sewers.

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

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

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

Bureau of Water Purveyor.

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

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

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

Bureau of Streets.

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

Bureau of Incumbencies.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN RICHARDSON, 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 Broad-
way, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THEODORE W. MYERS, Comptroller; RICHARD A.
STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.

Auditing Bureau.

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

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

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

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of
Markets.

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

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

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

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

Office of the City Paymaster.

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

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

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

Office of the Public Administrator.

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

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

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

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORREC-
TION.

Central Office.

No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 9 A. M. to
4 P. M.

CHARLES E. SIMMONS, President; GEORGE F. BRITTON,
Secretary.
Purchasing Agent, FREDERICK A. CUSHMAN. Office
hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Closed Saturdays, 12 M.
Contracts, Proposals and Estimates for Work and Ma-
terials for Building, Repairs and Supplies, Bills and
Accounts, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Closed Saturdays, 12 M.
RUFUS L. WILDER, General Bookkeeper and Auditor.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

Headquarters.

Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street.
HENRY D. PURROV, President; CARL JUSSEN, Sec-
retary.

Bureau of Chief of Department.

CHARLES O. SHAY, Chief of Department.

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SERRY, Inspector of Combustibles.

Bureau of Fire Marshal.

GEORGE H. SHELTON, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

ALBERT F. D'ORCH, Superintendent of Buildings.

Attorney to Department.

WM. L. FINDLEY.

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

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

Repair Shops.

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

Hospital Stables.

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

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

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

Civil and Topographical Office.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

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

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

Cooper Union.
EVERETT P. WHEELER, Chairman of the Supervisory Board; LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary and Executive Officer.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

Office of Clerk, Staats Zeitung Building Room 5.
The Mayor, Chairman; CHARLES V. ADER, Clerk.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office City Hall, Room No. 11 1/2, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EDWARD GILON, Chairman; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

BOARD OF EXCISE.

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

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

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

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

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

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

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

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

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

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

And Bureau of Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.
No. 7 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays, on which days 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.
THOMAS COSTIGAN, Supervisor; R. P. H. ABELL, Book-keeper.

CORONERS' OFFICE.

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

SUPREME COURT.

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

SUPERIOR COURT.

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

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

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

CITY COURT.

City Hall.
General Term, Room No. 20.
Trial Term, Part I, Room No. 20.
Part II, Room No. 19.
Part III, Room No. 18.
Special Term, Chambers, Room No. 21, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 10, City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
DAVID McADAM, Chief Justice; MICHAEL T. DALY, Clerk.

OVER AND TERMINER COURT.

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

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

At Tombs, corner Franklin and Centre streets, daily at 10.30 A. M., except on Saturdays.
Clerk's Office, Tombs.

DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.

First District—First, Second, Third and Fifth Wards southeast corner of Centre and Chambers streets.
MICHAEL NORTON, Justice.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Second District—Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, corner of Pearl and Centre streets, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES M. CLANCY, Justice.

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

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

ALFRED STECKLER, Justice.
Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards, No. 151 Clinton street.

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

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

AMBROSE MONELL, Justice.
Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards, southwest corner of Twenty-second street and Seventh avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. and continues to close of business. Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each court day.

On and after Monday, October 3, 1887, the trial days of this Court will be Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.
JOHN JEROME, Justice.

Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, No. 225 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.
JOSEPH P. FALLON, Justice.

Clerk's office open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Trial days Tuesdays and Fridays. Court opens at 9 1/2 A. M.
Tenth District—Twenty and Twenty-fourth Wards, corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street.

Office hours, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens at 9 A. M.
ANDREW J. ROGERS, Justice.

Eleventh District—No. 219 Eighth avenue; Twenty-second Ward, and all that part of the Twelfth Ward lying south of One Hundred and Tenth street and west Sixth avenue. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS E. MURRAY, Justice.

POLICE COURTS.

Judges—MAURICE J. POWELL, 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. CREIGER, 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. 65 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.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Ninth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 9.30 o'clock A. M., on Friday, May 25, 1888, for Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar School Buildings Nos. 16 and 41 and Primary School Building No. 13; also, for Sanitary Alteration and Repairs at Grammar School Building No. 16 and Primary School Building No. 13; also, for New Heating Apparatus for Primary School Building No. 24; also, for New Furniture for Grammar School Buildings Nos. 3 and 41 and Primary School Building No. 24.

JAMES A. SEAMAN, Chairman.
L. J. McNAMARA, M. D., Secretary.
Board of School Trustees, Ninth Ward.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Fourth Ward, at the same place, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on the date above mentioned, for Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar School Building No. 1 and Primary School Building No. 14; also, for Sanitary Alterations, Repairs, etc., at Grammar School Building No. 1 and Primary School Building No. 14.
FREDERICK WIMMER, Chairman.
MICHAEL J. DUFFY, Secretary.
Board of School Trustees, Fourth Ward.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blank proposals obtained at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand street, third floor.
The Trustees reserve the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted.

The party submitting a proposal, and the parties proposing to become sureties, must each write his name and place of residence on said proposal.

Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, are required in all cases.

No proposals will be considered from persons whose character and antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful.
Dated New York, May 12, 1888.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Nineteenth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 9.30 o'clock A. M., on Thursday, May 24, 1888, for New Furniture required for Grammar School Buildings Nos. 53, 55 and 79.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blank proposals obtained at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand street, third floor.
The Committee reserve the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted.

The party submitting a proposal, and the parties proposing to become sureties, must each write his name and place of residence on said proposal.

Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, are required in all cases.

No proposals will be considered from persons whose character and antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful.
Dated New York, May 11, 1888.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Eighteenth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 9.30 o'clock A. M., on Tuesday, May 22, for Alterations, etc., in Heating Apparatus in Grammar School Building No. 40; also for New Furniture for Grammar School Buildings Nos. 40 and 47.

