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### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of transactions of the Finance Department for the week ending February 4, 1888:

*Deposited in the Treasury.*

To the Credit of the Sinking Fund..... \$2,624,427 09  
" City Treasury..... 2,913,542 84

Total..... \$5,537,969 93

*Bonds and Stock Issued.*

Two per cent. Bonds..... \$2,350,000 00  
Three per cent. Bonds..... 200,000 00  
Three per cent. Stock..... 50,000 00

Total..... \$2,600,000 00

*Warrants Registered for Payment.*

The Mayoralty—Salaries and Contingencies—Mayor's Office..... \$1,834 87  
The Common Council—Salaries—Common Council..... 5,853 73

The Finance Department—  
Cleaning Markets..... \$3,393 15  
Contingencies—Comptroller's Office..... 309 06  
Salaries—Chamberlain's Office..... 2,083 33  
Salaries—Finance Department..... 16,433 76

Interest on the City Debt.....  
Redemption of Principal of the City Debt..... 2,350,000 00

Aqueduct Commissioners—Additional Water Fund..... 14,047 49  
The Law Department—Contingencies—Law Department..... \$600 55  
Salaries—Law Department..... 11,471 01

The Department of Public Works—  
Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening..... \$515 31  
Boring Examinations for Grading and Sewer Contracts..... 275 50  
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of..... 1,782 50  
Bronx River Works—Maintenance and Repairs..... 1,333 00  
Croton Water Fund..... 5,417 15  
Gansevoort Market Building Fund..... 29,637 00  
Lamps and Gas and Electric Lighting..... 375 51  
Laying Croton Pipes..... 1,523 40  
Local Improvement Fund—Contracts prior to January 1, 1885..... 75 00  
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs..... 4,724 50  
Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues..... 27 50  
Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading..... 2,280 78  
Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc..... 7,938 93  
Repaving Streets and Avenues..... 7,279 58  
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Department of Public Works..... 910 50  
Roads, Streets and Avenues Unpaved—Maintenance of, and Sprinkling..... 531 25  
Salaries—Department of Public Works..... 24,471 15  
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning..... 4,907 87  
Street Improvement Fund—June 15, 1886..... 23,240 96  
Street Improvements—For Surveying, Monumenting and Numbering Streets..... 91 00  
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices..... 6,176 50

123,514 89

The Department of Public Parks—  
Bronx River Bridges—For the Repairing and Maintenance of Bridges over the Bronx River, within the City limits..... \$11 24  
Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvements and Maintenance, Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places..... 1,050 27  
Maintenance—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards..... 21,521 31  
Morningside Park, Improvement of..... 1,294 58  
Riverside Park and Avenue—For the Improvement and Maintenance of..... 594 53  
Sewers and Drains—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards..... 509 67  
Surveying, Laying out, etc., Tax and Assessment Maps—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards..... 91 91  
Surveys, Maps and Plans..... 43 74  
16 34

25,451 59

The Department of Public Charities and Correction—  
Public Charities and Correction..... 60,939 60

The Health Department—  
For Removal of Night Soil, Offal and Dead Animals..... \$3,000 00  
Health Fund—For Contingent Expenses..... 25 00  
Health Fund—For Disinfection..... 250 00  
Health Fund—For Law Expenses, etc..... 166 66  
Health Fund—For Payment to the Board of Police..... 4,433 33  
Health Fund—For Salaries..... 17,138 33

25,013 32

The Police Department—  
Police Pension Fund..... \$38,462 50  
Police Station-houses—Rents..... 1,562 50

40,025 00

The Department of Street Cleaning— Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning.....	\$8,976 29
The Fire Department— Fire Department Fund..... \$127,334 52 New York Fire Department—Relief Fund..... 23,751 00	151,085 52
The Department of Taxes and Assessments— Contingencies—Department of Taxes and Assessments..... \$18 75 Salaries—Board of Assessors..... 1,349 99 Salaries—Department of Taxes and Assessments..... 7,262 44	8,631 18
The Department of Docks— Dock Fund.....	15,075 51
The Board of Education— College of the City of New York..... \$9,862 16 Public Instruction..... 21,120 76 School-house Fund..... 404 16	31,387 08
The Board of Excise— Commissioners of Excise Fund.....	12,988 71
Advertising, Printing, Stationery and Blank Books— Advertising..... \$128 80 CITY RECORD—Salaries and Contingencies..... 583 33 Printing, Stationery and Blank Books..... 3,981 18	4,693 31
Municipal Service Examining Boards— Civil Service of the City of New York, Expenses of.....	1,157 50
The Coroners— Coroners—Salaries and Expenses.....	3,967 30
The Commissioners of Accounts— Salaries—Commissioners of Accounts.....	2,095 82
The Sheriff— Salaries of the Engineer and the Assistant Engineer of the County Jail..... \$149 99 For Salary of Physician to County Jail..... 83 33 For Salaries of Warden and Keepers of County Jail..... 833 31	1,066 63
The Register— Contingencies—Register's Office..... \$18 76 Salaries—Register's Office..... 10,663 81	10,682 57
The Judiciary— Salaries—City Courts..... \$19,133 90 Salaries—Judiciary..... 85,261 90	104,395 80
Asylums, Reformatories and Charitable Institutions— Foundling Asylum of the Sisters of Charity.....	20,725 57
Miscellaneous— Aqueduct and Drill Rooms—For Wages of Armories, Janitors and Engineers..... \$2,604 00 Armories and Drill Rooms, Rents..... 19,312 50 Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Expenses of..... 250 00 Bureau of Licenses..... 683 32 Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, Expenses of..... 25 00 Contingencies—District Attorney's Office..... 114 20 Croton Water Rent—Refunding Account..... 104 45 Dog License Fund..... 336 00 For Burial of Honorably Discharged Soldiers, Sailors or Marines..... 210 00 For Construction of Bridge over the Harlem River (about 1,500 feet north of High Bridge)..... 5,389 63 For Salary of Secretary to Board of Street Opening..... 100 00 For the Preservation of Public Records..... 4,576 45 Fund for Street and Park Openings..... 4,580 04 Judgments..... 9,818 27 Real Estate, Expenses of..... 2,596 97 Refunding Assessments Paid in Error..... 8 68 Refunding Interest and Charges on Lands sold for Taxes and Assessments..... 1 03 Refunding Taxes Paid in Error..... 400 06 Rents..... 27,080 50	78,822 21
Total.....	\$3,186,060 84

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

COURT.	NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION.	ATTORNEY.
Westches- ter Co.	Abraham Levy agst. James Quinn.....		Order to examine third person as to property of judgment debtor.....	J. G. Millard.
Supreme.	The Equitable Life Assurance Society.	\$873 00	Order directing payment into court of award sum for number of opening One Hundred and Thirty-eighth Street and other streets in the Twenty-third Ward.....	S. J. Storrs.
"	Martin B. Brown.....	935 22	Summons and complaint. For repairing and rebinding books in the office of the Surrogate of the County of New York, in November, 1887..... Summons and complaint. For damages to tug "Amos B. Clegg" by screw in tow of tug "Municipal" on April 1, 1887.....	Ambrose Monell.
Superior..	Wm. Fernald and ano.	262 00	Summons and complaint. For excavating and removing 279 cubic yards of rock in Ninety-third street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues, in December, 1886.....	Shepard & Osborne.
Supreme.	Charles Guidet.....	1,395 00	Summons and complaint. For excavating and removing 279 cubic yards of rock in Ninety-third street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues, in December, 1886.....	Field & Deshon.
Superior..	John Haggerty.....	358 94	Summons and complaint. To recover amount paid for an assessment for Tenth avenue regulating, etc., from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth to One Hundred and Ninety-four street.....	J. A. Deering.

