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### LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Counsel to the Corporation for the week ending January 28, 1888:

*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.

The Mayor, etc., of the City of New York vs. The Harlem Bridge, Morrisania and Fordham Railway Company—1st. Is defendant bound to pave any portion of Boston avenue? 2d. How much, if any, of the space between the outside rails of the tracks of said company is the company bound to pave?  
Bank for Savings vs. Ferdinand Mayer, et al.  
The Seaman's Bank for Savings in the City of New York vs. Ferdinand Mayer, et al.—Why there should not be paid out of the surplus moneys arising out of the sales had in the above-entitled actions, arrears of Croton water rates and accrued interest, balance of \$841.06 for year 1882, and \$296.18 for year 1883.  
In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of Public Parks for and on behalf of the Mayor, etc., of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and other streets and avenues in the Twenty-third Ward.  
On Petition of the Equitable Life Insurance Society of the United States—For an award made to unknown owners in matter of opening Prospect avenue on damage Map No. 527, \$873.  
Martin B. Brown—Services performed and materials furnished in repairing and rebinding certain books in the Surrogate's Office, \$935.22.  
James W. Smith as sole surviving administrator, with the will annexed of the goods, chattels and credits of John Hagerty deceased—That assessment for Tenth avenue, regulating, grading, etc., be declared void on Ward Nos. 5, 6, 7, 59 and 60, Map Nos. 220, 221, 222, 223 and 224, Farm No. 1, and that plaintiff recover back, etc., \$358.04.  
The Mayor, etc., of the City of New York vs. The New York Mutual Gas-light Company—For possession of premises on the East river, at the foot of Eleventh and Twelfth streets, and for damages for wrongful detention since January 18, 1882, \$100,000.  
Charles Guidet—For excavation and removal of 279 cubic yards of rock from carriageway of Ninety-third street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues, made necessary in the paving thereof, \$1,395.  
William B. Townsend, as executor, and Mary S. Ripley, as executrix of Henry D. Townsend, deceased (No. 2.)—Summons with notice only served, \$8,656.97.  
William B. Townsend, as executor, and Mary S. Ripley, as executrix of Henry D. Townsend, deceased (No. 3.)—Summons with notice only served, \$5,598.20.  
William B. Townsend, as executor, and Mary S. Ripley, as executrix of Henry D. Townsend, deceased (No. 4.)—Summons with notice only served, \$3,006.  
In re petition of Thomas Monaghan—To vacate an assessment for One Hundred and Seventeenth street regulating, etc., from Fourth to Fifth avenue.

#### SUPERIOR COURT.

William Fernald and Isabella Huthsteiner—Damages by collision of steam-tug "Amos D. Carver" with "Municipal" April 21, 1887, at Pier 11, East river, \$262.

#### COMMON PLEAS.

Michael Brendel and William M. May vs. The Mayor, etc., of the City of New York, and Charles B. Trimble—Summons only served.

#### SCHEDULE "B."

JUDGMENTS ENTERED AND ORDERS OF THE GENERAL AND SPECIAL TERMS.

People ex rel. New York Electric Lines Company vs. Rollin M. Squire, Commissioner, etc.—Order entered on remittitur.  
In matter Vilalus Schlegel, an alleged lunatic—Order entered dismissing writ by consent.  
In re Frederick Dassori, Worth street regulating, etc.—Order entered reducing assessment pursuant to compromise between Finance and Law Departments.  
In re Patrick Dempsey, sewers in Broadway—Order entered reducing assessment pursuant to decision in re Merriam.  
In re Knickerbocker Life Insurance Company, Madison avenue regulating, etc.—Order entered reducing assessment pursuant to compromise between Finance and Law Departments.  
In re William Lintz, Madison avenue regulating, etc.—Order entered reducing assessment pursuant to compromise between Finance and Law Departments.  
Caspar Hake—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$461.96 after trial before Truax, J., and jury.  
People ex rel. Patrick Masterson vs. Stephen B. French and others, Commissioners, etc.—General Term order entered reversing proceedings of Commissioners and directing reinstatement of relator as of November 29, 1887.  
People ex rel. Matthew Tuck vs. Stephen B. French and others, Commissioners, etc.—Order entered on remittitur.  
In re J. Harsen Rhodes, executor, etc., Ninth avenue pavement—Order entered reducing assessment pursuant to compromise between Finance and Law Departments.  
William Watson, et al, trustee, etc., vs. Metropolitan Elevated Railway Co. and the Mayor, etc.—Order entered discontinuing action by consent.  
American Manufacturing and Supply Co. (limited) vs. The Mayor, etc., Anna M. Guilfoyle and others—Order entered discontinuing action by consent.  
William Kelly—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$4,021.04, after trial before Barrett, J., and jury.  
The Mayor, etc., vs. John A. Nesbitt and another—Order entered discontinuing action without costs upon City's motion.  
In re Charles P. Burdett, Manhattan street sewer—Order entered dismissing petition without costs upon motion made before Andrews, J.  
In re Peter Schreyer, Manhattan street sewer—Order entered dismissing petition without costs upon motion made before Andrews, J.  
In re E. Ellery Anderson, Fourth avenue regulating, etc.—General Term order entered affirming order appealed from, with \$10 costs and disbursements.  
Mayor, etc., vs. John McLaughlin—Order entered discontinuing action without costs by consent.

In re Margaret C. Smyth, and another, Manhattan street sewer—Order entered dismissing petition upon motion made before Andrews, J.  
In re John C. Ely, Manhattan street sewer—Order entered dismissing petition upon motion made before Andrews, J.  
In re Herman Fox, Manhattan street sewer—Order entered dismissing petition upon motion made before Andrews, J.  
In re Mary N. Townsend, Manhattan street sewer—Order entered dismissing petition upon motion made before Andrews, J.  
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In re Robert E. Stilwell, Manhattan street sewer—Order entered dismissing petition upon motion made before Andrews, J.  
In re Esther Moses, et al., Manhattan street sewer—Order entered dismissing petition upon motion made before Andrews, J.  
In re Adon Smith, Jr., and another, Manhattan street sewer—Order entered dismissing petition upon motion made before Andrews, J.  
In re Lemuel B. Clark, Manhattan street sewer—Order entered dismissing petition upon motion made before Andrews, J.  
In re Ella E. Wynkoop, Manhattan street sewer—Order entered dismissing petition upon motion made before Andrews, J.  
In re William Openhym, Manhattan street sewer—Order entered dismissing petition upon motion made before Andrews, J.  
In re Luther Kountze and another, Manhattan street sewer—Order entered dismissing petition upon motion made before Andrews, J.  
In re Sarah Brass, executrix, etc., Manhattan street sewer—Order entered dismissing petition upon motion made before Andrews, J.  
In re Samuel Scott, Manhattan street sewer—Order entered dismissing petition upon motion made before Andrews, J.  
In re Johnston Livingston, Manhattan street sewer—Order entered dismissing petition upon motion made before Andrews, J.  
In re Louis Stix, Manhattan street sewer—Order entered dismissing petition upon motion made before Andrews, J.  
In re Thomas J. McCohill, Manhattan street sewer—Order entered dismissing petition upon motion made before Andrews, J.  
In re Emanuel Knight, Manhattan street sewer—Order entered dismissing petition upon motion made before Andrews, J.  
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In re George W. Douglas, No. 2, Manhattan street sewer—Order entered dismissing petition upon motion made before Andrews, J.  
In re Patrick McKenna, No. 2, Manhattan street sewer—Order entered dismissing petition upon motion made before Andrews, J.  
In re Robert Chapman, No. 2, Manhattan street sewer—Order entered dismissing petition upon motion made before Andrews, J.  
In re Hugh McCormick, No. 2, Manhattan street sewer—Order entered dismissing petition upon motion made before Andrews, J.  
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#### SCHEDULE "C."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED OR ARGUED.

In re Charles P. Burdett, Manhattan street sewer—Motion to dismiss petition made before Andrews, J., granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.  
In re Peter Schreyer, Manhattan street sewer—Motion to dismiss petition made before Andrews, J., granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.  
James R. Jessup—Tried before Barrett, J., and jury: verdict directed for plaintiff for \$245.57, five per cent. extra allowance; W. Carmalt for the City.  
In re Margaret C. Smyth and another, Manhattan street sewer—Motion made before Andrews, J., to dismiss petition granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.  
In re John C. Ely, Manhattan street sewer—Motion made before Andrews, J., to dismiss petition granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.  
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In re Sarah M. Sandford, Manhattan street sewer—Motion made before Andrews, J., to dismiss petition granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.  
In re Sarah M. Sandford, Manhattan street sewer—Motion made before Andrews, J., to dismiss petition granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.  
William A. Cuming—Reference proceeded before Allison, referee, and adjourned to January 30, at 2.30 P. M.; J. J. Townsend, Jr., for City.

HENRY R. BEEKMAN,  
Counsel to the Corporation.

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of the transactions of the Bureau of the City Chamberlain for the week ending January 14, 1888.

OFFICE OF THE CITY CHAMBERLAIN,  
NEW YORK, January 20, 1888.

