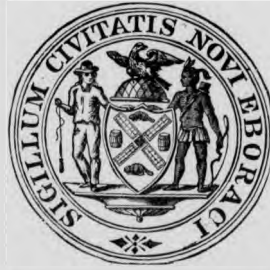


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HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
SANITARY BUREAU, DIVISION OF VITAL STATISTICS,
No. 301 Mott Street.

REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 4, 1888.

Col. EMMONS CLARK, *Secretary Board of Health:*

SIR—814 deaths were registered in this office during the week ending at noon of Saturday, August 4, 1888, representing an annual death-rate of 27.66 per 1,000 on an estimated population of 1,530,316.

Registered Mortality from the Principal Causes, with Ages of Decedents and Meteorology, for Week ending Saturday, August 4, 1888.

METEOROLOGY.	Mean Barometer.....								Total for Week.	Annual Death-rate per 1,000 from each Cause for Week.	Total for Corresponding Week of Last Year.	Annual Death-rate per 1,000 from each Cause for same Week.	Average Annual Death-rate per 1,000 for past Ten Years.	AGES.										SEX, NATIVITY AND RACE.				
	CAUSE OF DEATH.													Under 1 Month.	1 Month and under 1 Year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	Total under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and over.	Males.	Females.	Natives.	Foreign-born.	Colored.
	June 16	June 23	June 30	July 7	July 14	July 21	July 28	June 16																				
Total, all causes.....	680	801	1,038	905	1,037	963	1,002	814	27.66	928	32.47	26.73	57	234	81	57	429	43	43	131	95	73	400	414	561	253	18	
Cerebro-spinal Meningitis.....	4	4	6	4	4	2	3	2	.07	3	.10	.16	..	1	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	2	..	..
Diphtheria.....	38	45	35	33	44	30	35	27	.97	23	.80	1.10	..	1	5	..	8	14	11	1	..	..	10	17	24	3	..
Enteric Fever.....	3	3	3	4	3	8	13	11	.37	14	.49	.25	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	3	6	..	5	1	6	1	..
Erysipelas.....	4	3	2	2	0	3	..	1	.03	..	..	.12	..	..	..	..	14	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	10	..
Malarial Fevers.....	2	3	7	2	..	..	6	6	.20	2	.07	.34	..	1	1	..	3	..	1	..	..	..	3	3	4	2	1
Measles.....	18	25	23	20	19	16	23	17	.88	..	.17	.46	..	5	..	7	17	..	..	..	..	..	9	8	10	1	..
Scarlatina.....	32	33	31	23	15	21	19	22	.75	7	.24	.78	..	3	..	10	15	7	..	..	..	..	7	15	21	1	..
Small-pox.....	4	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	.03	..	.07	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	15	21	1	..
Typhus Fever.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.02	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Whooping-cough.....	5	10	15	8	11	21	20	19	.65	9	.31	.33	1	9	4	4	18	1	..	..	..	..	9	10	18	1	..
Yellow Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.0005	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cholera, Asiatic.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cholera Morbus.....	1	4	4	5	7	2	10	3	.10	8	.28	.05	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	3	1	..	..
Other Diarrhoical Diseases.....	26	98	243	277	301	294	254	198	6.73	209	7.31	2.74	15	123	29	4	171	3	2	7	5	10	99	99	176	22	5	
Other Zymotic Diseases.....	4	9	6	6	5	1	4	4	.14	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	2	..	..	2	..	..	3	1	3	1	..
Cancer.....	14	19	22	12	6	12	12	11	.37	13	.45	.54	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	2	9	1	..
Rheumatism.....	2	5	8	3	4	4	3	11	.10	3	.10	.13	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	1	2	1	..
Tabes Mesenterica.....	..	..	..	..	2	2	1	1	.03	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other Constitutional Diseases.....	10	10	8	7	5	3	10	11	.37	..	..	..	2	3	..	..	5	..	..	1	3	2	5	6	6	5	..
Apoplexy.....	16	14	25	14	10	11	13	11	.37	19	.66	.48	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	6	3	8	..
Convulsions.....	19	20	25	9	8	12	9	19	.84	13	.45	.48	1	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	3	7	..	..
Meningitis and Encephalitis.....	19	20	30	13	14	20	21	15	.51	19	.66	.57	..	7	4	2	13	2	..	..	..	..	6	9	14	1	..
Other Diseases of Nervous System.....	27	38	39	22	20	31	36	31	1.05	..	..	..	3	3	6	5	17	2	1	4	6	1	14	17	20	11	1
Aneurism.....	2	1	..	..	1	2	..	2	.07	1	.03	.06	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	1	..	2	..
Heart Diseases.....	37	29	31	37	27	31	27	30	1.02	38	1.33	1.18	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	9	8	10	15	15	12	18	2
Other Diseases of Circulatory System.....	8	1	3	2	7	9	7	7	.20	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	4	1	4	2	3	..
Bronchitis.....	25	28	31	24	24	33	19	28	.95	9	.31	1.16	1	9	2	2	14	1	..	2	5	6	12	16	16	18	..	
Croup.....	13	6	16	6	5	9	5	17	3	.10	.66	..	1	2	2	2	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	3	..	..
Whooping-cough.....	80	90	72	94	66	83	97	93	3.16	112	3.92	3.92	..	3	..	3	2	20	51	13	4	48	45	44	49	3	..	
Pneumonia.....	59	50	34	32	47	42	43	33	1.12	27	.95	2.48	..	7	7	5	19	2	3	3	2	4	22	11	22	11	..	
Other Diseases of Respiratory System.....	14	15	14	8	7	8	12	11	.37	..	..	..	2	..	..	1	3	1	..	1	2	4	2	7	6	5	..
Gastritis, Gastro-Enteritis, Enteritis and Peritonitis, Cirrhosis of Liver and Hepatitis.....	23	35	43	52	64	65	38	1.29	36	1.26	.75	.40	4	26	7	2	39	3	..	2	1	3	25	23	44	4	1	
Other Diseases of Digestive System.....	5	7	3	12	4	10	12	5	.17	7	.24	.25	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	1	5	1	4	..	..
Sixty-five years and over.....	16	10	14	5	14	20	21	.71	..	..	..	..	2	2	..	1	5	..	1	3	2	..	6	5	6	5	2
Bright's Disease and Nephritis.....	47	40	40	40	45	35	49	40	1.36	57	1.99	1.39	..	..	..	..	4	1	15	14	6	15	25	11	29	1	..
Premature and Preterm Births, Cyanosis and Atelectasis.....	29	19	19	26	32	25	24	13	.44	18	.63	.77	12	1	..	..	13	..	..	..	..	..	7	6	13	..	..
Puerperal Diseases.....	5	11	9	8	5	8	2	.07	8	.28	.30	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	2	1	1	..	..
Old Age.....	8	7	10	9	8	9	19	11	.37	5	.17	.36	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	9	3	8	..
Alcoholism.....	2	7	8	4	6	6	6	7	.24	7	.16	.16	..	..	..	..	..	1	5	1	..	..	..	1	1	6	..
Stroke.....	..	4	60	2	4	..	0	..	..	100	3.71	.08	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Accident.....	27	28	32	29	26	25	27	16	.54	36	1.26	.82	..	1	1	..	2	3	2	5	2	2	14	2	7	9	..	
Homicide.....	..	1	2	2	..	1	1	..	..	3	.10	.05	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Suicide.....	5	7	4	6	5	4	2	3	.10	6	.21	.14	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	3	..	2	1	..
Under One Month.....	55	46	43	39	87	65	61	57	0.94	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
One Month and under One Year.....	113	201	305	350	410	360	385	234	7.95	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total under Five Years.....	300	389	577	539	661	594	539	439	14.57	412	14.42	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sixty-five years and over.....	56	64	76	57	67	79	75	73	2.48	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Natives.....	440	549	744	678	784	741	711	561	19.06	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Foreign-born.....	240	252	294	227	253	222	291	253	8.60	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Colored.....	16	14	18	11	20	25	27	28	.61	27	.95	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, August 9, 1888.

