

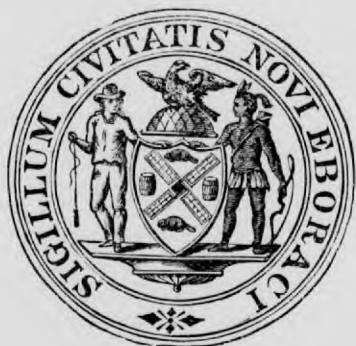
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## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
NEW YORK, July 22, 1885.

Present—President Henry D. Purroy and Commissioner Elward Smith.

### Requisitions, etc.

#### Bills

—audited and transmitted to the Comptroller for payment, on the 10th instant :

#### Schedule No. 35 for 1885.

Charles Beyer, apparatus, supplies, etc.	\$45 00
William Carlin, " "	72 00
Cleary & Donnelly, " "	21 00
Jeremiah Dean, " "	24 00
Donoghue Bros., " "	6 00
James Dowd, " "	12 00
John F. Dunn, " "	18 00
Owen Fallon, " "	69 00
John Fitzpatrick, " "	30 00
C. Fox, " "	24 00
Thos. J. Gallon, " "	33 00
John A. Hassler, " "	15 00
Dennis Hayes, " "	9 00
John Hayes, " "	24 00
Bernard Kenney, " "	42 00
Bernard Kiernan, " "	45 00
John Lally, " "	74 00
Lattimer & Dougherty, " "	24 00
J. A. Leighton, " "	9 00
Andrew Logan, " "	9 00
Joseph Malloy, " "	6 00
P. Malone, " "	15 00
Edward Moffit, " "	39 00
John McAvoy, " "	15 00
Patrick McCann, " "	27 00
Charles McFaul, " "	18 00
Patrick McKenna, " "	12 00
William McKenna, " "	57 00
McKenna & Carleton, " "	18 00
John McNally, " "	16 50
Adam Nimphius, " "	25 50
D. Pollard, " "	21 00
Patrick Quilty, " "	48 00
James Roche, " "	21 00
Matthew Walsh, " "	27 00
William Waters, " "	30 00

Total..... \$1,001 00

—on the 15th instant :

#### Schedule No. 36 for 1885.

A. Aretander & Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	\$85 00
John Banta, contingencies Bureau Inspection of Buildings.	50 00
Thomas C. Basshon & Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	279 00
Consolidated Gas Company, apparatus, supplies, etc.	629 55
Edwin Dobos, contingencies Bureau Inspection of Buildings.	50 00
W. H. Dougherty & Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	44 94
Frost & Wood, " "	58 00
Wm. J. Fryer, Jr., contingencies, Bureau Inspection of Buildings.	20 00
Wm. Gibson, apparatus, supplies, etc.	22 60
Harkness Fire Extinguisher Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	64 75
Geo. W. Hart, " "	137 64
Chas. P. Ketterer, " "	27 80
N. Le Brun, contingencies, Bureau Inspection of Buildings.	50 00
Matchless Metal Polish Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	20 00
E. R. Merrill, " "	26 86
Metropolitan Telephone and Telegraph Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	27 50
Henry A. Oakley, contingencies, Bureau Inspection of Buildings.	50 00
Ogden & Wallace, apparatus, supplies, etc.	183 25
Cornelius O'Reilly, contingencies, Bureau Inspection of Buildings.	10 00
Pay-roll, Laborers, " "	392 00
John Powers, Manager, apparatus, supplies, etc.	66 66
Joseph Shea, " "	16 80
G. H. Sheldon, " "	22 82
J. Elliot Smith, " "	43 90
Geo. Teasdale, " "	78 00
Yonkers Gas-light Co., " "	52 25

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### Requisitions, etc.

From—  
Supply Clerk—Requisitions for articles for the Fire Alarm Telegraph and Repair Shops, estimated cost, respectively, \$226, \$279.50. Ordered.  
Superintendent of Repairs to Buildings—Requisitions for glazing, Engine Co. No. 26, \$9 00; carpenter work, Engine Co. No. 26, \$245. Ordered.  
Superintendent of Telegraph—Requisitions for repairs to telegraph apparatus, etc., \$175, \$150. Ordered and referred to the Bookkeeper.  
Foreman in charge of Repair Shops—Requisitions for repairs, \$22. Ordered.  
Foreman in charge of Stables—Requisition for two horses for Engine Co. No. 52, with reports of selection and fitness, \$500. Ordered.

Same—Requisitions for one horse each for Chief of Eighth Battalion, Engine Cos. Nos. 31 and 39. Selection ordered.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Copies of resolutions authorizing transfer of \$392 from "Contingencies—Mayor's Office," for 1885, to "Contingencies—Bureau of Inspection of Buildings," Fire Department for 1885; and of \$15,000 from "Salaries—Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies, Pay Rolls," 1885, to appropriation for "New Houses for Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies," 1885. Filed.

Comptroller—Statements of condition of appropriation for weeks ending July 11 and 18, 1885. Filed.

City Chamberlain—Receipt for \$395.24 for collections made by Attorney to the Department. Filed.

Van Tassell & Kearney—Account of sales of horses. Referred to the Trustees of the Relief Fund.

On motion, the following was adopted :  
Resolved, That the position of Clerk, with salary at the rate of fifteen hundred dollars per annum, in the Bureau of Fire Marshal of this Department, be abolished, and that the position of Assistant Fire Marshal be re-established in said bureau, with salary at the rate of fifteen hundred dollars per annum.

### Communications.

From—  
Fireman, First Grade, Thomas Larkin—Applying for sick leave, recommended by medical officer, which had been granted by the President. Approved and filed.

Foreman Engine Co. No. 14—Report on complaint of J. Brown as to condition of premises No. 258 Sixth avenue. Filed.

Foreman Engine Co. No. 38—Relative to condition of company quarters. Referred to Chairman Committee on Building and Supplies.

Engineer of Steamer Thomas Walker, Engine Co. No. 30—Reporting recovery of badge, and requesting remission of fine. Ordered, and filed.

Assistant Foreman Charles Margison, Engine Co. No. 21—Reporting loss of fire-alarm box key issued to Holmes Protective Co. Filed.

Fireman, First Grade, Geo. H. Sharp—Applying for retirement. Laid over.

Inspector of Combustibles—Reporting issue of licenses and permits. Filed.

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

Same—Recommending remission of penalties. Approved.

Fire Marshal—Report for quarter ending 30th ultimo. Filed, having been compiled.

Superintendent of Buildings—Report for quarter ending 30th ultimo. Filed, having been compiled.

