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COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND.

Proceedings of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at the Meeting held September 1st, 1885.

Present—William R. Grace, Mayor; Frederick Smyth, Recorder; Edward V. Loew, Comptroller, and William M. Ivins, Chamberlain.

The minutes of the meeting held July 9th, 1885, were read and approved.

The Comptroller submitted the following report, viz.:

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
August 31st, 1885.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

GENTLEMEN—In pursuance of the provisions of section 146 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, proposals were invited, by public advertisement, for \$1,000,000 "Additional Water Stock of the City of New York," authorized by chapter 490, Laws of 1883, and issued as Registered Stock, payable October 1st, 1904, bearing interest at the rate of three per centum per annum, payable on the first day of April and November in each year, free from city and county taxation, as provided by section 137 of the Consolidation Act and an ordinance of the Common Council, approved by the Mayor October 2d, 1885. Proposals for said stock were publicly opened by the Comptroller, in his office, at two o'clock P. M., August 27th, 1885, in the presence of Frederick Smyth, Recorder, and Charles H. Reilly, Chairman of the Finance Committee of the Board of Aldermen, as follows, to wit:

Names of Bidders.	Amount.	Rate.
S. J. Harroitt & Co.	\$20,000 00	\$101.
Henry F. Spaulding, Trustee	67,000 00	100.81
Manhattan Savings Institution	300,000 00	100.25
Bowery Savings Bank	500,000 00	100.62½
Dry Dock Savings Institution	100,000 00	100.17
Dry Dock Savings Institution	100,000 00	100.29
The New York Fire Department Relief Fund	35,000 00	Par.
	50,000 00	100.
	50,000 00	100.10
Schafer Brothers	50,000 00	100.20
	50,000 00	100.30
	50,000 00	100.40
Blake, Brothers & Co.	1,000,000 00	101.689
W. T. Hatch & Sons	1,000,000 00	100.76
	50,000 00	100.
	25,000 00	100.23
	25,000 00	100.47
	25,000 00	100.55
Greenwich Savings Bank	25,000 00	100.63
	25,000 00	100.72
	25,000 00	100.81
	25,000 00	100.89
	25,000 00	100.96
L. W. Morrison	50,000 00	100.33
L. W. Morrison	50,000 00	100.033
Vermilye & Co. and George K. Sistare's Sons (all or none)	1,000,000 00	101.28
Theodore Sturges	600,000 00	101.
Citizens Savings Bank of the City of New York	500,000 00	Par.
	100,000 00	101.13
	100,000 00	101.29
	100,000 00	101.33
	100,000 00	101.39
Daniel A. Moran	100,000 00	101.46
	100,000 00	101.53
	100,000 00	101.63
	100,000 00	101.69
	100,000 00	101.76
	100,000 00	101.89
Total	\$6,822,000 00	

The said stock was awarded to the highest bidders, with the approval of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund present at the opening of the proposals, as follows:

NAMES OF BIDDERS.	AMOUNT.	RATE.
Blake Brothers & Co.	\$700,000 00	\$101.689
Daniel A. Moran	100,000 00	101.69
Daniel A. Moran	100,000 00	101.76
Daniel A. Moran	100,000 00	101.89
Total	\$1,000,000 00	

Respectfully submitted,
EDWARD V. LOEW, Comptroller.

The report was accepted and ordered on file.

The Comptroller submitted the following certification of the balance in the City Treasury, September 1st, 1885, to the credit of the "Sinking Fund for the Payment of Interest on the City Debt," viz.:

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
September 1st, 1885.

I hereby certify that the cash balance in the City Treasury to the credit of the Sinking Fund, for the Payment of Interest on the City Debt, on the morning of this, September 1st, 1885, is one million one hundred and sixty-two thousand three hundred and sixty-eight dollars and seventy-six cents (\$1,162,368.76), and that the immediate liabilities of the fund are nil.

ISAAC S. BARRETT, General Bookkeeper.

Whereupon the following resolution, submitted by the Comptroller, was, on motion, unanimously adopted, all the Commissioners present voting in the affirmative, viz.:

Resolved, That a warrant for one million dollars, payable from the Sinking Fund for the Payment of Interest on the City Debt, be drawn in favor of the Chamberlain for deposit to the credit of the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, being surplus revenue of the Interest Fund transferred to the Redemption Fund, under provision of section 172 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

The Comptroller submitted the following applications, duly approved, made for the refunding of Croton water-rents, paid in error, viz.:

Commissioner of Public Works.

Chas. Gahren	\$8 75
Augustus Zeigler	10 00
William H. Allee, agent	9 00

Receiver of Taxes.

Mary A. Newcomb	7 50
Casper Spiess	10 00

Clerk of Arrears.

Mary A. O'Neil	14 55
Geo. A. Hoyt, sale	63 50

Total.....\$123 30

Whereupon the following resolution, submitted by the Comptroller, was, on motion, unanimously adopted, all the Commissioners present voting in the affirmative, viz.:

Resolved, That a warrant for one hundred and twenty-three dollars and thirty cents (\$123.30) be drawn against the "Sinking Fund for Payment of Interest on the City Debt," and in favor of the Chamberlain, for deposit in the City Treasury, to the credit of "Croton Water Rent—Refunding Account," for refunding duplicate, erroneous and over-payments of Croton water-rents, as per statement herewith.

The Comptroller submitted the following preamble and resolution, viz.:

Whereas, At a sale of lands, etc., for unpaid assessments, made December, 1874, J. D. Lynch, purchased, as per Certificate No. 498, Ward No. 64, Block No. 378, in the Twelfth Ward, sold for an assessment for opening Lexington avenue; confirmed April 25, 1870; and,

Whereas, By an order of the Supreme Court entered 24th day of October, 1879, the sale of the said premises was vacated, and by the terms of the sale the purchaser becomes entitled to the refund of his purchase money with interest.

The amount of the assessment in this case, one hundred dollars (\$100), was paid into the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt.

Resolved, That a warrant for one hundred dollars (\$100) payable from the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt be drawn in favor of the Chamberlain for deposit in the City Treasury to credit of "Assessment Sales—Moneys Refunded," for refunding J. D. Lynch, purchase money paid as per Certificate No. 498, Sale of 1874.

The preamble was approved and, on motion, the resolution was unanimously adopted, all the Commissioners present voting in the affirmative.

The Comptroller submitted the following preamble and resolution, viz.:

Whereas, On July 9th, 1885, John J. Worden paid for a permit to construct a vault in front of premises west side of Third avenue, near One Hundred and Second street, the sum of \$381, being at the established rate of seventy-five cents per square foot, for five hundred and eight square feet; and

Whereas, The certificate of Jacob Rudolph, City Surveyor, shows that the said vault actually measures only four hundred and thirty-two square feet, the charge for which amounts to only three hundred and twenty-four (\$324) dollars, showing an over-payment of fifty-seven dollars (\$57); and

Whereas, The above payment was deposited in the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt; therefore

Resolved, That a warrant for fifty-seven dollars, payable from the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, be drawn in favor of John J. Worden, refunding him this amount overpaid in error on account of street vault as above.

The preamble was approved, and, on motion, the resolution was unanimously adopted, all the Commissioners present voting in the affirmative.

The Comptroller submitted the following communication from the Commissioners of the Fire Department, viz.:

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
NOS. 155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, August 20th, 1885.

Hon. WILLIAM R. GRACE, Mayor and Chairman Commissioners Sinking Fund:

Sir—I have the honor to inform you that at a meeting of the Board of Fire Commissioners held this day, the following was adopted:

Whereas, The iron bell-tower, located in rear of the quarters of Engine Co. No. 30, at No. 253 Spring street, is no longer needed for the purposes of this Department; therefore

Resolved, That the same be turned over to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, with the request that it be sold and removed as soon as practicable.

Very respectfully,
ELWARD SMITH, Commissioner.

Whereupon, the following resolution, submitted by the Comptroller, was unanimously adopted, all the Commissioners present voting in the affirmative:

Whereas, The Fire Department has turned over to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund the

iron bell tower, located in rear of the quarters of Engine Company No. 30, at 253 Spring street, as no longer needed for the purposes of that Department.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to sell said bell tower at public auction, after due appraisal and advertisement, upon such terms and conditions as he may determine and approve in the interest of the city.

The Comptroller submitted the following preamble and resolution, viz.:

Whereas, Petitions have been presented to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for grants or releases of lands between high and low water lines on the Harlem river, now filled in and made solid ground, by the owners of the uplands adjoining; and

Whereas, The value of said lands, formerly under water, granted to the Corporation of the City of New York by its ancient charters, the fee thereof being vested in said corporation, as confirmed by a late decision of the Court of Appeals, should be determined; and

Whereas, The Comptroller has had valuations made of said lands by experts in real estate, for the purpose of ascertaining a proper consideration to be paid by the petitioners for said grants or releases;

Resolved, That the following bills for making such valuations be and are hereby approved and that warrants payable from the appropriation, entitled "Commissioners of the Sinking Fund—Expenses of," 1885, be drawn in favor of the following-named persons on account of their bills for appraising the value of said lands for the amounts thereof, respectively, to wit:

Bill of Scott & Myers, August 18, 1885, two parcels real estate	\$50 00
Bill of Lespinasse & Friedman, March 6, 1885, one parcel real estate	25 00
Bill of Page & Crawford, March 9, 1885, one parcel real estate	25 00

The preamble was approved, and, on motion, the resolution was unanimously adopted, all the Commissioners present voting in the affirmative.

The Comptroller submitted the following report, viz.:

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
July 23d, 1885.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

GENTLEMEN—Herewith I present an application from the Commissioner of Public Works for two leases of storage space at the foot of East Nineteenth street, and of East One Hundred and Twelfth street for public baths for the season of 1885.