COURT.	NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION.	ATTORNEY.
Supreme.	Virgilio Del Genovese	\$155 37	Notice and transcript of judgment.....	S. A. Walker.
"	"	4,503 77	" "	"
"	James R. Jesup	340 04	Transcript of judgment.....	C. C. Higgins.
"	John H. Cheever	20,879 89	Petition and notice of motion for order directing payment into court of award made to defendant, owners in name of opening Railroad avenue, east, from Harlem river to One Hundred and Sixty-first street.....	M. Butzel.
"	Edward G. Smith	562 50	Transcript of judgment.....	T. Bracken.

## CLAIMS FILED.

DATE.	NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.
Jan. 30	John Paustian	\$5,000 00	Claim and demand. For damages for personal injuries.....	James A. O'Gorman.
" 30	E. Frey	5,000 00	Claim and demand. For damages for personal injuries.....	Joseph Koch.
" 31	William H. Scott	3,139 75	Claim and demand. For return of amount paid for an assessment for Eighty-second street, regulating, etc., Eighth avenue to Boulevard.....	A. B. Johnson
Feb. 1	Leake and Watts Orphan Asylum	201 75	Claim and demand. For return of amount paid for an assessment for underground drains, Ninety-sixth to One Hundred and Eleventh street, etc.....	T. F. Neville
" 2	Herman Kohnstamm and an., executors	11,000 00	Notice of withdrawal of claim served December 1, 1887, for recovery of amount paid for an assessment for Riverside Park opening, etc.....	"
" 3	Solomon Stern	10,000 00	Claim and demand. For damages for personal injuries.....	C. Steckler.
" 3	William W. Falconer	3,000 00	Claim and demand. For damages for personal injuries received on the New York and Brooklyn Bridge.....	Frank Moss.
" 3	Fritz Meier	107 00	Claim and demand. For damages for injury to horse.....	E. Grossie.
" 3			Claims and demands. For return of amounts paid for an assessment for Worth street, regulating, etc., from Broadway to Chatham street, as follows:	
	Frederick Dassori	114 44	Paid February 2, 1887.....	Hargous & McCaffery.
	"	166 45	" December 5, 1879.....	Hargous & McCaffery.
" 4	Martha E. Benedict and ors., executors	394 98	Claim and demand. For return of amount paid for an assessment for Boulevard sewers, between Sixty-first and Seventy-seventh streets.....	John C. Shaw.
" 4	United States Equitable Gas Company	379 00	Claim and demand. For return of amount paid in error for tax of 1887.....	H. Bischoff, Jr.
" 4	Charles C. Pinckney, assignee	613 25	Claim and demand. For extra work performed on the Fire Department Headquarters, Boulevard, Sixty-second street, between Third and Lexington avenues.....	O. S. Ackley
" 4	William Hamilton	5,000 00	Claim and demand. For damages for personal injuries.....	James A. O'Gorman.
" 4	Catherine McNally	5,000 00	Claim and demand. For damages for personal injuries.....	"

## CONTRACTS REGISTERED FOR THE WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 4, 1888

NO.	DATE OF CONTRACT	DEPARTMENT.	NAME OF CONTRACTORS.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.
8436	Jan. 10, 1888	Public Charities and Correction	H. Y. Canfield (Sureties: A. A. Vantine, James L. Raymond, Bond, \$10,000.)	Furnishing and delivering fresh cow's milk during the year 1888. Estimate, \$17,250.
8437	" 10, "	Public Charities and Correction	H. Y. Canfield (Sureties: A. A. Vantine, James L. Raymond, Bond, \$10,000.)	Furnishing and delivering condensed cow's milk during the year 1888. Estimate, \$42,500.
8438	" 14, "	Public Charities and Correction	Robert T. Pierce (Sureties: Lo in Palmer, Nelson Millerd, Bond, \$3,600.)	Furnishing 17,000 pounds dairy butter and 1,000 bushels beans. Total, \$5,168.
8439	" 18, "	Public Charities and Correction	Joseph W. Duryea (Sureties: S. Ellis Briggs, Jacob Kortlang, Bond, \$1,000.)	Furnishing lumber. Total, \$1,607.50.
8440	" 19, "	Public Charities and Correction	William J. Griffiths (Sureties: G. A. Jahn, Francis R. Core, Bond, \$2,500.)	Furnishing 50,000 pounds rice. Total, \$2,500.
8441	" 19, "	Public Charities and Correction	William D. Bruns, Jr. (Sureties: Andrew Koch, John Kreeb, Bond, \$3,000.)	Furnishing and delivering 1,215 tons of white ash coal to Central Office, the City Prisons and Reception Hospitals, as required during the year 1888. Total, \$6,727.75.
8442	" 19, "	Public Charities and Correction	Henry Chuck (Sureties: Louis Rothstein, Abraham Rothstein, Bond, \$1,300.)	Furnishing 80,000 yards bleached hospital or absorbent gauze. Total, \$2,600.
8443	" 19, "	Public Charities and Correction	James H. Brady (Sureties: Thomas Hagan, James Brady, Bond, \$3,000.)	Building a water-tower and tank, residence, engine-house and boiler-house, at Central Islip, Long Island, N. Y. Total, \$5,980.
8444	" 19, "	Public Charities and Correction	Alexander Reid (Sureties: David Wilson, Joseph C. Divine, Bond, \$700.)	Two steam boilers at Central Islip, Long Island, N. Y. Total, \$1,650.
8445	" 23, "	Public Charities and Correction	Almeron Whitehead (Sureties: John Eley, George J. Bryan, Bond, \$10,000.)	Furnishing and delivering fresh fish, etc., required during the year 1888. Estimate, \$17,942.
8446	Dec. 23, 1887	Board of Education	Robert Macbeth (Sureties: Frederick Folsom, Thomas Martin, Bond, \$400.)	Deck-houses, school-ship "St. Mary's" located at foot of East Thirty-first street. Total, \$1,079.
8447	" 16, "		A. H. Andrews & Co. (Sureties: E. G. Peterson, W. McCracken, Bond, \$2,300.)	Furniture, Part II., Grammar School Building No. 84, in West Fifth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues, Twenty-second Ward. Total, \$6,790.
8448	" 24, "		Pearce & Jones (Sureties: Alex E. Squire, Thos. Sampson, Bond, \$500.)	Alterations and extensions of fire-alarm system, etc., in Public School Buildings of the City of New York. Total, \$1,476.55.
8449	" 31,		James R. Vans (Sureties: Gilbert Moore, John H. W. Killeen, Bond, \$10,000.)	Delivering supplies during the year 1888. Total, \$3,000.

## Statement of the City Debt as Represented in Bonds and Stocks January 31, 1888.

CLASSIFICATION OF DEBT.	DECEMBER 31, 1887.	JANUARY 31, 1888.
1 Bonds payable from the Sinking Fund, under ordinances of the Common Council.....	\$4,671,900 00	\$4,626,800 00
2 Bonds payable from the Sinking Fund, under provisions of section 6, chapter 383, Laws of 1878.....	9,700,000 00	9,700,000 00
3 Bonds payable from the Sinking Fund, under provisions of section 8, chapter 383, Laws of 1878.....	19,960,337 96	20,418,837 96
4 Bonds payable from Taxation, under provisions of chapter 490, Laws of 1883.....	445,000 00	445,000 00
5 Bonds payable from the Sinking Fund, under provisions of the Constitutional Amendment adopted November 4, 1884.....	16,750,000 00	16,750,000 00
6 Bonds payable from Taxation, under the several statutes authorizing their issue.....	72,283,481 49	72,277,981 49
7 Bonds issued for Local Improvements after June 9, 1886.....	3,768,000 00	3,948,000 00
8 Bonds of the Annexed Territory of Westchester County, assumed by the Corporation.....	630,000 00	690,000 00
Total Funded Debt.....	\$128,668,719 45	\$128,856,619 45
Deduct Sinking Fund for Redemption of Debt (investments and cash).....	39,521,884 01	39,501,301 99
Net Funded Debt.....	\$88,746,834 84	\$89,295,317 46
Revenue Bonds—		
Issued in anticipation of Taxes of 1887.....	\$4,357,600 00	\$4,350,000 00
" under special laws (1888).....	196,746 70	196,746 70
Total Revenue Bonds.....	\$4,554,346 70	\$4,554,346 70
Cash—		
City Treasury Account.....		\$5,150,887 55
Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt.....		618,735 84
" Payment of Interest on the City Debt.....		294,956 41
Total Cash.....		\$6,064,579 80

## Opening of Proposals.

The Comptroller attended the opening of proposals at the following departments, viz.: January 30. The Fire Department, adjourned opening (by representative)—For furnishing 500,000 pounds hay, 80,000 pounds straw, 4,500 bags white oats, and 2,000 bags bran. January 30. The Mayor's office (Armory Board)—For furnishing materials and performing the work in the erection of an armory building on Fourth avenue, extending from Ninety-fourth to Ninety-fifth street. February 1. The Department of Public Works (by representative)—For alteration and improvement to sewer in Fourth avenue, west side, between Seventy-third and Seventy-fourth streets, etc., and for constructing sewers in the several streets and avenues enumerated in the advertisement of said Department, dated January 19, 1888, published in the CITY RECORD.

