

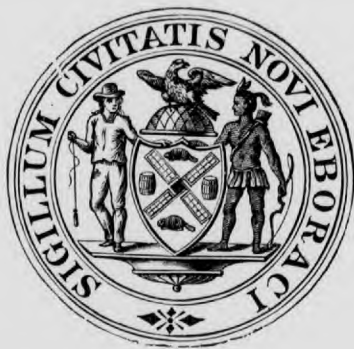
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FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
April 17, 1885.

Present—President Cornelius Van Cott, Commissioners Henry D. Purroy and Richard Croker. Proposals for constructing house for Engine Co. No. 45, laid over on 15th instant, were disposed of, as follows:

- No. 1.—From A. Arctander. Filed.
No. 2.—From Alfred Nugent. Referred to the Comptroller for action upon the sureties.

Communications.

From—

Inspector of Buildings—Form of notice authorizing Hofken & Hollwedel, to enter upon premises No. 35 Hester street and make same safe, work to be done without expense to the Department. Approved, and referred back with authority to issue in name of Fire Department.

Same—Forwarding reports of Examiners: on fire-escapes (11), on violations (17), on unsafe buildings (22), with recommendation and form of notice in each case. Approved, and referred back with directions.

The minutes of meetings held 8th, 9th, 10th, 13th, 14th and 15th instant, were read and approved.

On motion, adjourned.

CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Assistant Secretary.

APRIL 18, 1885.

Present—President Cornelius Van Cott, Commissioners Henry D. Purroy and Richard Croker.

Communications.

From—

Inspector of Buildings—Forwarding reports of Examiners: on unsafe buildings (16), with recommendation and form of notice in each case. Approved, and referred back with directions.

Supply Clerk—Returning communication from the Comptroller relative to voucher in favor of W. A. Ohlsen, with report as directed. Filed, with directions to return voucher with copy of report. On motion, adjourned.

CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Assistant Secretary.

APRIL 15, 1885.

Present—President Cornelius Van Cott, Commissioners Henry D. Purroy and Richard Croker.

Communication.

From—

Inspector of Buildings—Forwarding reports of Examiners: on fire-escapes (6), on violations (8), on unsafe buildings (10), with recommendation and form of notice in each case. Approved, and referred back with directions.

On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

APRIL 22, 1885.

Present—President Cornelius Van Cott and Commissioner Richard Croker.

Trial.

Foreman Austin C. Dusenberre, of Engine Co. No. 29, charged with "absence without leave." Found guilty; laid over.

Assistant Foreman James Heaney, of Engine Co. No. 13, detailed to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 15, charged with "violation section 1, paragraph 2, General Orders No. 21, 1881," and "neglect of duty." Found guilty and fined five days' pay.

Fireman Luke McSherry, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 6, charged with "under the influence of liquor," "disobedience of orders," and "conduct prejudicial to good order." Found guilty and fined ten days' pay.

Fireman Gustave Fuhrmann, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 6, charged with "conduct prejudicial to good order." Found guilty and fined five days' pay.

Commissioner Purroy entered and took part in the proceedings.

Fireman Thomas F. Fannan, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 6, charged with "under the influence of liquor" and "neglect of duty." Found guilty and fined five days' pay.

Fireman George Davis, of Engine Co. No. 47, charged with "conduct prejudicial to good order." Found guilty and fined five days' pay.

Communications.

From—

Supply Clerk—Relative to supply of forage. Filed, with directions to prepare form of contract for approval and to advertise for proposals.

Same—Requisitions for articles required. Estimated cost, \$309, \$51.80, \$125 and \$495, respectively. Ordered.

Superintendent Repairs to Buildings—Requisitions for repairs required to various company quarters. Estimated cost, \$855, \$590 and \$625, respectively. Ordered.

Foreman in charge Repair Shops—Requisitions for repairs to pipes, ladders, etc., estimated cost, \$26.71 and \$250, respectively. Ordered.

Comptroller—Returning proposal of Alfred Nugent for erecting house for Engine Co. No. 45, with approval of the sureties. Filed, and contract awarded for \$13,597.

Same—Statements of condition of appropriation to 18th instant. Filed.

Same—Notice of indorsement of certificate upon contracts. Filed.

Same—Receipt for security deposits accompanying proposals opened 15th instant. Filed.

Same—Requesting return of sample sponges. Compliance directed.

Examining Board for Engineers—Report of Examination on application for promotion of Fireman Henry R. Allison. Filed, and promotion to rank of Assistant Engineer Steamer, Engine Co. No. 5, at \$1,100 per annum, ordered from 1st proximo.

Chief of Department, Fire Marshal and Foreman in charge Repair Shops—Reports of operations for quarter ending March 31. Filed.

Second Assistant Chief of Department—Reporting loss of theatre detail badge. Laid over.

Chief Eighth Battalion—Report of inspection of Lyceum Theatre. Referred to Inspector of Combustibles, with directions to require compliance with recommendations.

Foreman Engine Co. No. 4—Report of repairs required to quarters. Referred to Superintendent Repairs to Buildings for inspection and report.

Foreman Engine Co. No. 46—Report of voluntary service of Assistant Engineer of Steamer Timothy McGrath, of Engine Co. No. 50, at fire No. 1940 Vanderbilt avenue, on 11th instant. Filed.

Fireman James J. McGrath of Engine Co. No. 35—Volunteering for instruction in Life Saving Corps. Filed.

Inspector of Combustibles—Report of licenses and permits issued to 21st inst. Filed.

Same—Reporting violations of law. Referred back, with directions to collect penalties.

Inspector of Buildings—Forwarding reports of Examiners: on fire-escapes (19), on violations (13), on unsafe buildings (35), with recommendation and form of notice in each case. Approved, and referred back with directions.

Same—Report of examination on application of John Nunan for appointment as Examiner. Filed.

Attorney—Returning application of Olin, Rives & Montgomery, attorneys, for remission of penalty, with recommendation that, as against Montgomery, the penalty be remitted. Approved.

Mayor's Office, R. J. Morrison, Secretary—Relative to Department report. Filed, having been answered.

Department of Docks—Stating that instructions have been given to prevent obstructions to Fire Boat, at Pier 48, East river. Filed.

Henry P. Degraaf—Requesting remission of penalties imposed in cases of violation of building laws. Referred to the Attorney.

Electric Underground Conduit Co.—Invitation to exhibition of their system. Filed.

Eugene Griffin, Lieutenant of Engineers, West Point—Requesting information as to value of destructible Department property. Filed, with directions to reply.

James A. Hudson, Attorney—Relative to decree of U. S. Circuit Court, in the matter of Wm. A. Briekill, and others, against the city. Referred to the Attorney.

James M. Lacoste—Complaint of Department trucks left standing in One Hundred and Forty-third street. Referred to Chief Twelfth Battalion for investigation and report.

Mineralized Rubber Company—Offering to place hose on trial. Filed.

A. F. Moneuse—Requesting copy of rules, etc. Compliance directed.

Richard J. Powers—Offering to purchase fire-alarm bell. Filed, with directions to reply that bell is required for use of the Department.

Smith, Field & Lyon—Requesting information relative to hose in service. Filed, with directions to reply.

United Asbestos Company, London—Requesting statistics of fires. Filed, with directions to furnish copy of report.

Fred. Roetting and others—Claims against members of the uniformed force. Filed, with directions to notify.

Resolution.

Whereas, The hydrants in the Central Park are provided with openings of different size from the regular fire-hydrants, by reason of which the standard couplings of this Department cannot be connected therewith; therefore,

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks be requested to furnish for the use of the apparatus of this Department, one dozen of park couplings; the said couplings, when furnished, to be fitted to suction and carried by the apparatus which respond to alarms of fire within the Central Park, with the view to the better protection of public property located therein, in case of fire. Adopted.

Communication to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, requesting that a sufficient space of land, adjoining the plot, on East Sixty-seventh street, assigned to this Department and upon which a building is now in course of erection, on the west side thereof, be reserved so as to admit necessary air and light to the interior of said building, was ordered to be signed by the Commissioners and transmitted to his Honor the Mayor.

Transfers.

—to take effect 25th instant:

Fireman William Farrell, Engine Co. No. 47 to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 10.