Hon. ABRAM S. HEWITT, Mayor:

SIR—In pursuance of section 165 of the Consolidation Act of 1882, I have the honor to present herewith a report to January 14, 1888, of all moneys received by me and the amount of all warrants paid by me since January 7, 1888, and the amount remaining to the credit of the City on January 14, 1888.

Very respectfully,  
WM. M. IVINS, Chamberlain.

DR. THE MAYOR, ALDERMEN AND COMMONALTY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with WM. M. IVINS, Chamberlain, during the week ending January 14, 1888. CR.

1888	1888	1888	1888
Jan. 14	Jan. 14	Jan. 14	Jan. 14
To Additional Water Fund.....	\$12,500 10	By Balance.....	\$6,364,796 79
Croton Water Rent—Refunding Account.....	501 75	Arrears of Taxes.....	Cady..... \$35,548 39
Dock Fund.....	7,879 52	Interest on Taxes.....	"..... 5,427 74
Excise Licenses.....	948 39	Fund for Street and Park Openings.....	"..... 335 21
For Construction of Bridge over Harlem River.....	418 24	Street Improvement Fund—June 15, 1886.....	"..... 17,282 75
Fund for Local Improvements.....	219 11	Harlem River Improvement Fund.....	"..... 1,224 82
Fund for Street and Park Openings.....	243 03	Interest on Assessments.....	"..... 1,573 86
Local Improvement Fund.....	590 31	Charges on Arrears of Taxes.....	"..... 24 60
Morningside Park, Improvement of.....	87 08	Lands Purchased for Taxes and Assessments—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	"..... 226 85
Revenue Bonds, 1887.....	7,600 00	Interest on Lands Purchased for Taxes and Assessments—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	"..... 230 95
Restoring and Repaving—Department of Public Works.....	227 62	Water Meter Fund No. 2.....	"..... 52 30
Restoring and Repaving—Department of Public Parks.....	32 80	Taxes.....	McLean..... 119,157 89
Refunding Taxes Paid in Error.....	2,709 84	Interest on Taxes.....	"..... 5,206 42
School-house Fund.....	2,719 83	Licenses.....	Byrnes..... 3,600 50
Street Improvement Fund—Riverside avenue.....	108 60	Dog License Fund.....	"..... 18 60
Street Improvement Fund—June 15, 1886.....	38,069 78	Tapping Pipes.....	Chambers..... 37 50
Theatre Licenses.....	1,550 00	Water Meter Fund No. 2.....	"..... 37 37
Unclaimed Salaries and Wages.....	4 84	Restoring and Repaving—Department of Public Works.....	Department of Public Works..... 456 00
Water Meter Fund, No. 2.....	1,651 10	Restoring and Repaving—Department of Public Parks.....	Department of Public Parks..... 180 00
Advertising.....	\$593 80	Dock Fund.....	Matthews..... 861 08
Allowance to General Society of Mechanics and Tradesmen—Apprentices' Library.....	833 34	Register's Fees.....	Slevin..... 11,441 87
Allowance to New York Free Circulating Library.....	1,066 08	Concert Licenses.....	Mayor..... 150 00
Armories and Drill Rooms—Wages.....	1,208 00	Unclaimed Salaries and Wages.....	Timmerman..... 1 90
Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening.....	6,568 04	General Fund.....	Matthews..... 202 95
Burial of Honorably Discharged Soldiers, Sailors and Mannes.....	350 00	".....	Britton..... 115 60
Bronx River Bridges—Repairs and Maintenance.....	5 75	".....	Newton..... 514 62
City Contingencies.....	100 60	".....	Coleman..... 538 60
Civil Service of the City of New York.....	84 00	".....	Robb..... 403 86
Claim of Lawrence Collins.....	4,000 00	2 per cent. Revenue Bond, 1888.....	E. S. Kennedy..... 7,600 00
Claim of M. P. Breen.....	4,537 50	New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children.....	Wood..... 295 00
Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning.....	46,082 25	American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.....	"..... 82 60
College of the City of New York.....	520 58	Medical Society of the County of N. Y.....	"..... 100 00
Coroners—Salaries and Expenses.....	757 00		
Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, Expenses of.....	250 00		
Contingencies—Comptroller's Office.....	21 00		
Contingencies—Comptroller's Office.....	117 31		
Contingencies—District Attorney's Office.....	12 00		
Contingencies—District Attorney's Office.....	2,607 45		
Contingencies—Department of Taxes and Assessments.....	1887. 30 00		
Contingencies—Law Department.....	2,653 42		
Election Expenses.....	103 20		
Expenses Engraving Resolutions.....	20 00		
Fire Department Fund—Apparatus.....	1886. 10 49		
Fire Department Fund—Apparatus.....	1887. 948 35		
Fire Department Fund—Rebuilding.....	" 551 25		
Fire Department Fund—Salaries.....	" 2,469 99		
Free Floating Baths.....	" 152 42		
Health Fund—Disinfection.....	" 8 80		
Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvements and Maintenance.....	" 131 55		
Hospital Fund—North Brother Island.....	" 345 50		
Hospital for the Care of Contagious Diseases.....	" 293 01		
Interest on the City Debt—Before January, 1887.....	45,247 50		
Interest on the City Debt—Before January, 1888.....	1888. 210 00		
Interest on Revenue Bonds.....	1887. 140 34		
Judgments.....	1886. 53,433 34		
Jurors' Fees.....	1887. 1,050 75		
Jurors' Fees.....	1888. 2,749 25		
Laying Croton Pipes.....	1885. 274 60		
Laying Croton Pipes.....	1887. 4,044 66		
Lamps and Gas and Electric Lighting.....	" 8,888 53		
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places—Labor.....	" 273 75		
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places—Police.....	" 191 43		
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places—Zoological Department.....	" 108 68		
Maintenance—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	" 1,204 95		
Metropolitan Museum of Art.....	1886. 393 30		
New York Infirmary for Women and Children.....	1887. 325 00		
Prosecuting Delinquents, etc.....	" 8 50		
Printing, Stationery and Blank Books.....	1888. 831 13		
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs.....	1887. 3,057 41		
Public Charities and Correction—New Buildings.....	1883. 128 50		
Public Charities and Correction—New Buildings.....	1885. 5,782 50		
Public Charities and Correction—Alterations, Additions and Repairs.....	1886. 22 45		
Public Charities and Correction—Supplies.....	" 19 50		
Public Charities and Correction—Alterations, Additions and Repairs.....	1887. 823 22		
Public Charities and Correction—Blind.....	" 85 00		
Public Charities and Correction—Supplies.....	" 12,616 81		
Public Charities and Correction—Paupers.....	" 10 85		
Public Instruction—Buildings Contingent Fund.....	1886. 25 00		
Public Instruction—Salaries of Teachers.....	1885. 70 63		
Public Instruction—Buildings Contingent Fund.....	1887. 1,502 86		
Public Instruction—Evening Schools.....	" 1,777 61		
Public Instruction—Gas.....	" 27 68		
Public Instruction—Heating Apparatus.....	" 455 98		
Public Instruction—Incidental Expenses Board of Education.....	" 276 94		
Public Instruction—Incidental Expenses Evening Schools.....	" 79 29		
Public Instruction—Incidental Expenses Normal College.....	" 63 50		
Public Instruction—Incidental Expenses Ward Schools.....	" 1,657 22		
Public Instruction—Nautical School.....	" 95 98		
Public Instruction—Supplies.....	" 2,685 95		
Public Instruction—Salaries of Professors.....	" 8,110 66		
Public Instruction—Salaries Evening Schools.....	" 13,218 54		
Public Instruction—Salaries of Janitors.....	" 9,498 00		
Public Instruction—Salaries of Teachers.....	" 235,453 75		
Rents.....	" 2,175 00		
Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues.....	1888. 2,000 00		
Repairs and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	1887. 45 50		
Repairs and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	1886. 9 60		
Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading.....	1887. 6,932 27		
Sewers and Drains—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	" 576 50		
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning.....	" 300 33		
Surveying, Laying Out, etc., Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	" 742 85		
Surveys, Maps and Plans.....	" 623 07		
Surveys, Maps and Plans.....	1886. 1 60		
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....	1887. 2,432 05		
Salaries—Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments.....	" 116 10		
Salaries—Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.....	" 83 33		
Salaries—Inspectors and Sealers of Weights and Measures.....	" 83 33		
Salaries—Judiciary.....	1888. 125 00		
Salaries—Law Department.....	1887. 850 00		
To Defray Expenses of Proceedings in Street Openings.....	" 1,000 00		
Water Supply—Twenty-fourth Ward.....	" 416 56		
Balance.....	441 20		
	514,834 56		
	5,981,844 62		
	\$6,574,767 42		\$6,574,767 42



THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUNDS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with WM. M. IVINS, Chamberlain, for and during the week ending January 14, 1888.