## Approval of Sureties.

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

January 30. For furnishing the Department of Public Charities and Correction with 3,000 pounds carbolic acid, 300 pounds subnitrate of bismuth, 200 ounces sulphate of morphine, and 30 boxes Castile soap.	McKesson & Robbins, No. 91 Fulton street, Principals.
"	Henry E. Coudray, Southern Boulevard and One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street,
"	Charles E. Cornell, No. 58 West One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street,
"	H. K. Thurber, West Broadway and Reade street, { Sureties.
January 30. For furnishing the Department of Public Charities and Correction with miscellaneous crockery, dry goods, hardware, tin, and leather.	J. Early & Co., No. 54 West Forty-sixth street, Principals.
"	J. Finley Smith, No. 346 West Thirty-first street,
"	H. K. Thurber, West Broadway and Reade street, { Sureties.
January 30. John M. Hare, No. 190 Chambers street, on contract of Wright & Winsor for furnishing the Department of Public Charities with eggs, [substituted for Amos C. Littell, No. 289 Washington street.	
January 30. For furnishing the Department of Public Charities and Correction with 3,000 tons coal.	George W. Winant, No. 410 West Nineteenth street, Principal.
"	Samuel C. Mott, No. 29 Dominic street,
"	Francis L. Leland, No. 1 West Thirty-seventh street,
January 30. For furnishing the Department of Public Charities and Correction with miscellaneous dry goods.	Rowland A. Robbins, No. 66 West Fifty-fourth street, Principal.
"	James S. Barron, No. 329 West Twenty-second street,
"	William H. Barron, No. 348 West Twenty-ninth street,
January 30. For furnishing the Department of Public Charities and Correction with miscellaneous dry goods.	J. L. Chamberlin, No. 328 Broadway, Principal.
"	William E. Teff, No. 22 East Sixty-fourth street,
"	John N. Beach, No. 178 South Oxford street, Brooklyn,
January 31. For removing the existing Pier at foot of West Thirty-eighth street, and building a new wooden pier and approach at foot of said street, and for repairing the existing crib-bulkhead thereat.	{ Sureties.
"	Richard Cronin, No. 138 Luquer street, Brooklyn, Principal.
"	William Kelly, No. 460 West Fifty-first street,
"	Thomas Smith, No. 363 West Fifty-first street,
January 31. For furnishing the Fire Department with 500,000 pounds hay, 80,000 pounds straw, 4,500 bags oats and 2,000 bags bran.	H. Henneberger, No. 317 Washington street, Principal.
"	John Moonan, No. 427 West street,
"	John A. Antony, No. 372 West Eleventh street,
"	Henry Chastain, No. 307 West Fourth street,
January 31. For furnishing the Department of Public Charities and Correction with 11,400 pounds butter.	{ Sureties.
"	Ransom Parker, Jr., No. 155 Charles street, Principal.
"	James W. Boyle, No. 150 West Twelfth street,
"	Frank C. Mehan, No. 222 West Twenty-first street,
February 1. For regulating, grading, etc., in St. Ann's avenue, between Southern Boulevard and Clifton street, and in Boston road at One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, west of former West line of Boston road.	William F. Murray, No. 906 Westchester avenue, Principal.
"	A. Dohol G. Hupfel, One Hundred and Sixty-first street and Third avenue,
"	B. C. Murray, No. 648 St. Ann's avenue,
February 3. For alteration and improvement to sewer in Fourth avenue, west side, between Seventy-third and Seventy-fourth streets, and for sewer in Ninety-fourth street, between Second and Third avenues.	{ Sureties.
"	T. A. Smith, No. 162 East Thirty-sixth street, Principal.
"	Joseph C. Biglin, No. 132 Nassau street,
"	Thomas Bartley, No. 546 Third avenue,
February 3. For sewers in One Hundred and Twenty-first street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues—	{ Sureties.
"	Lawrence Martin, No. 621 East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street,
"	John Devlin, No. 553 East One Hundred and Fortieth street,
"	John McQuade, No. 1338 Lexington avenue,
"	Charles Jones, No. 257 Alexander avenue,

## Return of Proposals.

January 31. Proposals of William F. Murray, for regulating, grading, etc., in Boston road, at One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, etc., and in St. Ann's avenue, between Southern Boulevard and Clifton street, returned to the Department of Public Parks for action on the proposed substitution of Adolph Hupfel, One Hundred and Sixty-first street and Third avenue, as surety thereon in the place of M. Murray, No. 906 Westchester avenue, one of the original sureties.

February 3. Proposal of J. N. Potter, for furnishing the Department of Public Charities and Correction with codfish, returned to said Department for action on the proposed substitution of Henry L. Meyer, No. 288 Pearl street, as a surety thereon in the place of William Aikens, one of the original sureties.

## Official Bonds Approved and Filed.

February 1. Michael T. Daly, No. 188 Lexington avenue, Clerk of the City Court, Principal. James Everard, Worth House, Peter A. Cassidy, No. 245 East Forty-ninth street, } Sureties. Dated January 31, 1888. Penalty, \$10,000.

February 1. Samuel E. Douglass, Deputy Collector of City Revenue, Principal. Bernard Mahon, No. 2203 Seventh avenue, Assa B. Kellogg, No. 304 West Forty-fifth street, } Sureties. Dated January 31, 1888. Penalty, \$2,000.

Certificates of the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments of the Remission by them of Taxes of 1887 on Personal Estate, received, as follows:

DATE.	NAME.	ADDRESS.	ASSESSED VALUATION.	TAX REMITTED.
Feb. 4...	Arthur M. Jones	No. 2 East Fifteenth street	\$4,000 00	\$86 40
" 4...	Thomas O'Brien	No. 340 Broadway	5,000 00	108 00

Resigned.

January 30—Clarence Goadby, Assistant Cashier in Bureau for the Collection of Taxes, to take effect February 1, 1888.

January 31—Samuel C. Holmes, Deputy Collector of City Revenue in Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

January 31—Michael T. Daly, Assistant Interests Clerk in Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

Appointed.

January 31—Samuel E. Douglass, No. 122 East Forty-sixth street, Deputy Collector of City Revenue, with compensation at the rate of \$1,200 per annum, to take effect February 1, 1888.

February 1—Samuel C. Holmes, No. 128 East Ninety-fourth street, Skilled Laborer, in the Comptroller's office (temporarily), with compensation at the rate of \$3 per diem.

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, NEW YORK, January 11, 1888.

Present—President H. D. Purroy and Commissioner Richard Croker.

Trials.

Fireman, First Grade, John W. Bearman, Hook and Ladder 9, "absence without leave." Fined five days' pay.

Fireman, First Grade, John J. Kennedy, Hook and Ladder 18, "absence without leave," "under the influence of liquor." Found guilty and dismissed the Department from 12th instant.

