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## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of transactions of the Finance Department for the week ending June 30, 1888:

<i>Deposited in the Treasury.</i>	
To the Credit of the Sinking Fund.....	\$104,165 44
City Treasury.....	1,191,555 98
Total.....	\$1,295,721 42
<i>Bonds Issued.</i>	
Two and one-half per cent. Bonds.....	\$1,044,850 00
<i>Warrants Registered for Payment.</i>	
The Mayoralty— Salaries and Contingencies—Mayor's Office.....	\$1,779 99
The Common Council— Salaries—Common Council.....	6,158 14
The Finance Department— Cleaning Markets.....	\$3,068 32
Contingencies—Comptroller's Office.....	260 19
Salaries—Chamberlain's Office.....	2,083 33
Salaries—Finance Department.....	10,373 65
Interest on the City Debt.....	21,785 49
Aqueduct Commissioners— Additional Water Fund.....	350,190 00
The Law Department— Contingencies—Public Administrator's Office.....	14,766 82
Salaries—Law Department.....	\$35 05
	11,412 67
The Department of Public Works— Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening.....	11,447 72
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	\$882 50
Contingencies—Department of Public Works.....	101 70
Free Floating Baths.....	100 00
Gansevoort Market Building Fund.....	104 00
Lamps and Gas and Electric Lighting.....	117 00
Laying Croton Pipes.....	38,461 97
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs.....	368 15
Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues.....	980 33
Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	906 20
Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading.....	608 85
Repaving Streets and Avenues.....	959 84
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Department of Public Works.....	4,568 20
Salaries—Department of Public Works.....	1,440 00
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning.....	13,295 64
Street Improvement Fund—June 15, 1886.....	6,952 16
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....	61,234 57
	5,690 50
The Department of Public Parks— Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvements and Maintenance.....	136,867 61
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places.....	\$125 35
Maintenance—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	4,303 47
Metropolitan Museum of Art.....	88 90
Riverside Park and Avenue—For the Improvement and Maintenance of.....	200 80
Sewers and Drains—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	1 65
Street Improvement Fund—June 15, 1886.....	3 00
Surveys, Maps and Plans.....	125 43
	23 00
The Department of Public Charities and Correction— Public Charities and Correction.....	4,931 60
The Health Department— Fund for Gratuitous Vaccination.....	49,881 31
Health Fund—For Contingent Expenses.....	\$800 00
Health Fund—For Disinfection.....	185 35
Health Fund—For Payment to Board of Police.....	704 94
Health Fund—For Salaries.....	4,533 33
Hospital Fund—For Enlarging Disinfecting Building, etc.....	17,366 53
Hospital Fund—Hospital Supplies, Improvements, Care and Maintenance of Buildings and Hospitals on North Brother Island.....	101 25
	40 48
The Police Department— Expenses of Detectives.....	23,731 88
Police Fund.....	\$1,041 66
Police Fund—Salaries of Clerical Force, etc.....	340,093 81
Police Station-houses—Alterations, Fitting up, etc.....	7,340 50
Supplies for Police.....	2,500 00
	7,185 90
The Department of Street Cleaning— Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning.....	358,167 87
The Fire Department— Fire Department Fund.....	13,937 78
	134,891 00

The Department of Taxes and Assessments— Salaries—Board of Assessors.....	\$1,349 99	
Salaries—Department of Taxes and Assessments.....	7,187 44	\$8,537 43
The Department of Docks— Dock Fund.....		11,049 91
The Board of Education— College of the City of New York.....	\$984 20	
Public Instruction.....	13,852 56	
School-house Fund.....	1,113 14	15,949 90
The Board of Excise— Commissioners of Excise Fund.....		21,650 19
Advertising, Printing, Stationery and Blank Books— Advertising.....	\$174 80	
CITY RECORD—Salaries and Contingencies.....	583 33	
Printing, Stationery and Blank Books.....	853 00	1,611 13
Municipal Service Examining Boards— Civil Service of the City of New York, Expenses of.....		1,887 00
The Coroners— Coroners—Salaries and Expenses.....		2,958 30
The Commissioners of Accounts— Salaries—Commissioners of Accounts.....		2,076 64
The Sheriff— For Salaries of the Engineer and Assistant Engineer of the County Jail.....	\$149 99	
For Salaries of the Warden and Keepers of the County Jail.....	833 31	
For Salary of the Physician to the County Jail.....	83 33	1,066 63
The Register— Salaries—Register's Office.....	245 00	8,529 06
The Bureau of Elections— Election Expenses.....		333 33
The Judiciary— Salaries—City Courts.....	\$45,416 41	
Salaries—Judiciary.....	87,171 20	132,587 61
Charitable Institutions— For Support of Children committed by Magistrates, etc.....		50,376 57
Miscellaneous— Armory Fund—Eighth Regiment.....	\$4,267 35	
Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Expenses of.....	250 00	
Bureau of Licenses.....	758 32	
Contingencies—District Attorney's Office.....	625 00	
Dog License Fund.....	660 00	
For Burial of Honorably Discharged Soldiers, Sailors or Marines.....	245 00	
For Construction of a Bridge over the Harlem River (about 1,500 feet north of High Bridge).....	4,163 33	
For Salary of Secretary to Board of Street Opening.....	100 00	
For the Preservation of Public Records.....	4,695 80	
Fund for Street and Park Openings.....	32,103 55	
Judgments.....	1,148 93	
Jurors' Fees, including Expenses of Jurors in Civil and Criminal Trials.....	34 00	
Real Estate, Expenses of.....	121 00	
Rents.....	5,087 50	
Street Improvement Fund—June 15, 1886.....	3,250 00	
Unclaimed Salaries and Wages.....	1 94	57,511 72
Total.....		\$1,444,662 63

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

COURT.	NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION.	ATTORNEY.
Supreme..	.....	.....	Orders reducing assessment for Fourth avenue regulating, etc., from Ninety-sixth to One Hundred and Second street, as follows:	
	Catharine R. Seabury.	\$277 00	.....	Shipman & Acker.
	Mary F. T. Norwood.	972 84	.....	"
Superior..	Susanna Rogers.....	44 24	Transcript of judgment.....	T. A. Rogers.
Supreme..	Michael Coleman.....	205 20	Summons and complaint. To recover amount paid for an assessment for Eightieth street outlet sewer, etc.....	T. F. Neville.
Superior..	Margaret H. Ward..	1,614 08	Summons and complaint. To recover amount paid for an assessment for sewers in Third avenue, between Ninety-third and One Hundred and Seventh streets.....	J. A. Deering.
Supreme..	Leonard W. Johnson.	750 82	Notice and transcript of judgment.....	L. Lafin Kellogg.
"	Augustus Van Cortlandt and others..	1,300 00	Order directing the Comptroller to pay an award made in matter of Harlem river improvement.....	Fordham Morris.
"	Benjamin Douglas....	647 11	Order reducing assessment for Fourth avenue sewer, between Seventy-eighth and Seventy-ninth streets, etc.....	T. F. Neville.
Com. Pleas	Robert S. Russell.....	10,000 00	Summons and complaint. For damages for personal injuries sustained by Joseph Russell, a minor.....	R. Foster.
Supreme..	In matter of opening One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, from Boulevard to Tenth avenue.....	.....	Notice of motion to confirm report of Commissioners in said matter.....	H. R. Beekman, Corp'n Counsel.
"	In matter of opening Sedgwick avenue, from Twenty-third Ward line to Fordham Landing road.....	.....	Notice of motion to confirm report of Commissioners in said matter.....	H. R. Beekman, Corp'n Counsel.
"	Ann McManus.....	59 93	Order reducing assessment for Boulevard sewers, Ninety-eighth street, Ninth avenue, etc.....	J. A. Deering.