			SINKING FUND FOR THE REDEMPTION OF THE CITY DEBT.		SINKING FUND FOR THE PAYMENT OF INTEREST ON THE CITY DEBT.	
			Dr.	Cr.	Dr.	Cr.
1888.						
Jan. 7	By Balance, as per last account current.....					
14	Street Improvement Fund.....			\$899,710 91		\$204,706 23
	Licenses.....		\$997 58			
	Market Rent and Fees.....		543 00			
	Dock and Ship Rent.....		5,039 83			
	Interest on Deposits.....		4,849 45			
			414 35			
			79 71			
	Croton Water Rent and Penalties.....			11,323 92		
	Croton Water Arrears and Interest.....			\$16,077 92		
	Croton Water Arrears.....			1,452 40		
	Fines.....			2,573 85		
	Court Fees and Fines.....			31 00		
	Court Fees.....			95 85		
	House Rent.....			1,138 00		
				4,729 50		
				863 32		
	To Sinking Fund Redemption.....					26,981 90
	Balance.....			\$3,800 00		
				847,834 83		231,688 13
				\$851,634 83	\$851,634 83	\$231,688 13
Jan. 14, 1888.	By Balances.....			\$847,834 83		\$231,688 13
	E. & O. E.					
	NEW YORK, January 14, 1888.					
					WM. M. IVINS, Chamberlain.	

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 3d day of February, 1888.  
Present—Commissioners French, Porter, McClave, and Voorhis.

## Leaves of Absence Granted.

Patrolman Thomas E. Coughlin, Second Precinct, three days, half pay.  
Matthew F. Dailey, Twelfth Precinct, three days, half pay.  
Frank J. Straub, Fifteenth Precinct, one and one-half days, half pay.

Sundry reports ordered on file and copies to be forwarded to the Mayor.  
Report of the Superintendent, submitting the names and weight of mounted officers, was referred to the President.  
Application of Roundsman Thomas McCormick, Twenty-third Precinct, for Civil Service examination, was referred to the Superintendent for report.  
Application of Patrolman John Sheridan, Tenth Precinct, for promotion, was referred to the Board of Examiners for citation.  
Application of Patrolman Ira M. Clapp, Thirty-fifth Precinct, for retirement, was referred to the Board of Surgeons for report.  
Application of Arthur McMullen, Clerk Board of Education, for detail of Patrolman Charles D. Allaire, Twenty-ninth Precinct, as Truant officer, was referred to Commissioners Voorhis and McClave.

## Mask Ball Permits Granted.

John J. Diehl, at Metropolitan Opera House, February 21, 1888. Fee, \$100.  
L. Symes, at Dixon's Assembly Rooms, February 6, 1888. Fee, \$10.  
H. Volbracht, at Terrace Garden, February 18, 1888. Fee, \$25.  
Samuel Weill, at Sulzer's Casino, February 6, 1888. Fee, \$25.  
A. H. Wilber, at Tammany Hall, February 9, 1888. Fee, \$25.  
William Bergman, at Turn Hall, February 13, 1888. Fee, \$25.  
James Van Bramer, at Walhalla Hall, February 11, 1888. Fee, \$25.  
Frederick Powers, at Everett Hall, February 7, 1888. Fee, \$25.  
Lizzie Hargrove, at Everett Hall, February 9, 1888. Fee, \$25.  
Julius Kaiser, at Everett Hall, February 20, 1888. Fee, \$25.  
John Bender, at Concordia Hall, February 6, 1888. Fee, \$25.  
John Bender, at Concordia Hall, February 11, 1888. Fee, \$25.

## Communications Referred to the Superintendent for Action.

From the Mayor—Complaints, etc.  
From Board of Excise—Licenses issued and transferred, 16 cases; license revoked, 1 case; licenses rejected, 2 cases; as to violation Excise law at saloon of Frank Aboulanz, No. 94 Park street; asks information as to violation Excise law at saloons of Giuseppe Ingenito, No. 208 East Sixth street; Bernard Gensberg, No. 207 Bowery; George Cappell, No. 356 Bowery; Phillip Opp, No. 311 Bowery; John Waksly, No. 519 Sixth avenue.  
Hartford Silver Plate Company—Asking information in regard to Thomas P. Jones, Nos. 4 and 6 Warren street.  
Mrs. Brausch—Complaining of annoyance caused by gutter of the Elevated road.

## Transfers, etc.

Roundsman Orville A. Todd, from Thirtieth Precinct to Twenty-ninth Precinct.  
Jeremiah Sweeny, from Twenty-ninth Precinct to Thirtieth Precinct.  
James L. Langan, from Eighteenth Precinct to Seventh Precinct.  
Schuyler F. West, from Fourteenth Precinct to Seventh Precinct.  
George H. Winner, from Thirty-fifth Precinct to Thirty-second Precinct.  
Patrolman James J. Murray, from Eleventh Precinct to Twenty-fifth Precinct.  
James Morgan, from Fifteenth Precinct to Second Precinct.  
John P. Powers, from Fourth Precinct to Twenty-third Precinct.  
William L. Green, from Twenty-seventh Precinct to Sixth Precinct.  
James P. Mullane, from Twenty-first Precinct to Eleventh Precinct, detail Precinct Detective.  
George Connor, from Third Precinct to Eleventh Precinct, detail Precinct Detective.  
Richard Sullivan, from Eleventh Precinct to Twenty-first Precinct, remand to patrol.

Resolved, That Arthur Byrnes be granted a re-examination by the Surgeons.  
Resolved, That the Committee of Surgeons be directed to examine the following applicants for appointment as Patrolmen:

John J. Murtha, Augustus Ferrett,  
Thomas H. Eagan, John Buckley,  
Patrick Connor, Edward Slott,  
Morris Nash,

## Appointed Patrolmen.

Thomas K. Hastings, Twelfth Precinct.  
Louis Bohn, Eighteenth Precinct.  
George B. McC. Tully, Ninth Precinct.

Resolved, That the reports submitted by the Superintendent of the non-removal of ashes, etc., be forwarded to the Mayor.

Resolved, That the Superintendent be directed to report the names of not less than fifty members of the force, weighing not more than one hundred and sixty pounds each, who are familiar with the treatment of horses, and competent to perform mounted duty.

Resolved, That permission be granted to the Bank of Harlem to make connection by telegraph with the Thirtieth Precinct Station-house; such connection to be made under direction of the Superintendent of Telegraph and without expense to this Department.

Resolved, That the bill of Joseph H. Godwin, \$425, for rent of Thirty-fifth Precinct Station-house, etc., be referred to the Comptroller for payment.

Resolved, That the Captain of the Fifteenth Precinct be directed to discontinue the detail of an officer at Eighth street and Fifth avenue.

Resolved, That returns in the cases of James W. Steed, John F. Loughlin and George Walsh against the Board of Police be verified by the signatures of the President and Chief Clerk and forwarded to the Counsel to the Corporation.

On reading and filing opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation, it was  
Resolved, That the resolution of the Board of Police of November 8, 1887, removing George W. Bromhead from the office of Poll Clerk in the Twenty-seventh Election, Fourth Assembly District, be and is hereby rescinded.

## Judgments—Fines Imposed.

Patrolman Peter McDonald, Eighth Precinct, absent roll-call, two days' pay.  
John Condon, Tenth Precinct, improper patrol, two days' pay.  
Albert E. Westlotom, Sixteenth Precinct, improper patrol, two days' pay.  
Frank Rodgers, Nineteenth Precinct, off post, one day's pay.  
Andrew Sullivan, Twenty-first Precinct, improper patrol, two days' pay.  
James Duncan, Twenty-first Precinct, absent roll-call, one day's pay.  
William J. Miller, Twenty-first Precinct, absent roll-call, one day's pay.  
William Carroll, Twenty-first Precinct, off post, one day's pay.  
John J. Sweeny, Twenty-first Precinct, off post, etc., ten days' pay.  
Dennis Cronin, Twenty-third Precinct, off post, two days' pay.  
John E. Leonard, Twenty-seventh Precinct, improper patrol, two days' pay.  
Guido A. Mengoni, Thirty-second Precinct, absent roll-call, one day's pay.  
Patrick McCormick, Fifth Precinct, improper patrol, one day's pay.  
Edward F. Clarkson, Sixth Precinct, off post, one day's pay.  
James A. Hart, Eighth Precinct, improper patrol, two days' pay.  
Frederick Rohr, Eighth Precinct, improper patrol, two days' pay.  
James Mahony, Ninth Precinct, improper patrol, three days' pay.  
James Mahony, Ninth Precinct, off post, etc., one day's pay.  
Michael J. White, Tenth Precinct, off post, etc., three days' pay.  
Max Sparenberg, Eleventh Precinct, improper patrol, one day's pay.  
Max Sparenberg, Eleventh Precinct, improper relief, one day's pay.  
Max Sparenberg, Eleventh Precinct, absent roll-call, one day's pay.  
James Shevlin, Eleventh Precinct, standing, etc., one day's pay.  
James Shevlin, Eleventh Precinct, improper patrol, one day's pay.  
John McCarthy, Sixteenth Precinct, off post, etc., two days' pay.  
Henry E. Cullen, Twenty-first Precinct, off post, etc., one day's pay.  
William Cringle, Eighth Precinct, off post, etc., two days' pay.  
James Grier, Eighth Precinct, improper patrol, three days' pay.  
Rennie Sheridan, Eleventh Precinct, improper patrol, one day's pay.  
Robert H. Neoley, Eighteenth Precinct, off post, two days' pay.  
James Everett, Twenty-sixth Precinct, off post, two days' pay.  
Patrick H. Lynch, Thirtieth Precinct, absent roll-call, one day's pay.