Same—Recommending remission of penalties in fire escape case No. 2264 of 1884. Approved, and referred to the Attorney.

Superintendent of Telegraph—Recommending revision of system of numbering alarm stations. Referred to Chairman Committee on Apparatus and Telegraph.

Same—Returning requisition for purchase of Eighty-two telegraph poles from Western Union Telegraph Co., with form of agreement as directed, and communications relative to same. Approved and executed, and

Resolved, That the bill of the Western Union Telegraph Co., amounting to \$37.50, for telegraph poles, be allowed and audited.

Foreman in charge of Stables—Report for the quarter ending June 30, 1885. Filed, having been compiled.

Commissioners of the Sinking Fund—Copy of a preamble and resolution relative to site for Station-house for Twenty-eighth Precinct, etc., in East Sixty-seventh street. Filed.

Commissioner of Public Works—Relative to application for permission to connect fire-alarm boxes with lamp-posts on Broadway and Fifth avenue. Filed.

Thurber, Whyland & Co.—Commending the Department for its services at a fire in their premises at Nos. 85 & 89 Thomas street, on the 17th instant. Filed.

R. D. Hatch—Acknowledging receipt of copy of Department report for 1884. Filed.

George C. Goeller—Relative to damages to pole-truck of the Department. Filed.

William Walther—Relative to a complaint filed in the Bureau of Inspection of Buildings. Filed.

James Webb and others—Recommending reinstatement of Henry La Forge as an Inspector of Buildings. Referred to Board of Examiners.

Chas. E. Reed—Applying for appointment as an Inspector in the Bureau of Inspection of Buildings. Filed.

J. Ruszits—Relative to complaint dated 9th ultimo. Filed, with directions to reply.

S. W. Corwin—Complaint against members of the Department. Filed.

A. McBride, J. H. D. Meyer, Francis Reilly, Jr., and H. H. Ritterbush—Claims against members of the Department. Filed, with directions to notify.

Mrs. Perkins—Stating that Fireman, Third Grade, David Webb, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 2, has failed to pay claim filed as per his agreement. Referred to Chief of Department to have charges preferred.

### Trials.

Fireman, Second Grade, John H. Allen, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 10, charged with "disobedience of orders," "violation of sec. 13, par. V., General Order No. 13, O. B. C., series of 1881," and "absence without leave." Found guilty, dismissed the service of the Department, and action of the President, suspending him from pay and duty, approved.

Fireman, Second Grade, William J. Armstrong, of Engine Co. No. 31, charged with "being under the influence of liquor," "neglect of duty," and "disobedience of orders." Found guilty on all charges and fined fifteen days' pay, five on each charge.

Fireman, Second Grade, Dennis F. Dowd, of Engine Co. No. 31, charged with "absence without leave." Found guilty and fined ten days' pay.

Fireman, Second Grade, John J. Conroy, of Engine Co. No. 31, charged with "absence without leave." Found guilty and fined five days' pay.

Fireman, First Grade, John Driscoll, of Engine Co. No. 6, charged with "absence without leave" and "under the influence of liquor." Found guilty of both charges and fined thirteen days' pay, three on the first and ten on the second charge.

Fireman, First Grade, Michael Campbell, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 8, charged with "absence without leave." Found guilty and fined two days' pay.

Fireman, First Grade, Andrew McDevitt, of Engine Co. No. 16, detailed to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 2, charged with "absence without leave" and "being under the influence of liquor." Laid over.

Fireman, First Grade, Samuel T. Warren, of Engine Co. No. 18, charged with "careless driving." Found guilty, and ordered to be reprimanded by the President.

Fireman, First Grade, William E. Miller, of Engine Co. No. 40, charged with "absence without leave" at two different times. Laid over, accused being reported sick.

### Bills

—audited and transmitted to the Comptroller for payment :

#### Schedule No. 37 of 1885.

H. E. Bowns, apparatus, supplies, etc.	\$1,008 84
M. Breen, " "	268 00
Bridgeport Malleable Iron Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	58 54
I. H. Dahlman, " "	300 00
T. & J. W. Grady, " "	64 00
Gutta Percha & Rubber Mfg. Co., " "	132 00
Hunter-Keller Mfg. Co., " "	28 10
Ilsley, Doubleday & Co., " "	164 16
Seaman Johnson, " "	150 00
Chas. P. Ketterer, " "	65 30
N. L. Niver, " "	50 50
Ogden & Wallace, " "	13 83
Pearce & Jones, " "	147 55
S. M. Perkins, " "	25 00
Frank E. Towle, " "	20 00

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On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.



JULY 23, 1885.

Present—President Henry D. Purroy and Commissioner Elward Smith.  
On motion of the President, the following announcement was ordered to be promulgated:

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT—  
OFFICE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS,  
CITY OF NEW YORK, NOS. 155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,  
NEW YORK, July 23, 1885.

Circular No. 4.

The death of America's most eminent citizen—the patriot, soldier and statesman, General Ulysses S. Grant—is officially announced to the Department with profound and sincere regret. Distinguished as the successful leader of the armies of the United States and as President during two terms, and honored by all nations, his death is a great loss to his country, and will be mourned throughout the world.

The national standard will be displayed at half-mast upon the buildings of this Department daily, until sunset of the day of the funeral.

Requisitions, etc.

From—  
Supply Clerk—For articles for the Superintendent of Repairs to Buildings, estimate of cost, \$424, and for issue, \$944. Ordered.  
Second Assistant Chief of Department—Report of a slight fire at the Bijou Opera House, etc. Filed.

Board of Examiners, Bureau of Inspection of Buildings—Reporting Examiners found qualified for appointment as Inspectors. Filed, and appointments ordered.

Dennis Dorris and James C. McGrann—To be Inspectors in the Bureau of Inspection of Buildings, with salary at the rate of \$1,100 per annum, to take effect at once.

Business Men's Association, etc., of Syracuse, N. Y.—Relative to detail from Life Saving Corps to attend the Convention of the N. Y. State Firemen's Association. Filed, with directions to make necessary arrangements.

Andrew Cole, appointed a Painter in the Repair Shops at \$3 per day, to take effect on 24th instant.

On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

AUGUST 1, 1885.

Present—Commissioners Richard Croker and Elward Smith.

Opening of Proposals.

Affidavits of Clerk of the CITY RECORD as to publication of advertisements for proposals were read and filed, and approved forms of contract submitted.

Proposals

—for building new house for Engine Co. No. 39, etc.:

No. 1. George H. Christie for \$74,200, with security deposit, check, \$1,750.

No. 2. James Duffy for \$68,229, with security deposit, check, \$1,750.