## CLAIMS FILED.

DATE.	NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.
June 25	The Daily Register Printing and Publishing Company.....	\$500 00	For printing and publishing the calendars of courts, etc., for the month ending June 23, 1888.....	Knevals & Perry.
" 25	Joseph M. Lichtenauer.....	516 41	For award made in matter of opening Burnside avenue, from sedgwick to Webster avenue.....	T. H. Baldwin.
" 26	Edward Jacobs.....	2,188 88	For award made in matter of opening Gerard avenue, etc.....	E. Jacobs.
" 29	Eliza Jacobs, executrix.....	975 54	For return of amount paid for an assessment for Riverside avenue sewer, between Ninety-second and One Hundred and Sixth streets.....	John C. Shaw.
" 30	Daniel E. Daly.....	116 66	For salary as Clerk in the Department of Public Works from October 1 to November 13, 1888.....	Fetters, Silkman & Seydel.
" 30	Benjamin Douglas.....	1,441 48	For return of amount paid for an assessment for Fourth avenue sewer, Seventy-eighth and Seventy-ninth streets, etc.....	T. F. Neville.

## CONTRACTS REGISTERED FOR THE WEEK ENDING JUNE 30, 1888.

No.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT.	NAMES OF CONTRACTORS.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.
8762	June 25, 1888	Board of Education..	John Neal's Sons..... (Sureties: Thomas Falvey, John Simmons. Bond, \$200.)	Heating apparatus, Grammar School Building No. 19, located at No. 344 East Fourteenth street, Seventeenth Ward. Total, \$450.
8763	" 25, "	"	John Neal's Sons..... (Sureties: Thomas Falvey, John Simmons. Bond, \$500.)	Heating apparatus, Grammar School Building No. 38, located at No. 8 Clarke street, Eighth Ward. Total, \$1,398.
8764	" 25, "	"	John Neal's Sons..... (Sureties: Thomas Falvey, John Simmons. Bond, \$300.)	Heating apparatus, Grammar School Building No. 79, located at No. 42 First street, Seventeenth Ward. Total, \$850.
8765	" 25, "	"	Christopher Nally..... (Sureties: Cornelius Callaghan, James Falvey. Bond, \$1,000.)	Sanitary work, Grammar School Building No. 13, located at No. 239 East Houston street, Seventeenth Ward. Total, \$2,885.
8766	" 26, "	"	Adam Burns..... (Sureties: William H. Walker, Henry L. Joyce. Bond, \$450.)	Repairs, alterations, etc., Grammar School Building No. 34, located at No. 108 Broome street, Thirteenth Ward. Total, \$1,300.
8767	" 14, "	Public Charities and Correction.....	Rowland A. Robbins..... (Sureties: James L. Barron, William H. Barron. Bond, \$1,600.)	Furnishing 800 yards huck toweling, 5 boxes tin, 250 sides waxed kip leather and 250 sides waxed upper leather. Total, \$1,463.42.
8768	" 18, "	Public Charities and Correction.....	N. Miller & Co..... (Sureties: George R. Lansing, George F. Ganiz. Bond, \$1,750.)	Furnishing 50,000 pounds brown sugar and 40 dozen cans sea foam. Total, \$2,975.20.
8769	" 18, "	Public Charities and Correction.....	H. Henneberger..... (Sureties: Robert Rutter, Harry L. R. Pershall. Bond, \$1,300.)	Furnishing 10,200 pounds dairy butter. Total, \$1,943.10.
8770	" 8, "	Public Charities and Correction.....	John Early & Co..... (Sureties: Francis B. Thurler, J. Finley Smith. Bond, \$1,000.)	Furnishing 2 gross tumblers, 1/2 gross spittoons, 1 dozen scythes blades, 10 dozen lather brushes, 30 gross matches, 8 gross safety matches, 400 sides sole leather. Total, \$7,423.23.
8771	" 27, "	Board of Education..	H. & C. Clark..... (Sureties: Robert Pinder, Julius B. Denicke. Bond, \$325.)	Sanitary work, Grammar School Building No. 65, located at West Farms, Twenty-fourth Ward. Total, \$559.
8772	" 27, "	"	H. & C. Clark..... (Sureties: Robert Pinder, Julius B. Denicke. Bond, \$500.)	Repairs, alterations, etc., Grammar School Building No. 64, located at No. 246 Webster avenue, Twenty-fourth Ward. Total, \$1,493.
8773	" 27, "	"	H. & C. Clark..... (Sureties: Robert Pinder, Julius B. Denicke. Bond, \$400.)	Repairs, alterations, etc., Grammar School Building No. 65, located at West Farms, Twenty-fourth Ward. Total, \$1,117.
8774	" 27, "	"	John Law & Co..... (Sureties: P. Ayres, John J. Clancy & Co. Bond, \$275.)	Repairs, alterations, etc., Primary School Building No. 47, located at Moshulu, Twenty-fourth Ward. Total, \$755.
8775	" 27, "	"	Thomas Lyons..... (Sureties: John Spence, Michael Moloney. Bond, \$700.)	Repairs, alterations, etc., Primary School Building No. 20, located at No. 187 Broome street, Thirteenth Ward. Total, \$2,000.
8776	" 27, "	"	Thomas Lyons..... (Sureties: John Spence, Michael Moloney. Bond, \$700.)	Sanitary alterations, repairs, etc., Primary School Building No. 20, located at No. 187 Broome street, Thirteenth Ward. Total, \$2,050.
8777	" 27, "	"	Michael Ryan..... (Sureties: Nathan Low, William B. Findley. Bond, \$300.)	Sanitary work, Grammar School Building No. 19, located at No. 344 East Fourteenth street, Seventeenth Ward. Total, \$925.
8778	" 25, "	"	Robert Macbeth..... (Sureties: John Spence, Fred Hewlett. Bond, \$1,500.)	Repairs, alterations, etc., Grammar School Building No. 68, located at corner of West One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, Twelfth Ward. Total, \$4,395.
8779	" 25, "	"	J. W. Crawford & Son..... (Sureties: John Spence, John E. O'Connor. Bond, \$500.)	Sanitary work, Primary School Building No. 22, located at corner of Ninth street and First avenue, Seventeenth Ward. Total, \$1,503.
8780	" 26, "	"	Adam Burns..... (Sureties: William H. Walker, Henry L. Joyce. Bond, \$250.)	Repairs, alterations, etc., Primary School Building No. 22, located at corner of Ninth street and First avenue, Seventeenth Ward. Total, \$700.
8781	" 26, "	"	Adam Burns..... (Sureties: William H. Walker, Henry L. Joyce. Bond, \$250.)	Repairs, alterations, etc., Primary School Building No. 25, located at No. 236 East Twelfth street, Seventeenth Ward. Total, \$750.
8782	" 26, "	"	M. H. Haffey..... (Sureties: Frank Farrell, W. R. Brocken. Bond, \$400.)	Repairs, alterations, etc., Grammar School Building No. 10, located at Nos. 36 to 40 Greenwich avenue, Ninth Ward. Total, \$550.
8783	" 25, "	"	Christopher Nally..... (Sureties: James Falvey, Cornelius Callaghan. Bond, \$200.)	Sanitary work, Grammar School Building No. 63, located at North Third avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-third street, Twenty-fourth Ward. Total, \$355.
8784	" 27, "	"	Christopher Nally..... (Sureties: James Brady, James Falvey. Bond, \$100.)	Sanitary work, Primary School Building No. 13, located at Nos. 7 to 11 Downing street, Ninth Ward. Total, \$295.
8785	" 27, "	"	Christopher Nally..... (Sureties: James Brady, James Falvey. Bond, \$200.)	Sanitary work, Grammar School Building No. 16, located at Nos. 208 to 212 West Thirtieth street, Ninth Ward. Total, \$575.
8786	" 27, "	"	Christopher Nally..... (Sureties: James Brady, James Falvey. Bond, \$100.)	Sanitary alterations, repairs, etc., Grammar School Building No. 34, located at No. 108 Broome street, Thirteenth Ward. Total, \$245.
8787	" 26, "	"	James Curran..... (Sureties: John Regan, Samuel Booth. Bond, \$50.)	Heating apparatus, Grammar School Building No. 50, located at Nos. 211 to 217 East Twentieth street, Eighteenth Ward. Total, \$2,525.
8788	" 27, "	"	Andrews Manufacturing Co. (Sureties: W. McCracken, A. H. Frost. Bond, \$125.)	Furniture, Primary School Building No. 24, located at Nos. 29 and 31 Horatio street, Ninth Ward. Total, \$365.
8789	" 27, "	"	Andrews Manufacturing Co. (Sureties: W. McCracken, A. H. Frost. Bond, \$200.)	Furniture, Grammar School Building No. 41, located at Nos. 36 to 40 Greenwich avenue, Ninth Ward. Total, \$500.
8790	" 27, "	"	Andrews Manufacturing Co. (Sureties: W. McCracken, A. H. Frost. Bond, \$700.)	Furniture, Grammar School Building No. 41, located at corner of Hudson and Grove streets, Ninth Ward. Bond, \$2,100.
8791	" 27, "	"	Andrews Manufacturing Co. (Sureties: W. McCracken, A. H. Frost. Bond, \$375.)	New furniture, etc., Grammar School Building No. 40, located at Nos. 223 and 225 East Twenty-third street, Eighteenth Ward. Total, \$1,090.
8792	" 27, "	"	Andrews Manufacturing Co. (Sureties: W. McCracken, A. H. Frost. Bond, \$500.)	New furniture, etc., Grammar School Building No. 50, located at Nos. 211 to 217 East Twentieth street, Eighteenth Ward. Total, \$1,480.
8793	" 27, "	"	Andrews Manufacturing Co. (Sureties: W. McCracken, A. H. Frost. Bond, \$300.)	New furniture, etc., Grammar School Building No. 13, located at No. 239 East Houston street, Seventeenth Ward. Total, \$870.