After due examination, I am satisfied that the rental asked is fair and reasonable for both leases and that it would be for the interest of the city that they should be made.

Respectfully,

EDWARD V. LOEW, Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Counsel to the Corporation be requested to prepare a lease to the city from H. D. and J. W. Bookman of storage or dockage space for a public bath at the dock foot of Nineteenth street, East river, for the bathing season of 1885, from June 1st, to October 15th, 1885, at a rental of \$210 per month, payment to be made only for the time the bath actually occupies the space, with the usual covenants and conditions, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the rent fair and reasonable, and that it would be for the interest of the city that such lease should be made; and the Comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to execute such lease when prepared and approved by the Counsel to the Corporation, as provided by sections 123 and 181 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Resolved, That the Counsel to the Corporation be requested to prepare a lease to the city from Stephen Tabor of storage-space for a public bath at the dock foot of One Hundred and Twelfth street, East river, for the bathing season of 1885, from June 1st, to October 15th, 1885, at a rental of one hundred dollars per month (\$100), payment to be made only for the time the bath actually occupies the space, with the usual covenants and conditions, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the rent fair and reasonable, and that it would be for the interest of the city that such lease should be made; and the Comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to execute such lease when prepared and approved by the Counsel to the Corporation, as provided by sections 123 and 181 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

The report was accepted, and, on motion, the resolutions were unanimously adopted, all the Commissioners present voting in the affirmative.

[Application submitted with the report,—Filed.]

The Comptroller submitted the following communication from the Commissioner of Public Works requesting the substitution of the New York Steam Company as lessor in a lease authorized to be made to the city from Joseph Dawes, but not executed; which was referred to the Comptroller.

The Comptroller submitted the application of The New York Sanitary and Fertilizer Company for a plot of land, 200 by 100 feet, at foot of Sixty-first street, East river, for the purposes of the said company, as set forth in their application; which was referred to the Comptroller.

The Comptroller submitted the petition of Sarah Lynch for confirmatory grant of land under water in the Harlem river, north of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; which was referred to the Comptroller.

The Comptroller submitted a communication from a committee representing the "Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank," offering to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund premises in the fire-proof building being erected on lots 49 and 51 Chambers street, and 27 and 29 Reade street, as "being especially desirable for the occupancy of any of the departments of the city government having need of a fire-proof building for the security of their records;" which was referred to the Comptroller.

Charles P. Miller, Esq., appeared before the Commissioners as the attorney for Jacob Scholle et al., in relation to the action had on the petition of said Scholle for a deed to certain premises in the Twelfth Ward, at the meeting held February 25th, 1885, and after a verbal statement in relation to the subject, submitted the following supplementary petition, viz.:

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

GENTLEMEN—Your petitioners, Jacob Scholle and William Scholle, who have heretofore submitted to your Honorable Board a petition for a deed of certain lands lying west of Fifth avenue and between One Hundred and Thirty-seventh and One Hundred and Fortieth streets, of which they have been the owners of record since the year 1872, but which upon the maps on file in the office of the Comptroller of the City of New York appear to have been formerly in the tideway of the Harlem river, and to which for this reason the city now claims title, most respectfully urge upon your Honorable Board that speedy action be taken upon their application.

Your petitioners, having been informed that the Comptroller and Corporation Counsel, to whom their petition was referred several months since, have decided that a fair and equitable way of disposing of the whole matter would be to sell the property at public auction and that a report to this effect would probably be made to your Honorable Board by the Comptroller, now desire to submit through their counsel a written statement or brief embodying their views of the law and of their rights in the premises, together with a proposed resolution which they submit to your Honorable Board for its action.

Your petitioners hereby agree to waive all rights as owners of the adjacent upland to a priority of purchase of the premises in question; and they further agree, should they become the purchasers on the sale, to give a release to the city of all claims which they may have against it for money heretofore paid for taxes and assessments.

And your petitioners will ever pray.

JACOB SCHOLLE.
WILLIAM SCHOLLE.
BY ALEXANDER B. JOHNSON, Attorney.

After a general discussion, the Recorder moved that the subject be referred to a committee to examine and report, which was adopted; and the Mayor appointed as said committee the Comptroller, Recorder and Counsel to the Corporation.

The "Statement or Brief," and the "Proposed Resolution," submitted with the petition, were referred to the said committee.

W. H. DIKEMAN, Secretary.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
NEW YORK, August 25, 1885.

The Board met this day.

Reports.

From the Sanitary Superintendent—On operations of the First Division; on operations of the Second Division; on operations of the Third Division; on operations of the Fourth Division; on operations of the Fifth Division; on operations of the Sixth Division; weekly abstract of the Seventh Division; weekly mortuary statement; weekly abstract of births; weekly abstract of still-births; weekly abstract of marriages; weekly abstract of deaths from contagious diseases; weekly report on attendance of clerks; on applications for permits; on condition of certain street pavements; on applications for relief from certain orders; on delayed birth returns; on manure dumping; on removal of privy-vaults; on house-to-house inspections; on applications for leave of absence; on delayed birth and marriage returns; on work performed by the Summer Corps; on changes of help at Riverside Hospital; on seizure of candy at No. 165 Duane street; in answer to complaint of seizure of unripe fruit; of inspections of premises No. 98 Avenue A, No. 64 Avenue C, No. 282 East Third street, and No. 702 East Thirteenth street; on condition of Disinfecting Corps; on proposal to furnish carpets for Administration Building at North Brother Island; on the drainage of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, between Elton and Courtland avenues; on the services of Clerks John J. Lenehan, J. W. Schwartz, P. J. Smith, G. A. Carls, Inspectors A. E. Smith, S. B. P. Trowbridge and Engineer McAlister; on condition of Tompkins Market; on condition of premises One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street and Courtland avenue; on condition of slip foot of Fulton street, East river; on seizure of unripe fruit and stale fish; in respect to the suspension of Foreman G. W. Tyson.

From the Attorney and Counsel—Weekly report; report on violation of the Tenement-house Law by owner of premises No. 35 Bowery.

Communications from other Departments.

From the Department of Finance—Comptroller's weekly statement.

From the Department of Public Works—In respect to new sewer in front of Nos. 137 and 139 East Fifty-second street, and vacant lots east of Thirteenth avenue and continuation of Washington street, from Little Twelfth street northward.

Miscellaneous Communications.

From Consul W. H. Edwards, of the Hague—In respect to the importation of cattle.

From S. W. Abbott, Health Officer of Boston—Asking for information as to the number of deaths from illuminating gas.

Bills Audited.

Sarah Chapman	\$30 00	James Armstrong	\$800 00
Charles Lederer	330 25	Charles Hadley	243 55
Centennial Desk Manufacturing Co.	32 50	Thomas Hogan	116 88
Thomas Hogan	197 50	Gridley & Co.	253 97
D. Appleton & Co.	7 00	John Tagliabue	16 00
Trow City Directory Co.	12 00	Thomas F. White	3,000 00
B. L. Solomon's Sons	35 00	Piepgas & Pine	337 40
Charles Pfizer & Co.	323 26	John Garrie	199 00
Pay-roll, Disinfecting Co.	1,357 50		

Permits Granted.

To smoke bologna sausage at No. 26 Second avenue.
To render lard at No. 783 Ninth avenue from 7 A. M. to 6 P. M.
To keep two cows at corner Eleventh avenue and Eighty-first street.
To keep one cow at corner Eleventh avenue and Eighty-second street.
To keep five chickens at No. 201 Stanton street.
To keep fifteen chickens at No. 94 Vandam street.
To keep two chickens at No. 351 East Fourth street.
To keep four chickens at No. 165 Madison street.
To keep fifty chickens for sale at No. 783 Third avenue.
To keep twenty chickens for sale at No. 417 Broome street, and cooked and eaten on premises.
To keep one goat at No. 132 Prince street.
To keep a lodging-house for five lodgers at No. 59 Washington street.
To keep a lodging-house at No. 31 Chrystie street.
To occupy basement at No. 1271 Third avenue.
To keep and kill chickens at No. 79 Mercer street, to be eaten on premises.
To keep poultry for sale at No. 156 Wooster street.
To keep six cows at No. 408 East One Hundred and Fifth street.
To keep fifteen chickens at No. 314 East One Hundred and Twelfth street.
To keep ten chickens at No. 346 East One Hundred and Twelfth street.
To keep ten chickens at No. 104 Second street.
To keep one goat at No. 801 Greenwich street.

Permits Denied.

To make sausage-casings at No. 423 East Forty-seventh street.
To render fresh fat at No. 751 Third avenue.
To drive three cows from One Hundred and Twenty-first street and Eighth avenue to Seventh avenue and return.
To keep live poultry for sale at No. 1524 Second avenue.
To keep live poultry for sale at No. 248 East Eightieth street.
To keep eight chickens at No. 443 West Thirty-fourth street.
To keep chickens at No. 339 East Fifty-second street.
To keep chickens at No. 34 Essex street.
To keep live poultry for sale at No. 1535 First avenue.
To keep chickens at No. 9 Stanton street.
To keep chickens at No. 28 Rivington street.

Permits Revoked.

No. 1519, to keep chickens at No. 702 East Thirteenth street.
Nos. 1884 and 1948, to keep chickens at No. 282 East Third street.
No. 3104, to keep chickens at No. 64 Avenue C.
No. 3266, to keep chickens at No. 98 Avenue A.
To keep cows at No. 319 and 321 East One Hundred and Third street.

Resolutions.

Resolved, That leave of absence of one month be and is hereby granted to Gideon J. Tucker on account of sickness.