George Davis, Engine Co. No. 47 to Engine Co. No. 4.

Edward Curley, Engine Co. No. 47 to Engine Co. No. 7.

James Daly, Engine Co. No. 25 to Engine Co. No. 47.

John H. Griffin, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 10 to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 13.

August Levi, Engine Co. No. 4 to Engine Co. No. 47.

William Wogan, Engine Co. No. 7 to Engine Co. No. 47.

Bills

—audited and transmitted to the Comptroller for payment:

For the Current Year—Schedule No. 19.

Coolidge, George H., apparatus, supplies, etc.	\$350 00
Early, John & Co.,	353 10
Equitable Ice Co.,	12 77
Frost & Wood,	125 75
Gilmour, Robert M.,	23 50
Grady, T. & J. W.,	64 00
Grimes, James,	78 00
Haywood, S. F., Genl. Ag't	60 00
Ketterer, Charles P.,	90 20
National Stove Co.,	126 00
N. Y. Belting & Packing Co.,	10 80
Ogden & Wallace,	68 77
Peyser, John,	101 05
Powers, John, manager,	118 00
Schwabland, John,	121 20
Teasdale, William,	95 00
Van Cott, G. & R.,	30 00
Winant & Terhune,	317 25
Wright, R. J.,	662 58

\$2,809 77

On motion, adjourned.

CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Assistant Secretary.

APRIL 24, 1885.

Present—President Cornelius Van Cott, Commissioners Henry D. Purroy and Richard Croker.

Communication.

From—

Inspector of Buildings—Forwarding reports of Examiners: on fire-escapes (9), violations (24), on unsafe buildings (28), with recommendation and form of notice in each case. Approved, and referred back with directions.

On motion, adjourned.

CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Assistant Secretary.

APRIL 25, 1885.

Present—President Cornelius Van Cott and Commissioner Richard Croker.

Communication.

From—

Inspector of Buildings—Forwarding reports of Examiners: on unsafe buildings (12), with recommendation and form of notice in each case. Approved, and referred back with directions.

On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

APRIL 27, 1885.

Present—President Cornelius Van Cott, Commissioners Henry D. Purroy and Richard Croker.

Communication.

From—

Inspector of Buildings—Forwarding reports of Examiners: on fire-escapes (24), on violations (8), on unsafe buildings (9), with recommendation and form of notice in each case. Approved, and referred back with directions.

Report on Assembly Bill No. 469, relating to retirements from the uniformed force, submitted by Commissioner Purroy, was approved.

On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
SANITARY BUREAU, SEVENTH DIVISION—VITAL STATISTICS.

REPORTED MORTALITY* for the week ending April 25, 1885, together with the ACTUAL MORTALITY for the week ending April 18, 1885.

W. DE F. DAY, M. D., *Sanitary Superintendent and Register:*

SIR—There were 759 deaths reported to have occurred in this city during the week ending Saturday, April 25, 1885, which is an increase of 63, as compared with the number reported the preceding week, and 123 more than were reported during the corresponding week of the year 1884. The actual mortality for the week ending April 18, 1885, was 731, which is 21.0 above the average for the corresponding week for the past five years, and represents an annual death-rate of 27.36 per 1,000 persons living, the population estimated at 1,389,287.

Table showing the Reported Mortality for the week ending April 25, 1885, and the Actual Number of Deaths each day, from the Principal Causes, with the Ages of Decedents, for the week ending April 18, 1885.

METEOROLOGY.		Week ending Apr. 25.	Week ending Apr. 18.	ACTUAL NUMBER OF DEATHS EACH DAY DURING THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, APR. 18, 1885.								Total Actual Mortality during the week ending April 18, 1885.		Actual number of Deaths for the corresponding week of 1884.		Average number of Deaths in the corresponding week of the past five years.		Annual Death-rate per 1,000, during week (population estimated at 1,389,247).		AGE BY YEARS.																				SEX.	
		61.8	42.3																																						
		30.133	29.917																																						
		64	70																																						
		89.5	1,277																																						
		0.02	0.02																																						
CAUSES OF DEATH.		Total Deaths reported during the week ending Apr. 25, 1885.	Total Deaths reported during the week ending Apr. 18, 1885.	DATE.								Total Actual Mortality during the week ending April 18, 1885.		Actual number of Deaths for the corresponding week of 1884.		Average number of Deaths in the corresponding week of the past five years.		Annual Death-rate per 1,000, during week (population estimated at 1,389,247).																							
				Apr. 12.	Apr. 13.	Apr. 14.	Apr. 15.	Apr. 16.	Apr. 17.	Apr. 18.								Under 1 year.	1 to 2.	2 to 3.	3 to 4.	4 to 5.	Total under 5 years.	5 to 10.	10 to 15.	15 to 20.	20 to 25.	25 to 30.	30 to 35.	35 to 40.	40 to 45.	45 to 50.	50 to 55.	55 to 60.	60 to 65.	65 to 70.	70 and over.	Male.	Female.	COLORED.	
Total Deaths from all Causes.....		759	696	114	115	97	98	88	108	111	731	692	710.0	27.36	150	54	31	25	13	273	22	9	15	25	40	46	44	42	39	32	25	36	24	59	383	348	18				
Total Zymotic Diseases.....		139	134	26	23	16	23	18	19	10	135	109	160.8	5.09	39	28	18	15	9	109	10	2	1	2	4	5	4	4	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Total Constitutional Diseases.....		160	153	26	25	23	16	23	20	24	166	145	150.8	6.21	39	29	18	15	9	109	10	2	1	2	4	5	4	4	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Total Local Diseases.....		390	341	56	59	45	46	43	52	60	350	306	317.8	13.45	63	25	11	9	4	109	7	6	8	10	16	23	22	21	20	16	28	20	41	188	172	11					
Deaths by Violence.....		24	21	6	6	4	5	7	5	7	45	47	30.4	1.68	24	11	6	4	1	24	1	1	2	4	2	4	4	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Small-pox.....		27	25	3	4	2	8	2	6	4	29	2	17.2	1.08	12	7	3	4	1	26	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Measles.....		23	14	2	2	1	2	1	4	4	16	14	34.8	.60	4	3	4	3	1	15	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Scarlatina.....		27	25	3	4	5	4	2	3	1	22	19	25.4	.82	10	6	8	1	18	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Diphtheria.....		14	22	2	5	3	1	5	3	5	24	14	17.6	.90	1	7	4	5	5	20	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Membranous Croup.....		5	8	2	1	2	1	3	1	1	9	6	8.0	.34	4	2	2	1	9	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Whooping Cough.....		4	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8	7.0	.04	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Erysipelas.....		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	4.0	..	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Typhus Fever.....		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	4.0	..	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Yellow Fever.....		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	4.0	..	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Typhoid Fever.....		4	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	5.2	.04	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Cerebro-Spinal Fever.....		2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	7.0	.04	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Remittent, Intermittent, Typho-Malarial, Congestive and Simple Continued Fevers.....		11	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	4	4	10.4	.15	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Puerperal Diseases.....		9	11	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	11	10	9.4	.41	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Diarrhoeal Diseases.....		14	10	4	2	1	1	3	1	1	11	18	13.2	.41	9	1	1	1	1	9	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Inanition. Want of Breast Milk, etc.....		1	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	7	6.4	.11	3	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Alcoholism.....		3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	9	3.6	.11	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Rheumatism and Gout.....		3	0	1	2	1	1	2	1	2	8	6	5.2	.30	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Cancer.....		12	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	8	16	15.6	.30	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Phthisis Pulmonalis.....		169	110	18	20	17	15	17	15	10	131	89	101.4	4.33	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	3	10	17	25	10	13	15	9	3	5	3	3	67	54	1	1	1		
Bronchitis.....		39	40	6	5	9	5	4	4	1	31	30	42.1	1.53	13	9	3	1	1	25	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Pneumonia.....		133	109	26	26	18	13	16	18	23	132	71	97.6	4.94	22	11	5	8	5	49	1	1	3	5	9	10	6	9	6	4	9	12	67	65	5	1	1	1			
Heart Diseases.....		48	46	7	8	5	9	10	5	8	52	31	21.4	1.95	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	2	3	5	4	2	4	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Aneurism.....		16	12	3	1	3	1	1	6	1	16	18	14.8	.60	15	1	1	1	1	16	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Marasmus—Tubes Mesenterica and Scrofula.....		17	10	2	1	1	2	2	2	1	10	19	15.8	.37	5	1	2	1	1	8	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Hydrocephalus and Tubercular Meningitis.....		20	13	1	4	1	4	2	1	1	13	15	14.8	.49	2	2	1	1	1	6	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Meningitis and Encephalitis.....		14	11	1	4	1	1	1	3	2	12	10	11.6	.45	10	1	1	1	1	12	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Convulsions.....		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Direct Effect of Solar Heat.....		13	12	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	9	17	14.2	.34	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Apoplexy.....		70	56	3	14	4	9	7	6	9	52	53	57.0	1.95	17	2	3	1	1	24	1	1	2	1	3	1	4	1	1	1	1	2	5	1	4	24	28	2	2		
All Diseases of the Brain and Nervous System.....		2	5	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	6	10	6.4	.22	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Cirrhosis of Liver and Hepatitis.....		18	10	2	1	1	3	1	1	1	10	13	13.4	.37	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Enteritis, Gastro-Enteritis, Peritonitis, and Gastritis.....		52	44	8	6	5	0	5	7	5	42	36	36.0	1.50	2	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Bright's Disease and Nephritis.....		6	11	1	1	2	2	3	1	9	6	4	4.2	.34	9	1	1	1	1	9	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Cyanosis and Atelectasis.....		17	8	4	1	2	2	2	3	9	18	13.6	.34	9	1	1	1	1	1	9	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Premature and Pretermatural Births.....		1	5	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	3	1	1.4	.11	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Surgical Operations.....		4	4	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	6	6	4.8	.22	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Deaths by Suicide.....		2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3	3.2	..	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Deaths by Drowning.....		103	152	25	21	20	25	18	21	40	150	150	148.8	5.61	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	

