

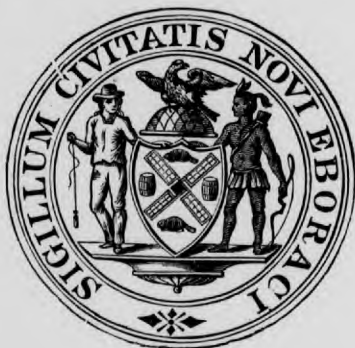
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FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of transactions of the Finance Department for the week ending July 18, 1885:

<i>Deposited in the Treasury.</i>	
To the Credit of the Sinking Fund.....	\$656,980 00
City Treasury.....	555,890 15
Total.....	\$1,212,870 15

<i>Bonds Issued.</i>	
One and three-quarters per cent. Bonds.....	\$450,000 00
Two per cent. Bonds.....	25,000 00
Total.....	\$475,000 00

<i>Warrants Registered for Payment.</i>	
The Mayoralty—	
Contingencies—Mayor's Office.....	\$300 74
The Finance Department—	
Contingencies—Comptroller's Office.....	64 46
Interest on the City Debt.....	38,207 50
Aqueduct Commissioners—	
Additional Water Fund.....	163,637 58
The Law Department—	
Contingencies—Law Department.....	\$110 34
For Prosecuting Delinquents for Arrears of Personal Taxes for 1878, 1879, 1880 and 1881.....	15 00
For Procuring and Presenting Evidence relative to Frauds on the City and County of New York, prior to January 1, 1872.....	750 00
	875 34

The Department of Public Works—	
Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening.....	\$2,837 11
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	120 00
Contingencies—Department of Public Works.....	60 00
Croton Water Fund.....	785 88
Fund for Local Improvements.....	10,595 06
Free Floating Baths.....	525 00
Lamps and Gas and Electric Lighting.....	346 80
Laying Croton Pipes (Chapter 381, Laws 1879).....	34 63
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs.....	1,203 09
Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues.....	490 85
Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading.....	495 92
Reparing Streets and Avenues (Chapter 476, Laws 1875).....	1,547 56
Salaries—Department of Public Works.....	200 00
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning.....	4,434 77
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....	13 61
Washington Market—Alterations and Rebuilding.....	75 53
	23,765 81

The Department of Public Parks—	
Bridge and Approaches over Mott Haven Canal, at One Hundred and Thirty-eighth Street.....	\$146 03
Bronx River Bridges—For the Repairing and Maintenance of Bridges over the Bronx River within the City Limits.....	334 11
Construction of Bridge over Harlem River.....	109 17
Entrances into Central Park on Eighth Avenue at Seventy-seventh and Eighty-first Streets, Completion of.....	44 00
For Erecting and Improving Ladies' and Gentlemen's Cottages..	2,499 75
Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvements and Maintenance.....	1,273 34
Jeannette Park.....	44 00
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places.....	19,457 47
Maintenance—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	225 91
Morningside Park—Improvement Fund.....	14 00
Music—Central Park and the City Parks.....	1,080 00
Riverside Avenue.....	563 12
Riverside Park.....	2,229 51
Sprinkling—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	18 00
Surveys, Maps and Plans.....	501 66
Surveying, Laying-out, etc.—Tax and Assessment Maps—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	4 50
	28,544 57

The Department of Public Charities and Correction—	
Public Charities and Correction.....	16,844 15

The Health Department—	
Health Fund.....	\$570 26
Hospital Fund—For Erection of Hospital Building on North Brother Island.....	1,372 28
Hospital Supplies and Transportation for Care of Contagious Diseases.....	640 30
	2,582 84

The Department of Street Cleaning—	
Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning.....	2,753 00

The Fire Department—	
Fire Department Fund.....	9,336 35

The Department of Taxes and Assessments—	
Contingencies—Department of Taxes and Assessments.....	34 78

The Board of Education—	
College of the City of New York.....	\$1,028 30
Public Instruction.....	3,669 01
	\$4,697 31
Charitable Institutions—	
For Support of Committed Children, etc., from Excise Licenses..	\$92,047 20
Roman Catholic House of the Good Shepherd.....	403 23
	92,450 43
Advertising, Printing, Stationery and Blank Books—	
Advertising.....	\$246 25
Printing, Stationery and Blank Books.....	517 56
	763 81
Miscellaneous—	
Armories and Drill Rooms—For Wages of Armorerers, Janitors and Engineers.....	\$819 00
Bureau of Permits—For Contingencies.....	24 50
Charges on Arrears of Assessments.....	719 75
Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, Expenses of.....	10 50
Contingencies—District Attorney's Office.....	177 68
Dog License Fund.....	300 00
Fund for Street and Park Openings.....	9,885 36
Judgments.....	12,681 20
Refunding Interest and Charges on Lands sold for Taxes and Assessments.....	35 42
Sheriff's Fees.....	15,495 54
Support of Prisoners in County Jail.....	865 00
Tax Sales—Moneys Refunded.....	355 52
	41,369 47
Total.....	\$426,228 14

SUITS, ORDERS OF COURT, JUDGMENTS, ETC.