A. G. VANDERPOEL, Chairman.
WILLIAM J. FANNING, Secretary.
School Trustees, Eighteenth Ward.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Seventeenth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 9.30 o'clock A. M., on Monday, May 21, 1888, for Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar School Buildings Nos. 13, 19 and 25, and Primary School Building No. 22; also for New Furniture for Grammar School Buildings Nos. 13 and 25.

HIRAM MERRITT, Chairman.
CHARLES MIEHLING, Secretary.
Board of School Trustees, Seventeenth Ward.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Twentieth Ward, at the same place, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on the same date, for New Furniture for Grammar School Buildings Nos. 14 and 49.

ANDREW G. AGNEW, Chairman.
E. ELERY ANDERSON, Secretary.
Board of School Trustees, Twentieth Ward.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Twenty-first Ward, at the same place, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on the same date, for New Furniture for Grammar School Buildings Nos. 14 and 49.

ANDREW G. AGNEW, Chairman.
E. ELERY ANDERSON, Secretary.
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-first Ward.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Twenty-second Ward, at the same place, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on the same date, for New Furniture for Grammar School Buildings Nos. 14 and 49.

ANDREW G. AGNEW, Chairman.
E. ELERY ANDERSON, Secretary.
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-second Ward.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Twenty-third Ward, at the same place, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on the same date, for New Furniture for Grammar School Buildings Nos. 14 and 49.

ANDREW G. AGNEW, Chairman.
E. ELERY ANDERSON, Secretary.
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-third Ward.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Twenty-fourth Ward, at the same place, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on the same date, for New Furniture for Grammar School Buildings Nos. 14 and 49.

ANDREW G. AGNEW, Chairman.
E. ELERY ANDERSON, Secretary.
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-fourth Ward.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Twenty-fifth Ward, at the same place, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on the same date, for New Furniture for Grammar School Buildings Nos. 14 and 49.

ANDREW G. AGNEW, Chairman.
E. ELERY ANDERSON, Secretary.
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-fifth Ward.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Twenty-sixth Ward, at the same place, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on the same date, for New Furniture for Grammar School Buildings Nos. 14 and 49.

ANDREW G. AGNEW, Chairman.
E. ELERY ANDERSON, Secretary.
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-sixth Ward.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Twenty-seventh Ward, at the same place, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on the same date, for New Furniture for Grammar School Buildings Nos. 14 and 49.

ANDREW G. AGNEW, Chairman.
E. ELERY ANDERSON, Secretary.
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-seventh Ward.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Twenty-eighth Ward, at the same place, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on the same date, for New Furniture for Grammar School Buildings Nos. 14 and 49.

ANDREW G. AGNEW, Chairman.
E. ELERY ANDERSON, Secretary.
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-eighth Ward.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Twenty-ninth Ward, at the same place, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on the same date, for New Furniture for Grammar School Buildings Nos. 14 and 49.

ANDREW G. AGNEW, Chairman.
E. ELERY ANDERSON, Secretary.
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-ninth Ward.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Thirtieth Ward, at the same place, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on the same date, for New Furniture for Grammar School Buildings Nos. 14 and 49.

ANDREW G. AGNEW, Chairman.
E. ELERY ANDERSON, Secretary.
Board of School Trustees, Thirtieth Ward.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Thirty-first Ward, at the same place, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on the same date, for New Furniture for Grammar School Buildings Nos. 14 and 49.

ANDREW G. AGNEW, Chairman.
E. ELERY ANDERSON, Secretary.
Board of School Trustees, Thirty-first Ward.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Thirty-second Ward, at the same place, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on the same date, for New Furniture for Grammar School Buildings Nos. 14 and 49.

ANDREW G. AGNEW, Chairman.
E. ELERY ANDERSON, Secretary.
Board of School Trustees, Thirty-second Ward.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Thirty-third Ward, at the same place, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on the same date, for New Furniture for Grammar School Buildings Nos. 14 and 49.

ANDREW G. AGNEW, Chairman.
E. ELERY ANDERSON, Secretary.
Board of School Trustees, Thirty-third Ward.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Thirty-fourth Ward, at the same place, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on the same date, for New Furniture for Grammar School Buildings Nos. 14 and 49.

ANDREW G. AGNEW, Chairman.
E. ELERY ANDERSON, Secretary.
Board of School Trustees, Thirty-fourth Ward.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Thirty-fifth Ward, at the same place, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on the same date, for New Furniture for Grammar School Buildings Nos. 14 and 49.

ANDREW G. AGNEW, Chairman.
E. ELERY ANDERSON, Secretary.
Board of School Trustees, Thirty-fifth Ward.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Thirty-sixth Ward, at the same place, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on the same date, for New Furniture for Grammar School Buildings Nos. 14 and 49.

ANDREW G. AGNEW, Chairman.
E. ELERY ANDERSON, Secretary.
Board of School Trustees, Thirty-sixth Ward.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Thirty-seventh Ward, at the same place, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on the same date, for New Furniture for Grammar School Buildings Nos. 14 and 49.

ANDREW G. AGNEW, Chairman.
E. ELERY ANDERSON, Secretary.
Board of School Trustees, Thirty-seventh Ward.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Thirty-eighth Ward, at the same place, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on the same date, for New Furniture for Grammar School Buildings Nos. 14 and 49.

ANDREW G. AGNEW, Chairman.
E. ELERY ANDERSON, Secretary.
Board of School Trustees, Thirty-eighth Ward.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Thirty-ninth Ward, at the same place, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on the same date, for New Furniture for Grammar School Buildings Nos. 14 and 49.

ANDREW G. AGNEW, Chairman.
E. ELERY ANDERSON, Secretary.
Board of School Trustees, Thirty-ninth Ward.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Fortieth Ward, at the same place, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on the same date, for New Furniture for Grammar School Buildings Nos. 14 and 49.

ANDREW G. AGNEW, Chairman.
E. ELERY ANDERSON, Secretary.
Board of School Trustees, Fortieth Ward.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Forty-first Ward, at the same place, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on the same date, for New Furniture for Grammar School Buildings Nos. 14 and 49.