In accordance with the provisions of section 51 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, the Department of Public Works makes the following report of its transactions for the week ending August 4, 1888:

Public Moneys Received during the Week.

For Croton water rents.....	\$89,264 05
For penalties on water rents.....	276 55
For tapping Croton pipes.....	188 00
For sewer permits.....	645 96
For restoring and repaving—Special Fund.....	894 00
For redemption of obstructions seized.....	118 00
For vault permits.....	649 74
Total.....	\$92,036 30

Public Lamps.

21 new lamps lighted.
15 old lamps relighted.
1 lamp discontinued.
4 lamp-posts removed.
4 lamp-posts reset.
82 lamp-posts straightened.
4 lamp-posts raised.
15 columns released.

Report of Photometrical Examinations of Illuminating Gas, for the week ending August 4, 1888, made at the Photometrical Rooms of the Department of Public Works.

DATE.	TIME.	Thermometer.	Barometer.	GAS COMPANY.	BURNER.	Pressure as Delivered to Burner.	Consumption of Gas, Rate per hour.	Consumption of Candle, Grs. per hour.	ILLUMINATING POWER.	
									Observed.	Corrected.
July 30	12 M.	81.	30.13	{ Consolidated, Manhattan Branch.... }	Empire 5 ft.....	.59	5.00	123.0	18.42	18.88
" 31	5 P.M.	85.	29.97		"	.59	5.00	115.2	20.64	19.81
Aug. 1	3 P.M.	85.	29.97		"	.59	5.00	120.0	19.92	19.92
" 2	5 30 P.M.	84	30.06		"	.59	5.00	118.8	19.90	19.70
" 3	1 P.M.	85.	30.06	"	"	.59	5.00	119.4	19.06	18.96
" 4	2 P.M.	84.	29.92	"	"	.59	5.00	120.6	19.40	19.50
									Average.	19.46
July 30	12 30 P.M.	81.	30.13	{ Consolidated, New York Branch.... }	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.84	5.00	120.0	23.30	23.30
" 31	4 30 P.M.	85.	29.97		"	.84	5.00	114.0	27.00	25.65
Aug. 1	3 30 P.M.	85.	29.97		"	.84	5.00	121.2	24.74	24.99
" 2	5 P.M.	84.	30.06		"	.84	5.00	119.4	24.80	24.68
" 3	1 30 P.M.	85.	30.06	"	"	.83	5.00	120.0	24.31	24.31
" 4	1 30 P.M.	84.	29.92	"	"	.83	5.00	123.6	22.94	23.63
									Average.	24.42
July 30	3 15 P.M.	80.	30.09	{ Consolidated, Metropolitan Branch }	Bray's Slit Union, 6	.67	5.00	120.6	21.78	21.89
" 31	8 P.M.	81.	29.98		"	.67	5.00	120.0	22.14	22.14
Aug. 1	11 30 A.M.	83.	30.01		"	.64	5.00	117.6	22.48	22.03
" 2	10 A.M.	81.	30.11		"	.65	5.00	120.0	22.42	22.42
" 3	10 30 A.M.	83.	30.11	"	"	.66	5.00	121.2	22.04	22.26
" 4	10 A.M.	82.	29.96	"	"	.65	5.00	115.2	22.78	21.87
									Average.	22.10
July 30	3 45 P.M.	81.	30.09	{ Consolidated, Knickerbocker Br. }	Bray's Slit Union, 6	.79	5.00	117.0	27.66	26.97
" 31	7 30 P.M.	80.	29.98		"	.79	5.00	118.8	27.08	26.81
Aug. 1	11 A.M.	82.	30.01		"	.78	5.00	120.0	25.32	26.32
" 2	10 30 A.M.	82.	30.11		"	.79	5.00	120.0	27.74	27.74
" 3	10 A.M.	82.	30.11	"	"	.79	5.00	118.8	27.36	27.09
" 4	10 30 A.M.	83.	29.96	"	"	.79	5.00	120.0	27.14	27.14
									Average.	27.01
July 30	1 P.M.	81.	30.13	{ Consolidated, Municipal Branch .. }	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.84	5.00	124.8	28.52	29.66
" 31	4 P.M.	85.	29.97		"	.84	5.00	114.0	29.46	27.99
Aug. 1	4 P.M.	85.	29.97		"	.84	5.00	120.0	27.60	27.60
" 2	4 30 P.M.	84	30.06		"	.85	5.00	123.6	26.40	27.19
" 3	2 P.M.	85.	30.06	"	"	.85	5.00	126.0	25.34	26.61
" 4	1 P.M.	84.	29.92	"	"	.84	5.00	115.8	28.56	27.56
									Average.	27.77
July 30	1 30 P.M.	81.	30.13	N. Y. Mutual...	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.86	5.00	119.4	29.66	29.51
" 31	3 30 P.M.	85.	29.97		"	.88	5.00	116.4	30.48	29.56
Aug. 1	4 30 P.M.	85.	29.97		"	.87	5.00	118.8	30.65	30.34
" 2	4 P.M.	84.	30.06		"	.88	5.00	120.0	30.60	30.60
" 3	2 30 P.M.	85.	30.06	"	"	.89	5.00	116.4	31.38	30.44
" 4	12 30 P.M.	84.	29.92	"	"	.87	5.00	112.8	32.38	30.44
									Average.	30.15
July 30	2 P.M.	81.	30.13	Equitable.....	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.89	5.00	118.2	31.76	31.28
" 31	3 P.M.	85.	29.97		"	.89	5.00	115.8	33.10	31.94
Aug. 1	5 P.M.	85.	29.97		"	.89	5.00	120.0	32.14	32.14
" 2	3 30 P.M.	84.	30.06		"	.88	5.00	120.0	31.92	31.92
" 3	3 P.M.	85.	30.06	"	"	.90	5.00	121.2	31.52	31.83
" 4	12 M.	84.	29.92	"	"	.89	5.00	114.0	33.60	31.92
									Average.	31.84

E. G. LOVE, Gas Examiner.

Permits Issued.