* Refers to the number of death certificates received.

WARDS.	AREA IN ACRES.	DEATHS FROM ZYMOTIC DISEASES.													Total Deaths from all Causes.	Total Deaths, exclusive of those in Public Institutions.	Total Population (in Wards), Census of 1880.	REMARKS.	Total in Institutions.	
		NEW YORK.—DEATHS FROM SMALL-POX, MEASLES, SCARLATINA, DIPHTHERIA, CROUP, WHOOPING COUGH, TYPHOID FEVER, TYPHUS FEVER, MALARIAL FEVERS, PUERPERAL FEVER, DIARRHOEAL MALADIES, CEREBRO-SPINAL FEVER, AND OTHER ZYMOTIC DISEASES.																		
		Actual Mortality during the Week ending April 18, 1885.																		
		Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlatina.	Diphtheria.	Croup.	Whooping Cough.	Typhus Fever.	Typhoid Fever.	Malarial Fevers.	Puerperal Fever.	All Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Cerebro-Spinal Fever.	Other Zymotic Diseases.	Total Deaths from Zymotic Diseases.					
First.....	154	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	8	17,939	Castle Garden and Emigrant Depot, 4; U. S. Marine Hospital (Bedloe's Island), -; First Precinct Station, -	4
Second.....	81	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1,608	Twenty-seventh Precinct Station, -; House of Relief, 160 Chambers street, 1; Newsboys' Lodgings, -	1
Third.....	95	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	3,582	Fourth Precinct Station, -; Mission Home, -; St. James' Home, -; Sailor Home, -	..
Fourth.....	103	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	16	20,091	Fifth Precinct Station, -; Trinity Infirmary, 50 Varick street, -	..
Fifth.....	106	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	9	15,845	Sixth Precinct Station, -; Home of Industry, -; Centre Street Dispensary, -; N. Y. Dispensary, -	..
Sixth.....	86	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	12	20,196	Seventh Precinct Station, -; Deborah Day Nursery, -; Nursery and Child's Protectory, East Broadway, -	..
Seventh.....	108	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	27	27	50,066	Eighth Precinct Station, -; St. Vincent's Hospital, 4; St. Joseph's Convent, -; St. Clement's Mission, -; Jefferson Market Prison, -	..
Eighth.....	183	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	23	23	35,679	Essex Street Prison, -; Tenth Precinct Station, -; Ludlow Street Jail, -	..
Ninth.....	322	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	19	19	54,596	St. Francis' Hospital, 5; Eleventh Precinct Station, -	..
Tenth.....	110	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	35	36	68,778	Reception Hospital, 9th street, 1; Infants' Hospital, -; Soldiers' Retreat, -; N. Y. City Asylum for the Insane, 2; Colored Orphan Asylum, -; Ward's Island, 3; Randall's Island, 9; Bloomingdale Lunatic Asylum, -; St. Joseph's Asylum, -; House of Refuge, -; House of Mercy, -; Idiot Asylum, Randall's Island, -; Union Home and School, -; House of Good Shepherd, -; N. Y. Juvenile Asylum, -; Old Ladies' Home, -; Homoeopathic Hospital, 9; Home for Aged and Infirm Hebrews, -; Sheltering Arms, -; St. Joseph's Hospital, 2; Leake and Watt's Orphan Home, -; Deborah Nursery, 1	27
Eleventh.....	196	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	19	19	37,797	Thirteenth Precinct Station, -; Fifth District Court, -	..
Twelfth.....	5,504.13	..	6	3	2	2	1	2	..	4	20	89	62	81,800	C. R. Orphan Asylum, -; Lying-in Asylum, -; Fourteenth Precinct Station, -; House of Mercy, -	..
Thirteenth.....	107	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	19	30,171	Midnight Mission, -; N. Y. Juvenile Asylum, -; Mission of Immaculate Virgin, 1; Home for Incurables, -	..
Fourteenth.....	96	2	1	11	10	31,882	St. Joseph's Home for the Aged, 1; French Hospital, 3; Baby's Shelter, -; Sixteenth Precinct Station, -	1
Fifteenth.....	198	4	24	20	52,188	Home of the Holy Trinity, -; Eye and Ear Infirmary, -; Infirmary for Women and Children, -	..
Sixteenth.....	348.77	7	35	35	104,837	Home for Respectable Aged and Indigent Females, -; New York Hospital, 5; St. Stephen's Home, -	..
Seventeenth.....	331	2	23	22	66,611	Reception Hospital, -; Old Ladies' Home, -; Post Graduate Hospital, 1	6
Eighteenth.....	449.89	Presbyterian Hosp., 3; German Hospital, -; Mt. Sinai Hospital, 1; Foundling Hospital, 13; Women's Hospital and College, -; City Lunatic Asylum, 7; Almshouse, 9; Penitentiary, -; Small-pox Hospital, 1; Charity Hospital, 14; Epileptic and Paralytic Hospital, -; Colored Home Hospital, 4; Nursery and Child's Hospital, 3; St. Luke's Hospital, 6; Workhouse, 2; Fever Hospital, -; Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum, -; Hospital for Ruptured and Crippled, -; Home for the Aged (Little Sisters of the Poor), 1; Chapin Home for the Aged, -; Hahnemann's Hospital, -; Hebrew Orphan Asylum, -; St. Joseph's Infirmary, -; Baptist Home, -; Dominican Convent, 4; Nineteenth Precinct Station, -; Manhattan Eye and Ear Hospital, 1; Montefiore Home, -; Convent of our Lady of the Rosary, -	69
Nineteenth.....	1,480.60	..	5	1	1	6	2	4	..	6	25	135	66	158,191	St. Elizabeth's Hospital, 1; St. Mary's Hospital, -; Home for Aged Poor, -; Little Sisters of the Poor, -	1
Twentieth.....	444	..	2	1	3	2	3	11	48	47	86,015	Bellevue Hospital, 27; in Ambulances, -; Ophthalmic Hospital, -; Skin and Cancer Hospital, -; St. Stephen's Home, -; Emergency Hospital, -; St. Luke's Home, -; Home of the Friendless, 1	28
Twenty-first.....	411	2	1	2	1	6	56	28	66,536	Roosevelt Hospital, 3; Old Ladies' Home, -; New York Infant Asylum, 1; Twenty-second Precinct Station, -	..
Twenty-second.....	1,529.42	..	5	1	5	3	1	16	57	53	111,606	N. Y. Orphan Asylum, -; N. Y. Hosp. and Med. College for Women and Children, -; Barrett Home, -	4
Twenty-third.....	4,267.023	3	20	20	28,338	Thirty-third Precinct Station, -; Old Gentlemen Unsectarian Home, -; St. Vincent de Paul's Nursery, -	..
Twenty-fourth.....	8,050.323	1	6	5	13,288	House of Rest for Consumptives, 1; Home for Incurables, -; Thirty-fourth Precinct Station, -; Thirty-fifth Precinct Station, -; Peabody Home, -; St. Stephen's Home, -; St. John's Inst. for Deaf and Dumb, -	1
Totals.....	24,893.156	..	29	16	22	24	9	..	1	4	1	11	1	18	136	731	576	1,206,299	Total mortality in Public Institutions.....	155

Births * reported during the week ending April 25, 1885.