Resolved, That the following orders be and are hereby extended as follows:

No. 16134, at No. 125 Madison street, to October 1.
No. 17669, at No. 61 Ann street, to September 15.
No. 16699, at No. 134 Jane street, to September 1.
No. 14960, at No. 196 Avenue B, to September 1.
No. 18284, at No. 408 West Nineteenth street, to October 1.
No. 15687, at No. 122 Attorney street, to September 15.
No. 17101, at Nos. 925 and 927 Second avenue, to September 15.
No. 18197, at Nos. 507 to 513 West Forty-fourth street, to September 15.
No. 17976, at Nos. 50 to 56 East Third street, to September 10.
No. 16868, at Nos. 264 and 266 Greenwich street, to September 15.
No. 17793, at No. 711 East Ninth street, to October 10.
No. 17286, at No. 24 East Eighty-fourth street, to September 10.
No. 17554, at No. 630 East Thirteenth street, to September 15.
No. 16121, at No. 155 First avenue, to September 10.
No. 16123, at No. 157 First avenue, to September 10.
No. 14653, at No. 569 First avenue, to June 1, 1886.
No. 17405, at No. 206 West Thirty-fourth street, to September 5, 1885.
No. 17156, at No. 34 Stanton street, to September 1, 1885.
No. 17557, at No. 317 East Thirty-seventh street, to September 1, 1885.

No. 15635, at No. 717 Washington street, to September 7, provided the privies are kept clean and daily disinfected.
 No. 14605, at Nos. 186 and 188 Mulberry street, to September 2, 1885.
 No. 16169, at No. 370 West Fifty-eighth street, to September 1.
 No. 16718, at No. 134½ Thompson street, to September 7.
 No. 16303, at No. 42 Watts street, to November 2, 1885, provided the privy vaults are frequently disinfected.

No. 17422, at No. 180 Hester street, to September 1, 1885.
 No. 16363, at No. 352 East Thirty-third street, to September 14.
 No. 16252, at No. 224 West Seventeenth street, to September 15.
 No. 11975, at No. 633 Eleventh avenue, to September 15.
 No. 17887, at No. 67 Fulton street, to August 27.
 No. 13772, at No. 1335 Avenue A, to October 1.
 No. 15765, at Nos. 70 to 72 Laight street, to May 1, 1886.

Resolved, That applications for relief from certain orders be and are hereby denied :

No. 15048, at No. 151 Madison street.
 No. 17844, at No. 154 East Broadway.
 No. 15093, at No. 246 Division street.
 No. 16598, at No. 86 Vandam street.
 No. 15365, at No. 17½ Dominick street.
 No. 15390, at No. 250 Monroe street.
 No. 17947, at east side Tenth avenue, first, second and third houses south of One Hundred and Sixty-first street.
 No. 17775, at Nos. 65 and 67 Downing street.
 No. 17998, at No. 439 Lexington avenue.
 No. 17186, at 2½ Jersey street.
 No. 15495, at No. 26 East Eighty-fifth street.
 No. 14077, at No. 629 East One Hundred and Forty-fifth street.
 No. 17941, at No. 990 Second avenue.
 No. 12105, at Nos. 302 and 304 Seventh avenue.

Resolved, That the portion of the following-named orders requiring separate sewer connections be and are hereby suspended during the pleasure of the Board :

No. 15730, premises No. 400 First avenue.
 No. 15731, premises No. 402 First avenue.
 No. 15732, premises No. 404 First avenue.
 No. 15733, premises No. 406 First avenue.
 Resolved, That the following orders be and are hereby rescinded :
 No. 16985, premises No. 45 Macdougall street.
 No. 17601, premises No. 323 Broadway.

Resolved, That the discharge of John E. Stafford, Deckhand, and Caroline Hamilton, Helper, be and is hereby approved.

Resolved, That the following persons be and are hereby employed, as follows :

Teresa McDonald, Helper, Riverside Hospital, \$8 per month.
 Susan McEvoy, Helper, Willard Parker Hospital, at \$12 per month.
 Mary Harlan, Helper, Willard Parker Hospital, at \$12 per month.
 Walter E. Hautch, Orderly, Willard Parker Hospital, at \$25 per month.

Resolved, That the services of six Laborers and two horses, employed in the Disinfecting Corps, be and are hereby dispensed with, their services being no longer required.

Resolved, That a copy of the report of Chief Inspector Morris upon stagnant water ponded in One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and upon lots intervening to One Hundred and Sixty-third street, between Elton and Courtland avenues, be forwarded to the Department of Public Parks, and that said Department be earnestly requested to construct the drains as recommended as a sanitary measure absolutely necessary to abate a nuisance which is dangerous to the health of the neighborhood.

Resolved, That John J. Lenehan, provisionally employed as Clerk in this Department, having served as such six months, and his conduct and character being satisfactory, is hereby appointed Clerk in this Department, with salary at \$1,200 per annum, and assigned to the Sixth Division.

Resolved, That James W. McAlister, provisionally employed as Engineer in this Department, having served as such six months, and his conduct and character being satisfactory, is hereby appointed Engineer in this Department, with salary of \$780 per annum, and assigned to the Fifth Division.

Resolved, That Alfred A. Smith, Jr., provisionally employed as Inspector in this Department, having served as such six months, and his conduct and character being satisfactory, is hereby appointed Inspector with salary of \$1,260 per annum, and assigned to the Sixth Division.

Resolved, That Jacob W. Schwartz, provisionally employed as Clerk in this Department, having served as such six months, and his conduct and character being satisfactory, is hereby appointed Clerk, with salary at \$1,200 per annum, and assigned to the First Division.

Resolved, That Peter J. Smith, provisionally employed as Clerk in this Department, having served as such six months, and his conduct and character being satisfactory, is hereby appointed Clerk, with salary at \$1,200 per annum, and assigned to the Seventh Division.

Resolved, That Gustav A. Carls, provisionally employed as Clerk in this Department, having served as such six months, and his conduct and character being satisfactory, is hereby appointed Clerk in this Department with salary of \$1,200 per annum, and assigned to the Seventh Division.

Resolved, That S. B. P. Trowbridge, provisionally employed as Clerk in this Department, having served as such six months, and his conduct and character being satisfactory, is hereby appointed Inspector in this Department, with salary of \$1,260 per annum, and assigned to the Sixth Division.

Resolved, That copies of the reports of inspectors upon the condition of street pavements, etc., be forwarded to the Department of Public Works for the necessary action, as follows :

Street pavement at No. 142 Greene street.
 Street pavement at No. 17 East Fifteenth street.
 Street pavement at corner Pearl and Fulton streets.
 Street pavement at No. 188 West Fourth street.
 Street pavement at No. 65 West Ninth street.
 Street pavement at No. 36 Bond street.
 Street pavement in front of No. 1004 Second avenue.
 Street pavement at corner of Sheriff and Stanton streets.
 Street pavement at corner of Ninth avenue and Twenty-fifth street.
 Street pavement at corner of Seventh street, between Avenue A and East river.
 Street pavement at No. 456 Washington street.
 Street pavement at No. 14 West Third street.
 Street pavement at No. 207 East Eightieth street.
 Street pavement in front of No. 100 West Thirty-third street.
 Sewer obstructions at corner of Bedford and Grove streets.
 Sewer obstructions at corner of Park place and Greenwich street.
 Sewer obstructions at corner of First avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-second street.
 Sewer obstructions at corner of Cannon and Broome streets.
 Sewer obstructions at corner of Ninth avenue and Sixty-seventh street.
 Sewer obstructions at No. 2 Bedford street.
 Sewer obstructions in front of No. 83 Carmine street.
 Sewer obstructions at No. 203 South street.
 Sewer obstructions in front of No. 44 Beach street.
 Sewer obstructions at corner Sheriff and Delancey streets.
 Sewer obstructions at corner Thirty-first street and Fourth avenue.
 Fire-hydrant at corner Eighth avenue and Twenty-fourth street.
 Fire-hydrant at No. 379 Washington street.
 Street obstructions at Nos. 33 to 38 Front street.
 Street pavements at corner Fourth avenue and One Hundred and Sixth street.
 Street pavements at No. 30 State street.
 Street pavements at No. 1125 Second avenue.
 Street pavements at East One Hundred and Twenty-second street, between Madison and Fourth avenues.
 Street pavements at west side Eleventh avenue, between Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth streets.
 Street pavements at No. 321 East Thirty-fifth street.
 Street pavements at Nos. 506 and 508 East Seventeenth street.
 Street sewer at corner Greenwich and Houston streets.
 Street sewer at No. 305 Washington street.
 Street sewer at corner Pitt and Division streets.
 Street sewer at corner Broadway and Howard street.
 Street sewer at No. 47 East Second street.
 Street sewer at One Hundred and Twelfth street, between First avenue and Avenue A.
 Street obstructions at Burling Slip, from Front street to South street.
 Fire-hydrant at No. 135 Liberty street.
 Waste of Croton at No. 336 West Fourteenth street.

Croton pipe at Seventh street, twenty feet east of Avenue A.
 Fire-hydrant at No. 739 East Ninth street.

Resolved, That a copy of the complaint of Inspector Whalen upon the filthy condition of areas of Tompkins Market be forwarded to the Comptroller.

Resolved, That a copy of the report of Inspector Wiseburn upon the condition of One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street and Courtland avenue be forwarded to the Department of Public Parks for the necessary action.

Resolved, That a copy of the communication of Henry Bergh, in respect to the condition of slip at the foot of Fulton street, East river, and of the report of Chief Inspector Edson in respect thereto, be forwarded to the Department of Public Works with the request that immediate measures be taken to relieve the slip at Fulton Market from pollution by sewage, either by carrying the Fulton and Beekman street sewers to the end of the piers or by pressing to completion the projected South street sewer, from Catharine street to Peck Slip, extended to Fulton street.

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby granted to file papers supplemental to the original certificate of death of Charles Malcolm, who died May 28, 1885.

Resolved, That the Register of Records be and is hereby authorized and directed to amend the register of death as follows :

Alfred J. B. Bombier, who died November 22, 1872, instead of Alfred J. B. Bambier, the same being a clerical error.