Fireman, Second Grade, James E. Delaney, Engine 33, "absence without leave." Fined five days' pay.

Fireman, First Grade, James A. Dougan, Engine 23, "absence without leave," "under the influence of liquor." Fined ten days' pay and warned that he would be dismissed on a repetition of the offense.

Fireman, First Grade, George Davis, Engine 40, "violation sec. 1, par. II, G. O. No. 21, O. B. C. of 1881." Found guilty and dismissed the Department from 12th instant.

Fireman, First Grade, William Farrell, Engine 47, "absence without leave." Fined five days' pay.

Requisitions, etc.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Copy Final Estimate for 1888. Filed. Supply Clerk—Stating that it will be necessary to advertise immediately for forage. Filed, to advertise.

Same—Requisition for articles for Repair Shops, \$834.40. Ordered.

Same—Requisition for sixty tons cannel coal, \$840. Ordered.

Same—Requisition for articles for Assistant Chief of Department, \$878. Ordered.

Same—Requisition for articles for issue, \$974. Ordered.

Same—Requisition for articles for Superintendent of Repairs to Buildings, \$721. Referred to Commissioner Croker.

Same—Requisition for articles for Superintendent of Telegraph, \$900. Referred to Commissioner Croker.

Superintendent of Telegraph—

Rental of telephones for six months.

Expenditure authorized.

Repairs to telegraph apparatus, to March 31, 1888.

Repairs to pole of truck.

Ordered.

Superintendent and Acting Superintendent of Repairs to Buildings—

Plumbing, quarters Hook and Ladder 18.

" " Engine 39.

" " Engine 45.

" " Engine 46 and Hook and Ladder 13.

" " Engine 40.

" " Engine 34.

" " Engine 1.

Gas-fitting, Headquarters.

Plumbing, Headquarters.

Gas-fitting, quarters Hook and Ladder 14.

Plumbing, quarters Engines 25 and 33.

" " No. 432 West Thirty-sixth street.

" " quarters Engine 16.

" " Engines 4 and 7.

" " Engine 23 and Hook and Ladder 6.

" " Engine 35.

" Fuel Depot No. 1.

" Repair Shops.

Carpenter-work, quarters Engines 36, 38 and 48.

Plumbing, Headquarters.

" Repair Shops.

" quarters Engines 7 and 9.

Caulking, quarters Engine 15.

Carpenter-work, Headquarters.

Painting quarters Engine 21.

Ordered.

Foreman in charge of Stables—Recommending purchase of horses selected—

One horse for hauling spare apparatus.

One horse for stables.

One horse for Engine 30.

One horse for Hook and Ladder 3.

One horse for Hook and Ladder 15.

Team of horses for Engine 2.

Same—Requisitions for

One horse for Engine 1.

One horse for Engine 9.

Referred to Chairman Committee on Apparatus and Telegraph.

One horse for Engine 15.	\$300 00
One horse for Engine 28.	300 00
One horse for Hook and Ladder 18.	300 00

Referred to Chairman Committee on Apparatus and Telegraph.

Same—Reports of death of horses Nos. 116, 371 and 433. Filed.

Foreman in charge of Repair Shops—Requisitions for

Flagstaff, "Wm. F. Havemeyer," (Engine 43).	\$28 00
Repairs to fire-extinguishers, ladders, etc.	250 00

Ordered.

## Incidental Expenses.

Secretary, to March 31, 1888.	\$600 00
Inspector Combustibles, to March 31, 1888.	225 00
Fire Marshal.	90 00
Superintendent Buildings.	375 00
Attorney.	450 00
Superintendent Telegraph.	285 00
Repair shops.	75 00
Stables.	60 00
Supply Clerk.	120 00

Expenditure authorized and referred to Bookkeeper.

Otis, Bros. & Co.—Relative to their proposition to repair elevator at Headquarters. Filed, and \$100 appropriated to pay for same.

## Bills Audited—Schedule No. 60 of 1887.

Beyer, Charles, apparatus, supplies, etc.	\$24 00
Carleton, T. P.,	24 00
Carlton, William,	63 75
Cleary & Donnelly,	24 00
Dean, Jer.,	36 00
Dongan, Patrick,	12 00
Dowd, James,	12 00
Dunn, J. F.,	23 25
Fallon, Owen,	69 00
Fitzpatrick, Owen,	42 00
Fox, C.,	24 00
Gallon, T. J.,	36 00
Graham, John,	12 00
Hassler, J. A.,	18 00
Hayes, Dennis,	9 00
Hayes, John,	3 00
Kenny, Bernard,	42 00
Kierman, Bernard,	42 00
Lally, John,	75 00
Latimer & Dougherty,	27 00
Leighton, J. A.,	9 00
Malloy, Mrs. Joseph,	9 00
Malone, P.,	18 00
Moffit, Edward,	48 00
McEvoy, John,	15 00
McCann, Henry,	33 00
McCann, Patrick,	30 00
McFaul, Charles,	21 00
McKenna, P.,	78 00
McKenna, William,	12 00
McNally, John,	21 00
Nimphus, Adam,	48 00
Quilty, Patrick,	27 00
Roche, David J.,	21 00
Rose, Charles,	3 00
Walsh, Matthew,	18 00
Woods, T. F.,	

\$1,041 00

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Bauman Bros, Furnishing New Headquarters.	\$103 28
Brush Electric Illuminating Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	74 20
Central Gas-light Company,	48 16
Consolidated Gas Company,	936 50
Duryea, John W.,	35 33
Edison Electric Illuminating Co.,	50 62
Farrington, John,	14 00
Feigel, M. & Bro.,	53 85
Findley, William L.,	165 45
Fuller, A. P.,	75 21
Geraghty, Robert,	30 00
Getta Percha and Rubber Manufacturing Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	85 02
Harkness Fire Extinguisher Manufacturing Co.,	34 30
Iussen, Carl, apparatus, supplies, etc.	90 62
Knickerbocker Ice Company, apparatus, supplies, etc.	21 00
Merrill, E. R.,	38 72
Metropolitan Telephone and Telegraph Company, apparatus, supplies, etc.	37 60
Miller, J. H., apparatus, supplies, etc.	3 00
Moanon, John,	1,428 89
Moseman, C. M. & Bro., apparatus, supplies, etc.	37 50
Murphy, Patrick,	6 00
New York Stencil Works,	2 80
Niver, Norman L.,	12 50
Pearce & Jones,	48 65
Pleasants & Woodworth,	10 84
Powers, John, manager,	211 66
Quackenbush, Townsend & Co.,	20 00
Reeves, Robert C.,	3 72
Schmidt, J. H.,	25 00
Seery, Peter,	59 47
Sheldon, J. H.,	21 10
Smith, J. Elliott,	37 79
Western Electric Co.,	11 25
Yonkers Gas-light Co.,	41 28

\$3,875 31

## Communications.

Washington H. Felter—Tendering resignation as Inspector of Buildings. Accepted by the President from 7th instant and filed and action approved.

Action of President fixing the pay of M. E. Featherson, Machinist in Repair Shops, at \$3.50 per day from 7th instant was approved.

Second Assistant Chief of Department—Report of number of officers, etc., instructed in School of Instruction. Filed.

Foreman Engine 9—Report of loss of fire-alarm box key for box No. 138. Filed.

Foreman Engine 34—Applying to have company's quarters repaired. Referred to Commissioner Croker.

Board of Examiners—Certifying that Samuel McRicard, Hugh C. Keyes, John E. Peck and Hugh Montague are qualified for the position of Inspector of Buildings. Laid over.

Same—Certifying that John Mahoney, James Devlin, Peter Schultz, Jethro Washburn, James Somers, Warren D. Secord, Alfred Morton, John Cummins, are not qualified for Inspectors of Buildings. Filed.

Superintendent of Telegraph—Report of false alarm sent from box No. 162, on 5th instant. Referred to Chief of Department and Superintendent of Telegraph for further investigation.