COURT.	NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION.	ATTORNEY.
Supreme..	Virgilio Del Genovese	\$8,560 50	Summons and complaint. For damages, and extra work performed between April 16, 1883, and August 16, 1884, in connection with his contract for constructing sewers in West End avenue, between Seventy-sixth and Eighty-ninth streets, and in Eightieth street, between Boulevard and Riverside avenue.....	Stephen A. Walker.
"	Martin E. Greene....	2,699 86	Summons and complaints. For excess of principal and interest paid for assessments, as follows: Seventy-second street sewer, between Eighth and Tenth avenues— Paid March 29, 1875.....	T. F. Neville.
"	Julia A. Wood, executrix.....	1,184 22	Seventh avenue sewer, from Greenwich avenue to Fifty-ninth street— Paid January 27, 1875.....	"
"	Solomon W. Albro....	529 32	Paid February 28, 1874.....	"
Superior..	Thomas Monaghan...	354 84	Forty-third street regulating, etc., from Second to Third avenue— Paid February 3, 1885.....	James A. Deering.
"	"	284 75	One Hundred and Seventh street regulating, etc., from Fifth avenue to Harlem river— Paid January 30, 1885.....	"
"	Adon Smith, Jr., executor, etc.....	115 28	One Hundred and Sixteenth street curbing, etc., between Seventh and Eighth aves.— Paid April 2, 1885.....	"
"	Martin Larkin.....	134 41	Broadway regulating, etc., from One Hundred and Thirty-third to Manhattan street— Paid October 22, 1884.....	"
"	Franciska Windolph..	103 08	Paid November 28, 1884.....	"
Com.Pleas	William A. Sweeney agst. The Mayor, etc., Charles Jones and others.....	.....	Notice of pendency of action.....	Thain & Kearney.
City.....	William M. Howe agst. James Williams.....	126 70	Execution against the property.....	Theo. Dingeldien.
Superior..	Michael Noonan.....	2,426 49	Notice and transcript of judgment.....	L. Lafin Kellogg.
City.....	William M. Howe vs. Jeremiah D. Moore	137 04	Order directing Comptroller to pay to Sheriff \$107.04, the amount of the judgment herein, and \$30 to plaintiff's attorney, as his costs. Order reducing assessment for regulating, etc., One Hundred and Second street, from Fifth avenue to East river.....	Theo. Dingeldien.
Supreme..	Lucy W. Allen.....	268 56	Transcript of judgment for \$3,332.45, returned by Counsel to the Corporation, certified at \$2,500.....	T. H. Baldwin.
"	Jacob Schmidt.....	2,500 00	Summons and complaint. For amount of excess paid March 6, 1885, for an assessment for paving Eighty-third street, from Eighth avenue to Boulevard.....	Adolph L. Sanger.
Superior..	Otto Ernst.....	267 36	Summons and complaint. For damages in not receiving award of contract for furnishing gravel to Department of Public Parks, under his proposal of May 22, 1880.....	John F. Kavanagh.
Supreme..	Albert Helser.....	16,900 00	Summons and complaint. For damages in not receiving award of contract for furnishing gravel to Department of Public Parks, under his proposal of May 22, 1880.....	L. Lafin Kellogg.
Com.Pleas	Thomas R. A. Hall and another agst. Abraham H. Jones, The Mayor, etc., and others.....	22,500 00	Summons and complaint. For foreclosure of a mortgage, dated May 19, 1884, on four lots on south side of Fifty-seventh street, 100 feet from Tenth avenue.....	Thomas C. Ennever.
Supreme..	The Ninth Avenue Railroad Co. agst. The Mayor, etc., and others.....	.....	Summons and complaint. For judgment that defendants be enjoined from interfering with plaintiffs in sprinkling sand on part of roadway between the rail tracks of said company.....	Robinson, Scribner & Bright.
"	The Ninth Avenue Railroad Co. agst. The Mayor, etc., and others.....	.....	Injunction order restraining defendants during pendency of action from interfering with plaintiffs in sprinkling sand on part of roadway between the rail tracks of said company.....	Robinson, Scribner & Bright.

COURT.	NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION.	ATTORNEY.	DATE.	NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.
Supreme..	Thomas Mulligan	\$1,076 72	Transcript of judgment.....	Leopold Turk.	1885.	James A. Deering....	\$150 00	Notice of withdrawal of claim for lien upon award made to Francis Lawlor in matter of change of grade of Broadway, between Manhattan and One Hundred and Thirty-third streets, filed December 26, 1884,....	James A. Deering.
"	William Nelson	290 40	Order reducing assessment for Fourth avenue regulating, etc., from One Hundred and Second to One Hundred and Tenth street	T. H. Baldwin.	" 16..	Isaac C. Ogden.....	.....	Claim. To have sale of May, 1883, for unpaid taxes on Lots Nos. 57 to 60, Block 146, Twenty-second Ward, canceled, and the purchase money refunded.....	Isaac C. Ogden, Jr.
"	W. A. Parshall.....	799 09	Orders reducing assessments, as follows: Worth street regulating, etc., from Broadway to Chatham street.....	James A. Deering.	" 17..	John J. Astor, trustee of Louisa D. Kane.	140,000 00	Claim and demand. For damages as compensation for deprivation of use of bulkhead, etc., near foot of Clarkson street, from 1877 until present time, \$10,000, and as damages from this time forth, \$60,000, and also \$70,000 for compensation for value of the rights of wharfage, etc.....	R. J. Emmet.
"	Francis Jordan.....	207 08	Eighty-third street paving, from Eighth avenue to Boulevard	"	" 17..	Mrs. Augusta Luhr...	575 00	Claim and demand. For damages for loss of horse caused by backing over dock at foot of Eighty-sixth street, East river, and for injury and damage to cart and harness, etc.	Taylor & Parker.
"	William B. Whiteman and another, executors, etc.....	2,434 33	Paving One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street and Manhattan street.....	"	" 18..	Elizabeth Jones.....	266 82	Claim and demand. For excess of principal and interest paid May 7, 1885, for an assessment for regulating, etc., One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, from Broadway to Hudson river.....	James A. Deering.
"	Thomas M. Peters...	271 23	Broadway regulating, etc., from Manhattan to One Hundred and Thirty-third street	"					
Com.Pleas	The Bank for Savings, etc., and another vs. William R. Grace and others..	.....	Summons and complaint Order to show cause and order of injunction restraining the issuing of any stocks or bonds payable out of the Sinking Fund, or increasing the indebtedness of the city for dock purposes or other purposes, except as authorized by the Constitutional Amendment	Simon Sterne.					
Supreme..	Elizabeth Jones.....	218 49	Order reducing assessment for regulating, etc., One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, from Broadway to Hudson river ..	James A. Deering.					
City.....	William M. Howe vs. James Williams...	361 52	Execution against the property	Theo. Dingeldien.					
Ass. Com.	Thomas Conchlan....	.....	Petitions and notices of hearing in matter of applications of the following-named persons to vacate assessments, viz.: For Belmont drains in Twenty-fourth Ward.	Thos. B. Smith.					
"	Amanda Bussing....	.....	"	"				
"	William H. Welis....	.....	"	"				
"	Andrew J. Dalton....	.....	"	"				
"	Ann E. Dyer, adm'x..	.....	"	"				
"	Joseph H. Mahon....	.....	"	"				
"	Patrick Hicks.....	.....	"	"				
"	Patrick Shandley....	.....	"	"				
"	Thomas Dunne.....	.....	"	"				
"	Daniel C. Moynihan and another.....	.....	"	"				
"	Joseph G. Biernesser and another.....	.....	"	"				
"	John Leddy.....	.....	"	"				
"	Ellen Donohue.....	.....	"	"				
"	Michael Clayton....	.....	"	"				
"	Mary E. Cumming....	.....	"	"				
"	Elizabeth Griffen....	.....	"	"				
"	William Finnegan....	.....	"	"				
"	Charles Cromar....	.....	"	"				
"	Charles D. Galvin....	.....	"	"				
"	Henry G. Blaich....	.....	"	"				
"	Patrick Byrne.....	.....	"	"				
"	F. E. Watson.....	.....	"	"				
"	Addison Brown....	.....	"	"				
"	Henry P. De Graff...	.....	"	"				
"	John J. Brady.....	.....	"	"				
"	William Coddington..	.....	"	"				
"	C. H. Reinisch.....	.....	"	"				
"	Siegel Bernhard....	.....	"	"				
"	Chas. E. Quackenbush	.....	"	"				
"	E. M. Parsells.....	.....	"	"				
"	James A. Hewlett....	.....	"	"				
"	William Cooney.....	.....	"	"				
"	Patrick Dolan.....	.....	"	"				
"	Annie A. Moran, adm'x	.....	"	"				
"	H. M. Vredenburg....	.....	"	"				
"	Peter Tighe.....	.....	"	"				
"	John D. McMasten....	.....	"	"				
"	E. Donohue.....	.....	"	"				
"	Matthew McKeon....	.....	"	"				
"	John Leddy.....	.....	"	"				
"	Jacob B. Tallman....	.....	"	"				
"	Charles Welde.....	.....	"	"				
"	John Von Glahn.....	.....	"	"				
"	Edward Dowling....	.....	"	"				
"	Edward Bachtler....	.....	"	"				
"	Hannah Sherman....	.....	"	"				
"	George W. Van Slyck.	.....	"	"				
"	Emil Pidoux.....	.....	"	"				
"	John Hanna.....	.....	"	"				
"	Henry Hunneke.....	.....	"	"				
"	James Vogan and ano.	.....	"	"				
"	Robert W. Bowyer....	.....	"	"				
"	Jane Duffy.....	.....	"	"				
"	Mrs. M. E. Douglass..	.....	"	"				
"	Mrs. R. Regan.....	.....	"	"				
"	Hugh Donnelly.....	.....	"	"				
"	Mary T. Bowyer....	.....	"	"				
"	Hugh Deon.....	.....	"	"				
"	Sarah V. Harris.....	.....	"	"				
"	Sarah E. Willett....	.....	"	"				
"	J. Rogers.....	.....	"	"				
"	Father Merrick.....	.....	"	"				
"	Coraly Waterbury....	.....	"	"				
"	William Kennedy....	.....	"	"				
"	Augustus H. Grote and others.....	.....	For Fordham underground drains.....	T. H. Baldwin.					
"	Augustus H. Grote and o's, ex'rs, etc.	.....	"	"				