ANDREW G. AGNEW, Chairman.
E. ELERY ANDERSON, Secretary.
Board of School Trustees, Forty-first Ward.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Forty-second Ward, at the same place, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on the same date, for New Furniture for Grammar School Buildings Nos. 14 and 49.

ANDREW G. AGNEW, Chairman.
E. ELERY ANDERSON, Secretary.
Board of School Trustees, Forty-second Ward.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Forty-third Ward, at the same place, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on the same date, for New Furniture for Grammar School Buildings Nos. 14 and 49.

ANDREW G. AGNEW, Chairman.
E. ELERY ANDERSON, Secretary.
Board of School Trustees, Forty-third Ward.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Forty-fourth Ward, at the same place, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on the same date, for New Furniture for Grammar School Buildings Nos. 14 and 49.

ANDREW G. AGNEW, Chairman.
E. ELERY ANDERSON, Secretary.
Board of School Trustees, Forty-fourth Ward.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Forty-fifth Ward, at the same place, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on the same date, for New Furniture for Grammar School Buildings Nos. 14 and 49.

ANDREW G. AGNEW, Chairman.
E. ELERY ANDERSON, Secretary.
Board of School Trustees, Forty-fifth Ward.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Forty-sixth Ward, at the same place, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on the same date, for New Furniture for Grammar School Buildings Nos. 14 and 49.

ANDREW G. AGNEW, Chairman.
E. ELERY ANDERSON, Secretary.
Board of School Trustees, Forty-sixth Ward.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Forty-seventh Ward, at the same place, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on the same date, for New Furniture for Grammar School Buildings Nos. 14 and 49.

ANDREW G. AGNEW, Chairman.
E. ELERY ANDERSON, Secretary.
Board of School Trustees, Forty-seventh Ward.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Forty-eighth Ward, at the same place, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on the same date, for New Furniture for Grammar School Buildings Nos. 14 and 49.

ANDREW G. AGNEW, Chairman.
E. ELERY ANDERSON, Secretary.
Board of School Trustees, Forty-eighth Ward.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Forty-ninth Ward, at the same place, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on the same date, for New Furniture for Grammar School Buildings Nos. 14 and 49.

ANDREW G. AGNEW, Chairman.
E. ELERY ANDERSON, Secretary.
Board of School Trustees, Forty-ninth Ward.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Fiftieth Ward, at the same place, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on the same date, for New Furniture for Grammar School Buildings Nos. 14 and 49.

ANDREW G. AGNEW, Chairman.
E. ELERY ANDERSON, Secretary.
Board of School Trustees, Fiftieth Ward.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Fifty-first Ward, at the same place, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on the same date, for New Furniture for Grammar School Buildings Nos. 14 and 49.

ANDREW G. AGNEW, Chairman.
E. ELERY ANDERSON, Secretary.
Board of School Trustees, Fifty-first Ward.

SEALED PROPOS

of Franklin avenue, extending about two hundred and eighty-five feet northerly from One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and about two hundred and eighty-five feet southerly from One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street; both sides of Fulton avenue, extending about two hundred and fifty feet southerly from One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, and east side of North Third avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-ninth to One Hundred and Seventieth streets.

No. 13. Block bounded by One Hundred and Forty-third and One Hundred and Forty-fourth streets, Morris and College avenues; also both sides of One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, between College and Morris avenues; also east side of Morris avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-fourth and One Hundred and Forty-fifth streets; and west side of College avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-fourth and One Hundred and Forty-fifth streets.

No. 14. West side of Third avenue, between One Hundred and Thirty-fifth and One Hundred and Thirty-sixth streets, and north side of One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, between Third and Rider avenues.

No. 15. Both sides of Bleeker street, between West Tenth and Christopher streets.

No. 16. Both sides of Eighty-seventh street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

No. 17. South side of Seventy-sixth street, from Lexington and Fourth avenues, to the City Hall.

No. 18. West side of Tenth avenue, from Twenty-third to Twenty-second street.

No. 19. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-third street, from the Battery to Tenth avenue.

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

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

EDWARD GILSON, Chairman.
PATRICK M. McVERDY,
CHAS. J. WENDT,
EDWARD CAHILL,
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 11 1/2 City Hall,
NEW YORK, May 12, 1888.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, May 2, 1888.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH OF the following-named works, under the title of the work and the name of the bidder, indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received by the Department of Public Parks, at its office, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, until eleven o'clock A. M. on Wednesday, May 16, 1888.

- No. 1. For Repaving with Concrete and Mortar of Portland Cement, the Walk adjoining and in connection with the Battery Sea Wall, between Pier A, North River, and the westerly line of the Property of the U. S. Government.
- No. 2. For Repairing and Protecting the Foundation and Masonry of the Battery Sea Wall, between Pier A, North River, and the westerly line of the Property of the U. S. Government.
- No. 3. For Furnishing Rock and Earth Filling and Building Foundation Wall, on Morrisburg Park, adjoining One Hundred and Tenth Street, between Manhattan Avenue and Morningside Avenue, and Manhattan Avenue, between One Hundred and Tenth and One Hundred and Fourteenth Streets.
- No. 4. For the Renewal of the Wood Superstructure upon the Eastern Approach of the Central Bridge over the Harlem River.
- No. 5. For Furnishing and Completing all the Floor Tilings required in the Principal and Gallery Floors of the Enlargement of the Metropolitan Museum of Art in the Central Park.

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

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

NUMBER 1. ABOVE MENTIONED.
35,200 square feet of pavement of concrete and mortar of Portland cement.

10 cubic yards of concrete in place.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be forty days, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the completion thereof has expired are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at TEN DOLLARS per day.

NUMBER 2. ABOVE MENTIONED.
350 lineal feet of bottom course of wall to be underpinned with rubble stone masonry.

50 cubic yards of wall masonry to be taken down and rebuilt.

250 lineal feet of coping, including posts, to be taken up and reset.