Engineer Edward Cooney, Grand Hotel, Thirty-first street and Broadway—Applying for appointment as Inspector of Elevators.

John J. Burns, Herman Holtze, Tichener & Leon, A. Urbanonze—Claims against members of the Department. Filed, to notify.

Superintendent of Buildings—Recommending appointment of additional Inspectors of Elevators.

Filed, and Machinists Edward McManus and Thomas Murphy, Repair Shops, detailed to Bureau of Inspection of Buildings to supervise elevators.

Adjourning.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

NEW YORK, January 13, 1888.  
Present—President H. D. Purroy and Commissioner Croker.

*Communications.*

Civil Service Examining Board—Eligible list for Inspectors of Buildings. Filed, and appointed Inspectors of Buildings, at \$1,100 per annum, from 10th instant:

Frederick Clague,  
James Duffy,  
Alexander Hickinbotham,  
John J. McArdle,  
Magnes J. Schwartz,

Thomas J. Cockerill,  
John E. Fitzgerald,  
M. Lewinson,  
Thomas B. Merrigan,  
John M. Slattery.

*Promotion.*

Fireman, Third Grade, Arthur W. Searle, Engine 55, to Engineer of steamer from 16th instant.  
*Resignation.*

George F. Scannell, as Clerk in Bureau of Fire Marshal, accepted from 16th instant.  
*Appointment.*

J. McManus, Machinist in Repair Shops, at \$3 per day, from 16th instant.  
Adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

NEW YORK, January 18, 1888.

Present—President Henry D. Purroy and Commissioner Richard Croker.

*Trials.*

Chief Seventh Battalion, Benjamin A. Gicquel—“Violation sec. 15, par. v., G. O. No. 13, O. B. C. of 1881,” “under the influence of liquor,” “violation sec. 2, par. ix., G. O. No. 13, O. B. C. of 1881.” Laid over.

Fireman, First Grade, James J. Potter, Engine 32, “neglect of duty.” Laid over.  
Fireman, First Grade, John F. King, Hook and Ladder 1, “absence without leave.” Laid over.  
Fireman, Second Grade, John Harvey, Hook and Ladder 1, “absence without leave.” Laid over.

Fireman, Second Grade, Eugene F. Martin, Hook and Ladder 1, “absence without leave.” Adjourned.

Fireman, Second Grade, Joseph P. Johnson, Hook and Ladder 1, “absence without leave.” Laid over.

Fireman, Third Grade, John J. O’Neil, Hook and Ladder 1, “neglect of duty” and “absence without leave.” Laid over.

*Requisitions, etc.*

Approved by Commissioner Croker—

Articles, Superintendent Repairs to Buildings..... \$721 00  
Articles, Superintendent Telegraph..... 900 00  
Ordered.

Approved by same—  
One horse for Engine 2..... \$300 00  
One horse for Hook and Ladder 3..... 300 00  
Ordered.

Supply Clerk—Repairs to clocks, flags, etc., \$250. Ordered.  
Foreman in charge Repair Shops—Repairs to Silsby engine No. 780, \$225. Ordered.

Approved by Chairman Committee on Apparatus and Telegraph—  
One horse for Engine 28..... \$300 00  
One horse for Engine 15..... 300 00  
One horse for Engine 9..... 300 00  
One horse for Engine 1..... 300 00  
One horse for Hook and Ladder 18..... 300 00  
Selection ordered.

Chief of Department—Recommending purchase of hose, apparatus, etc. Referred to Committee on Apparatus and Telegraph.

Supply Clerk—  
Articles, Superintendent Telegraph..... \$892 00  
“ Repair Shops ..... 927 00  
“ for issue ..... 934 00  
Referred to Committee on Apparatus and Telegraph.

Superintendent of Repairs to Buildings—  
Plumbing, quarters Engine 37..... \$28 00  
Repairs to heaters various companies’ quarters..... 145 00  
Plumbing, quarters Engine 22..... 164 00  
Mason-work, Repair Shops..... 253 00  
Carpenter-work, Engine 14..... 315 00  
Calking, quarters Chief of Department..... 135 00  
“ “ Engine 5..... 155 00  
Ironwork, quarters Hook and Ladder 8..... 15 00  
Plumbing and gasfitting, quarters Chief of Department..... 132 00  
Carpenter-work, quarters Engine 21..... 785 00  
“ “ “ 30..... 582 00  
“ “ 9..... 856 00

Referred to Committee on Apparatus and Telegraph.

Foreman Hook and Ladder 4—Report of death of horse No. 371. Filed.  
Thomas F. Gilroy, receiver—Relative to amount due to late corporation of Mitchell, Vance & Co. Filed.

*Resolution.*

Resolved, That N. Le Brun & Sons, architects, be and are hereby requested to prepare plans and specifications for building a new engine-house on the south side of Eighty-third street, two hundred feet west of Ninth avenue.

*Bills Audited.—Schedule No. 62 of 1887.*

Arctander, A. & Co., apparatus, supplies, etc..... \$893 00  
Ash & Buckbee, “ 236 00  
Blow, A. J., “ 150 00  
Cheever, J. H., “ 30 00  
Le Brun, N., “ 25 00  
Merrill, E. R., “ 71 61  
N. Y. Steam Co., “ 36 06  
O’Brien, L. G. & Co., “ 820 00  
Upjohn, R. M., “ 275 00  
\$2,536 67

*Schedule No. 1 of 1888.*

French, Samuel G., agent, apparatus, supplies, etc..... \$645 66  
Isley, Doubleday & Co., “ 204 55  
Niver, Norman L., “ 47 55  
Ohlsen, Henry D., “ 433 50  
Sylvester, Hilton & Co., “ 118 78  
\$1,450 14

*Communications.*

Chief of Department—Report of having detailed Chief Seventh Battalion Benjamin A. Gicquel to Ninth Battalion. Action of President approving same approved.

Foreman Engine 7—Report recovery coat badge of Fireman, First Grade, John Banks of his command. Filed, to remit fine.

Fireman, First Grade, William S. Hughes—Requesting remission of fine for loss of coat badge, recovered. Filed, to remit.

Foreman Engine 45—Report of death of Fireman, First Grade, Charles M. Moore. Filed.

Foreman Engine 55—Report of death of Engineer of Steamer Thomas Walker. Filed.

Inspector of Combustibles—Recommending that applications of M. S. Driggs & Co., and Elliott F. Driggs & Co., to store fire-works, etc., be granted. Approved and filed, to communicate.

Superintendent of Buildings—Returning unapproved specifications for stand-pipe and sprinkler system submitted by owners of theatre corner Broadway and Forty-first street. Approved and filed.

Same—Recommending that penalty against Gustavus Adolphus Lutheran Church and against Thomas Regan be remitted. Approved and referred to Attorney to Department.

Board of Examiners—Certifying George T. Sinclair and Charles Schooley as qualified for Inspectors of Buildings. Laid over.

Attorney to Department—Recommending dismissal of complaint in a fire-escape case. Approved, and referred for file.

Electric Fire Protective Co., President of—Petition for leave to connect fire-alarm boxes with Auxiliary Fire-alarm System. Referred to Commissioner Croker.

James McGreen—Applying for re-examination for Inspector of Buildings. Granted, and referred to Board of Examiners.

C. C. Pinckney, assignee of James Duffy—Petition relative to payment of extra work done at Headquarters by James Duffy. Referred to President Purroy.

H. M. Cox, M. D., George Fennell & Co., Krause Brothers and Livingston B. Stern & Son—Claims against members of the Department. Filed, to notify.

The salary of Assistant Batterymen Michael Fail was fixed at \$1,000 per annum, from 19th instant.

Clerk William Sauer, Bureau Inspector of Buildings, was transferred to Bureau of Fire Marshal, from 10th instant.

Adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

**CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.**

CITY OF NEW YORK—CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS, SECRETARY’S OFFICE, ROOM 11, CITY HALL, NEW YORK, June 3, 1887.