CLAIMS FILED.

DATE.	NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.
1885.				
July 14..	George Buhler.....	\$5,000 00	Second demand. For damages from trespass by the Department of Public Parks upon, and destruction of his house, and of tools and furniture stored therein, in One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, between Eagle and St. Ann's avenues, on August 15, 1882.....	Chas. T. Haviland.
" 15..	Ellen Siebert.....	30,000 00	Claim. For damages sustained by reason of injuries received from falling upon sidewalk in front of premises No. 564 Grand street, on June 25, 1885.....	A. J. Dittenhoefer.
" 15..	William G. Siebert...	10,000 00	Claim. For damages sustained by reason of injuries to his wife Ellen by her falling upon sidewalk in front of No. 564 Grand street, on June 25, 1885.....	"
" 15..	Mary A. Peck.....	.....	Demand. For payment of a certain award made to her in matter of regulating Tenth avenue, between One Hundred and Fifty-fifth and One Hundred and Ninety-fourth streets, for damages to premises on said avenue known as Farm No. 61, Ward No. 3.....	Vedder Van Dyck.
" 15..	Amelia O'Neill.....	200 00	Claims and demands for payment of the following sums awarded as damages for change of grade of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue:	T. H. Baldwin.
" 15..	Almee T. La Farge..	175 00	Ward No. 49.....	"
" 15..	Ida S. Barkley.....	150 00	" 43.....	"
" 15..	Elizabeth F. Pegg...	25 00	" 46, 47.....	"
" 15..	Edgar Ketchum, Jr..	25 00	" 54.....	"
" 15..	Edgar Ketchum, Jr..	25 00	" 12.....	"
" 16..	Elizabeth Purdy.....	.....	Notice of claim of dower-right in award made for Parcels Nos. 29, 30 and 54 in matter of application to acquire water-rights in the towns of Mount Pleasant, North Castle, Greenburgh and White Plains.....	Jonas H. Goodman.

Opening of Proposals.

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

July 14. The Department of Public Works—For laying water-mains in the several streets and avenues enumerated in the advertisement of said Department, dated June 30, 1885, and published in the CITY RECORD.

July 16. The Department of Public Works—For paving, with granite-block and trap-block pavement, the several streets enumerated in the advertisement of said Department, dated July 2, 1885, and published in the CITY RECORD.

July 17. The Department of Public Charities and Correction—For furnishing miscellaneous groceries, dry goods, crockery, leather, and lumber for use of the said Department.

Approval of Sureties.

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

July 13. For laying water-mains and the necessary branches, curved pipes and special castings in Tiebout, Gerard, Hull, Anthony, Fleetwood and Morris avenues, and in One Hundred and Seventy-sixth, One Hundred and Seventieth, One Hundred and Thirty-sixth, One Hundred and Thirty-first, One Hundredth, Ninety-fifth, Sixty-sixth, Summit, Anthony and Rockfield streets, and in Kingsbridge road, Southern Boulevard and Washington place.

James J. Connor, No. 312 East One Hundred and Twentieth street, Principal.
John T. McDonald, No. 229 East Sixty-second street,
Patrick F. Ferrigan, No. 165 East One Hundred and Sixteenth street, } Sureties.

July 14. For extension of sea-wall on North Brother Island, for Health Department.
Francis H. Smith, No. 16 Exchange place, Principal.
James D. Leary, No. 73 William street, } Sureties.
Horace Russell, No. 280 Broadway, }

July 15. For improvement of Pleasant avenue, from the intersection of the northerly line of the Spuyten Duyvil Parkway to the northerly line of the City of New York.
J. W. & J. Phelan, No. 205 West One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, Principals.
Wm. E. Dean, No. 687 East One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, } Sureties.
James Slattery, No. 620 West Eighty-fourth street, }

EDWARD V. LOEW, Comptroller.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Counsel to the Corporation, for the week ending July 18, 1885:

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

SCHEDULE "A."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED.

SUPREME COURT.

Orson P. Raynor vs. John D. Crimmins and Henry R. Beekman—Damages for alleged interference with plaintiff's boat-letting business at bridge at Third avenue and Harlem river, \$5,000.

The Mayor, etc., of the City of New York vs. Charles Washburn and Jeremiah Jenks, the name Jeremiah Jenks being fictitious—by said names are intended the persons formerly constituting the firms of Washburn & Co., and Washburn & Jenks—Summons only served, \$1c8.66.