Resolved, That the pay-rolls of this Department for the month of July be and are hereby approved, and the President and Secretary directed to sign the certificate and forward the same to the Comptroller for payment.

Resolved, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Comptroller for the following sum of money which is required to enable the Board of Health to pay to the Board of Police the amount of the salaries of thirty policemen detailed to the service of the Board of Health, pursuant to the provisions of section 5, chapter 399, Laws of 1880, being one-twelfth part of the amount estimated, levied, raised and appropriated for the support and maintenance of the Sanitary Company of Police during the current year, to wit : Thirty patrolmen, \$3,000.

The denial of the application of J. Costello for extension of time on Order No. 16877, on premises No. 205 Hester street, was reconsidered and, on motion, referred back to the Sanitary Superintendent for an inspection and a report on the merits of the application.

Adopted Meeting August 11.

Resolved, That the following orders be and are hereby extended to September 1, 1885 :

No. 14890, premises No. 385 Cherry and No. 52 Scammel streets.
 No. 14821, premises No. 632 Water and No. 58 Scammel streets.
 No. 16399, premises No. 636 Water street.

Action of the Board on Plans for the Light and Ventilation of New Tenement-houses.

Resolved, That the following plans for the light and ventilation of new tenement-houses be and are hereby approved, upon the conditions described in the permits issued, and the said plans and specifications are hereby modified in accordance therewith :

Plan No. 3228-2, for one tenement-house at No. 41 Essex street.
 Plan No. 3567, for one tenement-house at No. 5 East Eighty-fourth street.
 Plan No. 3568, for three tenement-houses, north side One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, seventy-five feet west of Eighth avenue.
 Plan No. 3569, for one tenement-house, east side Tenth avenue, fifty feet north of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, conditionally.
 Plan No. 3570, for two tenement-houses, southeast corner One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street and Courtland avenue, conditionally.
 Plan No. 3571, for four tenement-houses at Nos. 500, 502, 504 and 506 Eleventh avenue.
 Plan No. 3572, for one tenement-house, north side of Thirty-ninth street, one hundred and forty feet west of Second avenue.
 Plan No. 3575, for one tenement-house, north side of Eighty-fifth street, ninety-eight feet east of Avenue A.
 Plan No. 3577, for one tenement-house at No. 317 West Seventeenth street.
 Plan No. 3578, for two tenement-houses, Nos. 174 and 176 East Seventy-seventh street.
 Plan No. 3579, for one tenement-house, southeast corner of Jersey and Crosby streets.
 Plan No. 3580, for one tenement-house at Nos. 35 and 35½ Division street.
 Plan No. 3582, for one tenement-house at No. 430 Clinton avenue.
 Plan No. 3583, for one tenement-house, northwest corner of North Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street.
 Plan No. 3585, for one tenement-house, southeast corner One Hundred and Fiftieth street and Railroad avenue.
 Plan No. 3586, for six tenement-houses, south side of One Hundred and Twenty-second street, one hundred feet east of Madison avenue.

Disapproved.

Resolved, That the following plans for the light and ventilation of new tenement-houses be and are hereby disapproved :

Plan No. 3541, for one tenement-house at No. 267 Mulberry street.
 Plan No. 3581, for one tenement-house, east side of Broadway, fifty-one feet south of Fortieth street.

Resolved, That the application of Messrs. Lederle & Co. to modify plans for light and ventilation for No. 430 West Thirty-eighth street, be and is hereby approved.

Action of the Board on Plans for the Plumbing and Drainage of New Houses.

Resolved, That plans for the plumbing and drainage of new houses be and are hereby approved upon the conditions contained in the statement of the action of the Board attached in each case to the specifications submitted with the plans and the said plans and specifications are hereby modified in accordance therewith :

Plan No. 3824 (supplementary), for four tenement-houses on and adjoining northwest corner of Second avenue and One Hundred and Fifth street.
 Plan No. 3933-2, for one warehouse, north side of Barclay street, fifty-six feet east of Greenwich street.
 Plan No. 4035, for one office building, southwest corner of One Hundred and Sixteenth street and Third avenue, conditionally.
 Plan No. 4039, for one school-house, No. 510 East Fifteenth street, as amended.
 Plan No. 4043, for one tenement-house, southwest corner of North Third avenue and One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, conditionally.
 Plan No. 4047, for four dwellings on and adjoining southeast corner of Lexington avenue and Ninety-first street.
 Plan No. 4048, for three tenement-houses, west side Third avenue, twenty-five feet south of One Hundred and Sixth street.
 Plan No. 4050, for one tenement-house, east side Tenth avenue, fifty feet north of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street.
 Plan No. 4051, for one store-house, No. 302 Greenwich street.
 Plan No. 4052, for one shop, north side Fifty-eighth street, one hundred feet west of First avenue, conditionally.
 Plan No. 4053, for two stores, north side of Duane street, seventy-five feet west of Staple street, as amended.
 Plan No. 4054, for one warehouse, No. 18 Harrison street.
 Plan No. 4055, for three tenement-houses, north side of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, seventy-five feet west of Eighth avenue.
 Plan No. 4056, for one stable, north side of Fifty-ninth street, seventy-five feet east of Third avenue.
 Plan No. 4057, for one tenement-house at No. 661 Washington street.
 Plan No. 4058, for four tenement-houses, northwest corner of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street and Eighth avenue, conditionally.
 Plan No. 4059, for one tenement-house, southwest corner of One Hundred and Forty-fourth street and Rider avenue.
 Plan No. 4060, for one tenement-house, north side of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, one hundred feet east of Courtland avenue.
 Plan No. 4061, for eight dwellings, south side of One Hundred and Twenty-first street, three hundred and forty feet west of Sixth avenue.
 Plan No. 4062, for three dwellings, north side of Ninety-fourth street, two hundred and twenty-five feet west of Eighth avenue.
 Plan No. 4063, for one tenement-house, southeast corner of Fifty-fifth street and Eighth avenue.
 Plan No. 4064, for three dwellings, east side of Seventh avenue, twenty-four feet south of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, conditionally.
 Plan No. 4066, for one tenement-house, north side of Eighty-fifth street, ninety-eight feet east of Avenue A.
 Plan No. 4067, for three tenement-houses, north side of One Hundred and Fifth street, one hundred and forty-five feet east of Lexington avenue.
 Plan No. 4068, for one stable, north side of One Hundred and Fifth street, one hundred and eighty-two feet east of Lexington avenue.
 Plan No. 4069, for one tenement-house, north side of Thirty-ninth street, one hundred and forty feet west of Second avenue.

Plan No. 4070, for one dwelling, west side of Washington avenue, three hundred feet north of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street.
 Plan No. 4071, for eight dwellings, north side of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, one hundred feet west of Seventh avenue, as amended.
 Plan No. 4072, for one tenement-house, No. 317 West Seventeenth street, conditionally.
 Plan No. 4073, for one dwelling at Hudson Park, New York City.
 Plan No. 4074, for one church edifice at Kingsbridge.
 Plan No. 4075, for one dwelling, south side of Rockfield street, one hundred and fifty feet west of Washington avenue.
 Plan No. 4076, for one dwelling, west side of North Third avenue, No. 1299.
 Plan No. 4077, for two dwelling-houses, west side of North Third avenue, one hundred feet south of One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street.
 Plan No. 4078, for one extension, south side of Nineteenth street, forty feet west of First avenue.
 Plan No. 4079, for one tenement-house, north side of One Hundred and Third street, forty-three feet of First avenue.
 Plan No. 4080, for one dwelling, east side of Madison avenue, seventy-five feet south of One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, conditionally.
 Plan No. 4082, for an addition to church east side of Madison avenue, fifty feet north of Sixty-sixth street.
 Plan No. 4084, for one gate lodge, north side of Twenty-sixth street, two hundred feet east of First avenue.
 Plan No. 4086, for six dwellings, north side of Eighty-second street, one hundred feet east of Tenth avenue.
 Plan No. 4087, for one tenement-house south side of Thirty-seventh street, seventy-two feet east of Tenth avenue.
 Plan No. 4088, for one dwelling, west side of St. Nicholas avenue, twenty-five feet north of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, conditionally.
 Plan No. 4089, for one tenement-house, northwest corner Ninth avenue and Ninety-sixth street, conditionally.
 Plan No. 4090, for six dwellings, south side One Hundred and Thirty-first street, one hundred and twenty-seven feet west of Fifth avenue.
 Plan No. 4091, for one tenement-house, south side Eightieth street, one hundred feet east of Fifth avenue.
 Plan No. 4092, for one office building north side Liberty street, one hundred and sixteen feet east of Nassau street, conditionally.
 Plan No. 4093, for one tenement-house, southeast corner of One Hundred and Fiftieth street and Railroad avenue.
 Plan No. 4094, for one tenement-house, east side Third avenue, seventy-five feet south of Twenty-seventh street.
 Plan No. 4095, for four dwellings, south side Ninety-first street, eighty-two feet west of Fourth avenue.
 Plan No. 4096, for two dwellings, east side Washington avenue, one hundred and fifty feet south of One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street.
 Plan No. 4097, for one dwelling, west side Second avenue, two hundred and seventy-five feet north of Ogden avenue.
 Plan No. 4098, for one dwelling, north side Devoe street, two hundred feet west of Ogden avenue.
 Plan No. 4102, for one dwelling, north side Seventy-fifth street, one hundred feet east of Avenue A.

Tabled for Amendment.