No. 3. James H. Brady, for \$65,870, with security deposit, currency \$1,750.

—for furnishing second size steam fire-engine:

No. 1. Clapp &amp; Jones Manufacturing Company for \$3,500, with security deposit, check, \$100.

Laid over, and security deposits transmitted to Comptroller.

Communication

From—  
Civil Service Examining Board—Inclosing list of candidates for the position of Fireman found eligible. Filed, and appointments ordered as ununiformed firemen for a probationary period of thirty days, with salary at the rate of \$1,000 per annum, to take effect immediately, to be assigned to companies below Fourteenth street, with instructions to report daily for three weeks at the School of Instruction, at 10 A.M., for instruction and test, in the manner prescribed by the rules, and with directions to the Instructor to report thereon, and to the commanding officer of the company to report on the appointees' fitness, or otherwise, for the position of Fireman:

Otto C. Rigl.  
George J. Boles.  
Richard W. Callaghan.  
John B. Conlon.  
Patrick H. Aspell.  
Gustave G. Nagel.  
James Malone.  
William H. Bouton.  
Marin V. Stokes.  
Edward J. Fagan.  
John F. Murphy.

Adam J. Bollenbacher.  
Patrick J. Brennan.  
James Ryan.  
Edward Gibbons.  
James Conway.  
William Harrigan.  
John H. Byrne.  
Clarence E. McNeillie.  
Anthony J. Molloy.  
Walter R. Ostrander.  
Charles H. Stone.

On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

## APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Dreisacher & Co. to erect and keep an awning, of tin or other light metal, or canvas, in front of their premises, No. 2071 Third avenue; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 31, 1885.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, August 10, 1885, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to N. J. Haines, Jr., to place and keep a post, surmounted by a clock, on the sidewalk, near the curb, on the southwest corner of Broadway and Seventeenth street, provided such post and clock shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 31, 1885.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, August 10, 1885, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William Mannie to place and keep a stand for the sale of fruit, soda-water, sandwiches, etc., on the sidewalk, inside the railing, at the Forty-second street entrance to the distributing reservoir, provided such stand shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public, such permission to continue only for the 8th day of August, 1885.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 31, 1885.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, August 10, 1885, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to L. Hammel & Co. to place and keep a thermometer on the lamp-post in front of No. 35 Maiden Lane, to be about four feet high and eight inches wide; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, August 4, 1885.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, August 10, 1885, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to A. M. Hyatt to place and keep two stationary ash-boxes on the sidewalk, near the curb-line, in front of Nos. 778 and 780 Tenth avenue; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 17, 1885.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, July 28, 1885, with his objections thereto.

In Board of Aldermen, August 11, 1885, taken up, reconsidered, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

## HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Births \* reported during the week ending August 15, 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.			
766	762	4	395	371	..	425	206	99	29	..	..	4	3	..	666	100

Marriages \* reported during the week ending August 15, 1885.

TOTAL.	COLOR.		NATIVITY.						CONDITION.							
	White.	Colored.	Foreign.	Native.	Born at sea.	Not stated.			First marriage.	Second marriage.	Third marriage.	Fourth marriage.	Not stated.			
128	128	..	79	71	49	57	..	..	112	118	16	10	..	..	..	..

\* 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 August 15, 1885, and those who Died (actual mortality), week ending August 8, 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.
1	Austria .....	12	12	21	23	9	8	2	2
1	British America .....	3	7	7	7	..	..	1	..
11	England .....	21	21	26	19	4	2	1	1
2	France .....	5	4	6	5	..	..	..	..
71	Germany .....	178	162	266	203	40	34	21	25
90	Ireland .....	191	191	106	111	6	9	8	7
4	Italy .....	10	9	3	13	1	..	4	4
2	Poland .....	7	6	11	10	1	..	2	2
1	Scotland .....	7	4	5	6	1	..	..	..
3	Switzerland .....	7	6	7	5	3	1	3	3
468	United States .....	179	207	235	309	49	57	10	19
6	Unknown or not stated .....	22	20	7	..	..	..	7	6
1	West Indies .....	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
16	Other countries .....	33	28	55	40	14	13	1	1

Still-Births reported during the week ending August 15, 1885.

TOTAL.	SEX.			COLOR.		NATIVITY OF						PERIOD OF UTERO-GESTATION.										
	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	Unknown or not stated.
70	41	38	1	70	..	16	47	7	19	45	6	..	..	1	2	5	12	7	13	30	..	..

Deaths reported during the week ending August 15, 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.		Not stated. †			
							Basement.	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.				Seventh.	Not stated.		Single.	Married.	Widowed.
756	141	451	145	2	16	1	17	125	182	132	112	28	2	..	..	756	..	..	85	152	55	46

† Principally children and deaths in Institutions.



REPORTED MORTALITY\* for the week ending August 15, 1885, together with the ACTUAL MORTALITY for the week ending August 8, 1885.

SIR—There were 756 deaths reported to have occurred in this city during the week ending Saturday, August 15, 1885, which is an increase of 108, as compared with the number reported the preceding week, and 99 more than were reported during the corresponding week of the year 1884. The actual mortality for the week ending August 8, 1885, was 677, which is 88.6 below the average for the corresponding week for the past five years, and represents an annual death-rate of 25.11 per 1,000 persons living, the population estimated at 1,401,732.

Table showing the Reported Mortality for the week ending August 15, 1885, and the Actual Number of Deaths each day, from the Principal Causes, with the Ages of Decedents, for the week ending August 8, 1885.