1,316 lineal feet of wall and coping joints to be filled and pointed.

143 cubic yards of concrete in front of base of wall.

640 square yards of new rubble-stone pavement in front of wall.

945 square yards of old rubble-stone pavement to be relaid.

300 cubic yards of rip-rap stone furnished and put in place.

Also the time required for the completion of the whole work, which will be tested at the rate of FOUR DOLLARS per day.

NUMBER 3. ABOVE MENTIONED.
26,000 cubic yards of earth and rock filling furnished and put in place.

2,600 cubic yards of foundation walls.

Estimates for the above work will be made and received for completing the entire work in the time stipulated, as follows: For completing the work within six calendar months; for completing the work within six calendar months. Bidders are not required to submit estimates for both, but may submit estimates for either or both.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the completion thereof has expired are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at TWENTY DOLLARS per day.

NUMBER 4. ABOVE MENTIONED.
178 lineal feet of flooring of roadway.

490 lineal feet of flooring of foot-walk.

57 lineal feet of guard timber for fenders.

490 lineal feet of fence or screen.

356 lineal feet of hand railing.

Spiking floor beams of 178 lineal feet of bridge; new gate, fixtures and hanging complete.

Bidders are required to state in writing, and also in figures, in their proposals ONE PRICE OR SUM for which they will execute the ENTIRE WORK ABOVE THE FLOOR BEAMS, including the spiking of the floor beams and the furnishing of all materials, labor and transportation, all implements, tools, apparatus and appliances of every description necessary to complete in every particular the work as set forth in the plans and in the specifications.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be THIRTY days, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof,

may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the completion thereof has expired are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at TEN DOLLARS per day.

NUMBER 5. ABOVE MENTIONED.
Bidders will be required to state in their proposals ONE PRICE OR SUM for which they will execute the ENTIRE WORK ABOVE THE FLOOR BEAMS, including the spiking of the floor beams and the furnishing of all materials, labor and transportation; all implements, tools, apparatus and appliances of every description necessary to complete in every particular the whole of the work as set forth in the plans and in the specifications.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be EIGHTY days, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the completion thereof has expired are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at TWENTY DOLLARS per day.

As the above-mentioned quantities, though stated with as much accuracy as is possible in advance, are approximate only, bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become a part of every estimate received:

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

The estimates must be submitted to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Parks, and in substantial accordance with the specifications for the work and the plans thereon referred to. No extra compensation beyond the amount payable for the several classes of work before enumerated, which shall be actually performed at the prices therefor, to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

The person making any bid or estimate must furnish the same, inclosed in a sealed envelope, to the head of said Department, at his office, on or before the day and hour above mentioned.

The envelope must be indorsed with the name or names of the person presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates.

The estimates will be received by the head of the said Department at the place and hour last above mentioned and read.

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 thereof, 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 of the bidder, or of some other person 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 sworn to 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 residence, to the effect that the contractor has awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound by its sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he should omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation the 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 a subsequent setting; the amount in each case to be estimated upon the estimated amount of 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 giving 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 of every nature, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

N. B.—The prices must be written in the estimate and also stated in figures, and all estimates will be considered as informal which do not contain bids for all items for which bids are herein called, or which contain bids for items for which bids are not here-with called for. Bids for items not to be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate. No bid 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 amount in which security will be required for the performance of the several contracts is as follows:

For Number 1, above-mentioned..... \$4,000 00
" 2..... " 3,000 00
" 3..... " 7,000 00
" 4..... " 1,500 00
" 5..... " 3,000 00

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, May 2, 1888.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMMISSIONERS of the Department of Public Parks, in the City of New York, will, on the 16th day of May, 1888, at 11 o'clock A. M., at their office, in the Emigrants' Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, in said city, hear and consider all statements, objections and evidence that may then and there be offered in reference to a contemplated change in the classification of the provisions of chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887.

The map showing the contemplated change is now on exhibition in said office.

J. HAMPDEN ROBB,
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The map showing the contemplated change is now on exhibition in said office.

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The contemplated change consists in the change of class of these streets respectively, as follows, viz.:

Eagle avenue, from Class II. to Class I., between German place and St. Ann's avenue.

Carr street, from Class II. to Class I., between German place and St. Ann's avenue.

Eagle avenue, from Class III. to Class I., between East One Hundred and Forty-ninth and One Hundred Sixty-third streets.

East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, from Class III. to Class I., between Webster avenue and Vanderbilt avenue, West.

East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, from Class II. to Class I., between Vanderbilt avenue, East, and Third avenue.

East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, from Class II. to Class I., between Vanderbilt avenue, East, and Third avenue.

The map showing the contemplated change is now on exhibition in said office.

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objections and evidence that may then and there be offered in reference to proposed changes in the system of streets in a portion of the Spuyten Duyvil District of the Twenty-fourth Ward, in said city, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887.

The contemplated changes consist in changing the lines of Independence avenue, and discontinuing and closing a portion thereof, laying out a new street extending from Palisade avenue to Independence avenue, and discontinuing and closing a portion of Palisade avenue and the avenue lying westerly thereof.

A map showing the contemplated change is on exhibition in said office.

J. HAMPDEN ROBB,
M. C. D. BORDEN,
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The contemplated change consists in changing the location, width, course and lines, and discontinuing and closing a portion of Mott avenue, between the centres of East One Hundred and Forty-sixth and East One Hundred and Forty-ninth streets, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887.

The map showing the contemplated change is now on exhibition in said office.

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The contemplated change consists in changing the location, lines, etc., of Cedar avenue, between Fordham road and the Harlem River Terrace, and discontinuing and closing certain portions of said Cedar avenue, extending and changing the width, lines, etc., and discontinuing and closing certain portions of Fordham avenue (formerly Berrian Landing road), between Sedgwick avenue and Harlem river, and discontinuing and closing two other unnamed streets.

A map showing the proposed change is on exhibition in said office.