The People ex rel. Thomas Farnan and Catharine Farnan vs. Edward V. Loew, Comptroller, and Artemus S. Cady, Clerk of Arrears of the City of New York—To transfer to Ward 11, Block 225, Twelfth Ward, \$161.45, amount of assessment paid in error.

In re petition of James Cassin—To vacate assessment for regulating, etc., Worth street, between Broadway and Chatham street.

The Mayor, etc., of the City of New York vs. Frank Rhoner.—Summons only served.

The Ninth Avenue Railroad Company vs. The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, Stephen B. French, John McClave, Fitz John Porter and John R. Voorhis, as Police Commissioners of the City of New York, and William Murray, as Superintendent of Police, etc.—To restrain interference with the sprinkling of sand between plaintiff's railroad tracks.

Joseph M. Dunn.—Services as architect to Department of Charities and Correction, between January 1, 1882, and January 30, 1885, \$569.72, with interest from March 6, 1885.

People ex rel. American Exchange Fire Insurance Company vs. The Tax Commissioners of the City of New York and the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York.—Certiorari to review assessment of relator's personal property and bank shares for year 1885.

People ex rel. The Continental Insurance Company vs. The Tax Commissioners of the City of New York and the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York.—Certiorari to review assessment of relator's personal property and bank shares for year 1885.

People ex rel. The Eagle Fire Company of New York vs. The Tax Commissioners of the City of New York and the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York.—Certiorari to review assessment of relator's personal property and bank shares for year 1885.

People ex rel. The Germania Fire Insurance Company vs. The Tax Commissioners of the City of New York and the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York.—Certiorari to review assessment of relator's personal property and bank shares for year 1885.

People ex rel. The Hanover Fire Insurance Company vs. The Tax Commissioners of the City of New York and the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York.—Certiorari to review assessment of relator's personal property and bank shares for year 1885.

People ex rel. The Howard Insurance Company vs. The Tax Commissioners of the City of New York and the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York.—Certiorari to review assessment of relator's personal property and bank shares for year 1885.

People ex rel. The Knickerbocker Fire Insurance Company vs. The Tax Commissioners of the City of New York and the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York.—Certiorari to review assessment of relator's personal property and bank shares for year 1885.

People ex rel. The Phenix Insurance Company vs. The Tax Commissioners of the City of New York and the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York.—Certiorari to review assessment of relator's personal property and bank shares for year 1885.

People ex rel. The Star Fire Insurance Company vs. The Tax Commissioners of the City of New York and the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York.—Certiorari to review assessment of relator's personal property and bank shares for year 1885.

J. S. COLEMAN, Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY

OF THE

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK.

Latitude 40° 45' 58" N. Longitude 73° 57' 58" W. Height of Instruments above the Ground, 53 feet; above the Sea, 97 feet.

ABSTRACT OF REGISTERS FROM SELF-RECORDING INSTRUMENTS,
For the Week ending July 18, 1885.

Barometer.

DATE.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	MEAN FOR THE DAY.	MAXIMUM.	MINIMUM.
JULY.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.
Sunday, 12	29.998	29.982	29.980	29.986	30.000	9 A. M.
Monday, 13	29.920	29.882	29.800	29.867	29.978	0 A. M.
Tuesday, 14	29.638	29.598	29.610	29.615	29.754	0 A. M.
Wednesday, 15	29.788	29.802	29.878	29.823	29.888	10 P. M.
Thursday, 16	29.910	29.980	29.992	29.961	29.992	9 P. M.
Friday, 17	30.000	29.958	29.906	29.955	30.000	7 A. M.
Saturday, 18	29.904	29.900	29.914	29.906	29.928	12 P. M.

Mean for the week 29.873 inches.
 Maximum " at 9 A. M., 12th 30.000 "
 Minimum " at 6 P. M., 14th 29.578 "
 Range "422 "

Thermometers.

DATE.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	MEAN.	MAXIMUM.	MINIMUM.	MAXIMUM.
JULY.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	In Sun.
Sunday, 12	67	60	76	63	73	63.3	80
Monday, 13	66	65	77	70	71	67.0	77
Tuesday, 14	69	67	70	68	71	70.0	75
Wednesday, 15	75	69	83	73	78	74.6	84
Thursday, 16	79	72	90	80	81	78.3	92
Friday, 17	80	77	95	83	89	88.0	97
Saturday, 18	86	77	92	79	81	75.3	93

Mean for the week 78.5 degrees.
 Maximum for the week, at 4 P. M., 17th 97. " at 4 P. M., 17th 85. "
 Minimum " at 5 A. M., 12th 62. " at 5 A. M., 12th 58. "
 Range " 35. " 27. "

Wind.

DATE. JULY.	DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.				FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.				
	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	9 P. M. to 7 A. M.	7 A. M. to 2 P. M.	2 P. M. to 9 P. M.	Distance for the Day.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Max.	Time.
Sunday, 12....	NNE	NE	SE	48	59	45	152	1	¾	0	2	7.10 A.M.
Monday, 13....	WNW	SSE	SSE	8	33	67	108	0	1¼	¼	1½	3.50 P.M.
Tuesday, 14....	S	SSE	NE	49	63	8	120	¾	0	0	4	5.30 A.M.
Wednesday, 15....	WNW	W	SSE	14	38	34	86	0	0	0	3¼	3.50 P.M.
Thursday, 16....	W	W	ESE	16	34	31	81	0	¾	0	1½	1.10 P.M.
Friday, 17....	WSW	WSW	WSW	2	41	49	92	0	1	¾	3½	2.15 P.M.
Saturday, 18....	N	NW	NNW	50	38	38	126	0	½	0	1¼	1.10 P.M.

Distance traveled during the week 765 miles.
 Maximum force " " 4 pounds.

DATE. JULY.	Hygrometer.						Clouds.			Rain and Snow. Ozone.						
	FORCE OF VAPOR.			RELATIVE HUMIDITY.			CLEAR, o. OVERCAST, 10.			DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES.						
	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration. H. M.	Amount of Water.	Depth of Snow.	O. 10.	
Sunday, 12	.425	.402	.581	64	45	71	0	0	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
Monday, 13	.604	.639	.572	94	69	75	10	10	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
Tuesday, 14	.635	.658	.720	89	90	95	10	10	0	4 A.M.	1.30 P.M.	9.30	1.20	....	3
Wed'n day, 15	.628	.677	.785	72	60	82	0	0	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
Thursday, 16	.690	.897	.918	69	63	87	0	2 Cir. Cu.	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0
Friday, 17	.887	.965	.901	86	58	66	0	1 S.	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4
Saturday, 18	.805	.814	.787	65	54	74	0	4 Cu.	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3

Total amount of water for the week 1.20 inch.
 Duration for the week 9 hours, 30 minutes.