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\* 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 August 8, 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	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	2	9	17,939	Castle Garden and Emigrant Depot, -; U. S. Marine Hospital (Bedloe's Island), -; First Precinct Station, -	..					
Second.....	81	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	9	1,608	Twenty-seventh Precinct Station, -; House of Relief, 160 Chambers street, 2; Newsboys' Lodgings, -	2					
Third.....	95	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	6	3,582	Fourth Precinct Station, -; Mission Home, -; St. James' Home, -; Sailor Home, -	..					
Fourth.....	83	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	6	20,996	Fifth Precinct Station, -; Trinity Infirmary, 50 Varick street, -	..					
Fifth.....	168	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	3	15,845	City Prison, -; Home of Industry, -; Centre Street Dispensary, -; Sixth Precinct Station, -	..					
Sixth.....	86	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	1	5	0	20,196	Seventh Precinct Station, -; Deborah Day Nursery, -; Nursery and Child's Protectory, East Broadway, -	..					
Seventh.....	108	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	8	..	11	16	50,066	Eighth Precinct Station, -	..					
Eighth.....	183	..	..	..	(1)	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	..	9	23	35,879	St. Vincent's Hospital, 3; Jefferson Market Prison, -; Home for Old Men and Aged Couples, -	3					
Ninth.....	322	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	..	8	25	54,596	Essex Street Prison, -; Tenth Precinct Station, -; Ludlow Street Jail, -	6					
Tenth.....	110	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	..	11	37	47,554	St. Francis' Hospital, 6; Eleventh Precinct Station, -	..					
Eleventh.....	196	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	9	..	12	37	68,778	Reception Hospital, 6th street, 2; Infants' Hospital, 1; Soldiers' Retreat, -; N. Y. City Asylum for the Insane, 2; Colored Orphan Asylum, -; Ward's Island, -; Randall's Island, 5; Bloomingdale Lunatic Asylum, -; St. Joseph's Asylum, -; House of Refuge, 4; House of Mercy, -; Idiot Asylum, Randall's Island, -; Union Home and School, -; House of Good Shepherd, -; N. Y. Juvenile Asylum, 1; St. Luke's Home, -; Homoeopathic Hospital, 4; Home for Aged and Infirm Hebrews, -; Sheltering Arms, -; St. Joseph's Hospital, 5; Home for Respectable Aged and Infirm, - Twelfth Precinct Station, -	24					
Twelfth.....	5,504.13	..	..	1	..	1	3	..	..	1	..	..	(1)	..	(3)	(5)	90	66	31,800	Thirteenth Precinct Station, -; Fifth District Court, -	..			
Thirteenth.....	107	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	6	..	8	14	14	37,707	R. C. Orphan Asylum, -; Lying-in-Asylum, -; Fourteenth Precinct Station, -; House of Mercy, -	..				
Fourteenth.....	96	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	3	11	11	30,171	N. Y. Juvenile Asylum, -; Mission of Immaculate Virgin, -; Protestant Half-Orphan Asylum, -	..				
Fifteenth.....	198	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	3	12	12	31,882	St. Joseph's Home for the Aged, -; French Hospital, 1; Babys' Shelter, -; Sixteenth Precinct Station, -	1				
Sixteenth.....	348.77	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	5	11	10	52,188	Home of the Holy Trinity, -; German Dispensary, -; Home for Aged and Infirm Deaf Mutes, -	..				
Seventeenth.....	331	..	1	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	14	..	18	36	36	104,837	Home for Respectable Aged and Indigent Females, -; New York Hospital, 7; St. Stephen's Home, 1; Reception Hospital, -; Old Ladies' Home, -; Post Graduate Hospital, -; N. Y. Ophthalmic Hosp., -	8				
Eighteenth.....	449.89	..	1	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	6	..	1	11	37	66,611	Presbyterian Hosp., 1; German Hospital, 3; Mt. Sinai Hospital, 5; Foundling Hospital, 8; Women's Hospital and College, -; City Lunatic Asylum, 5; Almshouse, 8; Penitentiary, -; Small-pox Hospital, -; Charity Hospital, 14; Epileptic and Paralytic Hospital, -; Colored Home Hospital, 2; Nursery and Child's Hospital, 2; St. Luke's Hospital, 1; Workhouse, 2; Baptist Home, 1; Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum, -; Hospital for Ruptured and Crippled, -; Home for the Aged (Little Sisters of the Poor), -; Chapin Home for the Aged, -; Hahnemann's Hospital, -; Hebrew Orphan Asylum, -; St. Joseph's Infirmary, -; Baptist Home, -; Dominican Convent, -; Nineteenth Precinct Station, -; Manhattan Eye and Ear Hospital, -; Montefiore Home, -; St. Joseph's Industrial Home, -	22				
Nineteenth.....	1,480.60	..	1	..	3	1	2	..	2	..	..	..	(11)	..	..	(12)	120	68	158,191	St. Elizabeth's Hospital, -; St. Mary's Hospital, -; Trinity Home, -; Institution for the Blind, -	..			
Twentieth.....	444	..	..	1	1	2	4	..	1	..	..	..	7	..	16	37	37	86,015	Bellevue Hospital, 22; in Ambulances, -; Ophthalmic Hospital, -; Skin and Cancer Hospital, -; Home of the Friendless, -; Emergency Hospital, -; St. Luke's Home, -; St. Stephen's Home, -	22				
Twenty-first....	411	..	..	..	..	1	5	..	1	1	..	..	(1)	..	(2)	(3)	40	18	66,536	Roosevelt Hospital, 6; Old Ladies' Home, -; New York Infant Asylum, -; Twenty-second Precinct Station, -	6			
Twenty-second..	1,529.42	..	..	..	1	2	2	..	1	1	..	..	32	1	30	73	67	111,606	N. Y. Orphan Asylum, -; N. Y. Hosp. and Med. College for Women and Children, -; Barrett Home, -	..				
Twenty-third ..	4,267.023	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	4	1	7	15	15	28,338	Christian Home, -; Old Gentlemen Unsectarian Home, -; St. Vincent de Paul's Nursery, -	..				
Twenty-fourth ..	8,050.323	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	2	9	5	13,288	House of Rest for Consumptives, 3; Home for Incurables, 1; Thirty-fourth Precinct Station, -; Thirty-fifth Precinct Station, -; Peabody Home, -; St. Stephen's Home, -; St. Joseph's Inst. for Deaf Mutes, -	4				
Totals.....	24,893.156	..	4	2	10	13	22	..	7	6	..	178	3	10	255	677	549	1,206,299	Total mortality in Public Institutions.....	128				

\*The figures in parenthesis represent the deaths in Institutions.

Very respectfully submitted,

JOHN T. NAGLE, M. D., Deputy Register of Records.



## 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.

Resolved, That, in consideration of the extreme heat of the weather, and the fact that very little, if any business is transacted in the public offices after 12 o'clock M. on Saturdays, during the summer season, the various public offices of the city, except those specially by law required to be kept open, be closed at noon every Saturday during the months of June, July and August, 1885.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 20, 1885.  
Received from his Honor the Mayor, April 30, 1885, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, the same became adopted.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY,  
Clerk Common Council.

## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

## Mayor's Office.

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

## Mayor's Marshal's Office.

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

## Permit Bureau Office.

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

## COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

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

## AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

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

## LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

## Office of Clerk of Common Council.

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

## City Library.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

## Commissioner's Office.

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

## Bureau of Chief Engineer.

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

## Bureau of Water Register.

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

## Bureau of Street Improvements.

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

## Engineer-in-Charge of Sewers.

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

## Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

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

## Bureau of Water Purveyor.

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

## Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

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

## Bureau of Streets.

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

## Bureau of Incumbrances.

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

## Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.