TOTAL	COLOR.		SEX.			NATIVITY OF PARENTS.									NAME OF CHILD.	
	White.	Colored.	Male.	Female.	Not stated.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign Father only.	Foreign Mother only.	NATIVITY OF FATHER STATED ONLY		NATIVITY OF MOTHER STATED ONLY		Not stated.	Stated.	Not stated.
										Native.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign.			
505	499	6	280	225	..	245	157	57	34	..	..	6	6	..	429	76

Marriages * reported during the week ending April 25, 1885.

TOTAL.	COLOR.		NATIVITY.						CONDITION.							
	White.	Colored.	Foreign.	Native.	Born at sea.	Not stated.			First Marriage.	Second Marriage.	Third Marriage.	Fourth Marriage.	Not stated.			
	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.
200	196	196	4	4	101	85	99	114	..	1	..	..	..	175	175	24

* The returns of births, marriages, and still-births are incomplete.

Nativity of those who were Married, and the Parents of the Births and Still-Births, for the week ending April 25, 1885, and those who Died (actual mortality), week ending April 18, 1885.

NATIVITY OF DECEASED.	COUNTRY.	DEATHS.		BIRTHS.		MARRIAGES.		STILL-BIRTHS.	
		Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.	Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.	Nativity of Groom.	Nativity of Bride.	Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.
4	Austria	14	14	14	13	3	5	..	..
4	British America	5	5	7	4	3	5	..	..
8	England	28	20	15	13	11	5	2	1
8	France	11	10	5	3	4	..	..	..
102	Germany	185	173	140	128	45	36	8	9
130	Ireland	236	235	52	67	11	15	10	9
5	Italy	17	17	7	7	2	1	1	..
1	Poland	1	1	12	11	..	..	..	1
8	Scotland	15	12	3	1	2	4	..	1
2	Switzerland	3	2	3	2	5	4	..	..
44	United States	150	173	191	220	99	114	21	23
3	Unknown or not stated	59	57	12	..	..	..	6	4
4	West Indies	4	4	..	1	2	..	..	..
6	Other countries	9	8	44	35	13	11	2	2

Still-Births reported during the week ending April 25, 1885.

TOTAL.	SEX.			COLOR.		NATIVITY OF						PERIOD OF UTERO-GESTATION.										Unknown or not stated.
	Male.	Female.	Not stated.	White.	Colored.	FATHER.			MOTHER.			MONTH.										
						Native.	Foreign.	Not stated.	Native.	Foreign.	Not stated.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
50	29	21	..	49	1	21	23	6	23	23	4	..	..	..	2	6	9	7	6	20	..	..

Deaths reported during the week ending April 25, 1885.

TOTAL.	PLACE OF DEATH.														RESIDENCE.			CONDITION.				
	Institutions.	Tenement-houses (four families or more).	Houses containing three families or less.	Hotels and Boarding-houses.	In Rivers, Streets, Boats, etc.	Not stated.	FLOORS.							New York City.	Outside New York City.	Not stated. †	STATED.					
							Basement.	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.				Seventh.	Not stated.	Single.	Married.	Widowed.	
759	155	415	174	10	5	..	13	144	184	146	79	29	4	759	99	102	92	367

† Principally children and deaths in Institutions.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

Minutes of Stated Meeting of the Aqueduct Commissioners, held at their office, No. 209 Stewart Building, Wednesday, April 22, 1885, at 3 o'clock P.M.

Commissioners present—The Comptroller, Commissioner of Public Works, Commissioners James C. Spencer, William Dowd, and C. C. Baldwin.

Also, Chief Engineer Church, Assistant Chief Engineer Fteley, and Consulting Engineer Davis; also, Chief Engineer Birdsall and Consulting Engineer Adams of the Department of Public Works.

In the absence of the President, Vice-President Dowd presided.

The minutes of the stated meeting of April 15 were read and approved.

The Committee of Finance and Audit reported the examination and audit of bills included in vouchers Nos. 673 to 679; which vouchers, on motion of Commissioner Spencer, were approved by the Commissioners and ordered certified to the Comptroller for payment.

The Committee on Construction presented a report, dated April 20, 1885:

1st. Recommending the following promotions in the Engineer Corps, and the assignment of the persons named to duty on the 7th Division, viz.:

George R. Olney, from Laborer to Leveler, at \$1,200 per annum.

Charles G. Douw, from Chainman to Rodman, at \$75 per month.

George E. Washburn, from Laborer to Chainman, at \$60 per month.

Cornelius V. V. Powers, from Laborer to Chainman, at \$60 per month.

All of the above recommendations were approved by the Commissioners, and the promotions were made as above named, the compensation of the persons to date from their entrance upon the discharge of their respective duties under this promotion; and the Chief Engineer was directed to report said dates to the Commissioners' Auditor.

2d. Recommending the selection and appointment of an Assistant Clerk, and a Messenger for service in the Chief Engineer's office.

This recommendation was laid over for future consideration.

A communication was received from the Comptroller, dated April 18, 1885, giving notice of the issuance of a warrant for voucher not certified by the Aqueduct Commissioners, and appertaining to the work of the Commissioners of Appraisal, and amounting to \$217.12; which notice was ordered placed on file, and proper entry thereof made upon the books of this Commission.

The Secretary submitted a letter from E. Henry Lacombe, Esq., Counsel to the Corporation, dated April 15, 1885, inclosing copy of a letter from N. J. Waterbury, Esq., in relation to a portion of the lands taken from L. G. Morris, Esq., in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the city, for dumping-ground of material from Shaft No. 23 of the New Aqueduct, and asking instructions in relation to the matter. The letter of Mr. Lacombe was read, and action thereon deferred.

The Secretary presented a communication from Samuel L. M. Barlow, Esq., of April 21, 1885, in relation to the adjustment of his claim, as proposed by the Commissioners at their last meeting; which communication, after consideration in Executive Council, was laid over until the next meeting.

The Chief Engineer presented a report, of this date, upon the portion of the line of the New Aqueduct from a point near Shaft No. 24, on the west bank of the Harlem river, to a point near One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street and Convent avenue, as shown upon Final Plan Sheet No. 5, adopted by the Aqueduct Commissioners April 9, 1884; also an accompanying diagram showing proposed modifications in the alignment of that part of the New Aqueduct.

The report was read, and, upon motion of Commissioner Spencer, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Works for consideration of the proposed modifications, with request that he report his views thereon as soon as practicable; and the Chief Engineer was directed to confer with the Engineers of the Department of Public Works upon the proposed modifications.

The Chief Engineer next presented a communication of this date, in relation to the construction of the New Gate House, and its connections, at Croton Dam, accompanied by detailed drawings prepared for the construction of the work, and asking instructions with regard to the same.

The matter was laid over for future consideration.

The proposed new by-law, "Article V.," was then discussed, and amendments proposed by the Commissioner of Public Works, and the matter was then laid over until the next meeting.

The Commissioners then adjourned.

JAMES W. McCULLOH, Secretary.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 28th day of April, 1885.

Present—Commissioners French, Matthews, Porter, and McClave.

Leaves of Absence Granted.

Patrolman Edward B. Shaw, Fifth Precinct, five days, half pay.

" Edward Gilgar, Fifteenth Precinct, sixty days, half pay.