47 permits to tap Croton pipes.
44 permits to open streets.
32 permits to make sewer connections.
37 permits to repair sewer connections.
183 permits to place building material on streets.
10 permits—special.
4 permits to construct street vaults.

Obstructions Removed.

40 obstructions removed from the various streets and avenues.

Pavement Repairs.

11,556 square yards of pavement repaired during the week.

Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.

125 basins and culverts cleaned.
4,455 lineal feet of sewer cleaned.
17 lineal feet of sewer rebuilt.
6 lineal feet of culvert rebuilt.
100 lineal feet new curb set.
12 lineal feet of spur-pipe laid.
1 new manhole built.
128 lineal feet of sewer repaired.
22 basins repaired.
26 manholes repaired.
1 basin rebuilt.
20 new basin heads and covers put on.
26 manhole heads reset.
1 new manhole cover put on.
651 cubic yards earth excavated and refilled.
199 square yards pavement relaid.
480 square feet flagging relaid.
171 cart-loads of dirt removed.

Statement of Laboring Force Employed in the Department of Public Works during the week ending August 4, 1888.

NATURE OF WORK.	MECHANICS.				LABORERS.	TEAMS.	CARTS.
	Observed.	Corrected.	Observed.	Corrected.			
Aqueduct—Repairs and Maintenance and Strengthening.....	57	219	15	7			
Supplying Water to Shipping.....	6	...	..	..
Laying Croton Pipes.....	2	18	2	..			
Repairing and Renewals of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	64	139	1	16			
Bronx River Works—Maintenance and Repairs.....	2	21	2	1			
Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.....	5	42	..	20			
Repairs and Renewals of Pavements.....	161	311	6	102			
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	14	79	31	3			
Roads, Streets and Avenues.....	2	30	6	1			
Totals.....	343	859	63	150			
Increase over previous week.....	4	..	1	..			
Decrease from previous week.....	..	4	..	..	

Appointments.

Edward Mallon, Inspector of Meters.

Requisitions on the Comptroller.

The total amount of requisitions drawn by the Department on the Comptroller during the week is \$115,142.89.

D. LOWBER SMITH, Deputy Commissioner of Public Works.

APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That the sidewalks on the south side of One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, from Second to Third avenue, be flagged full width, where not already done, and that the curb and flagging now on the sidewalks be reset and relaid, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective, as provided by section 321 of chapter 410, Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 569, Laws 1887, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 9, 1888.

Approved by the Mayor, July 16, 1888.

Resolved, That each applicant for a permit to occupy a portion of a street, during the night time only, by trucks belonging to or habitually driven by actual residents of the City of New York, as provided in chapter 37, of the Laws of 1888, shall file his application in the office of the Clerk of the Common Council; that at the last meeting of this Board, in each month, it shall be the duty of the said Clerk to transmit to this Board all such applications so received and filed, which said applications shall be referred to the Committee on Law Department for examination, and that at the first meeting of this Board in each month, the said Committee shall report thereon, with one resolution authorizing the issue of permits to the several applicants to be therein named; that the said Clerk shall transmit the report and resolution, after adoption, accompanied by the original applications to his Honor the Mayor for approval, and that when approved and returned to the Clerk, he shall cause a copy of the resolution, duly certified, to be transmitted to the Mayor, who shall, thereupon, issue the necessary permit, in each case, subject to such rules and regulations as he shall from time to time prescribe.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 9, 1888.

Approved by the Mayor, July 16, 1888.

Resolved, That an additional course of flagging, four feet wide, be laid on the sidewalks on both sides of One Hundred and Sixteenth street, between Pleasant avenue and Harlem river, where not already done, and that the flagging and the curb now on the sidewalks be relaid and reset, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective, as provided by section 321 of chapter 410, Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 569, Laws of 1887, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 9, 1888.

Approved by the Mayor, July 16, 1888.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to F. C. Welsh to extend a vault in front of his premises in Staple street, commencing fifty-nine feet from and extending to Harrison street, to the centre of the carriageway of said Staple street, as shown on the accompanying diagram, upon payment of the usual fee, provided the work be done in a durable and substantial manner and that the said F. C. Welsh shall stipulate with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the city harmless from any loss or damage that may occur in consequence of the construction or extension of said vault during the progress of, or subsequent to the completion thereof, the work to be done at own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 9, 1888.

Approved by the Mayor, July 19, 1888.

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 of City Record:

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

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

Yours respectfully,
LEE PHILLIPS,
Secretary and Executive Officer.

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

THOMAS COSTIGAN, Esq.,
Supervisor:

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

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

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

Very respectfully,
LEE PHILLIPS,
Secretary and Executive Officer.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.
No. 6 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 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. HYKES, 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. FITZ SIMMONS, JAMES DALY.

Aqueduct Commissioners.
Room 209, Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
JAMES C. SPENCER, President; JOHN C. SHELDON, 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, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE H. FORSTER, President; Board of Aldermen.
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

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

Department of Public Works.
Commissioner's Office.
No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN NEWTON, Commissioner; D. LOWBER SMITH, Deputy Commissioner.

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Bureau of Chief Engineer.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE W. BROWN, 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.
GEORGE 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 COLVER, Water Purveyor.

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

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

Bureau of Streets.

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

Bureau of Incineration.

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

Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.

MARTIN J. KERSE, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

No. 12 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS W. MYERS, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STOKES, Deputy Comptroller.

Auditing Bureau.

Nos. 19, 21, 23 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM J. LYON, First Auditor.
DAVID E. AUSTIN, 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.
ARTHUR S. CADY, Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.
Nos. 1 and 3 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES J. KELLY, Collector of the City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets.
GEORGE MCGOWAN, Chief Clerk.

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.
No. 37 Chambers street and No. 31 Reade street, Stewart Building.
GEORGE W. MCLEAN, Receiver of Taxes; ALFRED VERDENBURGH, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.
Nos. 27, 29 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. HEERMAN, Counsel to the Corporation.
ANDREW T. CAMPBELL, Chief Clerk.

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

Office of the Corporation Attorney.
No. 40 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM A. BOYD, Corporation Attorney.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

No. 100 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. 60 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. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street.
HENRY D. PURROY, President; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

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

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.
PETER 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. 128 and 130 West Third street.
JOHN CASTLES, Foreman-in-Charge, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

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

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
J. HANDEEN ROSE, 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. N. STARR, President; G. KEMBLE, Secretary.
Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. daily, except Saturdays, on Saturdays as follows: from October 1 to June 1, from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.; from June 1 to September 30, from 9 A. M. to 12 M.

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

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

Department of Street Cleaning.
49 and 51 Chambers street. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES S. COLEMAN, Commissioner; JACOB SEABOLD, Deputy Commissioner; R. W. HOBBS, Chief Clerk.

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

Board of Estimate and Apportionment.
Office of Clerk, Staats Zeitung Building, Room 5.
THE MAYOR, Chairman; CHARLES V. ADEE, Clerk.