## Reprimands.

Patrolman James Ivory, First Precinct, off post.  
Jesse R. Clark, Second Precinct, off post.  
Thomas Gilmartin, Eighth Precinct, standing, etc.  
Michael McCallion, Eighth Precinct, standing, etc.  
George Beller, Tenth Precinct, off post.  
Roundsman Patrick Cahill, Tenth Precinct, in Station-house, improperly.  
Patrolman Rudolph Grancher, Eleventh Precinct, standing, etc.  
William H. Rodgers, Eleventh Precinct, standing, etc.  
William H. Rodgers, Eleventh Precinct, standing, etc.  
James H. Burns, Thirteenth Precinct, failed to report street-lamp.  
Frederick Gilmann, Thirteenth Precinct, failed to report street-lamp.  
Louis Lorch, Eighteenth Precinct, improper patrol.  
Patrick Kelly, Nineteenth Precinct, off post.  
William Kelly, Nineteenth Precinct, absent without leave.  
Maurice J. Stack, Nineteenth Precinct, absent from drill.  
John J. Sheil, Twentieth Precinct, absent from drill.  
August Schneider, Twenty-second Precinct, failed to report accident.  
James Fahey, Twenty-third Precinct, failed to report finding property.  
Henry Purnhagen, Twenty-fifth Precinct, standing, etc.  
Walter F. Bray, Twenty-fifth Precinct, standing, etc.  
John M. Purcell, Twenty-fifth Precinct, standing, etc.  
Simon P. McDonnell, Twenty-sixth Precinct, riding on car.  
Thomas F. Gilligan, Twenty-seventh Precinct, off post.  
Cornelius V. Nichols, Twenty-ninth Precinct, standing, etc.  
Edward Connors, Twenty-ninth Precinct, standing, etc.  
John Healy, Thirty-second Precinct, lost fire key.  
Thomas O'Rourke, Thirty-third Precinct, off post.  
William J. Lockwood, Thirty-third Precinct, absent roll-call.  
Thomas McQuade, Thirty-third Precinct, standing, etc.  
Oscar Reinhardt, Thirty-third Precinct, standing, etc.

## Complaints Dismissed.

Patrolman William Mulholland, Fifth Precinct, improper patrol.  
Joseph P. M. Harty, Ninth Precinct, improper patrol.  
John J. Hall, Fourteenth Precinct, improper relief.  
Michael Dowd, Sixteenth Precinct, entered private apartments, etc.  
Herman Wuerz, Nineteenth Precinct, improper patrol.  
Thomas J. Carier, Nineteenth Precinct, improper patrol.  
James Kivlen, Twenty-seventh Precinct, improper patrol.  
Thomas C. Tate, Thirtieth Precinct, absent from street crossing.  
Thomas Martin, Thirty-third Precinct, improper relief.  
Joseph Miller, Thirty-third Precinct, improper relief.  
Frederick D. Robbins, Thirty-third Precinct, in saloon in uniform.

Adjourned.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

At a meeting of the Board of Docks, held February 2, 1888.

Present—Commissioners Stark, Matthews and Marshall.

The minutes of the meeting held January 27, 1888, were read and approved.

The following communications were received, read, and,

On motion, laid on the table to await action, as stated, to wit:

From Simon Stevens, attorney—Stating that he will advise his clients to tender to the Department \$400 in full settlement for dredging half of the slip next to the westerly side of Pier 14, East river, and desiring to be informed if such a settlement will be accepted. The action of the President, in requesting the opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation as to the power and authority of the Department to settle claim for the amount stated, was approved.

From Anchor Line, Henderson Brothers, agents—In relation to berth for the steamship "City of Rome."

From Engineer-in-Chief:

1st. Report on Secretary's Order No. 7449, respecting the application of the New York Steam Company for lease of land under water, between Forty-ninth and Fifty-first streets, East river. Referred to Commissioner Marshall.

2d. Report on Secretary's Order No. 7447, respecting the eligible list submitted by the Civil Service Board as Inspectors of Pier Building. Referred to Executive Session.

The following communications were received, read, and,

On motion, ordered to be placed on file, action being taken where necessary, as stated, to wit:

From Counsel to the Corporation:

1st. In reference to the agreement with Wright Duryea and others for the purchase of bulkhead and wharf property near the foot of Jackson street, East river.

2d. Opinion in reference to the claim against the private owners of Piers 12, 13 and 14, East river, for the expense of necessary dredging in the slips adjacent to said piers. The Secretary directed to have the same recorded in the Book of Opinions.

From Civil Service Supervisory and Examining Boards:

1st. Stating that Francis E. Moon had passed the necessary examination, and is eligible for promotion.

2d. Transmitting eligible list of Inspectors of Pier Building. The action of the President, in directing the Engineer-in-Chief to examine and report as to the qualifications of the persons recommended for said position, was approved.

From Department of Street Cleaning:

1st. Respecting the dumping of ashes and garbage mixed with snow on the surface of Pier 19, East river.

2d. Requesting the assignment of the southerly half of the outer end of the Pier at West Thirty-seventh street, North river. Referred to the Engineer-in-Chief to examine and report.

From Hon. Abram S. Hewitt, Mayor—Enclosing communication from H. P. Ashley as to the rent paid by certain steamship companies. The action of the President, in directing the Secretary to send Mr. Ashley a copy of the Annual Report, was approved.

From Comptroller of the City—Approving sureties of Richard Cronin to his contract for building Pier foot of West Thirty-eighth street, North river.

From Hiram Duryea and others—Respecting the sale of wharf property at Jackson street, East River. The action of Commissioner Marshall in replying thereto was approved.

From Alonzo Flemming—Requesting permit to locate office on Pier foot of Twenty-eighth street, East river. Permit granted, to be and remain during the will of the Board.

From John A. Bouker—Desiring to be informed when the dumping-board foot of West Forty-sixth street, North river, will be ready for occupancy. The Secretary directed to notify the Dock Master to place Bouker in immediate possession of said dump.

From F. W. J. Hurst, Manager National Line of Steamships—Respecting the damage to Pier, new 37, North river, by the steamship "Queen."

From National Transit Company—Stating that they will erect signs, as requested, on Pier foot of West Seventy-ninth street, North river.

From White Star Line—Stating that the necessary repairs will be made to Pier, new 44, North river, as soon as the weather will permit.

From Erskine W. Fisher—Requesting the Department to test a barrel of Portland cement, and enclosing \$10 to pay the cost of the same. The action of the President, in directing the Engineer-in-Chief to test said cement and report the result, was approved.

From Jacob Dahlman and Francis Connolly, respectively—Requesting berths at Pier foot of West Forty-sixth street, North river, with the privilege of loading manure. Permits granted, to continue during the will of the Board, and to be located thereat by the Dock Master of the District.

From Clark & Wilkins—Stating that they are unable to procure a berth at Pier foot of West Eleventh street, North river. Referred to the Dock Master, to examine and report.

From Homer Ramsdell Transportation Company—Requesting permission to build two spurs on the south side of Pier, new 24, North river. Referred to the Engineer-in-Chief to examine and report.

The President reported that he had directed the Engineer-in-Chief to examine and report upon the following applications:

From L. and J. Brand—For permission to run a drain-pipe into the East river, at the foot of Eighty-third street.

From New York Steam Company—For lease of land under water between Forty-ninth and Fifty-first streets, East river.

From G. H. & E. C. Swift—Requesting dredging between Thirty-eighth and Thirty-ninth streets, North river.

From Maine Steamship Company—Requesting permission to erect a small fence on the front of platform on the side of Pier 38, East river.

From Manhattan Railway Company—Transmitting for approval plans of proposed improvements at the head of Eighth avenue, at One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, Harlem river.

On motion, his action was approved.

From J. B. Erwin, Dock Master:

1st. Reporting that piles have been displaced foot of West Fifty-fourth street, North river. The action of the President in directing the Engineer-in-Chief to examine and report was approved.

2d. Reporting that the canal boat sunk at Pier, foot of West Fifty-fifth street, North river, has not been removed. The action of the President in directing the Delaware and Hudson Canal Company to remove the same, and directing Engineer-in-Chief to superintend the removal, was approved.

From P. J. Brady, Dock Master—Reporting the dumping of snow on the deck of pier, foot of West Thirty-fourth street, North river, by the Department of Street Cleaning. The action of the President in sending copy of report to the Department of Street Cleaning was approved.

From Engineer-in-Chief:

1st. Reporting assignment of employees to special duty.

2d. Reporting the amount of work done during the week ending January 28, 1888.

3d. Transmitting resignation of Edward Roach, Dock Builder.

On motion, the resignation was accepted.