No.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT.	NAMES OF CONTRACTORS.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.
8794	June 27, 1888	Board of Education..	Andrews Manufacturing Co. (Sureties: W. McCracken, A. H. Frost. Bond, \$150.)	New furniture, etc., Grammar School Building No. 25, located at Nos. 325 to 332 Fifth street, Seventeenth Ward. Total, \$495.
8795	" 27, "	"	Andrews Manufacturing Co. (Sureties: W. McCracken, A. H. Frost. Bond, \$125.)	Furniture, Grammar School Building No. 21, located at No. 55 Marion street, Fourteenth Ward. Total, \$365.
8796	" 27, "	"	John W. Jones..... (Sureties: H. W. Richardson, G. B. Lawton, Jr. Bond, \$900.)	Repairs, alterations, etc., Grammar School Building No. 57, located at No. 178 East One Hundred and Fifteenth street, Twelfth Ward. Total, \$2,650.
8797	" 27, "	"	John W. Jones..... (Sureties: H. W. Richardson, G. B. Lawton, Jr. Bond, \$700.)	Repairs, alterations, etc., Grammar School Building No. 37, located at Nos. 113 to 110 East Eighty seventh street, Twelfth Ward. Total, \$2,056.
8798	" 25, "	"	David Mackay, Jr..... (Sureties: Robert Macbeth, John J. Deering. Bond, \$450.)	Sanitary work, Primary School Building No. 27, located at No. 515 West Thirty-seventh street, Twentieth Ward. Total, \$1,320.
8799	" 23, "	"	Johnson & Morris..... (Sureties: George Vassar, Jr., George Vassar. Bond, \$300.)	Heating apparatus, Grammar School Building No. 48, located at No. 124 West Twenty-eighth street, Twentieth Ward. Total, \$245.

## Statement of the City Debt as Represented in Bonds and Stocks June 30, 1888.

CLASSIFICATION OF DEBT.	DECEMBER 31, 1887.	MAY 31, 1888.	JUNE 30, 1888.
1. Bonds payable from the Sinking Fund, under ordinances of the Common Council.....	\$4,671,900 00	\$4,597,900 00	\$4,593,900 00
2. Bonds payable from the Sinking Fund, under provisions of section 6, chapter 383, Laws of 1872.....	9,700,000 00	9,700,000 00	9,700,000 00
3. Bonds payable from the Sinking Fund, under provisions of section 8, chapter 383, Laws of 1873.....	19,060,337 96	21,362,837 96	21,462,837 96
4. Bonds payable from Taxation, under provisions of chapter 490, Laws of 1883.....	445,000 00	445,000 00	445,000 00
5. Bonds payable from the Sinking Fund, under provisions of the Constitutional Amendment adopted November 4, 1884.....	16,750,000 00	19,750,000 00	19,750,000 00
6. Bonds payable from Taxation, under the several statutes authorizing their issue.....	72,283,481 49	72,264,781 49	72,264,381 49
7. Bonds issued for Local Improvements after June 9, 1886.....	3,708,000 00	3,948,000 00	3,948,000 00
8. Bonds of the Annexed Territory of Westchester County, assumed by the Corporation.....	630,000 00	660,500 00	660,500 00
Total Funded Debt.....	\$128,268,719 45	\$132,729,019 45	\$132,824,119 45
Deduct Sinking Fund for Redemption of Debt (investments and cash).....	39,521,884 61	42,295,961 73	43,065,018 35
Net Funded Debt.....	\$88,746,834 84	\$90,433,057 72	\$89,759,101 10
Revenue Bonds—			
Issued in anticipation of Taxes of 1887.....	\$4,357,600 00	.....	.....
" " under special laws.....	196,746 70	\$9,510,200 00	\$11,974,775 00
Total Revenue Bonds.....	\$4,554,346 70	\$9,706,946 70	\$12,171,501 70
Cash—			
City Treasury Account.....	.....	.....	\$1,681,165 00
Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt.....	.....	.....	428,452 12
" " Payment of Interest on the City Debt.....	.....	.....	213,954 00
Total Cash.....	.....	.....	\$2,323,571 12

## Opening of Proposals.

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

- June 27. The Department of Public Works—For regulating and paving St. Nicholas avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to its intersection with Tenth avenue, and Kingsbridge road, from its intersection with Tenth avenue to One Hundred and Ninetieth street, and for sewer in West End avenue, between Eighty-ninth and Ninety-first streets.
- June 29. The Department of Public Charities and Correction—For a plunge or bathing tank at New York City Asylum for the Insane, Ward's Island; for one pavilion on Randall's Island to relieve the overcrowding in Idiot Asylum; for furnishing miscellaneous groceries, dry goods, paints, lime, woodenware, etc., 2,000 barrels flour, No. 1, and 2,000 barrels flour, No. 2.