MARTIN J. KEENE, 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.  
JAMES J. KELSO, 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.  
WM. M. IVINS, 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 4.30 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.  
HENRY D. PURROY, President; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

## Bureau of Chief of Department.

CHARLES O. SHAY, Chief of Department.

## Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

## Bureau of Fire Marshal.

GEORGE H. SHELTON, Fire Marshal.

## Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

ALBERT F. D'ONCH, 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; CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

## Civil and Topographical Office.

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

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

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

JOSEPH KOCH, 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.  
MICHAEL COLEMAN, President; FLOYD T. SMITH, Secretary.

## Office Bureau Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.

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

CHARLES S. BEARDSLEY, Attorney; WILLIAM COMERFORD, Clerk.

## DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

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

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

## CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

## Room No. 11, City Hall.

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

## BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

Office of Clerk, Staats Zeitung Building, Room 5.

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

## BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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

EDWARD GILON, Chairman; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

## BOARD OF EXCISE.

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

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

## SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

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

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

## REGISTER'S OFFICE.

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

JOHN REILLY, Register; JAMES A. HANLEY, Deputy Register.

## COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

CHARLES REILLY, Commissioner; JAMES E. CONNER, Deputy Commissioner.

## COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

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

PATRICK KEENAN, County Clerk; EDWARD SELLECK, Deputy County Clerk.

## DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

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

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

## JURORS.

## NOTICE

## IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,  
ROOM 127, STEWART BUILDING,  
CHAMBERS STREET AND BROADWAY,  
NEW YORK, JUNE 1, 1885.

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

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

Persons "enrolled" as liable must serve when called or pay their fines. No 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.

CHARLES REILLY,  
Commissioner of Jurors.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS  
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,  
NEW YORK, AUGUST 20, 1885.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT**  
Three (3) Self-propelling Steam Fire Engines,  
Three (3) Aerial Ladder Trucks with Ladders,  
Nine (9) Extension Ladders, and  
One (1) Hand Engine

—will be offered for sale at public auction on Thursday, September 10, 1885, at 12 o'clock M., by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, on the lot in rear of the house of Engine Co. No. 39, on Sixty-seventh street, between Third and Lexington avenues, on the following conditions:

Each of the engines and aerial-ladder trucks (with the ladders pertaining to it) will be sold separately.

The right to reject all bids received is reserved.  
The highest bidder for each article, in case the bid is accepted, will be required to pay for the same in cash at the time of sale, and must remove it on or before the 30th day of September, 1885.

The places where the several articles may be seen before the day of sale can be ascertained on inquiry at this office.

HENRY D. PURROY,  
RICHARD CROKER,  
ELWARD SMITH,  
Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS  
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,  
NEW YORK, MAY 12, 1885.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE** Board of Commissioners of this Department will meet daily, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the transaction of business.

By order of  
HENRY D. PURROY, President,  
RICHARD CROKER,  
ELWARD SMITH,  
Commissioners.

CARL JUSSEN,  
Secretary.

## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

## MAYOR'S OFFICE.

NEW YORK, MAY 23, 1885.

**IN PURSUANCE OF THE ORDINANCE** approved April 30, 1877, and amended June 1, 1877, entitled "An Ordinance to prevent the danger of hydrophobia to any of the inhabitants of the City of New York," notice is hereby given that all dogs found at large in the City of New York on and after June 1, 1885, contrary to such ordinance, will be seized and disposed of as provided there in.

The Dog Pound at the foot of Sixteenth street, East river, is hereby designated as the place where dogs so captured must be delivered to the keeper thereof. The pound will be open from eight o'clock A. M. until five o'clock P. M. daily, Sundays excepted, on and after the first day of June next.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
36 UNION SQUARE,  
AUGUST 18, 1885.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

**BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR THE ERECTION OF A SEA-WALL ON THE EASTERLY SIDE OF THE EAST RIVER PARK, BETWEEN EIGHTY-FOURTH AND EIGHTY-SIXTH STREETS.**

**SEALED ESTIMATES FOR THE ABOVE WORK.** Indorsed with the above title, and also with the name of the person or persons making the same, and the date of presentation, will be received at the Office of the Department of Public Parks, No. 36 Union Square, New York City, until ten o'clock A. M. on Wednesday, the 2d day of September, 1885, at which place and hour the bids will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract will be made as soon thereafter as practicable.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at the office of the said Department, with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or estimate, and that the sureties offered by him or them have been approved by the Comptroller; and in case of failure or neglect so to do, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation, and thereupon the work will be re-advertised and relet, and so on until the contract be accepted and executed. The work to commence at such time as the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks may designate.

N. B.—The prices must be written in the estimate,

and also stated in figures, and all estimates will be considered as informal which do not contain bids for all items called for in the specifications, or which contain bids for items not called for therein. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the Department of Public Parks to reject any or all estimates which it may deem prejudicial to the public interests. No estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in such 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 and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but, if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Bidders are required to state in their estimates, under oath, their names and places of residence; the names of all persons interested with them therein; and if no other person be so interested, they shall distinctly state the fact; also, that such estimate is made without any connection with any other person making a bid or estimate for the same purpose; and that it is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and also, that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, deputy thereof or clerk thereon, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof.

The estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making such estimate, that the several matters therein stated are in all respects true. When more than one person is interested in the estimate, the verification must be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each estimate shall be accompanied by the consent in writing of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they 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 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 the contract, and stated in the proposals, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise; that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be determined by the Comptroller of the City of New York, after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

Bidders are required to state in writing, and also in figures, the price per cubic yard for wall masonry, the price per cubic yard for concrete, the price per lineal foot for granite coping; also, the time required for the completion of the whole work, which will be tested at the rate of FOUR dollars per day.

The prices are to cover the furnishing of all the necessary materials and labor, also the expense of excavation, whether rock or otherwise; and the performance of all the work as set forth in the specification and form of agreement hereto annexed.

It being understood that the time so bid refers to the aggregate time of such Inspectors as may be appointed on the work, and not to consecutive days, and that the damages specified in covenant E (see section 6 f) of the specifications) will be exacted for each and every day that the said aggregate time of the Inspectors who may be employed on the work may exceed the time stipulated for the completion of the whole work.

The Engineer's estimate of the work to be done, and by which the bids will be tested, is as follows:  
225 cubic yards of wall masonry.  
40 cubic yards of concrete.  
442 lineal feet of granite coping.

N. B.—Bidders are specially notified that the entire cost of the work cannot exceed (\$4,500) four thousand five hundred dollars, and that the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks reserve the right to reject any or all estimates exceeding that amount.