Resolved, That plans for plumbing and drainage of the following new houses be and are hereby tabled for amendment:
 Plan No. 4081, for one tenement-house, No. 430 Clinton avenue.
 Plan No. 4085, for an extension to No. 43 West Forty-eighth street.
 Resolved, That violations of law in the plumbing and drainage of the following new houses be and are hereby referred to the Attorney:
 Violation No. 2626, for one house, north side One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, one hundred and seventy-five feet east of Willis avenue.
 Violation No. 2666, for one house, north side Fifty-fifth street, one hundred and fifty feet west of Tenth avenue.
 Violation No. 2731, for eight houses on and adjoining northwest corner of Seventy-eighth street and Eleventh avenue.
 Violation No. 2752, for two houses, south side Ninety-fifth street, one hundred and ninety-nine feet west of Ninth avenue.
 Violation No. 2761, for three houses, south side One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, one hundred feet east of Tenth avenue.
 Violation No. 2779, for one house, southwest corner Sixty-second street and Fourth avenue.
 Violation No. 2786, for one house, northwest corner Forty-first street and Ninth avenue.
 Resolved, That violations of law in the light and ventilation of the following new houses be and are hereby referred to the Attorney:
 Violation No. 181, for one tenement-house, No. 409 East Seventy-fifth street.
 Violation No. 191, for two lodging-houses, Nos. 37 and 39 Bowery.
 Violation No. 201, for one tenement-house, south side One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, one hundred feet east of Robbins avenue.
 Violation No. 203, for one tenement-house, No. 610 One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street.
 Violation No. 204, for one tenement-house, west side First avenue, fifty-one feet south of Seventy-fourth street.

Fruit Inspections.

ARTICLES SEIZED.	BARRELS.	BUSHELS.	BASKETS.	BOXES.	CRATES.	NO. OF.	LOADS.
Apples.....	25½	60	13	..	105	..	..
Bananas.....	490	..
Butter.....	8	..	..	..
Cheese.....	21	..
Cocoanuts.....	½	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cucumbers.....	2	..	..	..
Eggs.....	100	..
Egg Plant.....	10	..
Muskmelons.....	33	..	..	..	11	130	..
Peaches.....	78½	1	69	..	..
Pears.....	..	22	8	851	9	..	2
Plums.....	1	3	..	..
Sundries.....	2
Tomatoes.....	14	..	..
Watermelons.....	1,821	..

Sanitary Bureau.

The following is a record of the work performed in the Sanitary Bureau for the week ending August 15, 1885:
 The total number of inspections made by the Sanitary Inspectors was 7,010.
 The number of complaints returned by the Sanitary Inspectors was 756.
 During the past week 427 complaints were received from citizens and referred to the Sanitary Inspectors for investigation and report.
 There were issued to the consignees of vessels to discharge cargoes on vouchers from the Health Officer of the Port, 98 permits.
 There were issued to consignees to discharge rags (in bulk, under bonds), 5 permits.
 There were issued, under the Sanitary Code, 11 miscellaneous permits.
 There were issued to scavengers to empty, clean, and disinfect privy-sinks, 155 permits.
 At premises where contagious diseases were reported 20 visits were made, and 5 disinfections and 3 fumigations were performed.
 The number of cases of contagious diseases removed to Riverside Hospital was 4.
 There were seized and condemned 9,690 pounds of meat, and 4,800 pounds of fish.
 The number of specimens of milk examined was 88; the number of arrests made was 1.
 The Special Disinfecting Corps have disinfected 25,671 privies; 18,785 yards; 16,386 cellars; 24,354 garbage boxes and 129½ miles of street gutters, etc.

Fruit Inspections.

ARTICLES SEIZED.	BARRELS.	BUSHELS.	BASKETS.	BOXES.	CRATES.	BUNCHES.	NO. OF.
Apples.....	46	26	23	..	..	..	..
Bananas.....	..	..	..	..	..	103	880
Cocoanuts.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	350
Egg Plant.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	10
Lemons.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	50
Musk Melons.....	61	..	3	..	12	..	270
Pears.....	9	7	35	..	11	..	..
Peaches.....	2	..	198	..	18	..	..
Plums.....	..	..	½	1	2	..	..
Pickles.....	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sundries.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	3½ loads
Tomatoes.....	..	..	1	..	2	..	..
Turnips.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Watermelons.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	687

The following is a record of the work performed in the Sanitary Bureau for the week ending August 22, 1885:

The total number of inspections made by the Sanitary Inspectors was 6,692.
 The number of complaints returned by the Sanitary Inspectors was 819.
 During the past week 426 complaints were received from citizens and referred to the Sanitary Inspectors for investigation and report.
 There were issued to the consignees of vessels to discharge cargoes on vouchers from the Health Officer of the Port, 78 permits.
 There were issued to consignees to discharge rags (in bulk, under bonds), 4 permits.
 There was issued to remove manure from stables in the city, 1 permit.
 There were issued, under the Sanitary Code, 5 miscellaneous permits.
 There were issued to scavengers to empty, clean and disinfect privy sinks, 175 permits.
 At premises where contagious diseases were reported 10 visits were made, and 5 disinfections and 5 fumigations were performed.
 The number of cases of contagious diseases removed to Riverside Hospital was 3.
 The number of vaccinations performed was 16, of which 12 were primary and 4 re-vaccinations.
 There were seized and condemned 9,673 pounds of meat and 2,485 pounds of fish.
 The number of specimens of milk examined was 147.
 The Disinfecting Corps have disinfected 21,356 privies, 15,563 yards, 13,740 cellars, 20,582 garbage boxes, 129½ miles street gutters, etc.

The certificates of 766 births, 70 still-births, 128 marriages, and 756 deaths, reported to have taken place in this city, were received by this Bureau during the week ending Saturday, August 15, 1885. This shows an increase of 170 births, 16 still-births and 108 deaths, and a decrease of 66 marriages, when compared with the number received during the preceding week, but when compared with the corresponding week of the year 1884, there was an increase of 209 births, 12 still-births and 99 deaths, and a decrease of 13 marriages. Compared with the mortality reported during the preceding week, the deaths from alcoholism decreased 2; heart diseases, 2; marasmus, tabes mesenterica and scrofula, 7; meningitis and encephalitis, 14; convulsions, 1; apoplexy, 2; all diseases of the brain and nervous system, 8; cyanosis and atelectasis, 6; surgical operations, 1; while the deaths from measles increased 3; scarlatina, 1; diphtheria, 3; croup, 7; whooping cough, 10; erysipelas, 3; typhoid fever, 1; cerebro-spinal fever, 1; malarial fevers, 4; puerperal diseases, 1; diarrhoeal diseases, 22; inanition, 8; rheumatism and gout, 3; cancer, 3; phthisis pulmonalis, 6; bronchitis, 3; pneumonia, 4; hydrocephalus and tubercular meningitis, 6; direct effect of solar heat, 5; cirrhosis and hepatitis, 1; gastritis, enteritis, and peritonitis, 7; Bright's disease and nephritis, 7; premature and preterm births, 2; suicide, 2; and drowning, 4.

Deaths from the principal Zymotic Diseases, Phthisis Pulmonalis, Pneumonia, Bronchitis, and Children under five years of age, reported during the week and compared with the three preceding weeks.

WEEK ENDING—	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlatina.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Whooping Cough.	Typhus Fever.	Typhoid Fever.	Cerebro-Spinal Fever.	Remittent, Intermittent, Typho-Malarial, Con- gestive, and Simple Continued Fevers.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Phthisis Pulmonalis.	Pneumonia.	Bronchitis.	Diseases of the Nervous System.	Diseases of the Urinary System.	DEATHS OF CHILDREN.		
																	Under 1 year of age.	Under 2 years of age.	Under 5 years of age.
July 25, 1885.....	1	16	10	26	4	15	1	6	3	6	381	86	34	26	150	43	479	644	754
Aug. 1, " .....	..	7	5	15	9	14	..	5	2	7	298	80	20	18	124	43	359	442	484
" 8, " .....	..	3	3	15	9	16	..	5	2	7	159	96	28	14	70	36	232	289	339
" 15, " .....	..	6	4	18	16	26	..	6	3	11	181	102	32	17	62	40	276	342	392
Total.....	1	32	22	74	38	71	1	22	10	31	1019	364	114	75	406	162	1346	1717	1979

The ages of 276 of the persons who died during the week were reported to be under one year, 342 under two years, 392 under five years, and 0 seventy years and over, which shows that the number of deaths of children under five years of age was 53 more than the number reported during the preceding week, and represent 51.85 per cent. of the total weekly mortality.

Deaths reported from Small-pox, Measles, Scarlatina, Diphtheria, Membranous Croup, Whooping Cough, Typhus, Typhoid, Cerebro-Spinal, and Malarial Fevers, in Institutions, Tenement and other Dwellings, with Average Age, Floor, and Ward where the Death occurred, and the Hour of Death, for the week ending August 15, 1885.

DISEASE.	In Houses containing 3 Families and under.	In Houses containing over 3 Families.	Canal Boats.	Hotels and Boarding-houses.	Institutions.	FLOOR.										AVERAGE AGE.			
						Basement.	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.	Top.	Not Stated.	Years.	Months.	Days.		
Small-pox.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Measles.....	..	5	..	..	1	..	2	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	10	2	..	..
Scarlatina.....	1	3	..	..	..	1	..	1	1	1	1	..	..	..	5	9	15	..	..
Diphtheria.....	4	14	..	..	..	3	4	4	5	2	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..
Membranous Croup..	2	12	..	..	1	1	3	4	2	4	..	..	..	..	2	11	..	..	..
Whooping Cough....	6	19	..	..	1	..	5	9	6	3	..	..	2	..	1	2	10	..	..
Typhus Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Typhoid Fever.....	1	3	..	..	2	..	1	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	21	2	11	..	..
Cerebro-Spinal Fever	2	1	..	..	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	11	18	..	..
Malarial Fevers.....	3	8	..	..	..	5	3	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	36	3	7	..	..