THOMAS COSTIGAN, Esq., Supervisor City Record:

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

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

Yours respectfully,  
LEE PHILLIPS,  
Secretary and Executive Officer.

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

THOMAS COSTIGAN, Esq., Supervisor:

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

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

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

Very respectfully,  
LEE PHILLIPS,  
Secretary and Executive Officer.

**OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.**

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

**EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.**

Mayor’s Office.  
No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
ABRAM S. HEWITT, Mayor; ARTHUR BERRY, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

*Mayor’s Marshal’s Office.*

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

**COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.**

Rooms 114 and 115, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

WM. PITTS SHARMAN, J. B. ADAMSON.

**AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.**

Room 200, Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
JAMES C. SPENCER, President; JOHN C. SHEEHAN, Secretary; BENJAMIN S. CHURCH, Chief Engineer; J. C. LULLEY, Auditor.

**BOARD OF ARMY COMMISSIONERS.**

The Mayor, Chairman; President of DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, Secretary.

Address M. COLEMAN, Stars Zeitung Building, Tryon Row. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

**LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.**

Office of Clerk of Common Council.  
No. 8 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

GEORGE H. FORSTER, President Board of Aldermen

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

*City Library.*

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

BERNARD JACOBS, City Librarian.

**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.**

Commissioner’s Office.

No. 32 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JOHN NEWTON, Commissioner; D. LOWBER SMITH, Deputy Commissioner.

*Bureau of Chief Engineer.*

No. 32 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

GEORGE W. BIRDSALL, Chief Engineer.

*Bureau of Water Register.*

No. 32 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JOHN H. CHAMBERS, Register.

*Bureau of Street Improvements.*

No. 32 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

WM. M. DEAN, Superintendent.

*Bureau of Fire Marshal.*

No. 32 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent.

Central Office open at all hours.

*Repair Shops.*

No. 128 and 130 West Third street.

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

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

*Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.*  
No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
WILLIAM G. BERGEN, Superintendent.

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

*Bureau of Lamps and Gas.*  
No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
STEPHEN MCGOWAN, Superintendent.

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

*Bureau of Incumbrances.*  
No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN RICHARDSON, Superintendent.

*Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.*  
MARTIN J. KESE, City Hall.

*FINANCE DEPARTMENT.*  
Comptroller’s Office.

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

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

*Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents.*  
Nos. 31, 33, 35, 37, 39 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
ARTEMAS S. CADY, Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.

*Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.*  
Nos. 1, 2, 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.

GRAHAM MCADAM, Chief Clerk.

*Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.*  
No. 37 Chambers street and No. 33 Reade street, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
GEORGE W. MCLEAN, Receiver of Taxes; ALFRED VREDENBURGH, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

*Bureau of the City Chamberlain.*  
Nos. 25, 27 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
WM. M. IVINS, City Chamberlain.

*Office of the City Paymaster.*  
No. 33 Reade street, Stewart Building.  
JOHN H. TIMMERMAN, City Paymaster.

*LAW DEPARTMENT.*  
Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

Saats Zeitung Building, third floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
HENRY R. BEEKMAN, Counsel to the Corporation

ANDREW T. CAMPBELL, Chief Clerk.

*Office of the Public Administrator.*

No. 40 Breeken street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
RICHARD J. MORRISON, Public Administrator.

*Office of the Corporation Attorney.*

No. 40 Breeken 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’BIEN, Clerk Bureau of Elections.

*DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.*

Central Office.

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

CHARLES E. SIMMONS, President; GEORGE F. BRITTON, Secretary.

*Purchasing Agent.* FREDERICK A. CUSHMAN, Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Closed Saturdays, 12 M.

Contracts, Proposals and Estimates for Work and Materials for Building, Repair and Supplies, Bills and Accounts, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Closed Saturdays, 12 M.

RUFUS L. WILDER, General Bookkeeper and Auditor.

*FIRE DEPARTMENT.*

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

*Headquarters.*

Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street.

HENRY D. PURROY, President; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

*Bureau of Chief of Department.*

CHARLES O. SHAY, Chief of Department.

*Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.*

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

*Bureau of Fire Marshal.*

GEORGE H. SHELDON, Fire Marshal.

*Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.*

ALBERT F. D’OENCH, Superintendent of Buildings.

*Attorney to Department.*

WM. L. FINDLEY.

*Fire Alarm Telegraph.*

J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent.

Central Office open at all hours.

*Repair Shops.*

No. 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. 30 Mott street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JAMES C. BAYLES, President; EMMONS CLARK,  
Secretary.

**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.**  
Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49  
and 51 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
M. C. D. BORDEN, President; CHARLES DE F. BURNS,  
Secretary.

*Civil and Topographical Office.*  
Arsenal, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, 9 A. M.  
to 5 P. M.  
Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.  
One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and Third avenue,  
9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

**DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.**

Battery, Pier 12, North River, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
L. J. N. STARN, President; G. KEMBLE, Secretary.  
Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., daily, except Saturday;  
on Saturdays as follows: from October 1 to June 1, from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.; from June 1 to September 30,  
from 9 A. M. to 12 M.

**DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.**

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

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

**DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.**

Nos. 31 and 32 Park Row, "World" Building, Rooms  
2, and 3, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JAMES S. COLEMAN, Commissioner; JACOB SEABOLD,  
Deputy Commissioner; R. W. HORNER, Chief Clerk.

**CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMIN-  
ING BOARDS.**

Room No. 11, City Hall.  
EVERETT P. WHEELER, Chairman of the Supervisory  
Board; LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary and Executive Officer.

**BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.**

Office of Clerk, Staats Zeitung Building, Room 5.  
The MAYOR, Chairman; CHARLES V. ADEE, Clerk.

**REGISTER'S OFFICE.**

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

**COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.**

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

**COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.**

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

**DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.**

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

**THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.**

*And Bureau of Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books*  
No. 2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays, on  
which days 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
THOMAS COSTIGAN, Supervisor; R. P. H. ABELL, Book-  
keeper.

**BOARD OF ASSESSORS.**

Office City Hall, Room No. 11½, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
EDWARD GILSON, Chairman; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

**BOARD OF EXCISE**

No. 54 Bond street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
CHARLES H. WOODMAN, President; DAVID S. WHITE,  
Secretary and Chief Clerk.

**SHERIFF'S OFFICE.**

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

**CORONERS' OFFICE.**

Nos. 13 and 15 Clapham street, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
Sundays and holidays 8 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.

MICHAEL J. H. MESSEMER, FERDINAND LEVY, FERD-  
INAND EIDMAN, JOHN R. NUGENT, CORONERS; JOHN T.  
TOAL, Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

**SUPREME COURT.**

Second floor, New County Court-house, opens at 10:30 A. M.  
CHARLES H. VAN BRUNT, Presiding Justice; JAMES A.  
FLACK, Clerk; THOMAS F. GILROY, Deputy County  
Clerk.

General Term, Room No. 9, WILLIAM LAMB, Jr., Clerk.  
Special Term, Part I, Room No. 10, HUGH DONNELLY,  
Clerk.

Special Term, Part II, Room No. 18, WILLIAM J.  
HILL, Clerk.

Chambers Room No. 11, WALTER BRADY, Clerk.  
Circuit, Room No. 12, SAMUEL BARRY, Clerk.  
Circuit, Part II, Room No. 14, RICHARD J. SULLIVAN,  
Clerk.

Circuit, Part III, Room No. 13, GEORGE F. LYON,  
Clerk.

Circuit, Part IV, Room No. 15, J. LEWIS LYON, Clerk.  
Judges' Private Chambers, Rooms Nos. 19 and 20,  
EDWARD J. KNIGHT, Librarian.

**SUPERIOR COURT.**

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.  
General Term, Room No. 35.

Special Term, Room No. 33, 10 A. M.  
Chambers, Room No. 33, 10 A. 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 adjourn-  
ment.

Special Term, Room No. 21, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjourn-  
ment.

Chambers, Room No. 21, 10:30 o'clock A. M. to adjourn-  
ment.