" William Herrlich, Nineteenth Sub-Precinct, five days, half pay.

Weekly statement of the Comptroller, showing condition of the several accounts of the Police Department, was referred to the Treasurer.

Report of the Superintendent, inclosing \$10 fee for mask ball granted for week ending 25th instant, was referred to the Treasurer to pay over to the Pension Fund.

Death reported.

Patrolman John Hogan, Thirty-second Precinct, on 27th instant.

Application of Roundsman Thomas Boyle, Twenty-second Precinct, for examination by Civil Service Examiners for promotion, was referred to the Superintendent for report as to conduct and efficiency.

Application of Patrolman Charles S. Baker, Fourth Precinct, for promotion, was referred to the Superintendent to cite for examination.

Application of Edward J. Robus, for appointment of James A. Thompson as Special Patrolman, was denied, on report of the Superintendent.

Application of Patrolman Daniel Neals, Twenty-fifth Precinct, for full pay while sick, was denied.

Application of William A. Cohn, for return of property, was referred to Commissioner Matthews for report.

Application of Franklin Edson and others, residents of Twenty-fourth Ward, on line of new Aqueduct, for an additional police force of at least ten men, was referred to the Superintendent and Inspector Dilks, with directions to carry out the request as far as practicable, and report.

Communications Ordered on File.

From C. H. Woodman, Secretary Civil Service Board, inclosing eligible list for patrolmen.

From Counsel to Corporation, opinion relative to power of Board of Police to pay over to pension fund moneys deducted for lost time in 1882.

From Counsel to Corporation, approving form of contract for repairs to steamboat "Patrol." Communication from the Health Department inclosing amendment to section 198, Sanitary Code, was referred to the Superintendent to promulgate to force.

Communication from the Board of Excise giving notice that the license of John McKelvey, No. 105 Christopher street, had been revoked, was referred to the Superintendent.

Communication from J. S. Coleman, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, asking boundaries of certain Precincts, was referred to the Chief Clerk to furnish.

Statement of Treasurer's Bookkeeper of releases filed by parties whose pensions have been revoked, was referred to the Trustees of the Pension Fund.

On reading communication from W. L. Brown, editor New York "Daily News," it was

Resolved, That twenty-five ballot-boxes be temporarily loaned to Mr. Brown, under direction of the Superintendent, for the reception of donations from newsboys to the Bartholdi Pedestal Fund.

On reading communication from Louis F. Post, relative to charges against Captain McCullagh, Seventeenth Precinct, it was

Resolved, That the charges be disapproved, and Mr. Post notified thereof.

Resolved, That the Superintendent be directed to suspend Sergeant David H. Crowley, Thirty-fifth Precinct, until further orders.

Retired Officers.

Sergeant Thomas Ahearn, Eleventh Precinct, \$800 per year—all aye.

Patrolman George F. Waller, Sixth Precinct, \$600 per year—all aye.

" Richard Martin, Twenty-sixth Precinct, \$600 per year—all aye.

" George H. Peary, Thirtieth Precinct, \$600 per year—all aye.

Resolved, That full pay while sick be granted to Patrolman Patrick Smith, Central Office, from April 23, to April 27, 1885.

Resolved, That summer leaves of absence be and are hereby granted, pursuant to the conditions named, to commence May 1, and to be taken before the 15th of October next. All leaves under this resolution to be entered on Morning Returns.

To Inspectors and Captains—In the discretion of the Board, not to exceed twenty days with pay.

To Sergeants—Ten days with pay, or not exceeding twenty days with half pay.

To Patrolmen and Doormen (including Roundsmen)—Five days with pay, or ten days with half pay, the leaves to be arranged by the Superintendent as to time, and granted by him.

To Surgeons—Not exceeding twenty days with pay, leaves to be arranged so that not less than ten Surgeons shall be on duty at any one time.

To Telegraph employees—Two weeks, under direction of the Superintendent of Telegraph.

Resolved, That the annual parade of the Police force be held, under direction of the Superintendent, on the 27th day of May next, the line of march and hour of review to be reported by the Superintendent.

Resolved, That the Superintendent be authorized to make the necessary arrangements for said parade, and the Chief Clerk directed to issue invitations to the President and Cabinet, the Governor, Mayor, Aldermen, Heads of Departments and others.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be and are hereby respectfully requested to authorize the Comptroller to execute the leases of the Twenty-fifth Precinct Station-house, at No. 34 East Twenty-ninth street; the Thirtieth Precinct Station-house, at No. 270 West One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, and Third Inspection District Office, at Parepa Hall.

Transfers Ordered.

Patrolman John Markey, from Twenty-seventh Precinct to Nineteenth Sub-Precinct.
 " Robert Gunson, from Twenty-fifth Precinct to Twentieth Precinct.
 " Hugh Leddy, from Twentieth Precinct to Twenty-fifth Precinct.
 " Joseph J. McEvoy, from Twenty-seventh Precinct to Central Office.
 " Lotin B. Hildreth, from Central Office to Twenty-second Precinct.

Employed on Probation.

George B. Grinshaw.	William Carey.
John Grefe.	Lawrence Fay.
Richard H. Moore.	Theodore Lowe.
Thomas Gilmarin.	Charles D. Smith.
Thomas Mulhern.	John G. Meyers.
Richard J. Coughlin.	James Davis.
Patrick C. Scanlon.	John W. Brophy.
Mark Bulkley.	Peter Lawless.
James McMahon.	John D. McGinness.
John L. Maher.	Benjamin C. Scheffler.
Albert E. Westlotven.	James T. Morrissey.
Thomas McLaughlin.	Robert J. Webb.
Harry W. Graham.	

On recommendation of the Committee on Repairs and Supplies, it was

Resolved, That the following bills be approved, and the Treasurer authorized to pay the same—all aye:

Martin B. Brown, printing, etc.	\$339 50	Hugh Nesbitt, painting	48 00
" " "	271 00	" " painters' sponges	4 80
Clark & Wilkens, wood	5 00	" " trusses	21 75
James Cotter, prisoners' meals	6 75	Pollock & Van Wagenen, oils	19 40
F. W. Devoe & Co., oil	5 65	J. E. Quackenbush & Son, hardware	145 93
Empire Medicated Plaster Co., lint, etc.	79 80	" " "	1 50
Frederick Evans, lamps	11 55	James M. Shaw & Co., kitchen utensils	14 14
George W. Gastlin, disbursements	10 85	James M. Shaw & Co., water cooler	3 50
L. Heyniger & Co., door mats	9 50	Daniel Slote & Co., books	45 00
Equitable Ice Co., ice	10 41	T. & W. Thorn & Co., horse feed	176 23
Hudson River Ice Co., ice	6 41	Ward & Olyphant, coal	42 50
Metropolitan Telephone and Telegraph Co., rent telephones	30 70	" " "	21 25
Miller, Morrison & Co., horse brushes	15 00	Patrick Dolan, detective expenses	27 30
" " harness leather	5 96	Charles Heidelberg	90 00
Isaac L. Moe, cloth	2 08	James Ediston	21 40
J. L. Mott Iron Works, settees	29 25	James McGuire	12 75
J. J. Murray, veterinary	39 00	Wm. M. McLaughlin	34 37
Hugh Nesbitt, painting	6 00	Owen Haley	40 61
" " "	16 00	" " "	26 50
" " "	20 00	" " "	32 05
" " "	86 00		
			\$1,835 39

Judgment—Dismissal.

Patrolman John Carr, Fifth Precinct.

Adjourned.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Counsel to the Corporation, for the week ending April 25, 1885:

The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York are defendants, unless otherwise mentioned.

SCHEDULE "A."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED.

SUPREME COURT.