DISEASE.	WARDS.																								TOTAL DEATHS.
	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.	Seventh.	Eighth.	Ninth.	Tenth.	Eleventh.	Twelfth.	Thirteenth.	Fourteenth.	Fifteenth.	Sixteenth.	Seventeenth.	Eighteenth.	Nineteenth.	Twentieth.	Twenty-first.	Twenty-second.	Twenty-third.	Twenty-fourth.	
Small-pox.....
Measles.....	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	6
Scarlatina.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	4
Diphtheria	1	..	1	1	1	..	..	1	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	3	1	1	2	2	..	18
Membranous Croup..	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	4	2	1	1	4	..	..	15
Whooping Cough....	1	..	..	..	5	1	1	..	1	4	4	1	1	4	2	..	1	..	26
Typhus Fever.....
Typhoid Fever.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	2	2	..	..	6
Cerebro-Spinal Fever	1	..	..	1	1	..	3	
Malarial Fevers.....	1	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	4	1	..	11	

Hours at which Deaths Occurred.

DISEASE.	A. M.												P. M.												Total.	
	1 o'clock.	2 o'clock.	3 o'clock.	4 o'clock.	5 o'clock.	6 o'clock.	7 o'clock.	8 o'clock.	9 o'clock.	10 o'clock.	11 o'clock.	12 o'clock.	1 o'clock.	2 o'clock.	3 o'clock.	4 o'clock.	5 o'clock.	6 o'clock.	7 o'clock.	8 o'clock.	9 o'clock.	10 o'clock.	11 o'clock.	12 o'clock.		Not stated.
Small-pox.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Measles.....	..	..	..	..	..	I	..	I	..	..	..	..	I	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	I	..	..	..	6
Scarlatina.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	I	..	..	I	..	..	..	..	..	I	..	..	..	..	..	I	..	..	4
Diphtheria.....	I	..	..	I	..	..	3	2	..	I	..	..	I	I	I	I	..	..	4	..	..	I	I	..	..	18
Membranous Croup..	2	..	..	I	..	I	..	..	I	2	..	I	..	I	..	4	I	..	..	..	..	I	..	..	..	15
Whooping Cough....	2	..	I	3	2	I	..	..	3	2	I	..	I	I	..	I	I	2	3	..	..	..	2	..	..	26
Typhus Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Typhoid Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	I	..	..	I	I	I	I	..	..	I	..	..	..	6
Cerebro-Spinal Fever	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	I	..	..	..	..	I	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	I	..	..	..	3
Malarial Fevers.....	..	..	I	..	I	I	I	..	I	..	..	..	..	I	..	..	2	..	..	I	I	..	I	..	..	11

Of the total number of deaths reported for the week, 141 were in institutions, 451 in tenement-houses, 145 in houses containing three families or less, 2 in hotels and boarding-houses, 16 in rivers, streets, boats, etc.; 17 were on the basement floor, 125 on the first, 182 on the second, 132 on the third, 112 on the fourth, 28 on the fifth, 2 on the sixth; 756 were stated to be residents of New York City, and 6 non-residents; 85 were stated to be single, 152 married, 55 widowed, and the condition of 464 was not stated; these were children who had not attained a marriageable age.

The total number of burial permits issued during the week are as follows, viz. : City deaths, 756 ; still-births, 70 ; bodies in transitu, 24 ; of the total burial permits issued for city deaths and still-births, 86 were upon certificates received from the Coroners ; 766 births, 128 marriages, 70 still-births, 756 deaths ; 24 applications for transit permits were recorded, indexed and tabulated ; 100 searches of the registers of births, marriages, and deaths were made, and 10 transcripts of the birth record, 8 of marriage, and 66 of death were issued during the week.

The mean temperature for the week ending August 15, 1885, was 76.1 degrees Fahr., the mean reading of the barometer was 29.866, the mean humidity was 78, saturation being 100, the number of miles traveled by the wind was 959, and the total amount of rain-fall was 0.95 inch depth of water, as reported by D. Draper, Ph. D., Director of the New York Meteorological Observatory, Central Park.

The disposition of 741 deaths and still-births, or 89.71 per cent. of the total number reported, was in the following 14 cemeteries: Bayside (Jewish), 26; Calvary (Roman Catholic), 296; City pauper burial-ground (undenominational), 94; Greenwood (undenominational), 37; Lutheran (undenominational), 145; Cypress Hills (undenominational), 16; Evergreen (undenominational), 46; Woodlawn (undenominational), 28; St. Michael's (Protestant Episcopal), 17; Union (Methodist Protestant), 2; Holy Cross (Roman Catholic), 11; Machpelah, L. I. (Jewish), 7; St. Raymond's (Roman Catholic), 7; Washington (undenominational), 9.

The distribution of deaths (actual mortality) for the week ending August 8, 1885, was in the following Wards, viz.: First, 9; Second, 1; Third, 2; Fourth, 6; Fifth, 7; Sixth, 6; Seventh, 16; Eighth, 23; Ninth, 28; Tenth, 37; Eleventh, 37; Twelfth, 90; Thirteenth, 14; Fourteenth, 11; Fifteenth, 12; Sixteenth, 11; Seventeenth, 36; Eighteenth, 37; Nineteenth, 120; Twentieth, 37; Twenty-first, 40; Twenty-second, 73; Twenty-third, 15; Twenty-fourth, 9.

The actual mortality for the week ending August 8, 1885, was 677; this is 36 less than the number that occurred during the corresponding week of the year 1884, and 88.6 less than the average of the corresponding weeks of the past five years, and represents an annual death-rate of 25.11 per 1,000 persons living, the population estimated at 1,401,732.

The annual death-rate per 1,000 persons living, of the estimated or enumerated population, according to the most recent weekly returns of Philadelphia was 23.14; Brooklyn, 22.49; Baltimore, 21.20; Boston, 30.18; New Orleans, 24; Buffalo, 14.95; Charleston, 30.83; Cleveland, 35.88; Galveston, 14.30; Worcester, 29.25; Cambridge, 30.67; Fall River, 22.38; Lawrence, 19.41; Lynn, 28.95; Springfield, 20.47; Pittsburg, 18.98. Monthly returns—Cincinnati, 24.62; Burlington, 21.65; Lansing, 11.04; Mobile, 29.40; Toledo, 18.20; Norfolk, 38.03; Detroit, 28.40; Oakland, 13.95; Wilmington, Del., 30.66. Foreign cities—weekly returns—London, 22.4; Liverpool, 21.4; Birmingham, 17.6; Manchester, 25.7; Glasgow, 21.3; Edinburgh, 14.9; Dundee, 20.4; Dublin, 23.3; Belfast, 26.6; Cork, 14.9; Brussels, 18.7; Antwerp, 24.5; Ghent, 31.4; Paris, 22.10; Rome, 23.9; Venice, 26.4; Berlin, 41.2; Munich, 38.1; Breslau, 42.4; Vienna, 28.2; Stockholm, 21.3; Christiania, 19.09; Amsterdam, 20.7; Rotterdam, 17.2; The Hague, 18.5; Calcutta, 18.0; Bombay, 24.39; Geneva, with suburbs, 13.1; Basel, 21.2; Bern, 22.9; Havre, 32.4; Salford, 22.5; Copenhagen, 19.3; St. Petersburg, 28.5; Liege, 23.1; Prague and suburbs, 31.0. Monthly returns, Sydney, 23.8; Melbourne and suburbs, 19.6.

The certificates of 602 births, 66 still-births, 250 marriages and 623 deaths, reported to have taken place in this city, were received by this Bureau during the week ending Saturday, August 22, 1885. This shows a decrease of 164 births, 4 still-births and 133 deaths, and an increase of 122 marriages, when compared with the number received during the preceding week; but when compared with the corresponding week of the year 1884, there was an increase of 37 births, 11 still-births and 64 marriages, and a decrease of 133 deaths. Compared with the mortality reported during the preceding week, the deaths from measles decreased 4; scarlatina, 2; diphtheria, 5; croup, 10; whooping cough, 16; erysipelas, 1; puerperal diseases, 1; diarrhoeal diseases, 38; alcoholism, 1; rheumatism and gout, 5; phthisis pulmonalis, 26; bronchitis, 3; pneumonia, 7; hydrocephalus and tubercular meningitis, 10; meningitis and encephalitis, 3; direct effect of solar heat, 4; apoplexy, 2; all diseases of the brain and nervous system, 11; Bright's disease and nephritis, 9; premature and pretermatural births, 9; suicide, 1; and drowning, 2; while the deaths from malarial fevers increased 2; inanition, 1; cancer, 8; heart diseases, 5; aneurism, 3; marasmus, tabes mesenterica and scrofula, 1; gastritis, enteritis and peritonitis, 3; cyanosis and atelectasis, 1. The number of deaths from typhoid fever, cerebro-spinal fever, convulsions, and cirrhosis and hepatitis was the same in the two successive weeks.

Deaths from the principal Zymotic Diseases, Phthisis Pulmonalis, Pneumonia, Bronchitis, and Children under five years of age, reported during the week and compared with the three preceding weeks.

WEEK ENDING—		Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlatina.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Whooping Cough.	Typhus Fever.	Typhoid Fever.	Cerebro-Spinal Fever.	Remittent, Typho-Malarial, Congestive and Simple Continued Fevers.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Phthisis Pulmonalis.	Pneumonia.	Bronchitis.	Diseases of the Nervous System.	Diseases of the Urinary System.	DEATHS OF CHILDREN.		
Aug.	i, 1885....	..	7	5	15	9	14	..	5	2	7	298	80	20	18	124	43	Under 1 year of age.	Under 2 years of age.	Under 5 years of age.
"	8, "	3	3	15	9	16	..	5	2	7	159	96	28	14	70	36	359	442	484
"	15, "	6	4	18	16	26	..	6	3	11	181	102	32	17	62	40	276	342	392
"	22, "	2	2	13	6	10	..	6	3	13	143	76	25	14	51	31	209	248	298
Totals.....		..	18	14	61	40	66	..	22	10	38	781	354	105	63	317	150	1076	1321	1513

The ages of 209 of the persons who died during the week were reported to be under one year; 248 under two years, 298 under five years, and 46 seventy years and over, which shows that the number of deaths of children under five years of age was 94 less than the number reported during the preceding week, and represent 47.83 per cent. of the total weekly mortality.