Board of Assessors.
Office City Hall, Room No. 115, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EDWARD GILLO, Chairman; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

Board of Excise.
No. 51 Bond street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES H. WOODMAN, President; DAVID S. WHITE, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Coroners' Office.
Nos. 13 and 15 Chatham street, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Sundays and holidays, 8 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.
JAMES J. B. MESSINGER, FERDINAND LEVY, FERDINAND EIDMAN, JOHN R. NUGENT, Coroners; JOHN T. TOAL, Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

Supreme Court.
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Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 32.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 31, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN SEDGWICK, Chief Judge; THOMAS BOESE, Chief Clerk.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

No. 35 Chambers street. Parts I. and II. Court opens at 11 o'clock A. M.
FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder; HENRY A. GILDER-SLEIGH and RUFUS B. CLARK, Judges of the said Court.

Terms, first Monday each month.
JOHN SPARKS, Clerk. Office, Room No. 17, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

CITY COURT.

City Hall.
General Term, Room No. 20.
Trial Term, Part I., Room No. 20.
Part II., Room No. 19.
Part III., Room No. 15.

Special Term, Chambers, Room No. 21, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 10, City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
DAVID MACADAM, Chief Justice; MICHAEL T. DALY, Clerk.

OYER AND TERMINER COURT.

New County Court-house, second floor, southeast corner, Room No. 12. Court opens at 10:30 o'clock A. M.
Clerk's Office, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, second floor, northwest corner, Room No. 12, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

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

Section 219. In every public hospital and dispensary in the City of New York, there shall be provided and maintained a suitable room or rooms and place for the temporary isolation of persons infected with contagious disease, who shall immediately be separated from the other persons and other patients in the dispensary or hospital. It shall be the duty of the physician or physicians, of the officers, managers and of every one in charge of a hospital or dispensary, and of every one who has any duty or office in respect to patients in the course of treatment, or persons who apply for treatment or care at a dispensary or hospital, to see that a report is immediately made to the Health Department of the City of New York of every person infected with a contagious disease, who comes to the hospital or dispensary, or any person or persons so infected are properly isolated and kept separate from other persons and other patients.

EMMONS CLARK,
Secretary.

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

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

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

Sec. 13. That no owner or lessee of any building, or any part thereof, shall lease or let, or hire out the same or any portion thereof, to be occupied by any person, or allow the same to be occupied, as a place in which, or for any one, to dwell or lodge, except when said building or such parts thereof are sufficiently lighted, ventilated, provided and accommodated, and are in all respects in that condition of cleanliness and wholesomeness, for which this Code or any law of this State provides, or in which they or either of them require any such premises should be kept in a sanitary condition. No rent, let, hire out, or allow, having power to prevent the same to be used as or for a place of sleeping or residence, any portion or apartment of any building, which apartment or portion has not at least one foot of its height and six inches above the level of every part of the sidewalk and curbstone of any adjacent street, nor of which the floor is damp by reason of water from the ground, or which is impregnated or penetrated by any offensive gas, smell, or exhalation, or is in a condition in which section shall not prevent the leasing, renting, or occupancy of cellars or rooms less elevated than aforesaid, and as a part of any building rented or let, when they are not let or hired out, or occupied, or as a principal or sole dwelling apartment.

EMMONS CLARK,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMMISSIONERS of the Department of Public Parks, in the City of New York, will, on the 22d day of August, 1888, at 11 o'clock a. m., at their office, in the Emigrant Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, in said city, hear and consider all statements, objections and evidence that may then and there be offered in reference to a proposed change in the lines of Decatur avenue, between Isaac and Travers streets, and the Twenty-fourth Ward, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887.

The contemplated change consists in changing the location, course and lines, and discontinuing any part of Decatur avenue, between Isaac and Travers streets.

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

J. HAMPTEN ROBB,
M. C. D. BORDEN,
WALDO HUTCHINS,
STEVENS TOWLE,
Commissioners of Public Parks.

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

NOTICE.

PARTIES INTERESTED IN THE MATTER OF the grades of the following-named streets in the Twenty-fourth Ward, are requested to call at the office of the Department of Public Parks, within ten days from date, and examine maps showing such grades as proposed to be established, and make known their views in relation thereto:

East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, from Carter avenue to the Southern Boulevard, in the Twenty-fourth Ward.

Birch street, from Wolf street to Marcher avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward.

Boscobel avenue, from the easterly approach to the bridge over Harlem river at West One Hundred and Eighty-first street to Jerome avenue, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.

By order of the Department of Public Parks,
CHARLES DE F. BURNS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, July 27, 1888.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

UNDER CHAPTER 457 OF THE LAWS OF 1888, an act relative to railways in the Transverse Roads of the Central Park, in the City of New York, the Department of Public Parks, with the concurrence of the Sinking Fund Commissioners, is authorized to construct railways in the Transverse Roads, and to contract, in the name of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, with any persons or corporations for the construction, equipment and running of said railways, and to regulate the same, and to determine upon such terms and conditions, including the rates of fare to be charged to persons using such railways, for such compensation to be paid to the said Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and subject to such rules and regulations as may be determined upon by such contracts, and as the said Department, with the concurrence of the Sinking Fund Commissioners, may from time to time establish or impose. The said Department, with the concurrence of the Sinking Fund Commissioners, is authorized to agree with the person or corporation with whom any contract may be made for the construction, equipment and running of said railways that the cost of such construction shall be paid by the City in installments of the compensation which such person or corporation shall agree to pay to said City under any such contract, from time to time, as such compensation shall be received.

Public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of Public Parks will receive and consider proposals for the construction and operation of a railway or railways in and through the Central Park Transverse Roads, in accordance with the provisions of the act above cited, at a meeting to be held at their office, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, on Wednesday, September 5, 1888, at 11 o'clock a. m.

By order of the Department of Public Parks,
CHARLES DE F. BURNS,
Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
157 and 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,
NEW YORK, July 31, 1888.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE materials and labor, and doing the work required for constructing two houses—No. 120 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, and the other at No. 120 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth 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 10 o'clock a. m., Monday, August 13, 1888, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

Estimates will be received from bidders for both houses together in one bid (in which case the bid or estimate submitted should state a sum for both houses together only and not a separate price for each house) and for each house in a separate bid. Estimates in any or all of these forms will be received from the same bidder if desired.

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 forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Department.

Bidders will write on 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 (110) 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 per day.

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 sealed envelope, to be opened 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 an officer or member of the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any contract with any other person, and that it is made 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 of the City of New York, or any other officer or member 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 must 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 eighteen thousand (\$18,000) dollars for both houses together, or of nine thousand and five hundred (\$9,500) dollars for the house in West Eighty-third street, and of eight thousand and five hundred (\$8,500) dollars for the house in East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth 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 would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting, or to the amount of each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all debts of every kind, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of nine hundred (\$900) dollars for both houses together, or of four hundred and twenty-five (\$425) dollars for the house in West Eighty-third street, and of four hundred and twenty-five (\$425) dollars for the house in East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth 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 deposits, except the successful bidder's, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

NOTICE.