John J. Milhau, executor of the last will and testament of John Milhau, deceased—To recover back amount of assessment paid for Sixty-sixth street outlet sewer, on Ward No. 27, Block 155; and 29 to 36, Block 197, \$1,905.35.
 John J. Milhau—To recover back amount of assessment paid for Sixty-sixth street outlet sewer, on Ward Nos. 28 and 32, Block No. 155, \$78.64.
 Patrick Carraher, Jr., and James Carraher, composing the firm of Carraher & Company, vs. The Mayor, etc., of the City of New York and the Health Department of the City of New York—For materials and labor furnished in the erection of Hospital Building on North Brother's Island, under contract of November 5, 1883, \$950.
 John S. Schultze, Hazard Potter, John Crosby Brown, James M. Brown, and George Hunter Brown, as executors of the last will and testament of James Brown, deceased—To recover back amount of assessment paid for Sixty-sixth street outlet sewer on Blocks 152 and 153, excepting Ward Nos. 47, 48, 57, 58, 59 and 60, in Block 152, \$32,519.45.
 Denis McGrath—For bridge stone and pavement delivered by Chas. Guidet between September 17 and October 27, 1884, \$129.22.
 Katie Rittershofer—Damages for personal injuries resulting from falling on sidewalk in Fifth street, between Nos. 419 and 421, on May 6, 1883, \$3,000.

SUPERIOR COURT.

John McManus—Damages for injuries to plaintiff's horse while driving over Kingsbridge road, near the tracks of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, on November 9, 1884, \$800.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

William A. Sweeney vs. the Mayor, etc., of the City of New York, Charles Jones, James J. Jones, James W. O'Grady, and Dennis W. Moran, lienors—Summons only served.

SURROGATE'S COURT.

In the matter of the judicial settlement of the account of proceedings of Eleanor A. McCafferty and Augustus L. Hayes, as administrators of the goods, etc., of Bernard E. McCafferty, deceased—Citation served on an inmate of Insane Asylum on Ward's Island.

SCHEDULE "B."

JUDGMENTS ENTERED AND ORDERS OF THE GENERAL AND SPECIAL TERMS.

In re opening One Hundred and Forty-third street, Seventh avenue to New avenue, etc.—Order entered discontinuing proceedings.
 Alfred Waters, by guardian, vs. George W. Curtis—General Term order of Court of Common Pleas entered, dismissing plaintiff's appeal, after argument, with costs.

The Mayor, etc., against The Central Park, North and East River Railroad Co.—Judgment, upon offer, entered in favor of the City for \$22,717.16.

In re John Crosby Brown, Sixty-sixth street outlet sewer—Order entered reducing assessment, Barrett, J., without argument, under the decision of the Court of Appeals in re Metropolitan Gas-light Co.

Matthew Farley—Judgment entered in favor of the City, after trial by jury, the Court dismissing the complaint; costs taxed at \$112.34.

In re Catharine Lorentze, Broadway regulating, etc.—Order entered to reduce assessment, without argument, under decision of Court of Appeals in re Deering.

In re Benjamin H. Hutton, One Hundred and Thirty-second and One Hundred and Thirty-third street sewers—Order entered dismissing petition; no opposition.

In re Francis H. Leggett, executor, etc., Front street sewer—Order entered dismissing petition; no opposition.

In re David Babcock, Forty-third street sewer—Order entered dismissing petition; no opposition.

Bernard Blessing—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$21.15.

Jane A. Dorland, No. 2—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$152.31.

Robert Gordon—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$154.25.

Cora Gebhard—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$81.54.

William H. Jackson—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$84.39.

Samuel McCreery—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$161.51.

William McCreery—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$171.50.

Emma S. Potter—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$84.71.

Alexander Roux—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$389.81.

Isaac Wyman—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$107.36.

These claims were to recover the amounts paid for assessments which were afterwards reduced by the Court. Answers were not interposed, the amounts in each case having been agreed upon by the Comptroller.

Edward M. Knox et al. vs. William P. Kirk et al.—Order entered discontinuing action as to all the defendants, without costs.

In re James Hay, One Hundred and Fifth street regulating, etc.—Order to reduce assessment entered, without argument, under decision of Court of Appeals in re St. Joseph's Asylum.

People ex rel. Mary N. Townshend vs. A. S. Cady, Clerk of Arrears, etc.—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$103.64 upon remittitur, after argument in the Court of Appeals.

SCHEDULE "C."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED OR ARGUED.

Jacob Schmidt—Tried before O'Gorman, J., and jury; verdict for the plaintiff for \$3,000; five per cent. extra allowance.

Mary A. Barbour—Tried before Truax, J., and jury; complaint dismissed.

Mayor, etc., vs. Nathaniel Sands—Inquest taken before Lawrence, J., and jury; verdict for plaintiff for \$142,662.50.

Ellen Moran—Tried before Ingraham, J., and jury; verdict for the City, by direction of the Court.

Joseph Haight, Jr.—Case summed up before Brower, J.; briefs to be submitted.

Mayor, etc., vs. John H. Starin and the Independent Steamboat Co.—Briefs on the appeal from the order remanding cause submitted in U. S. Supreme Court.

George C. Morris—Argued at Court of Appeals; decision reserved.

E. HENRY LACOMBE, Counsel to the Corporation.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, CITY OF NEW YORK,
 NOS. 31 AND 32 PARK ROW,
 NEW YORK, April 20, 1885.

In accordance with the provisions of section 51, chapter 410, of the Laws of 1882, the Commissioner of Street Cleaning makes the following report of the transactions of the Department of Street Cleaning for the week ending April 25, 1885:

Number of loads of ashes removed	16,409
" " rubbish removed	8,032
" " material received from Department of Public Works	146
" " " Markets	181
" " " Permits	3,348
Total	28,116

Bills

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

Schedule No. 319—

The New York and Amboy Towing Line..... \$340 00

Bills

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

Schedule No. 32—

American District Tel. Co., services	\$15 96
Thos. C. Avery, supplies	8 81
Consolidated Gas Co., gas	64 50
F. W. Devoe & Co., supplies	10 60
F. W. Devoe & Co., "	5 38
James Dillon, hiring horses	393 00
A. S. Flandrau & Co., supplies	19 25
J. L. Ferguson, services	30 00
Gilchrist & Tobey, supplies	87 49
S. L'Hommedieu, towing	775 00
Jno. Maston, supplies	36 00
Merrill & Wehrle Charcoal Co, supplies	2 10
T. S. & J. D. Negus	37 00
Patterson Bros.	22 80
Adolph Starke	9 00
D. & J. Shea, towing	585 00
D. & J. Shea, "	320 00
C. H. Simmons	52 75
The Chapman & O'Neil Manufacturing Co.	32 00
The Gutta Percha Rubber Manufacturing Co.	24 63
Weston Bros. & Agnew	486 34
Wyckoff, Seamans & Benedict	107 50
Edgar W. Youmans	77 50
Total	\$3,202 61

Appointments.

Michael Sheehan, Laborer.	Wm. Walker, Department Cart Driver.
Jno. Patterson, Laborer.	James Lynch, Department Cart Driver.
James Reynolds, Laborer.	Thos. Nugent, Department Cart Driver.
Lawrence Coyne, Laborer.	Thos. F. Mathews, Department Cart Driver.
Geo. H. Gardiner, Laborer.	Jas. Gray, Scow Captain.
Michael Crotty, Laborer.	

Discharges.

Wm. Young, Laborer.
 Jos. Hoolford, Department Cart Driver.
 Pat. Clark, Scow Captain.

J. S. COLEMAN, Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.

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

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

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

Permit Bureau Office.

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

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

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

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

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

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.

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

City Library.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.

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

Bureau of Chief Engineer.

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

Bureau of Water Register.

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

Bureau of Street Improvements.

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

Engineer-in-Charge of Sewers.

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

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

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

Bureau of Water Purveyor.

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

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

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

Bureau of Streets.

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

Bureau of Incumbrances.

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

Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.

MARTIN J. KESE, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

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

Auditing Bureau.

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

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

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

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

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

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

First floor, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park.
MARTIN T. McMAHON, Receiver of Taxes; ALFRED VREDENBURG, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

Nos. 25, 27 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HENRY E. LAIDLAW, City Chamberlain.

Office of the City Paymaster.

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

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

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

Office of the Public Administrator.

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

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

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

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

Headquarters.

Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.
CORNELIUS VAN COTT, President; CARL JUSSSEN, 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'ORSCH, Inspector of Buildings.

Attorney to Department.

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

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent of Telegraph, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.

Central Office Fire Alarm Telegraph open at all hours.

Repair Shops.

Nos. 128 and 130 West Third street.

JOHN CASTLES, Foreman-in-Charge, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Hospital Stables.