Part I, Room 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.

RICHARD L. LARREMORE, Chief Justice; NATHANIEL  
JARVIS, Jr., Clerk.

**COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.**  
No. 39 Chambers street. Parts I and II. Court opens  
at 11 o'clock A. M.

FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder; HENRY A. GILDE-  
SLEEV 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 cor-  
ner, Room No. 12. Court opens at 10:30 o'clock A. M.

Clerk's Office, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park,

second floor, northwest corner, Room No. 12, 10 A. M. till  
4 P. M.

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

**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.

Judge W. CHERECH, 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.

**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.**

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
NOS. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS ST.,  
February 4, 1888.

NOTICE.

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS WILL  
sell at public auction, by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers,  
on Monday, February 13, 1888, the following:

At the Arsenal, Central Park, Sixty-fourth Street and  
Fifth Avenue,

Lost and unclaimed property, consisting of Clothing,  
Watches, Jewelry, Revolvers, Tools, Surgical Instruments,  
Umbrellas and miscellaneous articles, in lots.

At the Stables, Eighty-fifth Street and Transverse Road.

Five (5) Horses.

One (1) Bay Horse (impounded).

One (1) Brown Horse (impounded).

At Sixty-fifth, Eighty-first and Ninety-sixth Streets,  
near Eighth Avenue (Central Park).

Four (4) lots of Wood, in pieces of different sizes and  
lengths, cut on the parks.

The sale to begin at the Arsenal, Central Park, at 11  
o'clock A. M., with the lost and unclaimed property, and  
continues at the Stables in Eighty-fifth street and Trans-  
verse road with the horses, and conclude with the sale  
of wood at the various points designated.

TERMS OF SALE.

The purchase-money to be paid in bankable funds at  
the time of sale.

All articles to be removed immediately after the sale.

By order of the Department of Public Parks.

CHARLES DE F. BURNS,  
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
NOS. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, January 30, 1888.

PARTIES INTERESTED IN THIS MATTER OF  
the proposed grade of East One Hundred and  
Sixty-ninth street, between First and Second avenues,  
in the Twentieth Ward, are requested to call at the  
office of the Commissioners of Public Parks, at Nos. 49  
and 51 Chambers street, within ten days from date, and  
examine the map showing the same, and make known  
their views in relation thereto.

By order of the Commissioners of Public Parks.

CHARLES DE F. BURNS,  
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
NOS. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, January 30, 1888.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COM-  
MISSIONERS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, in  
the City of New York, will, at their office, Nos. 49 and 51  
Chambers street, in the Emigrants' Savings Bank Building,  
in said city, on Thursday, February 23, 1888, at 11  
o'clock A. M., hear and consider all statements, objections,  
and evidence that may then and there be offered in refer-  
ence to the contemplated change in the classification  
of that portion of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth  
street, lying between Weeks street and the westerly  
boundary of Crotona Park, in the Twenty-fourth Ward  
of said city.

The proposed change consists in the designation of said  
street as of the first-class (now part second and part  
third-class), in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 72  
of the Laws of 1887.

The map showing the contemplated change is now  
on exhibition in said office.

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

### AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,  
ROOM 209, STEWART BUILDING, NO. 280 BROADWAY,  
NEW YORK, February 8, 1888.

NUMBER 1.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AND  
DELIVERING and laying 48-inch Cast-iron Pipes and  
their Appurtenances from One Hundred and Thirty-fifth  
street and Convent Avenue to the proposed Gate-house in  
the Central Park Reservoir, and doing all other work in  
connection therewith, necessary to complete Section 16  
of the New Croton Aqueduct, as called for in the  
approved forms of contract and specifications, on file in  
the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners, will be received  
at this office, until Wednesday, the 29th day of  
February, 1888, at 3 o'clock P. M., at which place and  
hour they will be publicly opened by the Aqueduct  
Commissioners, and the award of the contract for doing  
said work and furnishing said materials will be made by  
said Commissioners as soon thereafter as practicable.

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

By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners.

JAMES C. SPENCER,  
President.

JOHN C. SHEEHAN,  
Secretary.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,  
ROOM 209, STEWART BUILDING, NO. 280 BROADWAY,  
NEW YORK, February 8, 1888.

NUMBER 2.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AND  
DELIVERING Cast-iron Pipes and Special Pipe Cast-  
ings, to be used on Section 16 and Section 17 of the New  
Aqueduct, at such places in the City of New York as  
may be designated by the Aqueduct Commissioners, and  
as provided for in the approved form of contract and  
specifications now on file in the office of the Aqueduct  
Commissioners, will be received at this office, until Wednes-  
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By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners.

JAMES C. SPENCER,  
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Secretary.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,  
ROOM 209, STEWART BUILDING, NO. 280 BROADWAY,  
NEW YORK, February 8, 1888.

NUMBER 3.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR HANDLING AND  
HAULING and laying 48-inch Cast-iron Pipes and their  
Appurtenances from One Hundred and Thirty-fifth  
street and Convent Avenue to the proposed Gate-house in  
the Central Park Reservoir, and for doing all other work in  
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Blank forms of said approved contract, and the specifica-  
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By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners.

JAMES C. SPENCER,  
President.

JOHN C. SHEEHAN,  
Secretary.

SEALD PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE  
SCHOOL TRUSTEES FOR THE TWENTY-THIRD WARD, AT  
THE HALL OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION, NO. 149 GRAND STREET,  
ON THE 29th DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1888, AND UNTIL FOUR O'CLOCK  
P. M., ON THE SAME DAY, FOR THE EXEMPTION OF THE  
SCHOOL BUILDING, ON ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH AND ONE  
HUNDRED AND THIRTY-NINTH STREETS, 700 FEET EAST OF WILLIS  
AVENUE, EAST EDGEWOOD.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blanks for  
proposals and all necessary information may be obtained  
at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings,  
No. 149 Grand Street, corner of Elm Street.

The Trustees reserve the right to reject any or all of  
the proposals submitted.

The party submitting a proposal, and the parties pro-  
posing to become sureties, must each write his name and  
place of residence on said proposal.

Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of  
this city, are required in all cases.

No proposal will be accepted from persons whose  
character and antecedent disqualifies with the Board of  
Education render their responsibility doubtful.

WILLIAM R. BEAL,  
CHARLES B. LAWSON,  
FREDERICK FOLZ,  
WILLIAM HOGG,  
SAMUEL SAMUELS.

Board of School Trustees for the Twenty-third Ward.  
Dated, New York, February 7, 1888.

### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

SALE OF FERRY, EAST TENTH STREET  
AND GREENPOINT, L. I.

THE FRANCHISE OF THE FERRY FROM  
foot of East Tenth street to Greenpoint, L. I., will  
be sold to the highest bidder, at public auction, on the  
Comptroller's Office, on Wednesday the eleventh day of  
February, 1888, at 11 o'clock A. M., for the term of five  
years from February 1, 1888, the lease to contain the  
usual terms and conditions of ferry leases, a form of  
which can be seen at the office of the Comptroller.

The proposed change consists in the designation of said  
street as of the first-class (now part second and part  
third-class), in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 72  
of the Laws of 1887.

The map showing the contemplated change is now  
on exhibition in said office.

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

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third-class), in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 72  
of the Laws of 1887.

The map showing the contemplated change is now  
on exhibition in said office.

JOHN SEDGWICK, Chief Judge; THOMAS BOESE, Chief  
Clerk.

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





## JURORS.

NOTICE  
IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE  
COURTS.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,  
Room 127, Stewart Building,  
Chambers Street and Broadway,  
New York, June 1, 1887.

APPLICATIONS FOR EXEMPTIONS WILL BE  
A heard here, from 9 to 4 daily, from all persons  
hitherto liable or otherwise serving who have become  
exempted by law.

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

No attention paid to letters.