MESSRS. VAN TASSELL & KEARNEY, Auctioneers, will sell, to the highest bidder, at public auction, for account of the Department of Docks, on Wednesday, August 15, 1888, commencing at 10 o'clock a. m., the following-named and described old material, at the places stated, to wit:

At West Fifty-seventh Street.

Lot 1—Old wrought-iron, about 6,800 pounds.
Lot 2—Old cast-iron, about 800 pounds.
Lot 3—Consisting of about 9 pairs old rubber boots, about 6 old shoes, about 7 pairs old ash oars, about 24 old capal barrows.
Lot 4—Raft of old timber, about 40 feet long, about 17 feet wide, 1 foot high.
Lot 5—1 raft of old timber, about 42 feet long, about 24 feet wide, and about 1 foot high.
Lot 6—Raft of old timber, about 30 feet long, about 17 feet wide, and about 1 foot high.
All these lots at West Fifty-seventh street must be removed within five days from the date of sale, by the purchaser.

At West Thirtieth Street.

Lot 7—Raft of old 3" plank and pile butts, about 18' x 24' x 4'.
Lot 8—Raft of old piles, about 30' x 12' x 4'.
Lot 9—Raft of old square timber and short pile butts, 44' x 15' x 4'.
Lot 10—Raft of old square timber, old piles and short pile butts, 100' x 20' x 4'.
Lot 11—Raft of old square timber and short pile butts, 37' x 16' x 4'.
Lot 12—Raft of old 3" plank and pile butts, 22' x 14' x 3'.
Lot 13—Raft of old 3" plank, square timber and short pile butts, 41' x 18' x 3'.
Lot 14—Raft of old 3" plank, 29' x 15' x 5'.
Lot 15—Raft of old 3" plank, 29' x 20' x 6'.
Lot 16—Raft of old piles (about twenty-five), 40' x 17' x 5'.
Lot 17—Raft of old 4" plank, 25' x 26' x 5'.
Lot 18—Raft of old 3" plank and square timber, 25' x 16' x 5'.
Lot 19—Raft of old 3" plank, 25' x 17' x 4'.
Lot 20—Raft of old square timber, pile butts and plank, 100' x 20' x 5'.
The purchaser must remove the whole of these lots within five days from the date of sale.

At West Street, between North Moore and Beach Streets.

Lot 21—One two-story shed, about 28 feet wide by 57 feet deep by 36 feet high, with everything now standing above the deck plank or sheathing on the bulkhead platform, between the north and south sides of North Moore street, including siding gates, posts, guard-timbers, and also one pile of about thirty old pile butts from 10 feet to 30 feet long.

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

Lot 22—One one-story shed, about 54 feet long, 65 feet deep and 24 feet high, with everything now standing above the deck plank or sheathing on the bulkhead platform, between the north and south sides of North Moore street, including siding gates, posts, guard-timbers, and also one pile of about thirty old pile butts from 10 feet to 30 feet long.

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

Lot 23—One one-story shed, 123 feet long, 65 feet deep and 24 feet high; one one-story shed, 58 feet long, 64 feet deep and 26 feet high, with everything now standing above the deck plank or sheathing on the bulkhead platform, between a line 54 feet north of the north side of North Moore street and the north line of Beach street, including siding gates, posts, guard-timbers, and one fence about 10 feet by 10 feet, between lots 23 and 24.

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

East Seventeenth Street Yard.

Lot 24—Lot wrought-iron screw-bolts, about 7,647 pounds.
Lot 25—Lot old wrought-iron, about 13,500 pounds.
Lot 26—Lot old cast-iron, about 3,868 pounds.
Lot 27—Lot old dock plank, 72 feet long, 12 feet wide, and 9 feet high.
Lot 28—Lot old wood, 26 feet long, 15 feet wide and 5 feet high.
Lot 29—Lot old crates covering or arches, 34 feet long, 5 feet wide and 5 feet high.
Lot 30—13 old sky-light sashes.
Lot 31—7 old wooden concrete buckets.
Lot 32—5 old iron concrete buckets.
Lot 33—2 old grave markers.
Lot 34—2 old iron buckets.
Lot 35—1 old oil-can.
Lot 36—1 old oil barrel.
Lot 37—1 old ladder.
Lot 38—1 old stove.
Lot 39—5 old double blocks.
The purchaser must remove all of each one of these lots within five days from the date of sale.

CONDITIONS OF THE SALE.

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

Each lot above lots will be sold separately and for a sum in gross.

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

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

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

LUCIUS J. N. STARK,

JAMES MATTHEWS,
EDWIN N. POST,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

JURORS.

NOTICE
IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,
ROOM 127, STEWART BUILDING,
CHAMBERS STREET AND BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, June 1, 1888.

APPLICATIONS FOR EXEMPTIONS WILL BE heard here, from 10 o'clock a. m. to 4 p. m., on 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 pay their taxes, or who have been excused, or who are exempted, will be required 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 answer in person, giving full and correct name, residence, etc., etc. No attention paid to letters.

Persons "enrolled" as liable must serve when called or pay their taxes. 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 see that the law is respected, and equalize their duty by serving promptly when summoned, allowing their clerks or subordinates to serve, reporting to me any attempt at bribery or evasion, and suggesting names for enrollment. Persons between sixty and seventy years of age, and infirm persons temporarily ill, and United States jurors are not exempt.

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

CHARLES REILLY,

Commissioner of Jurors.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

List 2775, No. 1. Planting trees on West End avenue, in accordance with the following ordinance:

"That in each sidewalk of Eleventh (West End) avenue, between Seventy-second and One Hundred and Seventy-second streets, two rows of maple trees be planted, the trees to be planted thirty feet apart."

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

No. 1. Both sides of Eleventh (West End) avenue, from Seventy-second to One Hundred and Seventy-second street.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to the Chairman of the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 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 11th day of September, 1888.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 115 City Hall,
NEW YORK, August 10, 1888.

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

List 2530, No. 1. Sewer and appurtenances in Washington and Brook avenue, and One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street.

List 2686, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging in Fort George avenue, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.

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

No. 1. Bounded on the north by One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, on the south by One Hundred and Sixty-second street and Brook avenue, on the east by Boston and Third avenues, and on the west by Washington avenue; including the east side of Boston avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-seventh to One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, and both sides of Washington avenue, from Brook avenue to One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street.

No. 2. Both sides of Fort George avenue, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to the Chairman of the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 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 5th day of September, 1888.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 115 City Hall,
NEW YORK, August 4, 1888.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
ROOM 209, STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, August 14, 1888.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING and manufacturing, fitting, placing, etc., ten 48-inch stop-cock valves and gearing at the Gate-house at One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and Convent avenue, on Section 15, and four 48-inch stop-cock valves and gearing to be used at Shaft No. 25 on Section 12, and one 48-inch stop-cock valve and gearing to be used at the new Gate-house on Section 1 of the New Aqueduct, as called for in the approved forms of contract and specifications on file in the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners, will be received at this office until Thursday, August 30, 1888, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the Aqueduct Commissioners, and the award of the contract for said work and furnishing said material will be made by said Commissioners as soon thereafter as possible.