## Approval of Sureties.

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

- June 25. For furnishing and delivering tapping-cocks and tapping-cock boxes. F. Ade & Co., No. 90 Beekman street, Principals. Alexander Waldron, No. 84 Marion street, Henry Steeger, No. 143 East Thirty-first street, } Sureties.
- June 25. For extension of sewer in Warren street, between West and Greenwich streets. Charles Fach, No. 1629 Avenue B, Principal. Jacob Fach, No. 1629 Avenue B, Eiler Holch, No. 213 East Fifty-fifth street, } Sureties.
- June 25. For erecting a dormitory building for the Female Almshouse, Blackwell's Island. Moran & Armstrong, No. 1128 First avenue, Principals. Michael J. Mahony, No. 31 Market street, Daniel F. Mahony, No. 52 New Bowery, } Sureties.
- June 26. For regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Eighth street, from Ninth avenue to Boulevard. James Slattery, No. 218 West Fifty-seventh street, Principal. James Rozell; No. 238 West Thirty-eighth street, John G. Smith, No. 329 West Forty-eighth street, } Sureties.
- June 28. For new boilers at Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island. N. F. Palmer, Jr., & Co., No. 735 East Eleventh street, Principals. Henry Steers, No. 10 East Thirty-eighth street, Abner B. Mills, No. 127 Avenue D, } Sureties.
- June 28. For furnishing and placing an iron composite railing at the Reservoir at High Bridge. Joseph W. Fiske, Sherwood House, Forty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, Principal. Joseph Park, No. 917 Broadway, John M. Myers, No. 490 West One Hundred and Fifth street, } Sureties.
- June 28. For sewer in West End avenue, between Eighty-ninth and Ninety-first streets. George F. Swift, Nos. 48 and 50 Duane street, Principal. Thomas F. White, No. 41 Peck Slip, Joseph Cumings, No. 45 Duane street, } Sureties.
- June 29. For curbing and flagging on west side of Fourth avenue, from Ninety-sixth to One Hundred and Second street. P. H. Kerwin, No. 445 East Fifty-seventh street, Principal. Patrick McManus, No. 161 East Fifty-seventh street, Joseph McGowan, No. 440 East Fifty-fifth street, } Sureties.

## Return of Proposals.

- June 26. Proposal of J. W. Fiske, for furnishing and placing an iron composite railing at the Reservoir at High Bridge, returned to the Department of Public Works for action on the proposed substitution of Joseph Park, No. 917 Broadway, as a surety thereon, in the place of W. C. Hanna, Jr., one of the original sureties.
- June 29. Proposal of John B. Devlin for paving Eighty-second street, from First avenue to Avenue A, returned to the Department of Public Works for action on the proposed substitution of Edward C. Sheehy, No. 8 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, as a surety thereon, in the place of Thomas Tully, No. 548 East Eighty-sixth street, one of the original sureties.

## Appointed.

- June 26. Michael J. McCoy, Keeper of the Record Room, Finance Department, with compensation at rate of \$1,100 per annum, to take effect June 26, 1888.
- June 29. John McQuade, No. 226 First avenue, Cartman in the Public Markets, with compensation at rate of \$3.50 per diem, to take effect July 2, 1888.
- June 29. John McEvoy, No. 66 Vesey street, and Terence Curry, No. 525 West Sixty-first street, Sweepers in the Public Markets, with compensation at rate of \$11 per week each, to take effect July 2, 1888.

## Designation of Compensation.

- June 29. John J. Koehler, Office Boy, Comptroller's Office, at rate of \$9 per week, from June 1, 1888.

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

## BALANCES IN BANK AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS, JULY 3, 1888.

## CHAMBERLAIN'S OFFICE.

Banks.		Mechanics' National Bank.....	\$28,000 00
Bank of North America.....	\$20,000 00	National Broadway Bank.....	39,000 00
Central National Bank.....	3,000 00	Ninth National Bank.....	15,000 00
Chase National Bank.....	15,000 00	St. Nicholas Bank.....	25,000 00
Gallatin National Bank.....	10,000 00	Western National Bank.....	20,000 00
First National Bank.....	43,000 00		
Fourth National Bank.....	4,000 00	Trust Companies.	
Gallatin National Bank.....	25,000 00	Central Trust Company.....	10,000 00
Hanover National Bank.....	11,000 00	Mercantile Trust Company.....	10,000 00
Importers and Traders' National Bank.....	1,257,000 00	Union Trust Company.....	25,000 00
Mechanics and Traders' Bank.....	20,000 00		
Mercantile National Bank.....	20,000 00		\$1,600,000 00

## 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 SHEARMAN, JAMES DALY.

## AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

Room 209, Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
JAMES C. SPENCER, President; J. 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. FORTNEY, President Board of Aldermen.  
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

## City Library.

No. 15 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. LOWERY SMITH,  
Deputy Commissioner.

## Bureau of Chief Engineer.

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

## Bureau of Water Register.

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

## Bureau of Street Improvements.

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

## Engineer-in-Charge of Sewers.

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

## Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

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

## Bureau of Water Purveyor.

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

## Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

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

## Bureau of Streets.

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

**Bureau of Incumbrances.**

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN RICHARDSON, Superintendent.  
*Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.*  
MARTIN J. KESSE, City Hall.

**FINANCE DEPARTMENT.***Comptroller's Office.*

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

*Auditing Bureau.*

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

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

Nos. 31, 33, 35, 37, 39 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
ANTHONY S. CADDY, 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. KESSE, Collector of the City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets.  
GRAMHAM 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 VREDENBURGH, 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. BECKMAN, Counsel to the Corporation  
ANDREW T. CAMPBELL, Chief Clerk.

*Office of the Public Administrator.*

No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
RICHARD J. MORRISON, Public Administrator.

*Office of the Corporation Attorney.*

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

**POLICE DEPARTMENT.***Central Office.*

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

**DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.***Central Office.*

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

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

**FIRE DEPARTMENT.**

Office hours for all except where otherwise noted from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 10 to 12 M.

*Headquarters.*

Nos. 137 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street.  
HENRY D. PURROY, President; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

*Bureau of Chief of Department.*

CHARLES O. SHAY, Chief of Department.

*Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.*

PETER SEERY, 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. 126 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; EDMONDS 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. HAMPTON 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 2 to June 1, from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.; from June 1 to September 30, from 9 A. M. to 12 M.

*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 COMPTON, Clerk.

**DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.**

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

**CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.**

EVERETT P. WHEELER, Chairman of the Supervisory Board; LER 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. 115, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
EDWARD GILON, Chairman; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

**BOARD OF EXCISE.**

No. 41 Bond street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
CHARLES H. WOODMAN, President; DAVID S. WHITE, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

**SHERIFF'S OFFICE.**

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

**REGISTER'S OFFICE.**

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

**COMMISSIONER OF TOLLS.**

Room 127, Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
CHARLES KELLY, 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.  
A. M. FELLOWS, District Attorney; JAMES McCABE, Chief Clerk.

**THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.**

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

**CORONERS' OFFICE.**

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

**FINANCE DEPARTMENT.****REAL ESTATE RECORDS.**

**THE ATTENTION OF LAWYERS, REAL ESTATE OWNERS, MORTGAGE INVESTORS** engaged in making loans upon real estate and all who are interested in providing themselves with facilities for reducing the cost of examinations and searches, is invited to these Official Indices of Records, containing all recorded transfers of real estate in the City of New York from 1853 to 1887, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.  
Grantors, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriff's sales in 61 volumes, full bound, price..... \$100 00  
The same in 25 volumes, half bound..... 50 00  
Complete sets, folded, ready for binding..... 15 00  
Records of judgments, 25 volumes, bound..... 10 00  
Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Angell Room 23, Stewart Building."

**THEODORE W. MYERS,**

Comptroller.

**BOARD OF EDUCATION.**

**SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY** the School Trustees for the Seventh Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until Wednesday, July 12, 1888, and until 9:30 o'clock A. M., on said day, for making Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar School Building No. 37.

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, and above all the 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.

WILLIAM H. TOWNLEY,  
JAMES W. McBRON,  
JOHN H. BOSCHEN,  
THOMAS GARRY,  
JAMES B. McBRON,  
Board of School Trustees, Seventh Ward.

Dated New York, June 26, 1888.

**DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.**

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

**TO CONTRACTORS.**

(No. 278.)

**PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING AT PIER 61 AND AT THE BULKHEAD ADJOINING THE NORTH SIDE OF PIER 61, ON THE EAST RIVER.**  
**ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING AT PIER 61** and at the bulkhead adjoining the north side of Pier 61, on the East 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. of

FRIDAY, JULY 13, 1888,

at which time and place the estimates will be publicly

opened by the heads 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 Eight Hundred and Fifty Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities of material necessary to be dredged in order to secure at each of the premises mentioned the depth of water set opposite thereto in the specifications, is as follows:

**CLASS I.—MUD.**

	Cubic yards.
Pier 61, East river (north side).....	6,000
55 feet of bulkhead, adjoining north side of Pier 61, East river.....	800
Total.....	6,800

**CLASS II.—HARD MUD, GRAVEL, ETC.**

	Cubic yards.
Pier 61, East river, north side.....	2,000
Total.....	2,000

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

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

2d. Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Department of Docks, and in substantial accordance with the specifications of the contract. No extra compensation, beyond the amount payable for the work before mentioned, which shall be actually performed, at the price therefor per cubic yard, in each class, to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and the entire work is to be fully completed on or before the fourth day of September, 1888, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

All the material excavated is to be removed by the contractor, and deposited in all respects according to law.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price per cubic yard, in each class, for doing such dredging in conformity with the approved form of agreement, and the specifications therein set forth, by which price the bids will be tested. These prices are to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay from any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder.

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

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

Bidders are required to state in their estimates their names and places of residence; the names of all persons interested with them therein, and if no other person be so interested, the name of the bidder; and to state in their estimates also that the estimate is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and that it is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and also, that no member of the Commission, or any other person, chief of 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 proceeds thereof; and that if any contract is verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount five per centum of the amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-book, and not to the person to whom the contract is awarded, 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 five 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.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instructions of the Engineer-in-Chief.

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

The right to decline all the estimates is reserved, if deemed for the interest of the Corporation of the City of New York.

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the Department, a copy of which, together with the form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work to be performed upon application therefor at the office of the Department.

LUCIUS J. N. STARK,  
JAMES MATTHEWS,  
EDWIN A. POST,  
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.  
Dated New York, June 29, 1888.

**NEW AQUEDUCT.****NEW YORK SECTION.**

**NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CONFIRMATION** of the report of the Commissioners of Appraisal, New York Section, dated July 1, 1888, as to Parcels 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 13, 14, 22, 26, 27, 31, 37, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 48, 52, 53, 55, 57, 59, 60, 62, 64, 66, 71, 73, and real estate contiguous thereto.

Public notice is hereby given that it is my intention to make application before the Honorable Joseph F. Barnard, at a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, to be held in the Second Judicial District, at the Court-house, in Poughkeepsie, Dutchess County, on Saturday, the 28th day of June, 1888, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, to confirm the report as to Parcels 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 13, 14, 22, 26, 27, 31, 37, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 48, 52, 53, 55, 57, 59, 60, 62, 64, 66, 71, 73, and real estate contiguous thereto, of the Commissioners of Appraisal appointed in the above matter, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, which said report was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Westchester, on the 28th day of June, 1888, and a copy of which was filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, on the same day.

Dated New York, June 28, 1888.  
HENRY R. BECKMAN,  
Counsel to the Corporation.  
Tryon Row, New York City.

**MANHATTAN ISLAND SECTION—ADDITIONAL LANDS.**

**NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CONFIRMATION** of the report of the Commissioners of Appraisal, Manhattan Island Section—Additional Lands, dated July 1, 1888, as to Parcels 1, 2, 3, 32, 33, 34, 35, 37, 38, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 55, 57, 59, 60, 62, 64, 66, 71, 73, and real estate contiguous thereto.

Public notice is hereby given that it is my intention to make application before the Honorable Joseph F. Barnard, at a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, to be held in the Second Judicial District, at the Court-house, in Poughkeepsie, Dutchess County, on Saturday, the 28th day of June, 1888, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, to confirm the report as to Parcels 1, 2, 3, 32, 33, 34, 35, 37, 38, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 55, 57, 59, 60, 62, 64, 66, 71, 73, and real estate contiguous thereto, of the Commissioners of Appraisal appointed in the above matter, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, which said report was filed in the office of the Clerk of Westchester County on the 28th day of June, 1888, and a copy of which was filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the same day.

Dated New York, June 28, 1888.  
HENRY R. BECKMAN,  
Counsel to the Corporation.  
Tryon Row, New York City.

**MANHATTAN ISLAND SECTION.**

**NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CONFIRMATION** of the report of Commissioners of Appraisal, Manhattan Island Section, dated July 1, 1888, as to Parcels one (1), one and a half (1½), two (2), two and a half (2½), three (3), three and a half (3½), four (4), four and a half (4½), five (5), five and a half (5½), six (6), six and a half (6½), seventy (70), and real estate contiguous thereto.

Public notice is hereby given that it is my intention to make application before the Honorable Joseph F. Barnard, at a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, to be held in the Second Judicial District, at the Court-house, in Poughkeepsie, Dutchess County, on the 14th day of July, 1888, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, to confirm the report as to Parcels 1, 1½, 2, 2½, 3, 3½, 4, 4½, 5, 5½, 6, 6½, 70, and real estate contiguous thereto, of the Commissioners of Appraisal, appointed in the above matter, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, which said report was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Westchester, on the 13th day of June, 1888, and a copy of which was filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the same day.

Dated, New York, June 13, 1888.  
HENRY R. BECKMAN,  
Counsel to the Corporation.  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

**POLICE DEPARTMENT.**

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, June 29, 1888.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** THAT a horse, the property of this Department, will be sold at public auction on Friday, July 13, 1888, at 10 o'clock A. M., by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, at their stables, No. 110 East Thirtieth street.

By order of the Board.  
WM. H. KIPP,  
Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET.

**TO CONTRACTORS.****PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.**

**SEALED ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLYING THE** Police Department with two thousand tons of best quality of Lehigh Coal will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police in the City of New York, until ten o'clock A. M. of Friday, the thirteenth day of July, 1888.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimate for Furnishing Coal to the Police Department," with the name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department, and read.

For particulars as to the quality, kind and size of coal required, reference must be made to the specifications, blank forms of which may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk in the Central Department.