DANIEL DRAPER, Ph. D., Director.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, July 21, 1885.

At a meeting of the Mayor, Comptroller, and President of the Board of Aldermen, officers designated by chapter 487 of the Laws of 1885, held this day at the Mayor's office, for the purpose of appointing the Commissioners named in said act to construct a bridge over the Harlem river.

Present, Hon. Wm. R. Grace, Mayor; Hon. Edward V. Loew, Comptroller, and Hon. Adolph L. Sanger, President of the Board of Aldermen.

On motion of the Mayor, Wm. L. Turner was requested to act as Secretary.

The Mayor nominated Vernon H. Brown. The Comptroller nominated Jacob Lorillard. The President of the Board of Aldermen nominated David James King.

On motion of the Mayor, it was ordered that the names be voted on separately.

On the call of the roll, Vernon H. Brown received three votes, Jacob Lorillard received three votes, and David James King received three votes, and were declared duly elected Commissioners under said act.

On motion, the meeting adjourned.

WM. L. TURNER,
Secretary.

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. KESSE, 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 5.30 P. M.
 THOMAS S. BRENNAN, President; GEORGE F. BRITTON, Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

Headquarters.

Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.
 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'OENCH, 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. ADDEE, 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.

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE,

And Bureau of Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.
No. 2 City Hall, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays, on which days 8 A. M. to 12 M.
THOMAS COSTIGAN, Supervisor; R. P. H. ABELL, Book-keeper.

CORONERS' OFFICE.

Nos. 13 and 15 Chatham street, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Sundays and holidays, 8 A. M. to 12.30 P. M.
MICHAEL J. B. MESSEMER, FERDINAND LEVY, BERNARD F. MARTIN and WILLIAM H. KENNEDY, Coroners; JOHN T. TOAL, Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

SUPREME COURT.

Second floor, New County Court-house, 10½ A. M. to 3 P. M.
General Term, Room No. 9.
Special Term, Room No. 10.
Chambers, Room No. 11.
Circuit, Part I., Room No. 12.
Circuit, Part II., Room No. 13.
Circuit, Part III., Room No. 14.
Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 15.
NOAH DAVIS, Chief Justice; PATRICK KEENAN, Clerk.

SUPERIOR COURT.

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

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.
Assignment Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 22, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
General Term, Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Special Term, Room No. 21, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

Chambers, Room No. 21, 10.30 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Part I., Room No. 25, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Part II., Room No. 26, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Part III., Room No. 27, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES P. DALY, Chief Justice; NATHANIEL JARVIS, Jr., Chief Clerk.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

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

CITY COURT.

City Hall.
General Term, Room No. 20.
Trial Term, Part I., Room No. 20.
Part II., Room No. 19.
Part III., Room No. 15.
Special Term, Chambers, Room No. 21, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 10, City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
DAVID MCADAM, Chief Justice; JOHN REID, Clerk.

OVER AND TERMINER COURT.

New County Court-house, second floor, southeast corner, Room No. 13. Court opens at 10½ o'clock A. M.
Clerk's Office, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, second floor, northwest corner, Room No. 11, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

At Tombs, corner Franklin and Centre streets, daily at 10.30 A. M., excepting Saturday.
Clerk's Office, Tombs.

DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.

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

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

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

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

Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh, and Thirteenth Wards, No. 154 Clinton street.
JOHN H. MCCARTHY, Justice.

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

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

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

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

Clerk's office open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Trial days Tuesdays and Fridays. Court opens at 9½ A. M.

Tenth District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street.
Office hours, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens at 9 A. M.
JAMES R. ANGELL, Justice.

Eleventh District—No. 919 Eighth avenue; Twenty-second Ward, and all that part of the Twelfth Ward lying south of One Hundred and Tenth street and west of Sixth avenue. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
LEO C. DESSAR, Justice.

POLICE COURTS.

Judges—MAURICE J. POWER, J. HENRY FORD, JACOB PATTERSON, JR., JAMES T. KILBRETH, JOHN J. GORMAN, HENRY MURRAY, SOLON B. SMITH, ANDREW J. WHITE, CHARLES WELDE, DANIEL O'REILLY, PATRICK G. DUFFY.
GEORGE W. CREGIER, Secretary.

Office of Secretary, Fifth District Police Court, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue.

First District—Tombs, Centre street.

Second District—Jefferson Market.

Third District—No. 69 Essex street.

Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue.

Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue.

Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT, OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 301 MOTT STREET,
NEW YORK, July 15, 1885.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH of the Health Department of the City of New York, held at its office on the 14th day of July, 1885, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That under the power conferred by law upon the Health Department, sections 56 and 184 of the Sanitary Code, for the security of life and health, be and the same are hereby amended so as to read as follows: Section 56. That the keeping and slaughtering of all cattle, and the preparation and keeping of all meat and fish, birds and fowl, shall be in that manner which is, or is generally reputed or known to be, best adapted to secure and continue their safety and wholesomeness as

food. The slaughtering shall not be permitted or conducted at any place in the City of New York south of Thirty-ninth street, nor north of said street without a special written permit from this Department; nor unless the same shall be done in buildings located upon the water-front.

Section 184. The business of slaughtering animals in the City of New York shall not be conducted south of One Hundred and Tenth street, unless the same shall be in buildings located upon the water-front, and so constructed as to receive all stock deliverable thereat from boats, cars or transports; and to secure the proper care and disposition of all parts of the slaughtered animals upon the premises or the immediate removal thereof by means of boats; and no cattle, sheep, hogs or calves shall be driven in the streets of such city below One Hundred and Tenth street, except through Sixtieth street and Eleventh avenue, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 350 of the Laws of 1883, and subject to the provisions of chapter 394 of the Laws of 1885; nor shall any fat, hides, hoofs, or entrails, or other refuse, parts of slaughtered animals, be transported in said streets; nor shall any buildings be erected or converted into or used as a slaughter-house or factory or place for fat-rendering, or for any offensive business growing out of slaughtering, such as fat-melting, hide-curing, gut-cleaning, bone-boiling, glue-making, etc., until the plans thereof have been duly submitted to the Board of Health and approved in writing by the said Board.

[L. S.] ALEXANDER J. SHALER, President.

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT,
NEW YORK, June 18, 1885.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH of the Health Department of the City of New York, held at its office on the 16th day of June, 1885, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That under the power conferred by law upon the Health Department, section 107 of the Sanitary Code, for the security of life and health, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 107. That no live chickens, geese, ducks, or other fowls shall be brought into, or kept, or held, or offered for sale, or killed in any yard, area, cellar, coop, building, premises or part thereof, or on any sidewalk or other place within the built-up portion of the City of New York, except in the public markets of said city, without a special permit in writing from the Health Department and subject to the conditions thereof.