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

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

JOHN C. SHEEHAN,
Secretary.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
ROOM 209, STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY,
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JAMES C. DUANE,
President.

JOHN C. SHEEHAN,
Secretary.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
New York, August 13, 1888.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT
two horses, the property of this Department, will be sold at public auction on Tuesday, August 22, 1888, at ten o'clock A. M., by Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers, at their stables, No. 110 East Thirtieth street.

By order of the Board.

WILLIAM DELAMATER,
First Deputy Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
New York, August 2, 1888.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT
a horse, the property of this Department, will be sold at public auction on Friday, August 17, 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—CITY OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE PROPERTY CLERK (Room No. 9),
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, 1887.

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

JOHN F. HARRIOT,
Property Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING,
Nos. 49 and 51, CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, August 1, 1888.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT
the following articles, the property of the Department of Street Cleaning, will be sold at public auction at the Stables of this Department, Seventeenth street and Avenue C, by William Kennelly, auctioneer, on Thursday, 16th day of August, 1888, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon:

Four Horses, known as Nos. 27, 45, 56, and 116.
About 10,000 pounds old Rope.
About 20,000 pounds Scrap Iron.
About 2,000 pounds old Horseshoes.
About 100 pounds old Composition Metal.
1 old Prop. Wheel and Shaft.
1 old Gig.

TERMS OF SALE.

The purchase money to be paid in bankable funds at the time of sale, or the articles will be resold.
Purchasers will be required to remove their articles from the Stables within twenty-four hours after the sale.
Information relating to the articles to be sold may be obtained from the Superintendent of the Stables, at Seventeenth street and Avenue C.

JAMES S. COLEMAN,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES, ETC.

8,800 pounds Dairy Butter, sample on exhibition, Thursday, August 23, 1888.
1,500 pounds Cheese.
5,000 pounds Dried Apples.
12,000 pounds Rice.
40,000 pounds French Sugar.
3,000 pounds Coffee Sugar.
4,000 pounds Cut Leaf Sugar.
6,000 pounds Oolong Tea.
100 barrels Crackers.
100 bushel Dried Peas.
20 bushels best quality Kettle Rendered Leaf Lard, 50 pounds each.
40 dozen Canned Peaches.
350 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.
534 barrels good sound White Potatoes, to weigh 172 pounds net per barrel.
50 barrels prime Red or Yellow Onions, to weigh 150 pounds net per barrel.
1,500 heads prime good-sized Cabbage.
40 pieces prime quality, City Cured Bacon, to average about 6 pounds.
30 prime quality, City Cured Smoked Hams, to average about 14 pounds.
1,000 bushels Oats, 32 pounds net per bushel.
30 bags Coarse Meal, 70 pounds net each.
300 bales prime quality long, bright Rye Straw, tare not to exceed three pounds; weight charged as received at Blackwell's Island.

DRY GOODS.

100 pieces Oiled Muslin.
200 gross Cotton Sheet Laces.
20 gross Fine Combs.

HARDWARE, IRON, ETC.

10 bundles first quality Galvanized Iron No. 24, 24 x 84.
1 dozen Lathing Hatchets.
15 dozen Taper Saw Files, 10 1/4" x 5".
25 barrels Standard White Kerosene Oil 150° Test.

LEATHER.

300 sides prime quality Waxed Kip Leather, to average about 11 feet.
300 sides prime quality Waxed Upper Leather, to average about 17 feet.
2,000 pounds Offal Leather.

LIME.

25 barrels W. W. Lime, first quality.
25 barrels Plaster Paris, first quality.

LUMBER.

200 first quality Spruce Plank, 1 1/2" x 12".
200 first quality Hemlock Joists, 3" x 4" x 13".
80 first quality Spruce Floor Plank, 1 1/2" x 9", dressed, tongued and grooved.
50 first quality Spruce Floor Plank, tongued and grooved, 1 1/2" x 9".
100 bunches Extra XXX. clear sawed Pine Shingles, 18".
2,000 feet Electric Moulding.
All lumber to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.

—will be received at the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9:30 o'clock A. M. of Friday, August 24, 1888. The person or

persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed, "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Dry Goods, Iron, Hardware, Leather, Lumber, etc.," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract, or from time to time, as the Commissioners may determine.

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

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

Dated NEW YORK, August 13, 1888.

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

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FLOUR.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING
and delivering, free of all expense, at the Bakershop, No. 66 Third Avenue, 4,000 barrels (no sacks) extra Wheat Flour, in lots of 200 to 1,000 barrels, one-half of each quality, as follows:

2,000 barrels of sample marked No. 1.

2,000 barrels of sample marked No. 2.

Only 2,000 empty barrels to be returned.

—will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 9:30 o'clock A. M. of Friday, August 24, 1888. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed, "Bid or Estimate for Flour," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time

and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

The contract shall be made with the person or persons awarded by the Board of Public Charities and Correction, and also an award from the Committee on Flour of the Exchange, that the flour offered is equal to the standard of the Department, and which certificate shall accompany each delivery of flour, the expense of such inspection and award to be borne by the contractor, also certificate of weight and tare to be furnished with each delivery.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract, or from time to time as the Commissioners may determine.

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

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

Dated NEW YORK, August 13, 1888.

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

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR STEAM HEATING AT CENTRAL ISLAND, LONG ISLAND, NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE
aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 9:30 o'clock A. M. of Tuesday, August 21, 1888. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed, "Bid or Estimate for Steam Heating at Central Island, Long Island, New York," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES

IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 64, CHAPTER 410, LAWS OF 1882.

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, in the penal amount of TEN THOUSAND (\$10,000) dollars.

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

Each bid or estimate must be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation the difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, 1880, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security as has been heretofore stated to be requisite, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet 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, August 8, 1888.

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

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

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 foot of Forty-third street, North river—Unknown man, aged about 23 years; 5 feet 9 inches high; black hair and moustache; brown eyes. Had on white knitted undershirt, white cotton socks.

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

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

Unknown man, from foot of Governor's Island; 3 feet 7 1/2 inches high. Had on gray striped calico shirt, blue striped hickory shirt, white knitted undershirt, brown plaid overalls, blue plaid overalls, brogan shoes, gray socks; body very much decomposed.

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

Unknown man, from foot of Orin Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, East river; aged about 20 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; sandy hair. Had on brown lawn-tennis shirt, dark pants, white knitted undershirt, muslin drawers, red socks, garters.

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

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Catherine Weiss, aged 43 years; 5 feet 1 1/2 inches high; brown hair; blue eyes. Had on black dress, white cotton drawers, light hood, striped petticoat, shoes, stockings.

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

Thomas McGowan, aged 34 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; gray eyes; brown hair. Had on when admitted blue serge coat, vest and pants, black gaiters, black derby hat.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.
By order.
G. F. BRITTON,
Secretary.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

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

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

Birmingham street sewer, between Henry and Madison streets.