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

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

Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Commissioners of the



## NEW AQUEDUCT.

## NEW YORK SECTION.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CONFIRMATION OF THE REPORT OF COMMISSIONERS OF APPRAISAL, NEW YORK SECTION, DATED JUNE 8 1885, AS TO PARCELS 28, 29 AND 30, AND LANDS CONTIGUOUS THERETO.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT it is my intention to make application before the Hon. Jackson O. Dykman, at a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, to be held in the Second Judicial District, at the Court-house in White Plains, Westchester County, on the 12th day of September, 1885, at 12 o'clock noon of that day or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, to confirm the report (as to Parcels 28, 29 and 30, and lands contiguous thereto) of the Commissioners of Appraisal appointed in the above matter pursuant to the provisions of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, which said report was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Westchester on the 27th day of July, 1885, and a copy of which was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the same day.

Dated, New York, August 5, 1885.  
E. HENRY LACOMBE,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
2 Tryon Row, New York City.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

## TO CONTRACTORS.

## PROPOSALS FOR DRY GOODS.

## SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

## DRY GOODS.

8,000 yards U. G. Cassimere.  
4,000 yards Brown Cassimere.  
4,000 yards Brown Denims.  
10,000 yards Canton Flannel.  
700 yards Red Flannel.  
8,000 yards Cotton Jeans.  
4,000 yards Linsey Woolsey.

will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M., of Monday, August 31, 1885. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Dry Goods," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department, and read.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, August 19, 1885.  
THOMAS S. BRENNAN,  
HENRY H. PORTER,  
CHARLES E. SIMMONS,  
Commissioners of the Department of  
Public Charities and Correction.

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

## TO CONTRACTORS.

## PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, DRY GOODS, HARDWARE, IRON, CROCKERY, LUMBER, ETC.

## SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

## GROCERIES.

6,000 pounds Dairy Butter; sample on exhibition Thursday, August 27, 1885.  
6,000 pounds Barley, price to include packages.  
10,000 pounds Rio Coffee, roasted.  
10,000 pounds Oatmeal, price to include packages.  
30,000 pounds Brown Sugar.  
4,000 pounds Granulated Sugar.  
40,000 pounds Brown Soap.  
3,000 gallons Syrup.

500 barrels good sound Irish Potatoes, to weigh 168 pounds net per barrel.  
20 barrels Pickles, 40-gallon barrels, 2,000 per barrel.

200 barrels prime quality American Salt, 320 pounds net each, to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.

80 pieces prime quality City-cured Bacon, to average about 6 pounds each.

80 prime quality City-cured Smoked Hams, to average about 14 pounds each.

100 bags Coarse Meal (100 pounds each).  
2,900 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.

## DRY GOODS.

100 pieces Oiled Muslin.  
12 gross Dressing Combs.  
1 case Pins (about 100 packs).  
150 pounds Black Machine Thread, No. 50.

## LEATHER, HARDWARE, IRON, ETC.

35 bundles Common Iron, No. 22, 24 x 84.  
15 bundles R. G. Iron, No. 24, 24 x 84.  
20 bundles BB Galvanized Iron, No. 24, 24 x 84.  
100 papers Finishing Nails, 25 1 1/2-in., 15 each 3/4-in., 1-in., 1 1/4-in., 1 3/4-in., 2-in.  
20 papers Tinned Rivets, 10 each 1 1/2 and 3 lbs.  
80 papers Black Rivets, 10, 40 1 1/2, 20, 10 3 lbs.  
3 dozen Garbage Forks, 5-tined, double ferruled.  
6 dozen C. S. Shovels, No. 6.  
70 gross Matches.  
10 gross Safety Matches.  
50 barrels best quality Common Lime.  
2,000 pounds Offal Leather.

## CROCKERY.

2 gross Chambers.  
1 gross Bed Pans.  
6 gross Bowls.  
1/2 gross Ewers.  
1/2 gross Basins.

## LUMBER.

40,000 feet B. M. good shipping Box Boards, 1 inch, 12 to 16 inches wide, 12 to 16 inches long, dressed one side.

FOR BUILDING EXTENSION TO MAIN DINING HALL, BRANCH WORKHOUSE, H. I.

150 pieces Clear Rabbetted Siding.  
10 pieces Spruce, 3" x 8" by 22 feet.  
4 pieces " 4" x 8" by 14 feet.  
2 pieces " 4" x 8" by 23 feet.  
4 pieces " 4" x 6" by 14 feet.  
2 pieces " 4" x 6" by 22 feet.

40 pieces Hemlock, 3" x 4" by 13 feet.  
5 pieces clear White Pine, 1 1/2" x 16" x 16 feet.  
2 pieces clear White Pine, 2" x 16" x 16 feet.  
90 pieces prime quality White Pine Ceiling, 3 1/2" x 7 1/2".

750 feet B. M., prime quality Georgia Yellow Pine Flooring, 1 1/4" x 3 1/2".  
100 Hemlock Boards.  
150 pieces merchantable White Pine, 1 1/4" x 10" x 13 feet, tongued and grooved, dressed one side.

20 bundles Lath.  
4 boxes I. C. best quality Charcoal Tin, 14 x 20.  
10 pounds 40 Tinned Roofing Nails.  
6 pairs 1 1/2" Window Sash, 9" x 11" Lights, 12 lights per pair, French glass.

FOR REPAIR OF GREEN-HOUSE, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.  
13 pieces prime quality Yellow Pine Timber, 2 x 12 x 16 feet long.  
2 pieces prime quality Yellow Pine Timber, 4 x 12 x 35 feet long.  
10 pieces prime quality Yellow Pine Timber, 3 x 8 x 18 feet long.  
17 pieces prime quality Yellow Pine Timber, 3 x 6 x 18 feet long.  
50 pieces prime quality Pine Floor Plank, 1 1/4 x 4 1/2 x 13 feet.

will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M., of Friday, August 28, 1885. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Dry Goods, Hardware, Iron, Crockery and Lumber," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, August 17, 1885.  
THOMAS S. BRENNAN,  
HENRY H. PORTER,  
CHARLES E. SIMMONS,  
Commissioners of the Department of  
Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
New York, August 13, 1885.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital: from off South Ferry, unknown man, aged about 40 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; sandy hair, red moustache, blue eyes. Had on striped pants, brown checked shirt, white cotton flannel drawers, red socks, brogan shoes, leather belt.

Unknown man from Chambers' Street Hospital; aged about 25 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; brown hair and moustache, brown eyes, deformity of right leg. No clothing.