[L. S.] ALEXANDER J. SHALER, President.

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, July 18, 1885.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE materials and labor, and doing the work required for constructing a building for the Fire Department, to be erected on north side of Sixty-seventh street, commencing 170 feet west of Third avenue, for Engine Company No. 39, etc., will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street, in the City of New York, until 11 o'clock A. M., Saturday, August 1, 1885, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

The house to be completed and delivered in one hundred and ninety (190) days after the date of the contract. The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at twenty-five (\$25) dollars per day.

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of thirty-five thousand dollars (\$35,000); and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of one thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars (\$1,750). 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 bid-

der, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but, if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

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

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

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, July 18, 1885.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS Department with one (1) steam Fire Engine, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street, in the City of New York, until 11 o'clock A. M., Saturday, August 1, 1885, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The engine is to conform to the following specifications: To be what is known as Fifth (5th) Size, Single Pump and Cylinder Vertical Crane Neck Steam Fire Engine, and to weigh not more than five thousand one hundred (5,100) pounds when fully equipped with and carrying all the tools, implements and appurtenances called for in these specifications, and with the boiler filled with water to the second gauge-cock.

The boiler to be vertical, 29 inches in diameter, and 60 inches high, to be made of best steel boiler-plate, having copper smoke flues and hanging tubes of lap-welded iron; each hanging tube having circulating strips.

To be of sufficient strength to bear twice the pressure ever required in doing fire duty and to have ample steaming capacity to keep up a full head of steam while doing the heaviest work. To be covered with Russia iron, properly banded with brass bands, nickel plated.

To be in all respects as to form and construction exactly similar to that now on Engine No. 14 of this Department, being M. R. Clapp's Circulating Tubular Boiler, Patent of 1878.

The main pump to be vertical, double acting, made entirely of composition, with cylinder 4½ inches diameter, and having a stroke of six (6) inches; to have two (2) discharge gates and an automatic relief valve.

The steam cylinder to be seven and one-half (7½) inches in diameter, and having a stroke of six (6) inches, and to be fitted to a bed-plate containing the steam passages.

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

The engines to be delivered at the Repair Shops of the Fire Department, Nos. 130 and 132 West Third street, within sixty (60) days after the execution of the contract, in complete working order, with a guarantee that the material and workmanship are of the best character, and that the contractor will replace, at his own expense, such parts, if any, as may fail, provided that such failure is properly attributable to defective material or inferior workmanship.

The engine is to have a full and thorough trial of working powers in the City of New York, under a competent engineer, before its acceptance.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at twenty-five dollars (\$25) per day.

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, in the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000); and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of one hundred dollars (\$100). Such check or money must not be inclosed

two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of TWO THOUSAND (\$2,000) DOLLARS.

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

Each bid or estimate 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 surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be 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 BOND 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 lowest formal estimate be accepted by the Board of Public Charities and Correction, due notice of the fact will be given forthwith upon the receipt of the Comptroller's approval of the estimates, presented by the bidder as consenting to be bound for the faithful execution of this contract if awarded. Thereupon, if the Board shall not deem it for the best interests to reject all the proposals, the contract for this aforesaid work and materials shall be awarded to this lowest bidder, who shall execute the contract and bond of even date therewith in due form, to the satisfaction of said Board, within five days after the award aforesaid. If the party or parties to whom said contract is awarded neglect or refuse to execute the same as aforesaid, and the Board accompanying the same, the said contract shall be regarded as having been abandoned, the party or parties notified as in default to the Corporation of the City of New York, and the work and materials will be re-advertised as provided in section 64, chapter 410, Laws of 1882.

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contracts, as the Commissioners may determine.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instructions of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, AND ARE PARTICULARLY CAUTIONED TO EXAMINE WITH CARE THE PROVISIONS OF ARTICLE 5 OF THE PRINTED CONTRACT FORM.

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, July 21, 1885.

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

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FLOUR.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING and delivering free of all expense at the Bakehouse dock, Blackwell's Island (east side), 4,000 barrels extra Wheat Flour, in lots of 500 to 1,000 barrels, one-half of each quality, as follows:

2,000 barrels of sample marked No. 1.
2,000 barrels of sample marked No. 2.

—will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M., of Friday, July 31, 1885. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Flour," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department, and read.

The contractor shall furnish a certificate of inspection by the Flour Inspector of the New York Produce Exchange, also an award from the Committee on Flour of the Exchange that the flour offered is equal to the standards of the Department, and which certificate shall accompany each delivery of flour, the expense of such inspection and award to be borne by the contractor, also certificate of weight and tare to be furnished with each delivery.

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

No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or 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 per-

son 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, each in the penal amount of fifty (50) per cent. of the ESTIMATED amount of the contract.

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

Each bid or estimate 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 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 his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept, but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and the contract will be re-advertised 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.

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, July 20, 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, LUMBER, PAINTS, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES.

6,000 pounds Dairy Butter; sample on exhibition Thursday, July 30, 1885.
10,000 pounds Oolong Tea.
2,000 pounds Dried Apples.
1,000 pounds Cheese.
5,000 pounds Cut Loaf Sugar.
300 bushels Beans (price to include packages).
400 bushels Rye.
50 dozen Sea Foam.
50 bags Bran (50 pounds each).
100 bags Coarse Meal (100 pounds each).
100 prime quality City Cured Smoked Hams, to average about 14 pounds each.
50 pieces prime quality City Cured Bacon, to average about 6 pounds each.
500 barrels new crop good sound Irish Potatoes, to weigh 168 pounds net per barrel, to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.
2,750 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.

DRY GOODS.

15,000 yards Bandage Muslin.
250 yards Table Linen.
2,500 yards Striped Prison Cloth.
8,000 yards U. G. Cassimere.
1,000 pounds Knitting Cotton.

HARDWARE, ETC.

15 kegs Cut Nails, 8d, prime quality.
12 dozen W. W. Brushes.
250 bunches Leather Shoe Laces.

LUMBER.

500 pieces prime quality Hemlock Joists, 3 by 4 inches by 13 feet.

PAINTS.

10,000 pounds pure White Lead, ground in oil and equal to Atlantic Mills, 75 kegs, 40 lbs, 20 lbs.
200 pounds prime quality Indian Red, ground in oil, 30 lbs, 20 lbs, 10 lbs.

500 pounds prime quality Chrome Green, ground in oil, 30 lbs, 30 lbs, 20 lbs, 10 lbs.
200 pounds prime quality Patent Dryer, 7 lbs, 20 lbs, 10 lbs, 20 lbs.
5 barrels pure Spirits Turpentine.
10 barrels Spanish Whiting (prime quality).
LIME.
50 barrels best quality Whitewash Lime.