4th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 7428, in reference to the application of F. T. Volk, for permission to locate a boat-house north of Pier foot of One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, North river.

On motion, permit was granted the said boat-house to be and remain during the will of the Board.

5th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6668, that he had repaired bearing piles under Pier, new 39, North river.

6th. Report on Secretary's Orders Nos. 6717 and 6718, that he had superintended and directed repairing Piers, old 20 and 21, North river.

7th. Report on Secretary's Orders Nos. 6773, 6774 and 7386, that he had superintended repairing east and west half of Pier 3, East river.

8th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 7200, that he had repaired Coal Dock, Blackwell's Island, East river.

9th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 7064 that he had placed new cleats south side of Pier, new 46, North river.

10th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 7431, that he had taken possession of material comprising portion of fence at Pier 44, East river.

11th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 7432, that he had repaired deck of Pier at Fifty-first street, North river.

12th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 7372, that he had repaired Pier 7, East River.

A communication was received from the Counsel to the Corporation, stating that actions had been commenced and are now pending for the recovery of city property in possession of the following parties:

Against George W. Quintant and George E. Weed, assignees of John Roach, for the Pier at the foot of Ninth street and for a part of Mangin street adjacent thereto, October 21, 1887.

Against George Law, Jr., and others, trustees under the will of George Law, deceased, for the south one-half of the Pier at the foot of Eleventh street, November 18, 1887.

Against the Metropolitan Ferry Company, for the southerly one-half of the Pier at the foot of Eighth street, and for the northerly one-half of the Pier at the foot of Seventh street, November 22, 1887.

Against Emeline Roach, for the northerly one-half of the Pier at the foot of Eighth street, November 26, 1887.

Against John Crosby Brown and others, and John Rheinfank, and others, for premises included within the lines of Thirteenth street, east of Avenue D, December 15, 1887.

Against William H. Webb and others, for the Pier at the foot of Sixth street, and the south half of the Pier at the foot of Seventh street, January 9, 1888.

Against the Mutual Gas-light Company for the northerly one-half of the Pier at the foot of Eleventh street, and premises encroaching on the street, for the whole of Twelfth street east of Avenue D, and for Tompkins street, between Eleventh and Twelfth streets, January 26, 1888.

Commissioner Matthews, to whom was referred the application of the Homer Ramsdell Transportation Company for a deduction in rent of Pier, old 35, North river, reported that he had made a

deduction of \$2,550 in consequence of their being deprived of the use of said Pier by the City during the construction of Pier, new 24, North river.

On motion, his action was approved.

Upon reading and filing the application of Brown & Fleming, dated January 31, 1888, for a reduction in the rent for use of the dumping-board and approach at Eightieth street, East river, and the Board having duly considered the same, it was

Resolved, That the compensation for the use of the dumping-board and approach at the foot of East Eightieth street, East river, be and hereby is fixed at the rate of \$17.50 per week, to take effect from and after February 4, 1888, and to continue during the will of the Board.

The report of the Engineer-in-Chief on Secretary's Order No. 7436, respecting the application of John Everson to extend the run to dumping-board on north side of Pier at West Forty-seventh street, North river, was

On motion, ordered to be placed on file and the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That permission be and hereby is given to John Everson to extend the inclined approach to the dumping-board on the north side of pier at West Forty-seventh street, North river, about ten feet, to facilitate the use thereof, said work to be done without any cost to this Department, under the direction and supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief, the extension to remain only during the pleasure of the Board, and to revert to and become the property of the City upon its completion. Provided the said Everson shall within ten days file in this office his written acceptance to the terms of this resolution as aforesaid.

The report of the Engineer-in-Chief on Secretary's Order No. 7450, respecting the application of the Maine Steamship Company for permission to put up a small fence on the platform recently built west of Pier 38, East river, was received, read, and,

On motion, ordered to be placed on file and the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That permission be and hereby is granted to the Maine Steamship Company to put up a small fence on the platform recently built by the said company, in front of the bulkhead between Piers, new 29 and old 38, East river, it being expressly agreed and understood that the said fence is to be and remain thereat only during the pleasure of the Board, and the work to be done under the direction and supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department; provided the said Maine Steamship Company shall within ten days file in this office an agreement in writing that it will remove the said fence whenever ordered so to do by this Department.

The report of the Engineer-in-Chief on Secretary's Order No. 7448, approving of the plans and specifications submitted by the Manhattan Railway Company, for proposed improvements at One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, north of Eighth avenue, Harlem river, was received, read, and,

On motion, ordered to be placed on file, and the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The Manhattan Railway Company has, in accordance with the terms and conditions of the preambles and resolution adopted by the Board on the 12th day of December, 1887, filed in this Department plans and specifications for proposed improvements at or near One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, north of Eighth avenue, Harlem river, which plans and specifications, as amended, have been approved by the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department and submitted to the Board; therefore,

Resolved, That the said plans and specifications, as amended by the Engineer-in-Chief, be and they are hereby approved, and that permit be granted to the said company to proceed with the work as therein indicated, under the direction and supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department.

The Treasurer, Commissioner Matthews, submitted his report of receipts for the week ending February 1, 1888, amounting to \$61,822.02, which was received and ordered to be spread in full on the minutes, as follows:

DATE.	FROM WHOM.	FOR WHAT.	AMOUNT.	TOTAL.	DATE DEPOSITED.
1888.					1888.
Jan. 26	Thomas Smith	Dump Tickets, CCr, 10,000; DDs, 10,000, at 10 cents	\$2,000 00	\$2,000 00	Jan. 27
" 26	E. W. Fisher	Test of cement	10 00		
" 30	Thomas Smith	Extension of privilege dumping bet. 77th and 78th sts., N. R.; expires April 1, 1888.	50 00		
" 31	Patrick Curley	Wharfage District No. 4	165 44		
" 31	Charles B. Husted	" 6	355 78		
" 31	Patrick J. Brady	" 8	120 68		
" 31	Joseph B. Erwin	" 10	112 23		
" 31	John J. Ryan	" 12	39 00		
" 31	Charles H. Thompson	" 1	68 67		
" 31	Edward Abell	" 3	233 36		
" 31	Charles H. Pendergast	" 5	347 50		
" 31	Charles Hutchinson	" 7	124 11		
" 31	George A. Dearborn	" 9	68 40		
" 31	John Callan	" 11	45 60		
Feb. 1	Lewis Brandt	1 qrs. rent bhd. E. 28th st.	75 00	\$1,740 77	Jan. 31
" 1	Catskill Evening Line	1 qrs. rent l. u. w., pfm. S. Pier, old 33, N. R.	1,875 00		
" 1	Co. Generale Transatlantique	1 qrs. rent Pier, new 42, N. R.	7,625 00		
" 1	H. P. Farrington	1 qrs. rent, Pier, old 40, N. R.	5,000 00		
" 1	Baltimore & Ohio R. R. Co.	1 qrs. rent Pier, old 20, etc., N. R., and bhd. bet. Piers, old 20 & 21, & Pier 21	9,000 00		
" 1	"	1 qrs. rent l. u. w., E. & W. Pier 27, E. R.	682 75		
" 1	Peter Charles	1 qrs. rent pfm. bet. Piers 38 and 39, E. R.	100 00		
" 1	Cunard S. S. Co.	1 qrs. rent Pier, new 40, etc., N. R.	7,500 00		
" 1	Equitable Gas-light Co.	1 qrs. rent bhd. bet. 40th and 41st sts., E. R.	50 00		
" 1	M. Goodwin	1 qrs. rent bhd. at E. 49th st., E. R.	150 00		
" 1	Hartford & N. Y. Trans. Co.	1 qrs. rent E. 1/2 Pier 24, E. R., and 1/2 bhd.	1,625 00		
" 1	Hunt & Donaldson	1 mos. rent bhd. bet. Piers, old 34 and 35, N. R.	150 00		
" 1	Metropolitan S. S. Co.	1 qrs. rent pfm. at bhd. N. Pier 10, N. R.	187 50		
" 1	Manhattan Railway Co.	1 qrs. rent l. u. w., N. 159th st., H. R.	1,250 00		
" 1	N. Y. & Baltimore Trans. Co.	1 qrs. rent pfm. at bhd. bet. Piers 6 and 8, N. R.	100 00		
" 1	Pim, Forwood & Co.	1 qrs. rent Pier, new 55, N. R.	5,000 00		
" 1	Prov. & Stonington S. S. Co.	1 qrs. rent S. 1/4 Pier, old 29, N. R.	6,250 00		
" 1	Quebec S. S. Co.	1 qrs. rent, Pier, new 47, etc., N. R.	4,250 00		
" 1	Suburban Rapid Transit Co.	1 qrs. rent l. u. w., 129th st. and 2d ave.	125 00		
" 1	Williams & Grison	1 qrs. rent Pier, new 38, N. R.	7,500 00		
				\$58,081 25	Feb. 1
				\$61,822 02	

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES MATTHEWS, Treasurer.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