J. HAMPDEN ROBB,
M. C. D. BORDEN,
WALDO HUTCHINS,
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The map showing the contemplated change is now on exhibition in said office.

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DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

(Work of construction under new plan.)

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
PIER "A," NORTH RIVER.

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 267.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR REMOVING ALL THAT PART OF PIER, OLD 36, AT THE FOOT OF NORTH MOORE STREET, NORTH RIVER, WITH THE SHED THEREON, WHICH LIES WESTERLY OF A LINE ABOUT FIFTY FEET WESTERLY OF THE NEW BULKHEAD LINE, EXCEPT THE CRIBWORK BELOW LOW-WATER MARK, AND REPAIRING FOR AND BUILDING A NEW WOODEN PIER, ALONG THE NORTHERLY SIDE OF THE SITE OF SAID PIER, OLD 36, TO BE KNOWN AS PIER, NEW 25, NORTH RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR REMOVING A PART OF Pier, old 36, North river, and the shed thereon, and for building a new wooden pier, near the foot of North Moore street, North river, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M.

At which time and place the estimates will be publicly opened by the head of said Department. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Any person making an estimate for the work shall furnish 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 bidder to whom the award is made shall give security for the faithful performance of the contract, in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance, in the sum of Nine Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the nature, quantities and extent of the work is as follows:

Feet, B. M., measured in the work.

Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 14"..... 28,521

" " 12" x 12"..... 235,058

" " 10" x 12"..... 4,870

" " 10" x 10"..... 900

" " 8" x 12"..... 696

" " 8" x 10"..... 576

" " 8" x 15"..... 1,460

" " 8" x 12"..... 1,668

" " 8" x 10"..... 5,818

" " 8" x 8"..... 6,460

" " 7" x 12"..... 612

" " 7" x 10"..... 3,577

" " 5" x 12"..... 15,489

" " 5" x 10"..... 3,200

" " 5" x 11"..... 3,392

" " 5" x 10"..... 59,801

Secretary.

JURORS.

NOTICE
IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE
COURTS.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,
ROOM 127, STEWART BUILDING,
CHAMBERS STREET AND BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, June 7, 1887.

APPLICATIONS FOR EXEMPTIONS WILL BE
heard here, from 9 o'clock to 4 o'clock, 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 en-
rollment 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 excuse will be allowed or
interference permitted. The fines if unpaid will be en-
tered as judgments upon the property of the delinquents.
All good citizens will aid the course of justice, and
secure reliable and respectable juries, and equalize their
duty by serving promptly when summoned, allowing their
clerks or subordinates to serve, reporting to me any
attempt at bribery or evasion, and suggesting names for
enrollment. Persons between sixty and seventy years of
age, summer absentees, persons temporarily ill, and
United States jurors are not exempt.

Every man must attend to his own notice. It is a mis-
demour to give any jury paper to another to answer.
It is also punishable by fine or imprisonment to give or
receive any present or bribe, directly or indirectly, in
relation to a jury service, or to withhold any paper or
make any false statement, and every case will be fully
prosecuted.

CHARLES REILLY,
Commissioner of Jurors.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

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

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 216 OF THE
"New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the
Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public
notice to all persons, owners of property affected by the
following assessment lists, viz.:

Southern Boulevard and appurtenances, on the south
side, between Lincoln and Willis avenues.
Tenth Avenue laying crosswalks, from One Hundred
and Fifty-fifth to One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street.

One Hundred and Eighty-fifth Street, between
Ninth and Tenth streets, from First and
Second avenues.

One Hundred and Twenty-second street paving with
trap-blocks, from Seventh avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas,
and laying crosswalks.

One Hundred and Twenty-third street paving with
granite-block pavement, from Eighth to Tenth avenue,
and laying crosswalks.

One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street sewer and ap-
purtenances, from the summit east of Willis avenue to
the east line of Brown place.

One Hundred and Forty-second street regulating,
grading, curbing and flagging, from Seventh to Eighth
avenue.

One Hundred and Fifty-first street regulating, grad-
ing, curbing, flagging and laying crosswalks between
Ninth and Tenth streets.

—which were confirmed by the Board of Revision and
Correction of Assessments May 5, 1888, and entered on
the same date in the Record of Assessments kept in the
"Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and
Arrears of Taxes and Assessments of Water Rents,"
that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person
or property shall be paid on or before the date of the
said entry of the assessments, interest will be col-
lected thereon as provided in section 217 of said "New
York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

Section 217 of the said act provides that, "If any such
assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty
days after the date of entry thereof in the Record of
Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer
authorized to collect and receive the amount of such
assessment, to charge collector and receive interest
thereon, at the rate of seven per centum per annum,
to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date
of payment."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of
Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the
Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and
Assessments of Water Rents," between the
hours of 9 a. m. and 5 p. m., and all payments made there-
on, on or before July 10, 1888, will be exempt from
interest as above provided, and after that date will be
subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per
centum per annum from the date of entry in the Record
of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of
payment.

THEODORE W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

PROPOSALS FOR \$358,000 CONSOL-
IDATED STOCK OF THE CITY OF
NEW YORK, KNOWN AS SCHOOL-
HOUSE BONDS.

EXEMPT FROM TAXATION.

INTEREST THREE PER CENT. PER ANNUM.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY
the Comptroller of the City of New York, at his
office, until Tuesday, the 15th day of May, 1888, at 2
o'clock p. m., when they will be publicly opened in the
presence of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund,
or such of them as shall attend, as provided by law, for
the whole or a part of an issue of Three Hundred and
Fifty-eight Thousand Dollars (\$358,000), Registered
Stock, denominated

CONSOLIDATED STOCK

of the City of New York, and known as "School-house
Bonds," the principal payable in lawful money of the
United States of America, at the Comptroller's office of
said city, on the first day of November, in the year ONE
THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND NINETEEN, with inter-
est at the rate of THREE PER CENTUM PER ANNUM,
payable semi-annually on the first day of May and
November in each year.