Persons "enrolled" as liable must serve when called  
or pay their fines. No mere excuse will be allowed or  
interference permitted. The fines if unpaid will be en-  
tered as judgments upon the property of the delinquents.

All good citizens will aid the course of justice, and  
serve when called, and will be relieved of their  
duty by serving promptly when summoned, allowing  
their clerks or subordinates to serve, reporting to me any  
attempt at bribery or evasion, and suggesting names for  
enrollment. Persons between sixty and seventy years of  
age, summer absences, persons temporarily ill, and  
United States jurors are not exempt.

Every man must attend to his own notice. It is a mis-  
demerit to give it to any other to answer. It is a  
double offense by any one to attempt to  
receive any present or bribe, directly or indirectly, in  
relation to a jury service, or to withhold any paper or  
make any false statement, and every case will be fully  
prosecuted.

CHARLES REILLY,  
Commissioner of Jurors.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
New York, February 8, 1888.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

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

NO. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH  
MACADAM PAVEMENT THE ROAD  
FROM ELEVENTH AVENUE, from  
One Hundred and Fifth street to the  
intersection thereof with Kingsbridge road,  
RESETTING OLD CURB-STONES AND  
FURNISHING AND SETTING NEW  
CURB-STONES WHERE NOT ALREADY  
DONE.

NO. 2. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING ONE  
HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FOURTH  
STREET, from Tenth avenue to Avenue A,  
AND SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAG-  
GING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

NO. 3. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING ONE  
HUNDRED AND THIRTIETH STREET,  
from Tenth avenue to Convent avenue, AND  
SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAG-  
GING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

NO. 4. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING ONE  
HUNDRED AND FIFTIETH STREET,  
from Tenth avenue to St. Nicholas avenue,  
AND SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAG-  
GING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

NO. 5. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING MAN-  
HATTAN AVENUE, from the intersection of  
Manhattan avenue with the avenue bounding  
Morningside avenue on the east, between One  
Hundred and Thirteenth and One Hundred  
and Fourteenth streets, to One Hundred and  
Sixteenth street, AND SETTING CURB-  
STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS  
THEREIN.

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

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

The consent last above mentioned must be accompanied  
by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the per-  
sons signing the same, that he is a householders or free-  
holders of the City of New York, and is in full possession  
of the security required for the completion of the con-  
tract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and  
over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise,  
and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith,  
with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied  
by the oath or affirmation on one of the State or  
National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the  
order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five  
per centum of the amount of the security required for  
the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or  
money must NOT be inclosed in the sealed envelope  
containing the estimate, but must be handed to the  
officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the  
Estates-to-be-let, and must be deposited in said  
box until such check or money has been examined by the  
officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such de-  
posits, 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 of the contract having 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 afore-  
said, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in  
which to inclose the same, the specifications and agree-  
ments, and any further information desired, can be  
obtained at Rooms 1 and 5, No. 31 Chambers street.

JOHN NEWTON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
New York, February 3, 1888.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A  
petition of the property-owners, with map and plan  
for changing the grade of "Edgecomb avenue, between  
One Hundred and Forty-third and One Hundred and  
Forty-fifth streets," is now pending before the Common  
Council.

All persons interested in the above change of grade,  
and having objections thereto, are requested to address  
the same in writing to the undersigned at his office on or  
before the 15th day of February, 1888.

The maps showing the present and proposed grades  
can be seen Room 7, No. 31 Chambers street.

D. LOWBER SMITH,  
Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
New York, January 17, 1888.

## NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 1888, AT 10:30 A.M., the Department of Public Works will sell  
at public auction, by Messrs. Van Tassel and Kearny,  
Auctioneers, at the Corporation Yards, One Hundred  
and Nineteenth street and St. Nicholas avenue, foot of  
East Sixteenth street and foot of East Twentieth street,  
the sale to commence at 10:30 A.M. at Corporation Yard,  
One Hundred and Nineteenth street and St. Nicholas  
avenue, foot of East Sixteenth street and foot of East  
Twentieth street.

Booths, Fruit-stands, Carts, Timber, Furniture, Iron  
Ware, Pipe, Timber and Sheet Iron, Telegraph-poles,  
Ice-boxes, Yellow Pine, Ash Cars, Wagons, Trucks,  
Vehicles, Bill-boards, Beans, Packing-boxes, Signs, Window-sills, Blocks of Marble, Watering Wagon, Barber-  
poles, News-stands, Awnings, Storm-doors, Coal-boxes,  
Barrels, Photographs and Easel, Trunks, Show-cases,  
Granite Stones, Wooden Posts, etc., etc.

## TERMS OF SALE.

Cash payments in bankable funds at the time and place  
of sale, and the immediate removal of the articles by the  
purchaser.

JOHN NEWTON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

UNDER CHAPTER 410, LAWS 1882, SECTIONS  
350, 351, 352 and 353, and as amended by chapter  
559, 1887, as follows:

The commissioner of public works shall, from time  
to time, establish scales of rents for the supplying of  
water, which rents shall be collected in the manner now  
provided by law, and which shall be apportioned to  
different classes of buildings in said city, in reference  
to their dimensions, value, occupancy, ordinary uses  
for dwellings, stores, shops, private stables, and other  
common purposes, number of families or occupants, or  
consumption of water, as near as may be practicable, and  
modify, alter, amend and increase such scale from time to  
time, and extend it to other descriptions of buildings and  
uses, as may be required.

All extra charges for water shall be  
deemed to be included in the regular rents, and shall  
become a charge and lien upon the property upon  
which they are respectively imposed, and, if paid, shall  
be returned as arrears to the clerk of the arrears.

Such regular rents, including the extra charges above  
mentioned, shall be collected from the owners or occu-  
pants of all such buildings respectively, which shall be  
apportioned among any street or avenue in said  
city in which the distributing pipe or main may be  
laid, and from which they can be supplied with water  
by the pipe or main.

All manufacturing and other business requiring a large  
supply of water will be fixed by a meter.

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

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

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

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

HORSE TROUGH.—For each trough, and for each half  
pail or tub on sidewalk or street, twenty dollars  
per annum; and a trough to be fitted with a proper  
half-cock to prevent waste.

HOTELS AND BOARDING HOUSES shall, in addition to the  
regular rate for private families, be charged for each  
lodging room, at the discretion of the Commissioner of  
Public Works.

PLUMBERS shall be charged from eight to twenty dollars  
per annum, in the discretion of the Commissioner of  
Public Works.

LIQUOR AND LAGER BEER SALOONS shall be charged an  
annual rate of ten dollars each. An additional  
charge of five dollars per annum shall be made for  
each tap or wash-box.

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

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

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

STEAM ENGINES, where not metered, shall be charged by  
the horse-power, as follows: For each horse-power  
up to and not exceeding one, the sum of ten dollars  
per annum; for each exceeding ten, and not over  
fifteen, the sum of seven dollars and fifty cents  
each and for each horse-power over fifteen, the sum  
of five dollars.

WATER-CLOSETS AND URINALS.—To each building on a lot  
one lot—water-closet having sewer connection is  
allowed with charge; each additional water-closet  
or urinal will be charged half the charge of the  
closets connected in any manner with sewer shall be  
charged two dollars for each seat per annum, whether  
in a building or on any other portion of the premises.  
Urinals shall be charged two dollars per annum each.

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

For any pan closet, or any of the forms of valve, plunger,  
or other water-closet not before mentioned, supplied  
with water as described, per year, ten dollars.

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

Cistern answering this description can be seen at  
the Department.

## METERS.

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

It is provided by section 352, Laws of 1882, that "all  
expenses of installation, removal, setting, water-  
rates, and other lawful charges for the supply of Croton  
water, shall be a lien upon the premises on which such water  
is supplied, as now provided by law."

All manufacturing and other business requiring a large  
supply of water will be fixed by a meter.

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

## Rate Without Meters.

For all forms of water-closets supplied from  
any of the forms of waste-preventing cisterns, that  
are approved by the Engineer of the Croton Aqueduct,  
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