Bidders will state a price per ton of two thousand pounds for the coal to be delivered (see eighth paragraph of the specifications). The price must be written in the bid and stated in figures. Persons will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the head of said Department to reject any or all bids which may be deemed prejudicial to the public interests.

No estimates will be accepted from, or a 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 entire quantity of coal is to be delivered within thirty days from the date of the execution and delivery of the contract.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security, for the performance of the contract in the manner prescribed by law, in the sum of Five Thousand Dollars.

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

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

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

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

Blank forms for estimates may be obtained by application to the undersigned, at his office in the Central Department.

By order of the Board.

WILLIAM H. KIPP,  
Chief Clerk.

NEW YORK, June 28, 1888.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
OFFICE OF THE PROPERTY CLERK, ROOM NO. 9,  
NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, 1887.

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

## CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

List 2723, No. 1. Deepening the waters within the line of the city, between Piers 12 and 14, East river, by removing the mud, etc., therefrom.  
The property affected by the above-named assessment is the northeastern half of Pier No. 12, the whole of Pier No. 13, and the southwestern half of Pier No. 14, East river.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessment, and who are opposed to the same, are requested to present their objections in writing to the Chairman of the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 115 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 30th day of July, 1888.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 115 CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, June 29, 1888.

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

List 2599, No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curbstones and flagging Ninetieth street, from the Boulevard to Riverside Drive.

List 2645, No. 2. Regulating, grading, setting curbstones and flagging One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, from Tenth Avenue to Edgewood road.

List 2699, No. 3. Paving Eighty-eighth street, from Ninth to Tenth Avenue, with trap-blocks.

List 2700, No. 4. Paving Ninety-fifth street, from Ninth to Tenth Avenue, with trap-blocks.

List 2700, No. 5. Fencing vacant lots on east side of

St. Nicholas Avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-first to One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, and north side of One Hundred and Forty-first street, from St. Nicholas to Edgewood Avenue.

List 2702, No. 6. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded by One Hundred and Thirty-sixth and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh streets, Sixth and Seventh Avenues.

List 2707, No. 7. Fencing vacant lots on west side of Lexington Avenue, between Ninety-fifth and Ninety-sixth streets, and extending west on Ninety-fifth and Ninety-sixth streets.

List 2708, No. 8. Fencing vacant lot No. 1417 Avenue A, between Eighth and Ninth Avenues.

List 2719, No. 9. Sewer in Seventy-fourth street, between Eighth and Ninth Avenues.

List 2720, No. 10. Fencing vacant lots on northwest corner of Lexington Avenue and One Hundred and Ninth street.

List 2725, No. 11. Sewer in Fourth Avenue, east side, between One Hundred and Sixteenth and One Hundred and Seventeenth streets.

List 2728, No. 12. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded by Ninety-third and Ninety-fourth streets, Eighth and Ninth Avenues.

List 2730, No. 13. Fencing vacant lots on both sides of Ninety-sixth street, between Eighth and Ninth Avenues.

List 2730, No. 14. Fencing vacant lots on the northeast corner of Seventh Avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-third street.

List 2730, No. 15. Flagging west side of Second Avenue, from One Hundred and Twentieth to One Hundred and Twenty-first street, and on south side of One Hundred and Twenty-first street for a distance about 100 feet west of Second Avenue.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Ninetieth street, from the Boulevard to Riverside Drive.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from Tenth Avenue to Edgewood road.

No. 3. Both sides of Eighty-eighth street, from Ninth to Tenth Avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting Avenues.

No. 4. Both sides of Seventy-fourth street, from Ninth to Tenth Avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting Avenues.

No. 5. East side of St. Nicholas Avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-first to One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, and north side of One Hundred and Forty-first street, from St. Nicholas to Edgewood Avenue.

No. 6. Block bounded by One Hundred and Thirty-sixth and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh streets, Sixth and Seventh Avenues.

No. 7. West side of Lexington Avenue, from Ninety-fifth to Ninety-sixth street, and north side of Ninety-fifth street and south side of Ninety-sixth street, extending westerly from Lexington Avenue about 150 feet.

No. 8. West side of Avenue A, between Seventy-fifth and Seventy-sixth streets, as known on the tax maps as Block No. 102, Ward No. 24.

No. 9. Both sides of Seventy-fourth street, between Eighth and Ninth Avenues.

No. 10. Northwest corner of Lexington Avenue and One Hundred and Ninth street.

No. 11. East side of Fourth Avenue, between One Hundred and Sixteenth and One Hundred and Seventeenth streets.

No. 12. Block bounded by Ninety-third and Ninety-fourth streets, Eighth and Ninth Avenues.

No. 13. Both sides of Ninety-sixth street, between Eighth and Ninth Avenues.

No. 14. Cornering at the northeast corner of Seventh Avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-third street, extending easterly on One Hundred and Twenty-third street about 125 feet, and northerly on Seventh Avenue about 101 feet.

No. 15. West side of Second Avenue, from One Hundred and Twentieth to One Hundred and Twenty-first street, and on south side of One Hundred and Twenty-first street for a distance of about 100 feet west of Second 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. 115 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 28th day of July, 1888.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 115 CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, June 27, 1888.

## JURORS.

## NOTICE

IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,  
ROOM 121, STEWART BUILDING,  
CHAMBERS STREET AND BROADWAY,  
NEW YORK, June 1, 1888.

**APPLICATIONS FOR EXEMPTIONS WILL BE** heard here, from 9 o'clock daily, from all persons hitherto liable or recently serving who have become exempt, and all needed information will be given.

Those who have not answered as to their liability, or proved permanent exemption, will receive a "jury enrollment notice" requiring them to appear before me this year. Whether liable or not, such notices must be answered in person, if possible, and at this office only under severe penalties. If exempt, the party must bring proof of exemption; if liable, he must also answer in person, giving full and correct name, residence, etc., etc.

Persons "enrolled" as liable must serve when led or pay their fines. No mere excuse will be allowed or interference permitted. The fines if unpaid will be entered as judgments upon the property of the delinquents. All good citizens will aid the course of justice, and secure reliable and respectable juries, and equalize their duty by serving promptly when summoned, allowing their clerks or subordinates to serve, reporting to me any delinquency 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 jury notice. It is a misdemeanor to give any jury paper to another to answer. It is also punishable by fine or imprisonment to give or receive any present or bribe, directly or indirectly, in relation to a jury service, or to withhold any paper or make any false statement, and every case will be fully prosecuted.

CHARLES REILLY,  
Commissioner of Jurors.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, June 30, 1888.

**THE UNDERSIGNED WILL SELL AT PUBLIC** auction, for account of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, No. 66 Third Avenue, on Friday, July 13, 1888, at 11 o'clock A. M., the following articles, viz.:

50,000 pounds Mixed Iron, more or less.

15,000 pounds Mixed Rags, " "

1000 Syrup Barrels, " "

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accept but do not execute the contract and provide such proper security as has been heretofore stated to be requisite, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be re-advertised and let as provided by law.

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

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

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

The form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Department, where the plans will be on exhibition for the information of bidders.

Dated New York, June 29, 1888.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRTY-FOURTH STREET,  
NEW YORK, July 3, 1888.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from Ward 18, Bellevue Hospital—Unknown man, aged about 35 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; dark hair and eyes. Had on black velvet coat and vest, dark pants, brown striped calico shirt, gray woolen socks, brown shoes.

Unknown man, from Pier 30, North river; body in an advanced state of decomposition; about eight months in water; 5 feet 8 inches high. Had on brown overcoat, dark coat, pants and vest, gaiters, rubber overshoes.