The said stock is issued in pursuance of the provisions
of section 122 of the New York City Consolidation Act
of 1882, chapter 458 of the Laws of 1884, chapter 404
of the Laws of 1885, and chapter 456 of the Laws of 1886,
for the purchase of new school sites, for the erection of
new school buildings, and for fitting up and furnishing
the same for the use of the Common Schools of the City
of New York, and is

EXEMPT FROM TAXATION

by the City and County of New York, but not from
State Taxation, pursuant to the provisions of section 137
of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and
under an ordinance of the Common Council of said city,
approved by the Mayor October 7, 1880, and a resolution
of the Sinking Fund, adopted June 17, 1887, and as
authorized by a resolution of the Board of Estimate and
Apportionment, adopted on June 16, 1887, in pursuance of
a resolution adopted by the Board of Education May 4,
1887.

CONDITIONS.

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

Those persons whose bids are accepted will be required to
deposit with the City Chamberlain the amount of stock
awarded to them at its par value, together with the
premium thereon, within three days after notice of such
acceptance.

The proposals should be enclosed in a sealed envelope,
indorsed "School-house Bonds" of the Corporation of
the City of New York, and each proposal should also be
enclosed in a second envelope, addressed to the Com-
ptroller of the City of New York.

THEO. W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 30, 1888.

CORPORATION SALE OF PUBLIC
SCHOOL PROPERTY.

THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING
Fund of the City of New York will offer for sale at
public auction on Tuesday, the 15th day of May, 1888, at
noon, at the Real Estate Exchange and Auction Rooms
(Limited), No. 55 to 57 Liberty street, the lot, piece or
parcel of ground, fifty feet front and rear by sixty-six feet
deep, with the buildings thereon, known as Primary
School No. 18, Ward No. 25, situate on the easterly side
of Waverly place, between West Eleventh and Twelfth
streets, in the Ninth Ward of the City of New York.
This property is sold pursuant to chapter 89,
Laws of 1881 (section 186 of the New York City Consoli-
dation Act of 1882), which provides for the sale of any
land or lands and the buildings thereon, owned by the
Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New
York, occupied or reserved for school purposes, and no
longer required therefor, the money received in payment
to be appropriated to the Board of Education for the
purpose of purchasing property or erecting school build-
ings for new public schools.

TERMS OF SALE.

The auctioneer's fee and ten per cent. of the purchase
money to be paid at the time of sale, and the balance in
cash within thirty days thereafter on delivery of warranty
deed of the property from the Mayor, Aldermen and
Commonality of the City of New York.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund
under a resolution adopted March 28, 1888. The right
to reject any bid is reserved.

THEO. W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 7, 1888.

CORPORATION SALE OF CITY REAL
ESTATE.

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 by
law, will offer for sale at public auction, on Tuesday,
the 15th day of May, 1888, at noon, at the Real Estate
Exchange and Auction Rooms (Limited), Nos. 55 to 57
Liberty street, certain lots, pieces and parcels of unim-
proved real estate belonging to the Mayor, Aldermen
and Commonality of the City of New York, as follows,<
to wit:

TWELFTH WARD.

THE OLD CROTON AQUEDUCT, BETWEEN NINTH AND

SEVENTH AVENUE.

1. On Ninety-ninth street, south side, two vacant lots,
25 feet by 100 feet 11 inches each, Block No. 1095,
Ward No. 28, one hundred feet west of Ninth
avenue. Sales Map, Nos. 1, 2. Lots to be sold
separately.

2. On One Hundred and First street, south side, two
vacant lots, 25 feet by 100 feet 12 inches each,
Block No. 1027, Ward No. 28, one hundred feet
west of Ninth avenue. Sales Map, Nos. 3, 4.
Lots to be sold separately.

3. On One Hundred and First street, north side, two
vacant lots, 25 feet by 100 feet 12 inches each,
Block No. 1028, Ward No. 28, one hundred feet
west of Ninth avenue. Sales Map, Nos. 5, 6.
Lots to be sold separately.

4. On One Hundred and Second street, south side, two
vacant lots, 25 feet by 100 feet 12 inches each,
Block No. 1029, Ward No. 28, one hundred feet
west of Ninth avenue. Sales Map, Nos. 7, 8.
Lots to be sold separately.

5. On One Hundred and Second street, north side, two
vacant lots, 25 feet by 100 feet 12 inches each,
Block No. 1030, Ward No. 28, one hundred feet
west of Ninth avenue. Sales Map, Nos. 9, 10.
Lots to be sold separately.

MANHATTANVILLE.

Northwest corner of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth
street and Twelfth avenue, one vacant lot, piece or
parcel of land, known as Ward No. 73, Block No.
1283½, in the Twelfth Ward. Sales Map No. 11.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

The highest bidder will be required to pay ten (10)
per cent. of the purchase money and the auctioneer's fee
on each lot immediately after the sale; thirty (30) per
cent. upon the delivery of the deeds, within thirty days
from the date of the sale; and the balance, 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 five
per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, the mort-
gages 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 in-
terest is due, or on thirty days' notice. The bonds and
mortgages will be prepared by the Counsel to the Cor-
poration, and the sum of twelve dollars and fifty cents
will be charged for drawing, acknowledging and record-
ing 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 Cor-
poration, as a release of any part of the premises included
in a mortgage to the Corporation is forbidden by law.

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

The right to reject any bid is reserved.
Lithographic maps and all other maps may be had at
the Comptroller's Office, Stewart Building, No. 280
Broadway, after April 20, 1888.

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

THEO. W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 7, 1888.

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 trans-
fers of real estate in the City of New York from 1853 to
1887, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners
of Records.

Grantors, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and
Sheriff's sales in 61 volumes, full bound,
price..... \$500 00

The same in 25 volumes, half bound..... 250 00

Complete sets, folded, ready for binding..... 15 00

Records of Judgments, 25 volumes, bound..... 10 00

Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Angel"
Room 25, Stewart Building.