—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, July 31, 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, Lumber, Paints, etc.," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department, and read.

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

No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or 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 in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders 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 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 his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept, but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and the contract will be re-advertised 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 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 form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Department.

Dated New York, July 20, 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, July 16, 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 One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street and Willis avenue, unknown man, aged about 45 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; dark hair and eyes. Had on blue striped jumper, dark pants, blue coat, gaiters.

Unknown man from One Hundred and Forty-third street, North river; 5 feet 6 inches high. Had on dark pants, blue flannel shirt, black vest, white undershirt and drawers, gray socks. Body about 6 months in water.

Unknown man from Pier 54, East river, aged about 45 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; sandy hair, moustache and goatee. Had on brown mixed pants, white cotton undershirt, blue flannel shirt, gray woolen socks and gaiters.

Unknown man from foot of Tenth street, East river, aged about 40 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; dark hair and moustache. Had on white shirt, white underclothes, dark cloth suit, white socks and gaiters.

At Work-house, Blackwell's Island, William Goeltz, aged 38 years, committed July 3, 1885.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island, Robert Muller; aged 43 years; 5 feet 2 inches high; gray eyes; brown hair. Had on when admitted, black coat, dark mixed pants and vest, gaiters, black felt hat.

John Flynn; aged 45 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; blue eyes; brown hair. Had on when admitted, blue overcoat, dark mixed pants, blue check jumper, boots, black hat.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order,
G. F. BRITTON,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, July 10, 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 Thirty-fifth Precinct Station-house, unknown man, about 35 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; dark brown hair; sandy moustache. Had on gray sack coat and vest, dark pants, white shirt, gaiters, black felt hat, with band marked A. M.

Unknown man from Pier 9, North river; aged about 35 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; sandy hair and moustache. Had on brown woolen shirt, no other clothing.

Unknown man, from foot of Eleventh street, East river; aged about 60 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; iron gray hair; blue eyes; small side whiskers. Had on blue sack coat, blue pants, white knit undershirt and drawers, white socks, gaiters. Merchandise Badge No. 7,055, 3 keys, letter in Italian directed to Vincenz Guivetti, 20 or 26 Elizabeth street, found on his person.

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Margaret McGovern; aged 48 years; 5 feet 3½ inches high; dark brown hair; blue eyes. Had on when admitted brown dress, black shawl, black straw hat.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Mary A. Smith; aged 36 years; 4 feet 3¼ inches high; dark brown hair; brown eyes.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order,
G. F. BRITTON,
Secretary.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ICE.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

ICE.

1,000 tons first quality Ice, not less than ten inches thick; to be delivered at Blackwell's, Ward's, Randall's, and Hart's Islands as required, in quantities of not less than 50 tons each delivery.

—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, July 24, 1885. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Ice," 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 in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders 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 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 his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default of 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 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 form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Department.

Dated New York, July 13, 1885.

THOMAS S. BRENNAN,
HENRY H. PORTER,
CHARLES E. SIMMONS,
Commissioners of the Department of
Public Charities and Correction.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
ROOM 209, STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, July 6, 1885.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR CONSTRUCTING
Section No. 1 of the New Croton Aqueduct, in Westchester County, will be received at this office until Wednesday, July 23, 1885, at Two o'clock, P. M., at which place and hour they will be publicly opened and read by the Aqueduct Commissioners, and the awards of the contracts will be made by said Commissioners as soon thereafter as practicable.

The portion of the said Aqueduct, for the construction of which bids are now invited, is the New Gate-House at Croton Dam, and its connections with the old and new Aqueduct, and with Croton Lake.

Each bid must be inclosed in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the name of the person or persons making the same.

Each bid must state the name and place of residence of the person making the same and the names of all persons interested with them therein; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making another bid for the same work, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; that no member of the Aqueduct Commission, or of the Common Council, no Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof, or Clerk thereof, or other officer of the Corporation, or any person in the employ of the Aqueduct Commissioners, is directly or indirectly interested in the bid, or in the work to which it relates, or in the profits thereof.

Each bid must be verified by the oath of the party making the same, that the several matters therein stated are true, and must be accompanied by a certified check upon a National or State bank of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller of the City of New York, for an amount not less than five per cent. of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check must not be inclosed with the bid, but must be delivered to the Aqueduct Commissioners, or to their Secretary, for delivery to the Comptroller. All deposits, except those of the successful bidder, will be returned by the Comptroller to the persons making the same, within three days after the contracts are awarded. If the successful bidder shall neglect or refuse to execute the contract within ten days after notice of the award to him, the amount of his deposit will be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, pursuant to the provisions of section 20 of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

The amount of security required on the contract for this section is Fifty Thousand Dollars; and the surety required is that of two or more householders or resident freeholders of the State of New York (who must collectively qualify for double the amount of the bond) or approved surety companies incorporated under the laws of this State.

The names and residences of the sureties must be stated in the bids.

THE AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS RESERVE THE RIGHT TO REJECT ANY AND ALL BIDS IF THEY DEEM IT FOR THE BEST INTEREST OF THE CITY SO TO DO.

Blank forms of bid or proposal, and proper envelopes for their inclosure, forms of the contract, specifications and bonds, and all other information required, can be obtained at the above-named office of the Aqueduct Commissioners.

By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners.

JAMES W. McCULLOH,
Secretary.

COMMISSIONERS OF APPRAISAL OF REAL ESTATE
TO BE TAKEN FOR THE NEW
AQUEDUCT WITHIN THE COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

EVERY OWNER OR PERSON IN ANY WAY interested in any real estate between the Harlem river and the northern boundary of the City and County of New York, intended to be taken or entered upon and used and occupied for the purposes of the new Aqueduct; also any owner or person interested in any real estate contiguous thereto, and which may be affected by the construction and maintenance of said aqueduct, or of any of the works connected therewith, is hereby required to present his claim to the Commissioners of Appraisal appointed for the purpose of appraising such lands and easements, or ascertaining such damages, at the offices of said Commissioners, Room 803, in the Mutual Life Insurance Building, No. 32 Nassau street, in the City of New York.

All said claims may be filed on and after the first day of October, 1884. The maps showing the location of the Aqueduct, and the lands and interests to be acquired will be on file at the said offices on and after that date.

E. ELLERY ANDERSON,
HENRY F. SPAULDING,
ROBERT MURRAY,
Commissioners.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
July 22, 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 list for acquiring right and title to certain lands required for a certain public park or parks, square or squares, or place or places, at or near the intersection of Sedgwick avenue with Mott and Walton avenues, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

CEDAR PARK,

—which was confirmed by the Supreme Court, June 1, 1885, and entered on the 18th day of July, 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 assessment is 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 September 28, 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.