G. KEMBLE, Secretary.



## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

## BALANCES IN BANK AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS, FEBRUARY 8, 1888.

Banks.		CHAMBERLAIN'S OFFICE.	
Bank of North America.....	\$120,000 00	National Bank of the Republic.....	\$135,000 00
Bank of the State of New York.....	70,000 00	National Broadway Bank.....	179,000 00
Bowery National Bank.....	99,000 00	National Shoe and Leather Bank.....	93,000 00
Central National Bank.....	133,000 00	Ninth National Bank.....	136,000 00
Chase National Bank.....	100,000 00	Oriental Bank.....	80,000 00
Chatham National Bank.....	85,000 00	Phoenix National Bank.....	120,000 00
Continental National Bank.....	140,000 00	Seaboard National Bank.....	65,000 00
Corn Exchange Bank.....	102,000 00	St. Nicholas Bank.....	75,000 00
First National Bank.....	182,000 00	Third National Bank.....	110,000 00
Fourth National Bank.....	182,477 47	Tradesmen's National Bank.....	50,000 00
Garfield National Bank.....	65,000 00	Western National Bank.....	170,000 00
Gallatin National Bank.....	140,000 00	Irving National Bank.....	50,000 00
Hanover National Bank.....	124,700 00	Fifth National Bank.....	25,000 00
Importers and Traders' National Bank.....	1,045,000 00	<i>Trust Companies.</i>	
Lincoln National Bank.....	132,000 00	Atlantic Trust Company.....	50,000 00
Mechanics and Traders' Bank.....	70,000 00	Central Trust Company.....	179,975 00
Mechanics' National Bank.....	178,000 00	Knickerbocker Trust Company.....	50,000 00
Mercantile National Bank.....	130,000 00	Mercantile Trust Company.....	186,055 00
Manhattan Company.....	177,700 00	Metropolitan Trust Company.....	80,000 00
Merchants' Exchange National Bank.....	90,000 00	Union Trust Company.....	160,000 00
			\$5,349,907 47

## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,  
NEW YORK, February 10, 1888.

I, Abram S. Hewitt, Mayor of the City of New York, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 10 of the Laws of 1888, do hereby designate the Sun, Herald, Times, World, Star, Tribune, Journal, Press, Evening Post, Commercial Advertiser, Graphic, Telegram, Evening Sun, Evening World, Mail and Express, Staats Zeitung, New Yorker Zeitung and Daily News as the newspapers in which the advertisements provided for in said act may be printed.

(Signed), ABRAM S. HEWITT,  
Mayor.

## 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.

DEAR SIR—The following amendment to Regulation 16 of the New York City Civil Service Regulations has been made:  
If the appointing officer shall notify the Secretary of more than one vacancy at any one time, the Secretary shall certify to the appointing officer for appointment, the names of as many persons as there are vacancies to be filled, with the addition of two names for the first vacancy and one name for every two vacancies in addition to the first.

Yours respectfully,  
LEE PHILLIPS,  
Secretary and Executive Officer.

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

THOMAS COSTIGAN, Esq.,  
Supervisor:  
DEAR SIR—The following resolution was passed by the Supervisory Board at their meeting, held May 27, 1887:  
"Resolved, That in view of the inadequate space in the Secretary's office and in order to enable him more readily to discharge the business of the same, the Secretary is authorized to arrange the business of the office so that the same shall be open for personal interviews with applicants and the public during a part of the day only."

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

Very respectfully,  
LEE PHILLIPS,  
Secretary and Executive Officer.

## OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.  
No. 6 City Hall, 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. PITT SHEARMAN, J. B. ADAMSON.

## AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

Room 209, 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. LUTLEY, Auditor.

## BOARD OF ARMY COMMISSIONERS.

THE MAYOR, Chairman; PRESIDENT OF DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, Secretary.  
Address: M. COLEMAN, Staats Zeitung Building, Tryon Row. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

## LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.  
No. 8 City Hall, 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. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN NEWTON, Commissioner; D. 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.  
WM. M. DEAN, Superintendent.

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 MCCORMICK, Superintendent.

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

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

Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.  
MARTIN J. KEENE, City Hall.

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.  
No. 15 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
THEODORE W. MYERS, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STORER, 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 Rates.  
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.  
GRAHAM MCADAM, Chief Clerk.

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.  
No. 57 Chambers street and No. 35 Reade street, Stewart Building.  
GEORGE W. MCLEAN, Receiver of Taxes; ALFRED VREDEBURGH, 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.  
Staats Zeitung Building, third floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
HENRY R. BREKMAN, Counsel to the Corporation  
ANDREW T. CAMPBELL, Chief Clerk.

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

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

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.  
No. 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, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, President; GEORGE F. BRITTO, Secretary.  
Purchasing Agent, FREDERICK A. CUSHMAN. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Closed Saturdays, 12 M.  
Contracts, Proposals and Estimates for Work and Materials for Building, Repairs and Supplies, Bills and Accounts, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Closed Saturdays, 12 M.  
RUFUS L. WILDER, General Bookkeeper and Auditor.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

Headquarters.  
Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixth-seventh street.  
HENRY D. PURROY, President; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

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

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.  
PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

Bureau of Fire Marshal.  
GEORGE H. SHELTON, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.  
ALBERT F. D'ORCHEN, Superintendent of Buildings.

Attorney to Department.  
WM. L. FINDLEY.

Fire Alarm Telegraph.  
J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent.

Central Office open at all hours.

Repair Shops.  
Nos. 128 and 130 West Third street.

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

Hospital Stables.  
Ninety-ninth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

JOSEPH SHEA, Foreman-in-Charge.

Open at all hours.

## HEALTH DEPARTMENT

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

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
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 4 P. M.  
Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.  
One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and Third avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Battery, Pier A, North River, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
L. J. N. STARK, President; G. KEMBLE, Secretary.

Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. daily, except Saturdays; on Saturdays as follows: from October 1 to June 1, from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.; from June 1 to September 30, from 9 A. M. to 12 M.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

Staats Zeitung Building, Tryon Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.

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

Office Bureau Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

Nos. 31 and 33 Park Row, "World" Building, Rooms 1, 2 and 3, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JAMES S. COLEMAN, Commissioner; JACOB SEABOLD, Deputy Commissioner; R. W. HORNOR, Chief Clerk.

## CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING 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. SLEVIN, Register; JAMES J. MARTIN, Deputy Register.

## COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

## COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

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

## DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

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

## THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

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

## BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office City Hall, Room No. 113, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
EDWARD GILON, 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 Arrears Clerk.

## 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, FREDERICK LEVY, FREDERICK EDMAN, 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. 12, WALTER BRADY, Clerk. Circuit, Part I, 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. 30. 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 BORSE, 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. 23, 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. JOHNARD L. LARREMORE, 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. GILDERSLERVE and RUFUS B. COWING, Judges of the said Court. Terms, first Monday each month. JOHN SPARKS, Clerk. Office, Room No. 11 to 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. 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. 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.

## POLICE COURTS.

Judges—MAURICE J. POWER, J. HENRY FORD, JACOB PATTERSON, Jr., JAMES T. KILBRETH, JOHN J. GORMAN, HENRY MURRAY, SOLOMON B. SMITH, ANDREW J. WHITE, CHARLES WELLS, 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.

# 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 continue at the Stables in Eighty-fifth Street and Transverse 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 THE MATTER OF** the proposed grade of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth Street, between Franklin and Union avenues, in the Twenty-third 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 COMMISSIONERS 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 reference to the contemplated change in the classification of that portion of East One Hundred and Seventy-third 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 third-class), in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 721 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. HAMPTEN ROBB,  
Commissioners of Public Parks.

# AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONER.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONER'S 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 for 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 specifications thereof, and bids or proposals, and proper envelopes for their enclosure, and form of bonds and also the plans for said work and all other information can be obtained at the above office of the Aqueduct Commissioners on application to the Secretary.

By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners.

JAMES C. SPENCER,  
President.

JOHN C. SHEEHAN,  
Secretary.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONER'S 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 Castings, to be used on Section 16 and Section 17 of the New Aqueduct, at such places as the Aqueduct Commissioners 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 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 specifications thereof, and bids or proposals, and proper envelopes for their enclosure, and form of bonds and also the plans for said work, and all other information can be obtained at the above office of the Aqueduct Commissioners on application to the Secretary.

By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners.

JAMES C. SPENCER,  
President.

JOHN C. SHEEHAN,  
Secretary.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONER'S 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 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.

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By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners.

JAMES C. SPENCER,  
President.

JOHN C. SHEEHAN,  
Secretary.

# 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, at the Comptroller's Office, on Wednesday, the fifteenth day of February, 1888, at 12 o'clock 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 highest bidder will be required to pay the auctioneer's fee and deposit with the Comptroller, at the time of the sale, twenty-five per cent of the amount bid, which shall be credited on the first quarter's rent, or be forfeited to the City if the lease is not executed by the purchaser when notified by the Comptroller.

The lease will be required to give bonds in double the amount of the yearly rental, with two sufficient sureties, to be approved by the Comptroller, conditioned for the faithful performance of the covenants of the lease, and the payment of the rent quarterly.