Ninety-ninth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

JOSEPH SHEA, Foreman-in-Charge.

Open at all hours.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

ALEXANDER SHALER, President; EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

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

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

Civil and Topographical Office.

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

Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS

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

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

Office Bureau Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.

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

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

Nos. 31 and 33 Park Row, "World" Building, Rooms 8 and 9, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

CIVIL SERVICE ADVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

No. 23 East Twentieth street.

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

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

Office of Clerk, Staats Zeitung Building, Room 5.

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

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, City Hall, Room No. 11 1/2, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

BOARD OF EXCISE.

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

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

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

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

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

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

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

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

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

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

The engine to be delivered at the Repair Shops of the

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

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

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

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

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

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

The Fire Department reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of seven hundred dollars (\$700); and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of thirty-five dollars (\$35). Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-book, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but, if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

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

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

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS
Department with the following articles:

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of one hundred and fifty dollars (\$150). Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-book, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but, if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

HEADQUARTERS
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All of the articles are to be delivered at the various houses of the department above Fifty-ninth street, in such quantities and at such times as may be directed.

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Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the

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 ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIRST STREET, from Eleventh avenue to the Boulevard, in the City of New York.

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

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Eleventh avenue, distant 6,005 feet 8 inches northerly from the southerly side of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, thence westerly and parallel with said street 530 feet to the easterly line of Kingsbridge road; thence northerly along said line 80 feet 9 3/4 inches; thence easterly 541 feet 1/2 inch to the westerly line of Eleventh avenue; thence southerly along said line 80 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the westerly line of Kingsbridge road, distant 6,005 feet 8 inches northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; thence westerly 650 feet 2 1/2 inches to a point in the easterly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; thence northerly along said line 80 feet 1 3/4 inches; thence easterly 666 feet 2 3/4 inches to the westerly line of Kingsbridge road; thence southerly along said line 76 feet 9 3/4 inches; thence still further along said westerly line of Kingsbridge road 3 feet 5 inches to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the westerly line of Fort Washington Ridge road, said point being 6,794 feet 10 inches northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; thence westerly 300 feet 8 3/4 inches to a point 6,749 feet 9 1/4 inches northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, and 2,660 feet 4 inches easterly from the easterly line of Tenth avenue; thence westerly and in a curved line, radius 360 feet, distance 233 feet 4 inches; thence westerly and tangent thereto, distance 120 feet; thence westerly and northerly in a curved line, radius 240 feet, distance 281 feet 4 1/2 inches to a point 6,773 feet 5 1/2 inches northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, and 2,333 feet 8 1/4 inches westerly from the easterly line of Tenth avenue; thence northerly and tangent thereto, distance 135 feet 2 1/4 inches to the easterly line of Boulevard; thence northerly along said line 80 feet 1 1/4 inches; thence southerly 131 feet 1 1/4 inches; thence easterly and northerly in a curved line, radius 260 feet, distance 276 feet 8 1/4 inches; thence easterly and tangent thereto, distance 100 feet; thence easterly and in a curved line, radius 640 feet, distance 266 feet 8 inches; thence easterly and tangent thereto, distance 195 feet 10 3/4 inches to the westerly line of Fort Washington Ridge road; thence southerly and along said line 80 feet 1 3/4 inches to the point or place of beginning.

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

Dated New York, April 20, 1885.

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

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

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

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

Also, beginning at a point in the westerly line of Eleventh avenue, distant 4,047 feet 6 inches northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; thence westerly and parallel with said street, distance 29 feet 9 3/4 inches to the easterly line of Kingsbridge road; thence southerly along said line 68 feet 9 3/4 inches to the westerly line of Eleventh avenue; thence northerly and along said line 61 feet 11 3/4 inches to the point or place of beginning.

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

Dated New York, April 22, 1885.

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

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

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

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

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of North Third avenue, distant 212.9 feet northerly from the intersection of the northern line of East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street with the western line of North Third avenue; thence northerly along the western line of North Third avenue for 51.166 feet; thence deflecting to the left 94° 02' 20" northwesterly for 231.54 feet; thence deflecting to the left 100° southwesterly for 50 feet; thence deflecting to the left 90° southeasterly for 227.47 feet to the point of beginning; and as shown on certain maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, in the Department of Public Parks, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York.

Dated New York, April 20, 1885.

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

In the Matter of the Application of the Department of Public Parks, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-NINTH STREET, from Eighth avenue to the first new avenue west of Eighth avenue, and from Avenue St. Nicholas to the Hudson River, in the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 15th day of May, 1885, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue, known as One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from Eighth avenue to the first new avenue west of Eighth avenue, and from Avenue St. Nicholas to the Hudson River, in the City of New York, being the following described lots or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Eighth avenue, distant 459 feet 8 inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street; thence westerly and parallel with said street 225 feet to the easterly line of the first new avenue west of Eighth avenue; thence northerly and along said line 60 feet; thence easterly 225 feet to the westerly line of Eighth avenue; thence southerly along said line 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the easterly line of Tenth avenue, distant 459 feet 8 inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street; thence easterly and parallel with said street 750 feet 11 inches to the westerly line of Avenue St. Nicholas; thence northerly along said westerly line 61 feet 4 1/2 inches; thence westerly 743 feet 1 1/2 inches to the easterly line of Tenth avenue; thence southerly along said line 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the westerly line of Tenth avenue, distant 459 feet 8 inches northerly, from the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street; thence westerly and parallel with said street 775 feet, to the easterly line of Boulevard; thence northerly along said line 60 feet; thence easterly 775 feet to the westerly line of Tenth avenue; thence southerly along said line 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the westerly line of Boulevard, distant 459 feet 8 inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street; thence westerly and parallel with said street, distance 775 feet, to the easterly line of Twelfth avenue; thence northerly along said line 60 feet; thence easterly 775 feet to the westerly line of Boulevard; thence southerly along said line 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the westerly line of Boulevard, distant 459 feet 8 inches northerly, from the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, extended westerly; thence westerly and parallel with the northerly line of said street, extended 100 feet to the bulkhead line, Hudson river; thence northerly along said line 60 feet; thence easterly 100 feet to the westerly line of Twelfth avenue; thence southerly along said line 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 60 feet wide between the lines of Eighth avenue and the first new avenue, west of Eighth avenue and between Avenue St. Nicholas and the bulkhead line, Hudson river.

Dated New York, April 17, 1885.

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

In the Matter of the Application of the Department of Public Parks, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, from Eighth avenue to the first new avenue west of Eighth avenue, and from Avenue St. Nicholas to the Hudson river, in the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 15th day of May, 1885, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvements hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue, known as One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, from Eighth avenue to the first new avenue west of Eighth avenue, and from Avenue St. Nicholas to the Hudson river, in the City of New York, being the following-described lots, parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Eighth avenue, distant 199 feet 10 inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street; thence westerly and parallel with said street, distance 800 feet, to the easterly line of Tenth avenue; thence northerly along said line 60 feet; thence easterly 800 feet to the westerly line of Avenue St. Nicholas; thence southerly along said line 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the westerly line of Avenue St. Nicholas, distant 199 feet 10 inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street; thence westerly and parallel with said street, distance 800 feet, to the easterly line of Tenth avenue; thence northerly along said line 60 feet; thence easterly 800 feet to the westerly line of Avenue St. Nicholas; thence southerly along said line 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the westerly line of Tenth avenue, distant 199 feet 10 inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street; thence westerly and parallel with said street 775 feet to

the easterly line of Boulevard; thence northerly along said line 60 feet; thence easterly 775 feet to the westerly line of Tenth avenue; thence southerly along said line 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the westerly line of Boulevard, distant 199 feet 10 inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street; thence westerly and parallel with said street 775 feet to the easterly line of Twelfth avenue; thence northerly along said line 60 feet; thence easterly 775 feet to the westerly line of Boulevard; thence southerly along said line 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the westerly line of Twelfth avenue, said point being distant westerly, from the Boulevard, 875 feet, and 199 feet 10 inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, extending westerly; thence westerly and parallel with the northerly line of said street, extending 100 feet to the bulkhead line, Hudson river; thence northerly along said line 60 feet; thence easterly 100 feet to the westerly line of Twelfth avenue; thence southerly along said line 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be sixty feet wide between the lines of Eighth avenue and the first new avenue west of Eighth avenue, and between Avenue St. Nicholas and the bulkhead line, Hudson river.