Bleeker street sewer, between Christopher and West Tenth streets.

Boulevard fencing vacant lots on west side, between One Hundred and Twenty-fourth and One Hundred and Twenty-sixth streets.

Madison avenue fencing vacant lots on southeast corner of One Hundred and Twelfth street, extending about 120 feet on Madison avenue and about 70 feet on One Hundred and Twelfth street.

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

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

Seventh avenue laying an additional course of flagging on the east side, between One Hundred and Twenty-first and One Hundred and Twenty-second streets.

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

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

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

Fourth street basin, on southeast corner of Fourth avenue.

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

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

Seventy-sixth street and Lexington avenue basin, on southwest corner of.

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

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

Eighty-first street paving with granite-block pavement, from Eighth to Ninth avenue.

Eighty-fifth street paving with granite-block pavement, from Eighth to Ninth avenue.

Eighty-seventh street sewer, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

Eighty-seventh street regulating, grading, setting curbstones and flagging, from the Boulevard to West End avenue.

Nineteenth street regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, from First avenue to Avenue A.

Ninety-first street regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, from Eighth to Ninth avenue.

Ninety-fourth street paving with granite-block pavement, from Ninth to Tenth avenue.

Ninety-fourth and One Hundred-fifth streets fencing vacant lots, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

Ninety-ninth street paving with granite-block pavement, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

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

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

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

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

Section 97 of the said act provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge the same, and receive interest thereon, at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," between the hours of 9 A. M. and 5 P. M., on all payments made thereon on or before October 15, 1888, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

THEODORE W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS AND ARREARS OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS AND OF WATER RENTS,
OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR OF ASSESSMENTS AND CLERK OF ARREARS,
STEWART BUILDING, ROOM 35, AUGUST 7, 1888.

NOTICE OF THE SALE OF LANDS AND TENEMENTS FOR UNPAID TAXES OF 1869 TO 1882, AND CROTON WATER RENTS OF 1868 TO 1881, UNDER THE DIRECTION OF THEODORE W. MYERS, COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

That the respective owners of all the lands and tenements situated in the Wards Nos. 1 to 24, inclusive, in the City of New York, in which taxes and water rents have been assessed and confirmed for the years 1869 to 1882, both inclusive, and are now remaining due and unpaid; and also the respective owners of all lands and tenements in the City of New York, situated in the Ward of Croton water rents, and confirmed for the years 1868 to 1881, both inclusive, and are now remaining due and unpaid, are required to pay the said taxes and Croton water rents so remaining due and unpaid, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, from the time when the same became due to the time of payment, together with the charges of this notice and advertisement, to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at his office, the Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street, in said city.

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

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

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

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ALL THE right, title and interest of the Corporation of the City of New York in and to certain land in the Twelfth Ward of said city will be sold at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the Comptroller's Office, No. 260 Broadway, at noon on Wednesday, the 22d day of August, 1888, under a resolution adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, July 12, 1888, as follows:

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to appoint an appraiser and have an appraisal made of the right, title and interest of the City in and to a certain plot of land in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, described and bounded as follows: * * * Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northern side of One Hundred and Seventh street and the southern side of First avenue; thence running northerly along said First avenue seventy-five feet seven inches; thence running westerly, parallel with said One Hundred and Seventh street, one hundred feet; thence running southerly, parallel with said First avenue, seventy-five feet seven inches to the northerly side of said One Hundred and Seventh street; and thence running easterly along said One Hundred and Seventh street, one hundred feet to the point or place of beginning; and when said appraisal is made, to sell the same at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, pursuant to section 170 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, the purchaser to receive the proceeds of such sale, to be applied to the assessments and water rents that may be due on the premises.

THEO. W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

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

REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

THE ATTENTION OF LAWYERS, REAL ESTATE OWNERS, MONETARY INSTITUTIONS ENGAGED IN MAKING LOANS UPON REAL ESTATE, AND OTHERS 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
Copies of the same, ready for sale, to "Mr. Stephen Angel" Room 23, Stewart Building.

THEODORE W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

SUPREME COURT.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the eleventh day of September, 1888, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said eleventh day of September, 1888, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at two o'clock P. M.

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

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz: Northerly by the southerly side of One Hundred and Eighty-first street and extending from the westerly side of Eleventh avenue to the easterly side of Tenth avenue; southerly by the westerly side of Tenth avenue; easterly by a straight line parallel with, and distant 100 feet southerly from, the southerly side of One Hundred and Eighty-first street and extending from the westerly side of Eleventh avenue to the easterly side of Tenth avenue; westerly by a straight line parallel with, and distant 100 feet southerly from, the southerly side of One Hundred and Eighty-first street and extending from the westerly side of Eleventh avenue to the easterly side of Tenth avenue; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened and all the unimproved land included therein, together with all the improved land, pieces or parcels shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Works, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the twenty-eighth day of September, 1888, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, July 26, 1888.
EDWARD HOGAN,
JOHN WHALEN,
HAROLD M. SMITH,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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, together with our maps, and also the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 27th day of August, 1888, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 27th day of August, 1888, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at two o'clock P. M.

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

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz: Northerly by the southerly side of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street; easterly by the centre line of the blocks between Claremont avenue and Riverside Drive; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened and all the unimproved land included therein, together with all the improved land, pieces or parcels shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Works, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 14th day of September, 1888, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, July 13, 1888.
JOSEPH B. ECCLESINE,
J. ROMAINE BROWN,
DAVID KEANE,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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:

proved or unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 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 2½ o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 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 the southerly side of Fordham Landing road; easterly by the centre line of the block between Sedgwick avenue and Andrews avenue and East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, and westerly by the centre line of the block between Sedgwick avenue and Loring place; southerly by the division line between the properties of the Henry W. T. Mail estate and Herman C. and Catherine E. Tawab and Poschner, an undivided estate, by the centre line of the block between Sedgwick avenue and Heath avenue and Fordham Landing road. Also all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz: Northerly by a straight line drawn westerly and at right angles with the westerly side of Sedgwick avenue, and extending from a point where the westerly line of Heath avenue intersects the westerly line of Sedgwick avenue, about one hundred feet to the easterly line of the lands of the New York City 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 westerly line of Sedgwick avenue, through a point on the easterly line of Sedgwick avenue opposite the aforesaid point of intersection, and designated on our benefit map as the end of a straight course of 496-44 feet to the easterly limit of the area of assessment, as hereafter described; easterly by the centre line of the blocks between Sedgwick avenue and Undercliff 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 Commerce avenue and 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 or nearly so with and distant about 260 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 from the northerly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street, to the easterly side of the block between Sedgwick avenue and Undercliff avenue, and extending from Sedgwick avenue to the lands of the New York City and Northern Railroad; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues roads, public squares or places, shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Works, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874 and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the twenty-fourth day of August, 1888, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, June 15, 1888.
EDWARD L. PARRIS,
WILLIAM H. WYLLIS,
JOSEPH KUNZMANN,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York for and on behalf of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-NINTH STREET, from the Boulevard to Tenth avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 27th day of July, 1888, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 27th day of July, 1888, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at one o'clock P. M.