The right to reject any bid is reserved, if deemed to be for the interest of the City.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

THEODORE W. MYERS,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, February 2, 1888.

## SPECIAL NOTICE.

**NOTICE TO ARCHITECTS IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the time for receiving plans and specifications of a building for Criminal Courts and other purposes, proposed to be erected in the City Hall Park of the City of New York, as heretofore advertised, is extended from the first day of March, 1888, to the second day of April, 1888.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

RICHARD A. STORRS,  
Secretary.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, January 30, 1888.

# 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 receiving the cost of examinations and searches, is invited to these Official Indices of Records, containing all recorded transfers of real estate in the City of New York from 1853 to 1887, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

Grantees, 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 Angel" Room 23, Stewart Building.

THEODORE W. MYERS,  
Comptroller.

# THE CITY RECORD.

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

# DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, February 8, 1888.

**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 No. 45 Oliver Street—Unknown man, aged about 40 years; 5 feet high; black hair, blue eyes. No clothing received with body.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Louis Wagger, aged 63 years. Committed December 20, 1887.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Ann Carr, aged 49 years; dark hair, blue eyes. Transferred from Almshouse January 20, 1888.

Margaret Cashin, aged 14 years; 4 feet 1 1/2 inches high; brown hair, blue eyes. Had on when admitted brown dress.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Frank Altman, aged 25 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; gray eyes, brown hair. Had on when admitted black cassimere overcoat, sack coat, vest and pants, laced shoes, black derby hat.

Leo Eichorn, aged 37 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; blue eyes, brown hair. Had on when admitted black coat and vest, brown pants, boots.

Frank Hoffmeister, aged 70 years; 6 feet 2 inches high. Had on when admitted gray coat and vest, black pants, black derby hat.

Joseph Kelm, aged 42 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; blue eyes, dark brown hair. Had on when admitted black overcoat, black coat, pants and vest.

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, February 1, 1888.

**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 Bellevue Hospital—Unknown man, aged about 60 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; gray hair and beard, blue eyes. Had on brown plaid overcoat, gray striped pants, calico shirt, red flannel undershirt and drawers, pink cotton socks.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—John McBride, aged 45 years. Committed January 9, 1888.

Sarah Thurman, aged 44 years. Committed January 20, 1888.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Honora Bennett, aged 37 years; 5 feet 4 1/2 inches high; brown hair, blue eyes. Admitted November 30, 1875.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—James Wilson, aged 51 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; blue eyes, light brown hair. Had on when admitted blue coat, gray vest, brown pants, laced shoes, brown felt hat.

Margaret Clark, aged 49 years; 5 feet 2 inches high; blue eyes, brown hair. Had on when admitted red and black shawl, gray merino waist, gray skirt, black straw bonnet.

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, February 2, 1888.

**THE UNDERSIGNED WILL SELL AT PUBLIC** auction, for account of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, No. 66 Third Avenue, on Tuesday, February 14, 1888, at 11 o'clock A. M., the following, viz:

1,250 BARRELS BONES

—to be delivered at the foot of East Twenty-sixth Street (semi-weekly deliveries), and to be paid for as follows:

Twenty-five per cent of estimated value to be paid on day of sale and the remainder on delivery.

R. E. CLEARY,  
Storekeeper.

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

# TO CONTRACTORS.

**PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, DRY** GOODS, LUMBER, ETC.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING** GROCERIES, ETC.

8,500 pounds Dairy Butter, sample on exhibition Thursday, February 9, 1888.

1,500 pounds Cheese.

3,200 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candied.

664 barrels good sound Irish Potatoes, to weigh 172 pounds net per barrel.

100 barrels prime Carrots, 130 pounds net per barrel.

1,600 heads prime good-sized Cabbage.

100 bags Bran, 50 pounds net each.

100 bags Coarse Meal, 100 pounds net each.

500 pounds Cotton Yarn.

250 Toilet Quilts.

134 dozen Women's Woolen Mittens.

6,000 yards Secord's Carpet.

200 pounds pure S. A. Curled Hair.

6,000 yards Cottonade.

500 pounds Cotton Yarn.

2 boxes first quality TIN, 14 x 20.

28 boxes first quality Roofing TIN, 14 x 20.

LUMBER.

900 square feet first quality extra clear, thoroughly seasoned, Ash Flooring, dressed, tongued and grooved, 1/2 in. x 2 in.

4,300 feet first quality clear, thoroughly seasoned, edged or vertical grained Georgia Yellow Pine Flooring, tongued and grooved, dressed one side, 1 1/2 in. x 3 in., all one mill.

5,000 superficial feet first quality clear, thoroughly seasoned, White Pine Ceiling Boards, 3/4 in. x 4 1/2 in., tongued and grooved, dressed and beaded one side.

All lumber to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.

will be received at the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9 o'clock A. M., of the day next to that on which the person making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Dry Goods, Lumber, etc." with his or their name or names, and the date of prepayment, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

The BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, as provided in SECTION 64, CHAPTER 410, LAWS OF 1882.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Dry Goods, Lumber, etc." with his or their name or names, and the date of prepayment, 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.

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 her in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any other way, 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 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 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 received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, 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 enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-book, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to him, or that he has refused to accept it, 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 on exhibition at the office of the Estimate-book, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such samples have been examined by the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-book, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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, January 31, 1888.

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

# POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, February 2, 1888.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** THAT the property of this Department, will be sold at public auction on Friday, February 17, 1888, at 10 o'clock A. M., by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, at their stables, No. 110 East Thirteenth Street.

By order of the Board.

WM. H. KIPP,  
Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
OFFICE OF THE PROPERTY CLERK (Room No. 9),  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, 1887.

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

JOHN F. HARRIOT,  
Property Clerk

# HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 301 MOTT STREET,  
NEW YORK, October 31, 1887.

**BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR DOING THE WORK** of dredging and removing from Mott Haven Canal 15,443 cubic yards of mud and deposit, more or less, with price per cubic yard; also, price for the job, will be received at this office until March 1, 1888.

JAMES C. BAYLES,  
President.

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

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

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

Sec. 13. That no owner or lessee of any building, or any part thereof, shall let, or hire out, or let, or hire out, or any portion thereof, to be occupied by any person, or allow the same to be occupied, as a place in which, or for any one, to dwell or lodge, except when said buildings or such parts thereof are sufficiently lighted, ventilated, provided and accommodated, and are in all respects in that condition of cleanliness and wholesomeness, for which this Code or any law of this State provides, or in which they or either of them require any same premises to be kept. Nor shall any such person rent, let, hire out, or allow, having power to prevent the same to be used as or for a place of sleeping or residence, any portion or apartment of any building, which apartment or portion has not at least one foot in its height and space above the level of every part of the sidewalk and curbstone of any adjacent street, nor of which the floor is damp by reason of water from the ground, or which is impregnated or penetrated by any offensive gas, smell, or exhalation prejudicial to health. But this section shall not prevent the leasing, renting, or occupying of any building, or any part thereof, for the purpose of sleeping or residence, when the same is in all respects clean and wholesome, and when the floor is not damp by reason of water from the ground, or which is impregnated or penetrated by any offensive gas, smell, or exhalation prejudicial to health.







## 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 heard here, from 9 to 4 daily, from all persons hitherto liable or recently serving who have become exempt, and all needed information will be given. Those who have not answered as to their liability, or proved permanent exemption, will receive a "jury enrollment notice," requiring them to appear before me this year. Whether liable or not, such notices must be answered (in person, if possible, and at this office only) under severe penalties. If exempt, the party must bring proof of exemption; if liable, he must also answer in person, giving full and correct name, residence, etc., etc. No attention paid to letters.

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

CHARLES REILLY,  
Commissioner of Jurors

## BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the School Trustees for the Twenty-third Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until Monday, February 20, 1888, and until four o'clock P. M. on said day, for the Erection of a New School Building on One Hundred and Thirty-ninth and One Hundred and Thirty-ninth streets, 700 feet east of Willis avenue.

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. 146 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 proposing to become sureties, must each write his name and place of residence on said proposal. Two responsible persons, who are residents of this city, are required in all cases. No proposal will be considered from persons whose character and antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful.

The party submitting a proposal, and the parties proposing to become sureties, must each write his name and place of residence on said proposal. Two responsible persons, who are residents of this city, are required in all cases. No proposal will be considered from persons whose character and antecedent dealings 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.

## 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 inclosed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock P. M. on 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 ROADWAY OF ELEVANTH AVENUE, from One Hundred and Fifty-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 Ninth to Tenth avenue, AND SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

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

No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING MANHATTAN AVENUE, from the intersection of Manhattan avenue with the avenue bounding Mornington avenue on the east, between One Hundred and Thirtieth 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 residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested in the same, and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact. That it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud. That no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested in the estimate or in the work to which it relates or in the profits thereon.

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

The consent last above mentioned must be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise,

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at Rooms 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 "Edgcomb 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 present 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 at Room 7, No. 31 Chambers street.