Unknown man, from Ward 18, Bellevue Hospital; 5 feet 10 inches high. Had on brown plaid coat and vest, dark pants, white shirt, white undershirt, gaiters; body in an advanced state of decomposition.

Unknown man, from foot of Thirty-fourth street, North river. Had on dark sack coat and vest, dark pants, white shirt, red flannel undershirt and drawers, gaiters, white socks; body in water about seven months.

Unknown man, from Bellevue Hospital; aged about 35 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; dark brown hair and mustache, blue eyes. Had on brown mixed coat, blue vest, dark pants, laced shoes, derby hat.

Unknown man, from front of No. 116 Mulberry street; aged about 35 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; dark hair and brown eyes. Had on blue striped coat and vest, dark pants, white shirt, straw hat, boots; two brass checks, Nos. 496 and 505, D. L. & W. N. Y. L. W. Railroad, found on his person.

Unknown man, from Pier 30, North river; aged about 35 years; 5 feet 7 1/2 inches high; dark hair and mustache. Hand on dark vest and pants, brown check shirt, white knit undershirt and drawers, brown cotton socks, laced shoes.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Susan Sexton, aged 55 years. Committed June 20, 1888.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Margaret Clancy, aged 40 years; 4 feet 8 1/2 inches high; light blue eyes. Transferred from Almshouse, June 22, 1888.

At Homoeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Thomas Gettings, aged 25 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; blue eyes, brown hair. Had on when admitted black overcoat, dark coat, brown check pants, gaiters, brown derby hat.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order, G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS  
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,  
NEW YORK, June 30, 1888.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

### SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE

materials and labor, and doing the work required for constructing and erecting two houses—one on the south side of West Eighty-third street, 200 feet west of Ninth avenue, for an engine company, and the other at No. 120 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street, for Hook and Ladder Co. No. 14, of this Department, 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 11 o'clock A. M., Friday, July 13, 1888, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

Estimates will be received for both houses together in one bid and for each house separately.

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

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

The form of the agreement, with specifications and drawings, showing the manner of payment for the work, may be seen and a copy of the same may be obtained at the office of the Department.

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

The work is to be completed and delivered within one hundred and ten (100) days after the execution of the contract.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, are fixed and liquidated at twenty (20) dollars.

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

Any person making an estimate for the work shall present the same in a sealed envelope, to said Board, at said office, on or before the day and hour above named, which envelope shall be endorsed 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, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of

business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of nine thousand (9,000) dollars for the house in West Eighty-third street, and of eight thousand (8,000) dollars for the house in East One Hundred and Twenty-first street; 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 is entitled by the contract and the sum which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work to be executed by the contractor. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of four hundred (400) dollars for the house in West Eighty-third street, and of four hundred (400) dollars for the house in East One Hundred and Twenty-first street. Such check or money must not be enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-book, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such checks or money, if not returned to the 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 the award of the contract, 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 he shall execute the contract within the time foreseen, the amount of the 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 to execute the same, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be re-advertised and let as provided by law.

HENRY D. PURROY,  
RICHARD CROKER,  
FITZ JOHN PORTER,  
Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS  
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,  
NEW YORK, June 30, 1888.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE materials and labor, and doing the work required in altering, repairing and finishing a building for quarters of a Hook and Ladder Company, at No. 157 Mercer street, 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 11 o'clock A. M., Friday, July 13, 1888, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

The work is to be completed and delivered within forty (40) days after the execution of the contract.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, are fixed and liquidated at twenty (20) dollars.

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

Any person making an estimate for the work shall present the same in a sealed envelope, to said Board, at said office, on or before the day and hour above named, which envelope shall be endorsed 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, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance, in the sum of one thousand (1,000) 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 is entitled by the contract and the sum which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work to be executed by the contractor. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National

Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of fifty (50) dollars. Such check or money must not be enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-book, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the person 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 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 to execute the same, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be re-advertised and let as provided by law.

HENRY D. PURROY,  
RICHARD CROKER,  
FITZ JOHN PORTER,  
Commissioners.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, June 21, 1888.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMMISSIONERS of the Department of Public Parks in the City of New York, will, on the 11th day of July, 1888, at 11 o'clock A. M., at their office, in the Emigrants' Savings Building, No. 10 South 51st Chambers street, in said city, hear and consider all statements, objections and evidence that may then and there be offered in reference to proposed changes in the street system in the Spuyten Duyvil District in the Twenty-fourth Ward, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887.

The contemplated changes consist in:  
Discontinuing and closing a street, laid out along the Hudson, leading from Palisade avenue to the Spuyten Duyvil Parkway.

Discontinuing and closing a street from the Spuyten Duyvil Parkway to Whiting street, extending "Independence Avenue" to Whiting street, in lines nearly parallel to the Spuyten Duyvil Parkway, and extending Morrison's lane (proposed to be named Morrison street) to Palisade avenue.

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

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

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, June 21, 1888.

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The general character and extent of the contemplated change are as follows:

To discontinue and close parts of Marion and Valentine avenues and Port Jervis street, to extend Marion, Valentin and Anthony avenues direct to the Southern Boulevard, and extend or lay out a street parallel to and south of the Southern Boulevard, between Bainbridge and Jerome avenues, proposed to be named Hull avenue.

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

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

## SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of title to certain lands in the Sixth Ward of the City of New York, bounded by Park, Mulberry, Bayard and Baxter streets, for a public park, as laid out by said Board under and in pursuance of chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 320 of the Laws of 1887, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Thursday, the 26th day of July, 1888, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises within the limits of the improvement, and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a public park in the Sixth Ward of the City of New York, bounded by Park, Mulberry, Bayard and Baxter streets, as laid out by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at the intersection of the easterly line of Baxter street and the northern line of Park street.

1st. Thence northerly along the easterly line of Baxter street for 62.69 feet, more or less, to the southern line of Bayard street.

2d. Thence easterly along the southern line of Bayard street for 159.76 feet, more or less, to the western line of Mulberry street.

3d. Thence northerly along the western line of Mulberry street for 518.85 feet, more or less, to the northern line of Park street.

4th. Thence westerly along the northern line of Park street for 62.69 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning.

The Board of Street Opening and Improvement, under and in pursuance of the provisions of said chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, has determined that the proportion of the expense to be incurred in acquiring the land for such park, to be assessed upon the property, persons and estates to be benefited by the acquisition of such park, shall be thirty per cent thereof, and that the area within which such part of said expense shall be assessed shall be as follows:

Within an area extending to a line—  
On the north, drawn parallel to and one hundred feet north of Canal street;

On the east, drawn parallel to the easterly line of the Bowery, Chatham Square and Park Row, and one hundred feet beyond each of those streets;

On the south to a line parallel to and one hundred feet south of Pearl street; and

On the west, to a line parallel to and one hundred feet west of Elm street.

Dated, New York, June 25, 1888.

HENRY R. BEEKMAN,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same may be located, to the lands heretofore acquired, to that part of SEDGWICK AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority) extending from the Twenty-third Ward line to the Fordham Landing road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same have been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 203 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the 28th day of July, 1888, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 28th day of July, 1888, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 10 o'clock P. M.