Deaths reported from Small-pox, Measles, Scarlatina, Diphtheria, Membranous Croup, Whooping Cough, Typhus, Typhoid, Cerebro-Spinal, and Malarial Fevers, in Institutions, Tenement and other Dwellings, with Average Age, Floor, and Ward where the Death occurred, and the Hour of Death, for the week ending August 22, 1885.

DISEASE.	In Houses containing 3 Families and under.	In Houses containing over 3 Families.	Canal Boats.	Hotels and Boarding-houses.	Institutions.	FLOOR.											AVERAGE AGE.		
						Basement.	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.	Top.	Not Stated.	Years.	Months.	Days.		
Small-pox.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Measles.....	..	2	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	2	..
Scarlatina.....	1	1	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	8	6	..
Diphtheria.....	4	9	..	..	..	..	1	4	3	5	..	..	..	..	..	3	1	23	..
Membranous Croup.....	1	5	..	..	..	..	2	2	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	2	..
Whooping Cough.....	2	8	..	..	..	..	2	2	4	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	3	22	..
Typhus Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Typhoid Fever.....	1	3	..	..	2	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	25	10	14	..
Cerebro-Spinal Fever.....	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	11	27	..
Malarial Fevers.....	2	10	..	..	1	..	3	4	4	1	..	..	..	..	..	21	8	11	..

DISEASE.	WARDS.																								TOTAL DEATHS.
	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.	Seventh.	Eighth.	Ninth.	Tenth.	Eleventh.	Twelfth.	Thirteenth.	Fourteenth.	Fifteenth.	Sixteenth.	Seventeenth.	Eighteenth.	Nineteenth.	Twentieth.	Twenty-first.	Twenty-second.	Twenty-third.	Twenty-fourth.	
Small-pox.....
Measles.....	1	1
Scarlatina.....	1	1	2
Diphtheria.....	1	1	1	5	..	3	2	13
Membranous Croup.	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	6	
Whooping Cough....	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	2	3	..	1	1	..	..	..	10	
Typhus Fever.....	
Typhoid Fever.....	1	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	6	
Cerebro-Spinal Fever	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	3	
Malarial Fevers.....	1	..	..	1	1	2	..	2	1	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	13	

Hours at which Deaths Occurred.

DISEASE.	A. M.												P. M.												Total.	
	1 o'clock.	2 o'clock.	3 o'clock.	4 o'clock.	5 o'clock.	6 o'clock.	7 o'clock.	8 o'clock.	9 o'clock.	10 o'clock.	11 o'clock.	12 o'clock.	1 o'clock.	2 o'clock.	3 o'clock.	4 o'clock.	5 o'clock.	6 o'clock.	7 o'clock.	8 o'clock.	9 o'clock.	10 o'clock.	11 o'clock.	12 o'clock.		Notated.
Small-pox
Measles	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Scarlatina	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Diphtheria	1	2	..	1	..	1	..	1	1	1	1	1	2	..	..	1	..	1	..	13
Membranous Croup.	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	6
Whooping Cough....	..	1	..	3	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	10
Typhus Fever.....
Typhoid Fever.....	1	1	..	1	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	6
Cerebro-Spinal Fever	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
Malarial Fevers.....	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	1	..	1	3	1	..	2	..	1	..	..	13

Of the total number of deaths reported for the week, 117 were in institutions, 356 in tenement-houses, 139 in houses containing three families or less, 3 in hotels and boarding-houses, 6 in rivers, streets, boats, etc.; 7 were on the basement floor, 124 on the first, 161 on the second, 99 on the third, 83 on the fourth, 23 on the fifth, 1 on the sixth; 623 were stated to be residents of New York City and 0 non-resident, 56 were stated to be single, 126 married, 56 widowed, and the condition of 385 was not stated, these were children who had not attained a marriageable age.

The total number of burial permits issued during the week are as follows, viz. : City deaths, 623 ; still-births, 66 ; bodies in transitu, 20 ; of the total burial permits issued for city deaths and still-

births 67 were upon certificates received from the Coroners; 602 births, 250 marriages, 66 still-births, 623 deaths, 20 applications for transit permits were recorded, indexed and tabulated; 144 searches of the registers of births, marriages and deaths were made, and 7 transcripts of the birth record, 7 of marriage and 70 of death were issued during the week.

The mean temperature for the week ending August 22, 1885, was 73.3 degrees Fahrenheit, the mean reading of the barometer was 29.926; the mean humidity was 73, saturation being 100; the number of miles traveled by the wind was 895, and the total amount of rain-fall was 0.25 inch depth of water, as reported by D. Draper, Ph. D., Director of the New York Meteorological Observatory, Central Park.

The disposition of 608 deaths and still-births, or 88.24 per cent, of the total number reported, was in the following 14 cemeteries: Bayside (Jewish), 22; Calvary (Roman Catholic), 247; City pauper burial-ground (undenominational), 88; Greenwood (undenominational), 24; Lutheran (undenominational), 108; Cypress Hills (undenominational), 17; Evergreen (undenominational), 38; Woodlawn (undenominational), 17; St. Michael's (Protestant Episcopal), 13; Union (Methodist Protestant), 4; Holy Cross (Roman Catholic), 3; Machpelah, L. I. (Jewish), 6; St. Raymond's (Roman Catholic), 10; Washington (undenominational), 11.

The distribution of deaths (actual mortality) for the week ending August 15, 1885, was in the following wards, viz.: First, 4; Second, 1; Third, 1; Fourth, 10; Fifth, 11; Sixth, 19; Seventh, 22; Eighth, 16; Ninth, 20; Tenth, 29; Eleventh, 33; Twelfth, 84; Thirteenth, 14; Fourteenth, 23; Fifteenth, 14; Sixteenth, 25; Seventeenth, 42; Eighteenth, 40; Nineteenth, 121; Twentieth, 43; Twenty-first, 51; Twenty-second, 70; Twenty-third, 14; Twenty-fourth, 7.

The actual mortality for the week ending August 15, 1885, was 714; this is 56 more than the number that occurred during the corresponding week of the year 1884, and 15.4 more than the average of the corresponding weeks of the past five years, and represents an annual death rate of 26.47 per 1,000 persons living, the population estimated at 1,402,531.

The annual death-rate per 1,000 persons living, of the estimated or enumerated population, according to the most recent weekly returns of Philadelphia was 26.90; Baltimore, 17.07; New Orleans, 22.88; Richmond, 25.65; Charleston, 31.82; Erie, 12.65; Galveston, 18.20; Pittsburgh, 24.70. Monthly returns—Chicago, 29.22; San Francisco, 23.83; Milwaukee, 18.67; Providence, 24.00; Nashville, 27.40; Knoxville, 24.06; Salt Lake, 24.85. Foreign cities—weekly returns—London, 22.0; Liverpool, 24.9; Birmingham, 17.7; Manchester, 24.3; Glasgow, 24.5; Edinburgh, 15.6; Dundee, 15.7; Dublin, 19.8; Belfast, 29.0; Cork, 26.6; Brussels, 21.3; Antwerp, 22.9; Ghent, 30.9; Paris, 20.52; Venice, 29.9; Munich, 34.3; Vienna, 24.9; Stockholm, 17.7; Christiania, 13.41; Amsterdam, 17.5; Rotterdam, 17.2; The Hague, 15.1; Liege, 23.5; Prague and suburbs, 29.0; St. Petersburg, 27.7; Calcutta, 23.3; Bombay, 23.40; Madras, 32.2; Geneva with suburbs, 24.1; Basel, 11.3; Bern, 31.7; Warsaw, 40.12; Salford, 23.8; Amiens, 28.7; Berlin, 38.9; Breslau, 36.1. Monthly return—Sydney, 23.8. Semi-monthly return—Saint-Etienne, 22.5. Returns for ten days—Turin, 16.97; Cadiz, 34.2.

By order of the Board.

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

At a meeting of the Board of Docks held August 26, 1885.

Present—Commissioners Koch and Matthews.

Absent—Commissioner Stark.

The minutes of the meetings held August 19th and 21st instant 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 Department of Street Cleaning—Requesting the Board to examine and repair the under structures or foundations on which the dumping-boards located at the foot of Canal and West Twelfth streets, North river, and at the foot of Thirty-eighth and Forty-sixth streets, East river, are erected. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to examine and report.

From Long Island Railroad Company—Requesting the Board to approve of the transfer to them of the east half of Pier 33, East river, by Wm. P. Clyde & Co., representatives of the estate of Thomas Clyde, lessee, and also requesting permission to make suitable openings in the shed or cover of the same so as to enable the said railroad company to transact its business of transferring freight on cars to Long Island City. Referred to the President.

From Ernest C. Webb, attorney for Joseph S. Mundy—In reference to the use of friction-drums by the Department.

From A. T. Wyckoff—Requesting permission to use unoccupied dumping-board located on south side of Pier foot of Twenty-second street, East river. Referred to the Treasurer.

From James Millward—Requesting a lease of the bulkhead running from the south side of Sixtieth street to the south side of Sixty-second street, East river. Referred to the Treasurer.

From Tim Shea—Requesting permission to cover with tin or galvanized sheet-iron the sheds recently erected on bulkhead south of Pier, old 54, North river. Referred to the President.

From Engineer-in-Chief—In reference to, and stating that the dredging heretofore ordered at the bulkhead between Thirty-eighth and Thirty-ninth streets, and half slip south of Thirty-ninth street, North river, has not been done by the alleged owners. Referred to the Treasurer.