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island. George Smith; aged 57 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; brown hair and eyes. Had on when admitted two brown coats, brown vest, gray pants, white shirt.

At Work-house, Blackwell's Island. Lizzie Griffin; aged 50 years. Committed June 16, 1885.

At Branch Lunatic Asylum, Harts' Island. Julia Kuschenok; aged 48 years.

At Harts' Island Hospital. Mary Schurmann; aged 61 years. Admitted July 22, 1884.

Dennis Harrington; aged 34 years. Admitted April 7, 1885.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order,  
G. F. BRITTON,  
Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, August 21, 1885.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received at this office until Thursday, September 3, 1885, at 12 o'clock M., at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read, for

LAYING WATER-MAINS IN FORDHAM, PELHAM, MADISON, RIVERDALE, EAGLE, WALTON, NINTH, SEVENTH, BAILEY, ST. ANN'S AND CRESTIN AVENUES, AND IN KINGSBRIDGE ROAD, BROADWAY, CHURCH, ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIFTH, ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIRST, ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH, ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTIETH, AND SIXTY-EIGHTH STREETS, AND IN RIVERSIDE DRIVE.

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

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

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

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at the office of the Chief Engineer, Room 10, No. 31 Chambers street.

ROLLIN M. SQUIRE,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, August 17, 1885.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until Tuesday, September 1, 1885, at 12 o'clock M., at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read, for the

No. 1. COMPLETION OF REGULATING AND GRADING MORNINGSIDE AVENUE AND CONSTRUCTING RETAINING WALLS IN CONNECTION THEREWITH, FROM THE NORTHERLY LINE OF ONE HUNDRED AND TENTH STREET TO THE EASTERLY LINE OF TENTH AVENUE, AND SETTING CURBSTONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

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

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, NOV. 1, 1884.

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

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

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

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

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

### CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

List 1816, No. 1. Sewer in Ninth avenue, between One Hundred and Fifty-second and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth streets, and in One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, between Ninth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.

The limits embraced by such assessment include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—  
No. 1. Both sides of Ninth avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-first to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from Ninth avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas; and west side of Public Drive, from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth to One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street.

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

The above-described list will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 22d day of September, ensuing.

EDWARD GILON, Chairman.  
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,  
CHAS. E. WENDT,  
VAN BRUGH LIVINGSTON,  
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 11½ CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, August 20, 1885.

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

List 1726, No. 1. Sewer in Ninth avenue, east side, between One Hundred and Forty-eighth, and One Hundred and Fifty-second streets, connecting with present sewer in Avenue St. Nicholas.

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

No. 1. East side of Ninth avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-eighth to One Hundred and Fifty-second street, also property bounded by One Hundred and Fifty-fifth and One Hundred and Fifty-second streets, Avenue St. Nicholas and Ninth avenue.

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

The above-described list will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 21st day of September, ensuing.

EDWARD GILON, Chairman.  
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,  
CHAS. E. WENDT,  
VAN BRUGH LIVINGSTON,  
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 11½ CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, August 19, 1885.

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

List 1650, No. 1. Sewer in the Boulevard, between One Hundred and Fifty-fifth and One Hundred and Fifty-seventh streets, and in One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, between the Boulevard and Tenth avenue.

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

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from Boulevard to Tenth avenue, and east side of Boulevard from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to the centre line of the block, between One Hundred and Fifty-sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-seventh streets, also Trinity Cemetery, west of Boulevard.

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

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

EDWARD GILON, Chairman.  
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,  
CHAS. E. WENDT,  
VAN BRUGH LIVINGSTON,  
Board of Assessors.

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

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

List 1512, No. 1. Regulating and grading, setting curb and gutter stones and flagging Forty-second street, from Second avenue to the East river.

List 1590, No. 2. Paving Forty-second street, from First avenue to the East river.

List 1604, No. 3. Construction of retaining walls, arch, steps, railing, and for the filling and grading necessary for the support and protection of the 40 feet roadway excavated in the centre of Forty-second street, from Second to First avenue.

List 1848, No. 4. Regulating and paving with granite-block pavement Forty-second street, from Second to First avenue, and setting curb and gutter-stones and flagging sidewalks therein.

List 1344, No. 5. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging on Lexington avenue, from One Hundred and Second street to Harlem river.

List 1378, No. 6. Regulating and grading, setting and resetting curb, flagging and re-flagging, and paving with Telford pavement in One Hundred and Tenth street, from First avenue to Riverside Drive.

List 1506, No. 7. Regulating, grading, curb, gutter, and flagging Madison avenue, from Ninety-ninth to One Hundred and Fifth street.

List 1605, No. 8. Sewer in Fifth avenue, east side, between Fifty-fifth and Fifty-ninth streets.

List 1809, No. 9. Paving Lexington avenue, from One Hundred and Fourth to One Hundred and Thirty-first street, with granite-block pavement.

List 1367, No. 10. Paving Forty-third street, from Second to Third avenue with granite pavement.

List 1937, No. 11. Regulating and paving with granite-block pavement, Fourth avenue, on the west side, from One Hundred and Twenty-fourth to One Hundred and Thirty-third street, and on the east side, from One Hundred and Twenty-fourth to One Hundred and Thirty-second street.

List No. 2027, No. 12. Paving Fourth avenue, from One Hundred and Sixteenth to One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, with granite-block pavement.

List No. 2150, No. 13. Paving with granite-block pavement, Eighth avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-Fifth to One Hundred and Forty-fifth street.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Forty-second street, from Second avenue to the East river.

No. 2. Both sides of Forty-second street, from First avenue to the East river, and to the extent of half the block at the intersection of First avenue.

No. 3. Both sides of Forty-second street, from Fifth avenue to the East river; both sides of Forty-first street and Forty-third street, from Second avenue to the East river, and both sides of First and Second avenues, from Fourth to Forty-fourth street.

No. 4. Both sides of Forty-second street, from Fifth avenue to the East river; both sides of Forty-first and Forty-third streets, from Second avenue to the East river, and both sides of First and Second avenues, from Fourth to Forty-fourth street.

No. 5. Both sides of Lexington avenue, from One Hundred and Second street to Harlem river, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 6. Both sides of One Hundred and Tenth street, from First avenue to the Riverside Drive, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 7. Both sides of Madison avenue, from Ninety-ninth to One Hundred and Fifth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 8. Both sides of Fifth avenue, from Fifty-fourth to Fifty-ninth street, and blocks bounded by Fifth and Sixth avenues, Fifty-fourth and Fifty-ninth streets.