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

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

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the twenty-fourth day of August, 1888, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, June 15, 1888.
EDWARD L. PARRIS,
WILLIAM H. WYLLIS,
JOHN H. KITCHEN,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

GRANTS OF LANDS UNDER WATER.

THE OWNERS OF LANDS IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, which were formerly under water, and which were granted by the City of New York, are notified that nearly all of the grants of such lands contain covenants, on the part of the grantees, and their successors and assigns, to maintain and keep in repair the adjacent streets, and that many of these streets are in such a state of disrepair that they should be repaired and repaved, and that the obligation resting upon the present owners of adjacent lots to do this work should now be enforced. Many of such owners have requested that such covenants be removed, and that the adjacent streets be repaved, and that the obligation resting upon the present owners of adjacent lots to do this work should now be enforced. Many of such owners have requested that such covenants be removed, and that the adjacent streets be repaved, and that the obligation resting upon the present owners of adjacent lots to do this work should now be enforced.

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

Dated NEW YORK CITY, August 7, 1888.

JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, August 7, 1888.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock, Tuesday, August 21, 1888, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING EIGHTY-NINTH STREET, from Tenth Avenue to the Boulevard, and SETTING CURBSTONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING TWELFTH AVENUE, from One Hundred and Thirty-third to One Hundred and Thirty-fifth Street, and SETTING CURBSTONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

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

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

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

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

No. 7. FOR SEWER IN MADISON AVENUE, between One Hundred and Thirty-fifth and One Hundred and Thirty-sixth Streets.

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

No. 9. FOR SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIFTH STREET, between Tenth Avenue and Eleventh Avenue, Boulevard.

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 therefrom.

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

The consent last above mentioned must be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as 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 estimate, deposited in the City of New York, to the credit of the Department, or 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 Estimate-book 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 Rooms 3 and 9, No. 31 Chambers Street.

JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, August 7, 1888.

TO CONTRACTORS.

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

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 therefrom.

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

The consent last above mentioned must be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as 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 estimate, deposited in the City of New York, to the credit of the Department, or 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 Estimate-book 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 359, Laws 1887, as follows:

The Commissioner of public works shall, from time to time, establish scales of rents for the supplying of water, which rents shall be collected in the manner now provided by law, and which shall be apportioned to different classes of buildings in said city in reference to their dimensions, values, exposure to fires, ordinary uses for dwellings, stores, shops, private stables and other common purposes, number of families or occupants, or consumption of water, as near as may be practicable, and modify, alter, amend and increase such scale from time to time, and extend it to other descriptions of buildings and establishments. All extra charges for water shall be deemed to be included in the regular rents, and shall become a charge and lien upon the buildings upon which they are levied, 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 rents, including the extra charges aforesaid, shall become a charge and lien upon such houses and lots respectively, as herein provided, but no charge whatever shall be made against any building in which a water-meter may have been, or shall be placed as provided in this act. In each case the extra charge for water shall be determined only by the quantity of water actually used as shown by said meters. * * * * *

The regular annual rents to be collected by the Department of Public Works shall be as follows, to wit: Croton Water Rates for Buildings from 16 to 50 feet, all others not specified subject to Special Rates.

FRONT WIDTH.	1 Story.	2 Stories.	3 Stories.	4 Stories.	5 Stories.
16 feet and under.	\$4 00	\$5 00	\$6 00	\$7 00	\$8 00
16 to 18 feet.....	5 00	6 00	7 00	8 00	9 00
18 to 20 feet.....	6 00	7 00	8 00	9 00	10 00
20 to 22½ feet.....	7 00	8 00	9 00	10 00	11 00
22½ to 25 feet.....	8 00	9 00	10 00	11 00	12 00
25 to 30 feet.....	10 00	11 00	12 00	13 00	14 00
30 to 37½ feet.....	12 00	13 00	14 00	15 00	16 00
37½ to 50 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:

BAKERYES.—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 stationary 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-tens 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.

FULL SIZES not metered, the rates shall be as follows:

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

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

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

HORSE TROUGH.—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 drain to prevent overflow.

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 from five to twenty dollars, in the discretion of the Commissioner of Public Works.

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

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

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

STREAM 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 on 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; and for each additional seat, one dollar. In buildings or on any other portion of the premises. Urinals shall be charged two dollars per annum each.

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

For any 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 in which an undue amount of water can be drawn by holding up the handle, per year, each, five dollars.

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

Cistern answering this description can be seen at this Department.

METERS.

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

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

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

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

PER DAY, GALLONS.	PER 100 GALLONS, RATE.	PER ANNUM, AMOUNT.
25	05	\$3 75
50	05	7 50
60	05	9 00
70	05	10 50
80	05	12 00
90	05	13 50
100	05	15 00
110	05	16 50
120	05	18 00
130	05	19 50
140	05	21 00
150	05	22 50
160	05	24 00
170	05	25 50
180	05	27 00
190	05	28 50
200	05	30 00
210	05	31 50
220	05	33 00
230	05	34 50
240	05	36 00
250	05	37 50
260	05	39 00
270	05	40 50
280	05	42 00
290	05	43 50
300	05	45 00
310	05	46 50
320	05	48 00
330	05	49 50
340	05	51 00
350	05	52 50
360	05	54 00
370	05	55 50
380	05	57 00
390	05	58 50
400	05	60 00

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

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

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

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

HYDRANTS, HOSES, TROUGHES, FOUNTAINS, ETC., ETC.

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

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

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

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

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

Taps at wash-basins, water-closets, latrines and urinals must not be left running, under the penalty of five dollars for each offense, which must 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, house-fronts, yards, court-yards, gardens, and about stables, is prohibited. Where premises are provided with wells, special permits will be issued for the use of hose, in order that the police or inspectors of this department may understand that the permission is not for the use of Croton water.

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

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

By order, JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

PUBLIC NOTICE AS TO WATER RATES.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT

Laws 1887, amending sections 350 and 352 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, passed June 9, 1887, the following changes are made in charging and collecting water rents:

1st. All extra charges for water incurred from and after June 9, 1887, shall be treated, collected and returned in 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 shall be ascertained by the Board of Assessors, and shall include all charges and penalties of every nature.

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

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

5th. Charges for so-called extra water rents of every nature, imposed or incurred prior to June 9, 1887, will be canceled 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,
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, September 29, 1886.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

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

JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
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NOTICE TO CROTON WATER CONSUMERS.

NUMEROUS APPLICATIONS HAVE BEEN

made to this Department for the purpose of 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 used.

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

It is therefore a lien upon all householders that, in all further applications for reduction of water rents, no allowance will be made on account of waste of water occurring through leaks, from defective service pipes or plumbing, or of waste of water by tenants or occupants of buildings, through such Department or waste which have occurred without the knowledge or consent of the owners of the buildings.

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

JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioner of Public Works

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