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

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces, or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz: Northerly by a straight line drawn westerly from the southerly line of the block between Sedgwick avenue and Andrews avenue and East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, and the centre line of the blocks between Sedgwick avenue and Heath avenue; southerly by the division line between the properties of the Henry W. T. Mali estate and Herman C. and Catherine E. Schwab and Doscher, and westerly by the centre line of the blocks between Sedgwick avenue and Heath avenue and Fordham Landing road. Also all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz: Northerly by a straight line drawn westerly from the southerly line of the westerly side of Sedgwick avenue, and extending from a point where the westerly line of Heath avenue intersects the westerly line of Sedgwick avenue, to one hundred feet to the lands of the City of New York and Northern Railroad, and the prolongation easterly of a straight line drawn from a point on the westerly side of Sedgwick avenue where the easterly line of Heath avenue intersects the said westerly line of Sedgwick avenue, thence westerly to the southerly line of Sedgwick avenue opposite the aforesaid point of intersection, and designated on our benefit map as the end of a straight course of 496.4 feet, to the easterly limit of side of the block between Sedgwick avenue and Underhill avenue; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between Sedgwick avenue and Underhill avenue; southerly by the division line between the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, and by a straight line drawn easterly from the easterly side of Sedgwick avenue at right angles with the same, and extending from the northerly termination of the said Commerce avenue to the centre line of the block between Sedgwick avenue and Commerce avenue, and westerly by the centre line of the blocks between Sedgwick avenue and Commerce avenue, and the centre line of the block between Sedgwick avenue and Commerce avenue, and a certain unnamed street or avenue parallel to and distant about 250 feet westerly of the westerly line of Sedgwick avenue and by a line parallel or nearly so with and distant about 100 feet westerly from the westerly side of Sedgwick avenue, and extending northerly from a certain unnamed street or road, which street or road is about 1,500 feet northerly from the northerly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street, to the straight line heretofore mentioned as a part of the boundary of the said lands.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the twenty-fourth day of August, 1888, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises within the limits of the improvement, and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a public park in the Sixth Ward of the City of New York, bounded by Park, Mulberry, Bayard and Baxter streets, as laid out by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

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On the south to a line parallel to and one hundred feet south of Pearl street; and

On the west, to a line parallel to and one hundred feet west of Elm street.

Dated, New York, June 15, 1888.

EDWARD L. PARRIS,  
WILLIAM HENRY WILLIS,  
JOSEPH KUNZMAN,  
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of title to certain lands in the Sixth Ward of the City of New York, bounded by Park, Mulberry, Bayard and Baxter streets, for a public park, as laid out by said Board under and in pursuance of chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 320 of the Laws of 1887, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Thursday, the 26th day of July, 1888, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises within the limits of the improvement, and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a public park in the Sixth Ward of the City of New York, bounded by Park, Mulberry, Bayard and Baxter streets, as laid out by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

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The consent last above mentioned must be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the par-



sons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

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

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

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

JOHN NEWTON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, JUNE 28, 1888.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

**BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder inclosed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M., Thursday, July 12, 1888, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.**

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

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

Each estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the person making the same, that the several matters therein stated are true, and must be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, to the effect that if the contract is awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall refuse or neglect to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract is awarded. The amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

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

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JOHN NEWTON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, JUNE 28, 1888.

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No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF SIXTY-SECOND STREET, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF EIGHTY-NINTH STREET, from Eighth to Tenth avenue.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF NINETY-FIFTH STREET, from Eighth to Ninth avenue.

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Each estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the person making the same, that the several matters therein stated are true, and must be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, to the effect that if the contract is awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall refuse or neglect to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract is awarded. The amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

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

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JOHN NEWTON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

**UNDER CHAPTER 410, LAWS 1882, SECTIONS 350, 351, 352 and 353, and as amended by chapter 559, Laws 1887.**

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

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

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

FRONT WIDTH.	1 Story.	2 Stories.	3 Stories.	4 Stories.	5 Stories.
16 feet and under.	\$4.00	\$5.00	\$6.00	\$7.00	\$8.00
16 to 18 feet....	5.00	6.00	7.00	8.00	9.00
18 to 20 feet....	6.00	7.00	8.00	9.00	10.00
20 to 22 feet....	7.00	8.00	9.00	10.00	11.00
22 to 24 feet....	8.00	9.00	10.00	11.00	12.00
24 to 26 feet....	9.00	10.00	11.00	12.00	13.00
26 to 28 feet....	10.00	11.00	12.00	13.00	14.00
28 to 30 feet....	11.00	12.00	13.00	14.00	15.00
30 to 32 feet....	12.00	13.00	14.00	15.00	16.00
32 to 34 feet....	13.00	14.00	15.00	16.00	17.00
34 to 36 feet....	14.00	15.00	16.00	17.00	18.00

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

COWS.—For each and every cow, one dollar per annum. DINING SALOONS shall be charged an annual rate of from five to twenty dollars, in the discretion of the Commissioner of Public Works.

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

For all stables not metered, the rates shall be as follows: HORSES, PRIVATE.—For two horses there shall be charged six dollars per annum; and for each additional horse, two dollars.

HORSES, LIVELY.—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-cock.

PHOTODUPLICATION 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 seven dollars and fifty cents each and for each horse-power over fifteen, the sum of five dollars.

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

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 other or cock, as follows: For each hopper 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 ounces 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, 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 353, 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.

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

## 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	04	33 75
250	04	37 50
275	03	41 25
300	03	45 00
325	03	48 75
350	03	52 50
375	03	56 25
400	03	60 00
425	03	63 75
450	03	67 50
475	03	71 25
500	03	75 00
525	03	78 75
550	03	82 50
575	03	86 25
600	03	90 00
625	03	93 75
650	03	97 50
675	03	101 25
700	03	105 00
725	03	108 75
750	03	112 50
775	03	116 25
800	03	120 00
825	03	123 75
850	03	127 50
875	03	131 25
900	03	135 00
925	03	138 75
950	03	142 50
975	03	146 25
1,000	03	150 00
1,025	03	153 75
1,050	03	157 50
1,075	03	161 25
1,100	03	165 00
1,125	03	168 75
1,150	03	172 50
1,175	03	176 25
1,200	03	180 00
1,225	03	183 75
1,250	03	187 50
1,275	03	191 25
1,300	03	195 00
1,325	03	198 75
1,350	03	202 50
1,375	03	206 25
1,400	03	210 00
1,425	03	213 75
1,450	03	217 50
1,475	03	221 25
1,500	03	225 00
1,525	03	228 75
1,550	03	232 50
1,575	03	236 25
1,600	03	240 00
1,625	03	243 75
1,650	03	247 50
1,675	03	251 25
1,700	03	255 00
1,725	03	258 75
1,750	03	262 50
1,775	03	266 25
1,800	03	270 00
1,825	03	273 75
1,850	03	277 50
1,875	03	281 25
1,900	03	285 00
1,925	03	288 75
1,950	03	292 50
1,975	03	296 25
2,000	03	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 more 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 heretofore 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 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.

Taps at wash-basins, water-closets, baths and urinals must not be left running, unless the water is used for each offense, which will be strictly enforced.

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

The use of hose for washing sidewalks, stoops, areas, horse-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,  
ROOM 6, 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 351 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, passed June 9, 1887, the following changes are made in charging and collecting water rents:

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

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

3d. The returns of arrears of water rents, including the year 1887, shall be made as heretofore on the confirmation of the tax levy by the Board of Aldermen, and shall include all charges for so-called 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. LOWBER SMITH,  
Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Public Works

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, September 29, 1886.

## PUBLIC NOTICE.

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

JOHN NEWTON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
ROOM 6, 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.