S. HASTINGS GRANT,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
July 6, 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 list for the opening of—

Rider avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-fifth to One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, which was confirmed by the Supreme Court, May 15, 1885, and entered on the 18th day of June, 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 assessment is 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 September 9, 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.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
June 24, 1885.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 996 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property affected by the following assessment lists, viz:

Alexander avenue crosswalks, at One Hundred and Thirty-third, One Hundred and Thirty-fourth, One Hundred and Thirty-fifth, One Hundred and Thirty-sixth, One Hundred and Thirty-seventh and One Hundred and Thirty-eighth streets.

One Hundred and Forty-fourth street flagging sidewalk and setting curb and gutter stones, between Willis and St. Ann's avenues.

Ninety-ninth street regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging, from Fourth to Fifth avenue.

One Hundredth street regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging, from Public Drive to Riverside Drive.

One Hundred and First street regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging, from Fourth to Fifth avenue.

One Hundred and Eleventh street regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging, from Sixth to Eighth avenue.

Sixty-ninth street paving, from Ninth to Eleventh avenue, with granite-block pavement.

One Hundred and Twentieth street paving, from Third to Sixth avenue, with granite-block pavement.

One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street paving, between the Boulevard and Twelfth avenue, with granite-block pavement.

Bank street sewer, alteration and improvement to, between West street and Hudson river.

Thompson street sewer, alteration and improvement to, between Canal and Broome streets, and in Grand street, between Thompson and Wooster streets.

One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street sewer, between Boulevard and Tenth avenue.

One Hundred and Forty-seventh street drains, between Eighth avenue and first new avenue West of Eighth avenue.

Basins on the southwest corners of One Hundred and Sixteenth, One Hundred and Seventeenth, One Hundred and Eighteenth, One Hundred and Nineteenth and One Hundred and Twentieth streets and Lexington avenue, and on the northwest corners of One Hundred and Eighteenth, One Hundred and Nineteenth, One Hundred and Twentieth and One Hundred and Twenty-third streets and Lexington avenue.

—which were confirmed by the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments, June 18, 1885, and entered on the same date 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 assessments, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 997 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

Section 997 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 August 29, 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 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 advertised 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 1653 to 1857, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

Grants, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents and Sheriff's sales, in 61 volumes, full bound, price, \$100 00

The same in 25 volumes, half bound, price, 50 00

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

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

Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Angell, Room 23, Stewart Building."

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller.

INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

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

The Transfer Books will be closed from July 15 to August 1, 1885.

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, July 8, 1885.

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

PURSUANT TO SECTION 928 OF THE NEW York City Consolidation Act of 1882, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice that the sale at public auction of lands and tenements in said city for unpaid taxes levied in the year 1880, and Croton water rents laid for the year 1879, and now remaining due and unpaid, which sale 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 advertised 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.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,
COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
NEW YORK, July 6, 1885.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments that the assessment rolls of real and personal estate in said city, for the year 1885, have been finally completed and have been delivered to the Board of Aldermen of said city, and that such assessment rolls will remain open to public inspection, in the office of the Clerk of said Board of Aldermen, for a period of fifteen days from the date of this notice.

MICHAEL COLEMAN,
EDWARD C. DONNELLY,
THOMAS L. FEITNER,
Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.

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 therein.

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 WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, Nov. 1, 1883.

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, 1883, 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.

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of EIGHTY-THIRD STREET, from Avenue A to Avenue B, in the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of the costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 26th day of July, 1885, at 10½ o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, July 14, 1885.

PETER BOWE,
JOHN WHALEN,
EDWARD HOGAN,
Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND FORTIETH STREET, from Seventh avenue to Eighth avenue, in the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of the costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 28th day of July, 1885, at 10½ o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, July 14, 1885.

G. M. SPEER, JR.,
JOHN T. BOYD,
JOHN O'BRYEN,
Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

PUBLIC AUCTION SALE BY ORDER
DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

NOTICE.

MYER ELSAS, AUCTIONEER, OFFICE, 348 East Fifty-eighth street, will sell to the highest bidder, at Public Auction, for account of the Department of Docks, on Thursday, July 30, 1885, at 12 o'clock M., the following-named old material, at the place stated, to wit:

AT THE DEPARTMENT YARD, FOOT OF SEVENTEENTH STREET, EAST RIVER,

CATALOGUE.

No. 1. 1 lot, Mud-scow, No. 4.
No. 2. 1 " " " No. 6.
No. 3. 1 " " " No. 7.
No. 4. 1 " " " No. 10.
No. 5. 1 " about 23,000 lbs. Iron Screw Bolts, ¾ in. x 21½ in.
No. 6. 1 lot, about 8,000 lbs. Iron Screw Bolts, 1 in. x 15 in.
No. 7. 1 lot, about 17,900 lbs. Iron Screw Bolts, 1 in. x 21 in.
No. 8. 1 lot, about 8,300 lbs. Iron Screw Bolts, 1 in. x 24 in. to 32 in.
No. 9. 1 lot, about 2,000 lbs. Iron Screw Bolts, 1½ in. x 39 in. to 41 in.

The Mud-scows comprising the first four lots can be seen at the foot of Gansevoort street, North river, until the day before the sale. On the day of sale they will be at the Bulkhead at foot of Seventeenth street, East river.

The Iron Screw Bolts can be seen at the Department Yard, foot of Seventeenth street, East river.

CONDITIONS OF THE SALE.

The sale will commence at the Department Yard at foot of Seventeenth street, East river, at 12 o'clock M. The Mud-scows will be put up separately, and will be sold to the highest bidder over and above the upset price fixed by the Commissioners for each lot respectively.

The Screw Bolts will be sold each lot separately at so much per pound, and not for a sum in gross for such lot. The estimated quantities stated to be in the several lots are believed to be nearly correct, but the Department will not guarantee the quantity, each lot will be weighed before delivery on the standard scale used by the Department, and the weight so found must be taken and accepted by the purchaser of such lot as the true weight thereof, and must be paid for accordingly. Purchasers at the sale will be required to pay the auctioneer's fees and charges in addition to the prices bid for the material purchased by them.

Purchasers will also be required to forthwith remove the property or material bought by them, as the Department will not be responsible in any case for any portion of such material, after the receipt for the purchase-money has been given, and all property not removed promptly, will remain at the risk of the buyer.

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

JOSEPH KOCH,
JAMES MATTHEWS, and
L. J. N. STARK,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.