THEODORE W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

BOARD OF STREET OPENING
AND IMPROVEMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN IN ACCORD-
ance with the provisions of section 105 of chapter
335 of the Laws of 1873, entitled "An act to reorganize
the local government of the City of New York," passed
April 30, 1873, and section 105 of the Laws of 1882; chapter
460 of the Laws of 1883, and chapter 185 of the Laws of
1885, and of all other provisions of law relating thereto:

That the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of
the City of New York deem it for the public interest to
alter the map or plan of the City of New York by laying
out, opening and extending One Hundred and Sixty-
second street of a uniform width of sixty feet, between
the lines of Eleventh avenue and the Kingsbridge road;

said street being more particularly bounded and de-
scribed as follows: 1st. Beginning at a point in the easterly
line of Eleventh avenue, distant one hundred and
ninety-nine feet north from the southerly line of
One Hundred and Sixty-first street; 2d. thence easterly
and parallel with said street seven hundred and twenty-
two feet to the westerly line of Kingsbridge road;

3d. thence northerly along said line seventy-six feet; 4th.
thence southerly along said line sixty feet to the point or place
of beginning. Said street to be sixty feet wide between
the lines of Eleventh avenue and Kingsbridge road.

And that they propose to alter the map or plan of said
City of New York by laying out, opening and extending
said street aforesaid.

And that such proposed action of this Board has been
duly laid before the Board of Aldermen of the City of
New York.

Dated April 13, 1888.

WILLIAM V. I. MERCER,
Secretary.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT, No. 301 MOTT STREET,
NEW YORK, January 31, 1888.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH
of the Health Department of the City of New York,
held at its office, No. 301 Mott street, January 27, 1888,
the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That section 13 of the Sanitary Code be
and is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Sec. 13. That no owner or lessee of any building,
or any part thereof, shall lease or let, or hire out the
same or any portion thereof, to be occupied by any per-
son, or allow the same to be occupied, as a place in which,
or for any one, to dwell or lodge, except when said build-
ings or such parts thereof are sufficiently lighted, ven-
tilated, provided and accommodated, and are in all
respects in that condition of cleanliness and wholesomeness,
for which this Code or any law of this State pro-
vides, in which they or either of them require any
such premises to be kept. Nor shall any such person
rent, let, hire out, or allow, having power to prevent the
same to be used as or for a place of sleeping or residence,
any portion or apartment of any building, which ap-
artment or portion has not at least one foot of its height
and six inches above the level of every part of the sidewalk
and curbstones of any adjacent street, nor of which the
floor is of any material of water from the ground, or
which is impregnated or penetrated by any offensive
gas, smell, or exhalation prejudicial to health. But this
section shall not prevent the leasing, renting, or occu-
pation of any building or portion thereof, as a dwelling,
and as a part of any building rented or let, when they
are not let or intended to be occupied or used by any
person as a sleeping apartment, or as a principal or sole
dwelling apartment.

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JAMES C. BAYLES,
President.

EMMONS CLARK,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHAR-
ITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, DRY
GOODS, LUMBER, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISH-
ing

GROCERIES, ETC.

9,600 pounds Dairy Butter, sample on exhibition,
Thursday, May 17, 1888.

5,000 pounds Dried Apples.

2,000 pounds Chicory.

4,500 pounds Canned Grigs, price to include packages.

20,000 pounds Rice.

7,000 pounds Granulated Sugar.

2,000 pounds Laundry Starch, 4c-pound boxes.

40 dozen Canned Tomatoes.

30 dozen Chow Chow, "C. & B."

3,900 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.

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

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

30 barrels prime Red or Yellow Onions, 150 pounds
net per barrel.

100 herrels prime Carrots, 130 pounds net per
barrel.

1,600 heads prime good sized Cabbage.

DRY GOODS.

10 bales Cotton Batts, 50 pounds each, 16 ounces
to the pound.

250 Rubber Blankets, 16 groments.

200 packs Pins.

100 gross Safety Pins, No. 2, 70 No. 3.

200 gross Cotton Shoe Laces.

25 gross Plantation Combs.

CROCKERY.

2 gross Spilt Cups.

2 gross Tumblers.

½ gross Spittoons.

HARDWARE, TIN AND WOODENWARE.

1 dozen Handled Axes.

8 dozen pairs Cast Batts, 2½".

4 dozen Claw Hammers.

10 dozen Tape Saw Files, 1", ¾", ½".

1 dozen Sycamore Blades.

10 boxes first quality IX Tin, 14 x 20.

20 boxes first quality IX Tin, 10 x 14.

100 quires Sand Paper, No. 0 to No. 3.

10 dozen Lather Brushes.

8 dozen Window Brushes.

30 gross Matches.

8 gross Safety Matches.

10 bales Broom Corn.

PAINTS AND OILS.

5 barrels first quality Boiled Linseed Oil.

5 barrels first quality Raw Linseed Oil.

LIME AND CEMENT.

25 barrels first quality Rosendale Cement.

25 barrels first quality Portland Cement.

25 barrels first quality W. W. Lime.

25 barrels first quality Plaster Paris.

20 barrels first quality Chloride of Lime, containing
not less than 32 per cent. of Chlorine.

LEATHER, ETC.

400 sides good damaged Sole Leather, to weigh 21 to
25 pounds each.

1,500 pounds Offal Leather.

1,000 pounds first quality Iron Shoe Nails, No. 13,
200 ½", 300 ½", 500 ½".

LUMBER.

10,000 feet first quality Clear Shelving, 12 to 16" x 12
to 16 feet, dressed two sides.

100 bunches extra XXX clear dressed Pine Shingles,
18 inches.

All lumber to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.

—will be received at the Department of Public Charities
and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9:30
o'clock A. M. of Friday, May 18, 1888. The person or
persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the
same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bids or estimates for
Groceries, Dry Goods, Lumber, etc.," with his or their
name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head
of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day
and hour above named, at which time and place the bids
or estimates received will be publicly opened by the
President of said Department and read.