No. 9. Both sides of Lexington avenue, from One Hundred and Fourth to One Hundred and Thirty-first street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 10. Both sides of Forty-third street, from Second to Third avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 11. Both sides of Fourth avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-fourth to One Hundred and Thirty-third street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 12. Both sides of Fourth avenue, from One Hundred and Sixteenth to One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 13. Both sides of Eighth avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-fifth to One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

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

The above-described list will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 12th day of September, ensuing.

EDWARD GILON, Chairman.  
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,  
CHAS. E. WENDT,  
VAN BRUGH LIVINGSTON,  
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 11½ CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, August 11, 1885.

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

List 1649, No. 1. Sewers in Avenue St. Nicholas, between One Hundred and Twenty-fourth and One Hundred and Thirty-second streets, Sewerage District No. 12 O.

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

No. 1. On east side of Avenue St. Nicholas, from One Hundred and Twenty-fourth to One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, and west side of Avenue St. Nicholas, from One Hundred and Twenty-fourth to One Hundred and Thirty-second street.

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

The above-described list will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 8th day of September, ensuing.

EDWARD GILON, Chairman.  
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,  
CHAS. E. WENDT,  
VAN BRUGH LIVINGSTON,  
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 11½ CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, August 6, 1885.

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

List 1648, No. 1. Sewerage District No. 12 R. Sewers in Avenue St. Nicholas, between One Hundred and Thirty-second and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth streets, with branches.

List 1928, No. 2. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones and flagging One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

List 2049, No. 3. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Eighty-third street, from the west curb of Boulevard to the east line of Riverside Drive.

List 2070, No. 4. Regulating and grading, curbing and flagging Eighty-ninth street, from Eighth to Tenth avenue.

List 2149, No. 5. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, from St. Nicholas to Eighth avenue.

List 2211, No. 6. Regulating, grading, curb and flagging Eighty-fifth street, from Tenth avenue to Riverside avenue.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Avenue St. Nicholas, from One Hundred and Thirty-first street to One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street; west side of Avenue St. Nicholas, from One Hundred and Fifty-fourth to One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street; both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, extending 175 feet west from the westerly line of Avenue St. Nicholas; north side of One Hundred and Forty-first street, extending 280 feet west from the westerly line of Avenue St. Nicholas; and both sides of One Hundred and Forty-sixth, One Hundred and Forty-seventh, One Hundred and Forty-eighth, One Hundred and Forty-ninth, One Hundred and Fiftieth, One Hundred and Fifty-first, One Hundred and Fifty-second, One Hundred and Fifty-third, One Hundred and Fifty-fourth, and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth streets, from Tenth avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.

No. 3. Both sides of Eighty-third street, from the Boulevard to Riverside Drive, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 4. Both sides of Eighty-ninth street, from Eighth to Tenth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 5. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, from St. Nicholas to Eighth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 6. Both sides of Eighty-fifth street, from Tenth avenue to the Riverside Drive, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

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

The above-described list will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 1st day of September, ensuing.

EDWARD GILON, Chairman.  
PATRICK M. HAVERTY,  
CHAS. E. WENDT,  
VAN BRUGH LIVINGSTON,  
Board of Assessors.

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

### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
OFFICE OF THE PROPERTY CLERK, ROOM NO. 9,  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, 1885.

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

JOHN F. HARRIOT,  
Property Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, August 11, 1885.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** three horses, the property of this Department, will be sold at public auction, on Tuesday, August 25, 1885, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the stables of Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, No. 110 East Thirteenth street.

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

### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR \$1,000,000 ADDITIONAL WATER STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

### EXEMPT FROM CITY TAXATION.

INTEREST THREE PER CENT. PER ANNUM.

**SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT** the office of the Comptroller of the City of New York, until Thursday, the 27th day of August, 1885, at 2 o'clock P. M., when they will be publicly opened by the Comptroller in the presence of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, or such of them as shall attend, for the whole or any part of an issue of One Million Dollars, Registered Stock, denominated

**ADDITIONAL WATER STOCK OF THE CITY OF** New York, the principal payable on the first day of October, 1904, and the interest thereon, at the rate of three per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, on the first day of April and October, in each year.

The said stock is authorized by chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, an act entitled

"An act to provide new reservoirs, dams, and a new aqueduct, with the appurtenances thereto, for the purpose of supplying the City of New York with an increased supply of pure and wholesome water."

Pursuant to section 34 of said act, and as authorized by an Ordinance of the Common Council, approved by the Mayor, October 2, 1880, and as provided by section 137 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, said stock will be

**FREE FROM CITY AND COUNTY TAXATION,** under a resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, September 3, 1883.

For the redemption of said stock a sinking fund has been created by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under a resolution adopted February 6, 1885, by raising annually a sum sufficient, with the accumulation of interest thereon, to meet and discharge the amount of the principal at maturity, as provided by the Amendment of the State Constitution, adopted at the general election held November 4, 1884.

Proposals will be received for any amount of said stock in sums of One Thousand Dollars, or multiples thereof.

### CONDITIONS.

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

shall be accepted for less than the par value of the same. \* \* \* \* \*

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

The proposals should be inclosed in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Proposals for Additional Water Stock of the City of New York," and each proposal should also be inclosed in a second envelope, addressed to the Comptroller of the City of New York.

EDWARD V. LOEW,  
Comptroller.  
CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, August 12, 1885.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
August 12, 1885.

### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

**IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 997 OF THE** "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property affected by the assessment lists for the opening of—

One Hundred and Ninth street, between Eighth and Riverside avenues.

Sedgwick avenue, from Boston avenue to Van Cortlandt avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward.

—which were confirmed by the Supreme Court, July 29, 1885, and entered on the 6th day of August, 1885, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 998 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

Section 998 of the said act provides that, "if any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect, and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before October 17, 1885, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

EDWARD V. LOEW,  
Comptroller.

**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 was 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, and which was postponed until Monday, May 25, 1885, has been and is again postponed until Wednesday, November 25, 1885, to be held on that day at the same hour and place.

A pamphlet containing a detailed statement of the property averted for sale may be obtained at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, Room 31, Stewart Building.

EDWARD V. LOEW,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, May 22, 1885.

### 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 1853 to 1885, 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.

**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 was 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, and was postponed until Monday, May 11, 1885, has been and is hereby again postponed until Wednesday, November 11, 1885, to be held on that day at the same hour and place.

A pamphlet containing a detailed statement of the property averted for sale may be obtained at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, Room 31, Stewart Building.

EDWARD V. LOEW,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, May 9, 1885.

### THE CITY RECORD.

**COPIES OF THE CITY RECORD CAN BE** obtained at No. 2 City Hall (northwest corner basement). Price three cents each.