Dated New York, April 17, 1885.

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

In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring right and title to certain lands required for a certain public park or park, square or squares, or place or places, at or near the intersections of Sedgwick avenue with Mott and Walton avenues, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

CEDAR PARK.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all whom it may concern:

That it is our intention to present our supplemental or amended report herein to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, for confirmation at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 10th day of May, 1885, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, having objections thereto, shall file the same in writing, duly verified, with us at our office, No. 73 William street (third floor), in the said city, on or before the 4th day of May, 1885, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear such objections within the ten weekdays next after the said 4th day of May, 1885, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2 1/2 o'clock, p. m.

Dated New York, April 1, 1885.

HENRY M. WHITEHEAD,
JOHN BERRY,
RICHARD V. HARNETT,
Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

SALE OF STONE OF THE OLD CROTON AQUEDUCT.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Comptroller of the City of New York will sell at public auction, to the highest responsible bidder, at the Comptroller's Office, Room No. 15, Stewart Building, on Friday, the 8th day of May, 1885, at noon, the following property belonging to the Corporation of the City of New York, viz.:

All of the stone and other material of the old Croton Aqueduct lying above the grade of the streets, between Ninety-fifth and Ninety-seventh streets, and between One Hundredth and One Hundred and First streets.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

All of the material, down to the grades of the streets, to be removed within three months from the date of the sale, and the ground to be left clear and unencumbered by debris of any kind.

The work to be done under the direction and to the satisfaction of the Engineer of the Finance Department.

The property will be sold for cash, the amount bid to be paid to the Comptroller on the day of the sale. If the material be not removed within three months the property shall revert to the Corporation.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 25, 1885.

CORPORATION SALE OF REAL ESTATE ON THIRD AVENUE AND SIXTY-SEVENTH AND SIXTY-EIGHTH STREETS.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the City of New York, by virtue of the powers vested in them, will offer for sale, at public auction, on Wednesday, May 27, 1885, at noon, at the Real Estate Exchange and Auction Room (limited), Nos. 59 to 65 Liberty street, in the City of New York, the following real estate belonging to the Corporation of said city, situated on Block Number 359 1/2, between Third and Lexington avenues, and Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets, in the Nineteenth Ward of said city, and shown on a map or survey drawn by Eugene E. McLean, City Surveyor, dated March 23, 1885, filed in the Comptroller's office, to wit:

Lot No. 1. On the west side of Third avenue, corner of Sixty-seventh street, 25 x 100.
Lots Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7. On the west side of Third avenue, between Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets, each 25 x 100.
Lot No. 8. On the west side of Third avenue, corner of Sixty-eighth street, 25 x 100.
Lot No. 9. On the south side of Sixty-eighth street, in the rear of the lots on Third avenue, 20 x 100.5.
Lot No. 10. Adjoining, 25 x 100.5.
Lot No. 11. Adjoining, 25 x 100.5.
Lot No. 12. On the north side of Sixty-seventh street, 25 x 100.5.
Lot No. 13. Adjoining, 25 x 100.5.
Lot No. 14. Adjoining and in the rear of the lots on Third avenue, 20 x 100.5.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

The highest bidders will be required to pay ten (10) per cent. of the purchase money and the auctioneer's fee on each lot immediately after the sale; thirty (30) per cent. upon the delivery of the deeds, within thirty days from the date of sale; and the balance, sixty (60) per cent., of the purchase money, or any portion thereof, may remain, at the option of the purchaser, on bond and mortgage, for five years, with interest at the rate of six per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, the mortgages to contain the customary thirty days' interest and ninety days tax clauses.

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

paid off before any release can be given by the corporation, as a release of any part of the premises included in a mortgage to the corporation is forbidden by law.

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

The Comptroller is authorized and empowered to make such conditions and provisions with respect to the removal of any and all of the buildings on the premises fronting on Third avenue, and for the erection of new buildings thereon as he may consider advisable and necessary in the interest of the city.

On and after May 1st, 1885, lithographic maps of the premises may be had at the office of the Comptroller.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under a resolution adopted April 17, 1885.

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 20, 1885.

INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

THE INTEREST ON THE BONDS AND STOCKS of the City and County of New York, due May 1, 1885, will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office in the Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street.

The Transfer Books will be closed from March 28 to May 1, 1885.

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
New York, March 23, 1885.

NOTICE OF POSTPONEMENT OF SALE OF LANDS AND TENEMENTS FOR UNPAID TAXES AND CROTON WATER RENTS IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

PURSUANT TO SECTION 928 OF THE NEW York City Consolidation Act of 1882, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives PUBLIC NOTICE that the sale at public auction of lands and tenements in said City for unpaid taxes levied in the year 1880, and Croton Water Rents laid for the year 1879, and now remaining due and unpaid, which sale is advertised to be held at the County Court-house, in the City Hall Park, in the City of New York, on Monday, December 22, 1884, at 12 o'clock noon, has been and is hereby postponed by him until Monday, May 11, 1885, to be held on that day at the same hour and place.

A pamphlet containing a detailed statement of the property advertised for sale may be obtained at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents.

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, Dec. 20, 1884.

NOTICE OF POSTPONEMENT OF SALE OF LANDS AND TENEMENTS FOR UNPAID ASSESSMENTS FOR LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

PURSUANT TO SECTION 928 OF THE NEW York City Consolidation Act of 1882, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives PUBLIC NOTICE that the sale at public auction of lands and tenements in said City for unpaid assessments laid and confirmed during the year 1879 and prior thereto, for local improvements, which sale is advertised to be held at the County Court-house, in the City Hall Park, in the City of New York, on Monday, November 24, 1884, at 12 o'clock noon, has been and is hereby postponed by him until Monday, May 25, 1885, to be held on that day at the same hour and place.

A pamphlet containing a detailed statement of the property advertised for sale may be obtained at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents.

S. HASTINGS GRANT,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, Nov. 15, 1884.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

THE ATTENTION OF LAWYERS, REAL Estate Owners, Monetary Institutions engaged in making loans upon real estate, and all who are interested in providing themselves with facilities for reducing the cost of examinations and searches, is invited to these Official Indices of Records, containing all recorded transfers of real estate in the City of New York from 1653 to 1857, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

Grantors, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriff's sales, in 61 volumes, full bound, price, \$100 00
The same in 25 volumes, half bound, 50 00
Complete sets, folded, ready for binding, 15 00
Records of Judgments, 25 volumes, bound, 10 00
Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Angell, Room 23, Stewart Building."

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller.

JURORS.

NOTICE IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,
ROOM 127, STEWART BUILDING,
CHAMBERS STREET AND BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, June 1, 1883.

APPLICATIONS FOR EXEMPTIONS WILL BE heard here, from 10 to 3 daily, from all persons hitherto liable or recently serving who have become exempt, and all needed information will be given.

Those who have not answered as to their liability, or proved permanent exemption, will receive a "jury enrollment notice," requiring them to appear before me this year. Whether liable or not, such notices must be answered (in person, if possible, and at this office only) under severe penalties. If exempt, the party must bring proof of exemption; if liable, he must also answer in person, giving full and correct name, residence, etc., etc. No attention paid to letters.

Persons "enrolled" as liable must serve when called or pay their fines. No mere excuse will be allowed or interference permitted. The fines if unpaid will be entered as judgments upon the property of the delinquents. All good citizens will aid the course of justice, and secure reliable and respectable juries, and equalize their duty by serving promptly when summoned, allowing their clerks or subordinates to serve, reporting to me any attempt at bribery or evasion, and suggesting names for enrollment. Persons between sixty and seventy years of age, summer absentees, persons temporarily ill, and United States and District Court jurors are not exempt. Every man must attend to his own notice. It is a misdemeanor to give any jury paper to another to answer. It is also punishable by fine or imprisonment to give or receive any present or bribe, directly or indirectly, in relation to a jury service, or to withhold any paper or make any false statement, and every case will be fully prosecuted.

GEORGE CAULFIELD,
Commissioner of Jurors.