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

No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract
awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corpora-
tion 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 en-
gaged 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 with-
out collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Com-
mon Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau,
Deputy thereof or Clerk thereof, 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 each 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 persons so interested.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

For any form of hopper or water-closet, supplied from any of the forms of waste-preventing cisterns, that are approved by the Engineer of the Croton Aqueduct, which are so constructed that not more than three gallons of water can be drawn at each lift of the handle, or depression of the seat, if such cisterns are provided with an overflow pipe, such overflow pipe must not connect with the water-closet, but be carried like a safe waste, as provided by the Board of Health regulations, per year, two dollars.

Cistern answering this description can be seen at this Department.

METERS.

Under the provisions of section 352, Consolidated Act 1882, of water-meters, of approved pattern, shall be hereafter placed on the pipes supplying all stores, workshops, hotels, manufactories, public edifices, at wharves, ferry-houses, stables, and in all places where water is furnished for business consumption, except private dwellings.

It is provided by section 352, Laws of 1882, that "all expenses of meters, their connections and setting, water rates, and other lawful charges for the supply of Croton water, shall be a lien upon the premises where such water is supplied, as now provided by law." * * *

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

Rate Without Meters.

PER DAY, GALLONS.	PER 100 GALLONS, RATE.	PER ANNUM, AMOUNT.
25	05	\$3 75
50	05	7 50
75	05	11 25
100	05	15 00
125	05	18 75
150	05	22 50
175	05	26 25
200	05	30 00
225	05	33 75
250	05	37 50
275	05	41 25
300	05	45 00
325	05	48 75
350	05	52 50
375	05	56 25
400	05	60 00
425	05	63 75
450	05	67 50
475	05	71 25
500	05	75 00
525	05	78 75
550	05	82 50
575	05	86 25
600	05	90 00
625	05	93 75
650	05	97 50
675	05	101 25
700	05	105 00
725	05	108 75
750	05	112 50
775	05	116 25
800	05	120 00
825	05	123 75
850	05	127 50
875	05	131 25
900	05	135 00
925	05	138 75
950	05	142 50
975	05	146 25
1,000	05	150 00
1,025	05	153 75
1,050	05	157 50
1,075	05	161 25
1,100	05	165 00
1,125	05	168 75
1,150	05	172 50
1,175	05	176 25
1,200	05	180 00
1,225	05	183 75
1,250	05	187 50
1,275	05	191 25
1,300	05	195 00
1,325	05	198 75
1,350	05	202 50
1,375	05	206 25
1,400	05	210 00
1,425	05	213 75
1,450	05	217 50
1,475	05	221 25
1,500	05	225 00
1,525	05	228 75
1,550	05	232 50
1,575	05	236 25
1,600	05	240 00
1,625	05	243 75
1,650	05	247 50
1,675	05	251 25
1,700	05	255 00
1,725	05	258 75
1,750	05	262 50
1,775	05	266 25
1,800	05	270 00
1,825	05	273 75
1,850	05	277 50
1,875	05	281 25
1,900	05	285 00
1,925	05	288 75
1,950	05	292 50
1,975	05	296 25
2,000	05	300 00

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

By order,
JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

PUBLIC NOTICE AS TO WATER RATES.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT in compliance with the provisions of chapter 559, Laws of 1887, amending sections 350 and 322 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, passed June 9, 1887, the following changes are made in charging and collecting water rents:

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

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

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

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

5th. In every building where extra water rents of every nature, imposed or incurred prior to June 9, 1887, will be canceled of record on the books of the Department.

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

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

PUBLIC NOTICE.

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

JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

NOTICE TO CROTON WATER CONSUMERS.

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

The main object of the use of water-meters is to enable this Department to detect and check the useless and unwarrantable waste of an element so valuable and essential to the health and comfort of all the citizens, and this object can only be accomplished by enforcing payment for the water wasted.

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

Notice is therefore given to all householders that, in all further applications for reduction of water rents, no allowance will be made on account of waste of water occurring through leaks, from defective service pipes or plumbing, or wasteful use of water by tenants or occupants of buildings, though such leakage or waste may have occurred without the knowledge or consent of the owners of the buildings.

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

JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioner of Public Works

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,
NEW YORK, May 5, 1888.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING 3,000 tons Egg Coal,
1,500 tons Stove Coal,
500 tons Nut Coal.

—will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A.M., Friday

May 18, 1888, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The coal is to be of the best quality of Pittston, Scranton or Lackawanna, to weigh 2,000 pounds to the ton, and be well screened and free from slate.

All the coal is to be delivered at the various houses, etc., of the Department, in such quantities and at such times as may be from time to time directed, and the same is to be weighed in the presence of an Inspector designated for that purpose by the Department upon scales furnished by the Department which are to be transported from place to place by the contractor.

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

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

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

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

Any person making an estimate for the above 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 presentation, and a statement of the supply 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 a contractor 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 the applicant or person who is interested 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 honest, and that no member of the Board of Commissioners, 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 supply 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, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of twelve thousand five hundred (\$12,500) dollars; 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 in the sum of twelve thousand five hundred (\$12,500) dollars, 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 in the sum of twelve thousand five hundred (\$12,500) dollars, 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 in the sum of twelve thousand five hundred (\$12,500) dollars, 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 in the sum of twelve thousand five hundred (\$12,500) dollars.

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

Commissioner of Public Works, for the sum of twelve thousand five hundred (\$12,500) dollars. Such check or money must not be enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the bids, and 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 that 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.

HENRY D. PURROY,
RICHARD CROKER,
Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,
NEW YORK, May 5, 1888.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS Department with the following articles:

450,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as Best Sweet Timothy.

80,000 pounds good, clean Rye Straw.

4,000 bags clean No. 1 White Oats, 30 pounds to the bag.

2,000 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. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A.M., Friday, May 18, 1888, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

All of the articles are to be delivered at the various houses of the Department, in such quantities and at such times as may be directed.

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

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

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

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

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 is so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same 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, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled in the sum of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled in the sum of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars.

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