D. LOWBER SMITH,  
Deputy and Acting 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, 353, and as amended by chapter 559, LAWS 1887, as follows:

"The commissioner of public works shall, from time to time, establish scales of rents for the supplying of water, which rents shall be charged to the consumer provided by law, and which shall be apportioned to different classes of buildings in said city in reference to their dimensions, values, exposure to fires, ordinary uses for dwellings, stores, shops, private stables and other common purposes, number of families or occupants, or consumption of water, as near as may be practicable, and modify, alter, amend and increase such scale from time to time, and extend it to other descriptions of buildings and establishments. All extra charges for water shall be deemed to be included in the regular rents, and shall become a charge and lien upon the buildings upon which they are respectively imposed, and, if not paid, shall be returned at any time to the clerk of the streets. Such regular rents, including the extra charges above mentioned, shall be collected from the owners or occupants of all such buildings respectively, which shall be stated upon lots adjoining any street or waterway in the city in which the distributing water-pipes are or may be laid, and from which they can be supplied with water. Said rents, including the extra charges aforesaid, shall become a charge and lien upon the lots, and, if not paid, shall be returned at any time to the clerk of the streets. The regular annual rents to be collected by the Department of Public Works shall be as follows, to wit:

Croton Water Rates for Buildings from 16 to 50 feet, all others not specified subject to Special Rates.

FRONT WIDTH.	1 Story.	2 Stories.	3 Stories.	4 Stories.	5 Stories.
16 feet and under.	\$4.00	\$5.00	\$6.00	\$7.00	\$8.00
16 to 18 feet.....	5.00	6.00	7.00	8.00	9.00
18 to 20 feet.....	6.00	7.00	8.00	9.00	10.00
20 to 22½ feet.....	7.00	8.00	9.00	10.00	11.00
22½ to 25 feet.....	8.00	9.00	10.00	11.00	12.00
25 to 30 feet.....	10.00	11.00	12.00	13.00	14.00
30 to 37½ feet.....	12.00	13.00	14.00	15.00	16.00
37½ to 50 feet.....	14.00	15.00	16.00	17.00	18.00

The rent of all tenements which shall exceed in width fifty feet shall be the subject of special contract with the Commissioner of Public Works.

The apportionment of the regular rents upon dwelling-houses are on the basis that but one family is to occupy the same, and for each additional family, one dollar per year shall be charged. Meters will be placed on all houses where waste of water is likely to occur, and the rates fixed by the Department for all the water passing through them.

The extra and miscellaneous rates shall be as follows, to wit:

BAKERSIES.—For the average daily use of flour, for each barrel, three dollars per annum.  
BARBER SHOPS shall be charged from five to twenty dollars per annum each in the discretion of the Commissioner of Public Works; an additional charge of five dollars per annum shall be made for each bath-tub therein.

BATHING TUBS in private houses, beyond one, shall be charged at three dollars per annum each, and five dollars per annum each in public houses, boarding-houses, and bathing establishments. Combination stationary wash-tubs, having a movable division in the centre and capable of use for bathing, shall be charged the same as bathing tubs.

BUILDING PURPOSES.—For each one thousand bricks laid, or for stone-work—to be measured as brick-tens cents per thousand. For plastering, forty cents per hundred yards.

CORNS.—For each and every cow, one dollar per annum.

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

FISH SPRINGS (retail) shall be charged five dollars per annum each.

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

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

HORSE TROUGHS.—For each trough, and for each half barrel or tub on sidewalk or street, twenty dollars per annum; each trough is to be fitted with a proper ball-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.

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

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

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

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

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

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

WATER-CLOSETS AND URINALS.—To each building on a lot of one water-closet having sewer connection is allowed without charge; each additional water-closet or urinal will be charged as hereinafter stated. All closets connected in any manner with sewer shall be charged two dollars for each seat per annum, 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 valves, hopper-cocks, stop-cocks, self-closing cocks, or any valve or cock of any description attached to the closet, each, per year, twenty dollars.

For any form of hopper or water-closet, supplied from any other water-closet, when before mentioned, supplied with water as above described, per year, ten dollars.

For any form of hopper or water-closet, supplied from any other form of water-closet, supplied from the water-closet, so that overflow will run into the hopper or water-closet, when ball-cock is defective, or when such an unlimited amount of water can be drawn by holding up the handle, per year, each, five dollars.

For any form of hopper or water-closet, supplied from any of the forms of water-preventing 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 handle, and the 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 in a safe waste, as provided by the Board of Waterworks, per year, two dollars.

Cistern answering this description can be seen at this Department.

METERS.

Under the provisions of section 352, Consolidated Act 1882, water-meters, of approved pattern, shall be hereafter placed on the pipes supplying all stores, warehouses, hotels, manufacturers, 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 meters, their connections and setting, water rates, and other lawful charges for the supply of Croton water, shall be a lien upon the premises where such water is supplied, as now provided by law."

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

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

Rate Without Meters.

PER DAY, PER 100 PER ANNUM, GALLONS, GALLONS, RATE, AMOUNT.

25 05 \$3.75  
50 05 7.50  
60 05 9.00  
70 05 10.50  
80 05 12.00  
90 05 13.50  
100 05 15.00  
150 05 22.50  
200 05 30.00  
250 04½ 37.50  
300 04 30.00  
350 03½ 36.75  
400 03 42.00  
450 02½ 42.50  
500 02 48.00  
600 01½ 63.00  
700 01 73.50  
800 01 84.00  
900 01 94.50  
1,000 01 105.00  
1,500 01 157.50  
2,000 01 210.00  
2,500 01 262.50  
3,000 01 315.00  
4,000 01 420.00  
4,500 01 472.50  
5,000 01 525.00  
6,000 01 630.00  
7,000 01 735.00  
8,000 01 840.00  
9,000 01 945.00  
10,000 01 1,050.00

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

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

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

HYDRANTS, HOSE, TROUGHS, FOUNTAINS, ETC., ETC.

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

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

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

No horse-troughs or horse-watering fixtures will be permitted in the street or on the sidewalk, except under license or permit taken out for that purpose.

All licenses or permits must be annually renewed on the first of May. Such fixtures must be kept in good order and the water not allowed to drip or waste by overrunning the sidewalk or street, or to become dangerous to winter by freezing in and about such troughs or fixtures.

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

Taps at wash-basins, water-closets, baths and urinals must not be left running, under the penalty of five dollars for each offense, which will be strictly enforced.

Fountains or jets in hotels, porter-houses, eating-saloons, confectioneries or other buildings are strictly prohibited.

The use of hose for washing sidewalks, stoops, areas, house-fronts, yards, court-yards, gardens, and about stables, is prohibited. Where premises are provided with wells, special permits will be issued for the use of hose, in order that the police or inspectors of this department may understand that the permission is not for the use of Croton water.

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

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

By order,  
JOHN NEWTON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, June 2, 1887.

## PUBLIC NOTICE AS TO WATER RATES.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT in compliance with the provisions of chapter 559, Laws of 1887, amending sections 350 and 351 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, passed June 9, 1887, the following changes are made in charging and collecting water rents:

1st. All extra charges for water incurred from and after June 9, 1887, shall be treated, collected and returned in arrears in the same manner as regular rents have heretofore been treated.

2d. In every building where a water meter or meters are now, or shall hereafter be in use, the charge for water by meter measurement shall be the only charge against such building, or such part thereof as is supplied through meter.

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

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

Charges for so-called "water rents" of every nature, imposed or incurred prior to June 9, 1887, will be canceled of record on the books of the Department.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, November 10, 1886.

## NOTICE TO CROTON WATER CONSUMERS.

NUMEROUS APPLICATIONS HAVE BEEN made to this Department by citizens claiming reductions or rebates on bills for water supplied through meters on the alleged ground of leakage caused by defective plumbing and worn-out service pipes, or by willful waste of water by tenants allowing the faucets to be turned on in full force in water-closets, sinks, etc., without the knowledge or consent of the owners of the premises.

The main object of the use of water-meters is to enable this Department to detect and check the useless and unwarrantable waste of an element so valuable and essential to the health and comfort of all the citizens, and this object can only be accomplished by enforcing payment for the water wasted.

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

Notice is therefore given to all householders that, in all further applications for reduction of water rents, no allowance will be made on account of waste of water occurring through leaks, from defective service pipes or plumbing, or wasteful use of water by tenants or occupants of buildings, though such leakage or waste may have occurred without the knowledge or consent of the owners of the buildings.

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

JOHN NEWTON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, September 29, 1886.

## PUBLIC NOTICE.

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

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## DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

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STAATS ZETTING BUILDING,  
NEW YORK.

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 87 OF THE City Consolidation Act of 1882, it is hereby advertised that the books of "The Annual Record of the Assessments of Real and Personal Estate" of the City and County of New York, for the year 1888, will be open for examination and correction from the second Monday of January, 1888, until the first day of May, 1888.

All persons believing themselves aggrieved must make application to the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments, at this office, during the period said books are open, in order to obtain the correction provided by law.

Applications for correction of assessed valuations on personal estate must be made by the person assessed, to the said Commissioners, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M. at this office, during the same period.

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