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 and requesting information respecting certain claims received for collection. President to furnish information.

2d. In reference to dredging and placing crib bulkhead at One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street and Second avenue, Harlem river, by Manhattan Elevated Railway Company, without having obtained a permit from this Department. The action of the President in requesting the Counsel to the Corporation to commence proceedings to restrain the said railway company from doing the work thereat approved.

From the Department of Street Cleaning—In reference to cleaning piers at Fifty-fifth street, North river, and Eighty-sixth street, East river.

From A. E. Outerbridge & Co., agents Quebec Steamship Company—In reference to bill received for repairing the approach to Pier, new 47, North river. Claim to be sent to the Counsel to the Corporation for collection.

From Ridgewood Ice Company—In reference to repairing Pier at Third street, East river.

From New Haven Steamboat Company—Requesting permission to drive oak piles on north side of Pier 25, East river, and to repair the bulkhead between Piers 25 and 26, East river. The action of the President in issuing a permit therefor, the said work to be done under the supervision and direction of the Engineer-in-Chief, was approved.

From Engineer-in-Chief:

1st. Reporting assignment of employees to special duty other than that to which they were appointed. Secretary directed to notify the Bookkeeper.

2d. Reporting that there is about 1,500 loads of earth-filling needed at West Thirtieth street, North river. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to open the dump at Thirtieth street, North river, and to receive thereat about 1,500 loads of dirt, free of charge, to finish the work required at the place mentioned.

3d. Reporting the amount of work done during the week ending August 1st instant.

4th. Reporting the amount of work done during the week ending August 8th instant.

5th. Reporting the amount of work done during the week ending August 15th instant.

6th. Reporting that he had suspended Dennis Mahoney, Laborer, acting Watchman, for being found asleep while on duty, on the night of August 24th instant, and recommending that he be not again assigned to duty as acting Watchman, and also reporting that he had suspended August Lorenz, Laborer, acting Watchman, for being found off post, on the night of August 24th instant, and recommending that he be not again assigned to duty as acting Watchman for ten days. The action of the Engineer-in-Chief approved and recommendations adopted.

7th. In reference to and reporting the measures necessary to be taken for the protection and safety of persons on Pier foot of Thirteenth street, North river. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to replace fence on the said pier, and the President to notify Miss Kate Bennett, the owner of the bath located thereat, to remove therefrom during the ensuing week.

8th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 4632, as to the condition of and repairs required to the bulkhead between Piers 43 and 44, East river. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to repair.

9th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 4619 as to the condition of and repairs required to Pier foot of Third street, East river. President to notify the lessees to repair the understructure of the said pier, in accordance with the terms and conditions of the lease therefor. The Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to repair the sheathing and to superintend the repairs to be made by the lessees.

10th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 4645, in relation to claim against John A. Bouker for damage to clusters of piles at Pier, new 60, and north of West Thirty-first street, North river, on October 1, 2, and 3, 1883. President to advise the Counsel to the Corporation that from the facts as stated, it appears that the claim cannot be collected from Bouker, and that it is therefore withdrawn.

11th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 1902, in reference to preparing plans for two bulkheads at Eightieth and Eighty-sixth streets, East river.

12th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 2023, in reference to plans and specifications for building Pier at Twenty-third street, North river.

13th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 2335, in reference to removing shed adjoining bulkhead at Pier, new 40, North river.

14th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 2404, in reference to plans and specifications for building Pier at Eighteenth street, East river.

15th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 2863, in reference to removal of structures on the bulkhead between Piers 42 and 43, and 48 and 49, East river.

16th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 4165, in reference to the application of Vandervoort & Tucker for permission to construct a dam opposite bulkhead, from One Hundred and Sixteenth to One Hundred and Seventeenth street, Harlem river.

17th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 4556, that the material washed overboard from scow at outer end of Pier at Thirty-first street, East river, has been removed by Mr. Mark Goodwin, the owner of the said scow.

18th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 4593, that he had made requisition for dredging at the dumping-board at foot of Market street, East river, and had supervised the work thereat, which was done by the Union Dredging Company.

19th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 4602, that he had repaired the lower half of Pier 52, East river.

20th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 4620, that he had repaired deck of Pier at Bethune street, North river.

21st. Report on Secretary's Order No. 4634, that he had repaired Pier at foot of West Forty-seventh street, North river.

22d. Report on Secretary's Order No. 4643, as to the nature and extent of the work being done at the bulkhead foot of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, Harlem river, by the Manhattan Railway Company. The action of the Engineer-in-Chief approved.

23d. Report on Secretary's Order No. 4644, that he had repaired Pier 37, East river.

24th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 4630, that he had repaired Pier 43, East river.

25th. Additional report on Secretary's Order No. 4356, that all the work has been done by the Morgan's Louisiana and Texas Steamship Company at Pier, old 36, North river.

26th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 4626, that he had superintended the placing of three fender piles on each corner of Pier 28, and on one corner of Pier 27, East river.

27th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 4623, that he had superintended and directed the drawing out and replacing of fender piles on the face of pier at Thirty-third street, North river.

28th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 4586, that he had repaired the City's half of Pier 58, East river, and the remaining portion had been repaired by the New York Ferry Company.

45th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 3964, as to dredging needed in the slip between Piers 27 and 28, and on the lower side of Pier 27, East river.

From Joseph L. Liscomb, Dock Superintendent—That he had removed the floating dump belonging to P. Ciancimino and Brother from the bulkhead at Sixty-second street, East river, to the south side of Pier foot of Twenty-sixth street, East river.

From Eugene McCarthy, Dock Master—Reporting that Pier 59, East river, is in a very dangerous condition and recommending that the said pier be closed to prevent accident. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to replace fence if necessary.

From Joseph F. Sharkey, Dock Master—In reference to removal of floating dump belonging to P. Ciancimino and Brother located at bulkhead foot of Sixty-second street, East river.

From Edward Abeel, Dock Master—Reporting that there is a broken plank on the lower side of Pier 37, East river. The action of Commissioner Stark, in directing the Engineer-in-Chief to repair the same, approved.

From Chas. H. Thompson, Dock Master—Reporting that a fender pile is loose on the westerly side of Pier 7, East river. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to repair.

From John W. Brown, Dock Master:

1st. Reporting that there are two dangerous holes on the south side of Pier at Thirty-fourth street, North river. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to repair.

2d. Reporting that there is a sunken hulk belonging to Scott & Co. at the south side of Pier at Thirty-fourth street, North river. President directed to notify Messrs. Scott & Co. to remove the said hulk within ten days, under the supervision and direction of the Engineer-in-Chief.

From John M. Smith, Dock Master:

1st. Reporting that the surface of Pier, old 54, North river, is in a dangerous condition. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to repair.

2d. Reporting that he had notified Capt. Watson, Superintendent of the Cunard Steamship Co., to remove gang-plank from the bulkhead south of Pier, new 40, North river, on or before August 22d, instant. President to notify the Cunard Steamship Company to remove the same forthwith.

From Joseph B. Erwin, Dock Master—Reporting that there are several small holes in Pier at Fifty-fifth street, North river. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to repair.

From George W. Wanmaker, Dock Master—Reporting that the steamboats "Columbia" and "Grand Republic," owned by the Knickerbocker Steamboat Company, John E. Hoffmire, President, No. 70 South street, have carried away seven spring piles and three chock pieces from the outer end of Pier, old 6, North river, and have broken the remaining spring piles from their fastenings. President to notify the alleged owner of the said pier to repair the same within five days, under the supervision and direction of the Engineer-in-Chief.

A communication from the Comptroller of the City, approving the sureties on the estimate of Charles O. Brown for erecting a building on Pier "A," North river, was received, read, and together with the bids received and publicly opened on August 11th, instant, which were taken from the table, was ordered to be placed on file, and the following resolution, offered by Commissioner Matthews, in relation thereto, adopted:

Resolved, That the contract for the erection of a building on Pier "A," North river, be and hereby is awarded to Charles O. Brown, his bid for doing the said work being the lowest under estimates publicly opened August 11th, instant, and the Comptroller having approved of the sureties thereto August 25th, instant.

The application of Edward Teague to have an additional dumping-board built on the north side of the Pier at Thirty-seventh street, North river, and the report from the Engineer-in-Chief on Secretary's Order No. 4617, in relation thereto, were taken from the table and ordered to be placed on file, and the Engineer-in-Chief was directed to erect the same, permission being granted to Edward Teague to use and occupy the same when built, provided that he pays therefor compensation at the rate of \$300 per annum, payable monthly, in advance, and that he agrees not to require any dredging to be done at the said premises.

The application of R. H. Wolff & Co. for permission to widen the Pier between One Hundred and Seventeenth and One Hundred and Eighteenth streets, Harlem river, was taken from the table, and with the report from the Engineer-in-Chief on Secretary's Order No. 4637, in relation thereto, which was received and read, was ordered to be placed on file, and the following preamble and resolution, offered by President Koch, in relation thereto, adopted:

Whereas, R. H. Wolff & Co. have made application for permission to widen the existing Pier located between One Hundred and Seventeenth and One Hundred and Eighteenth streets, Harlem river, so as to make the inshore portion of said pier about thirty-five feet wide instead of sixteen feet wide, as it at present exists, for about eighty feet from the shore in order to make the same a uniform width for its entire length; and,

Whereas, This Board have no objection to such widening being made, provided that the said R. H. Wolff & Co. agree that the said additional structures be taken up and removed by them when required so to do by this Board; and therefore,

Resolved, That permission be and hereby is granted to R. H. Wolff & Co. to widen the said pier on both sides its inshore end, so as to make the same a uniform width of about thirty-five feet wide for its entire length, the additional structures hereby authorized to be about nine feet six inches wide on either side of the said pier, and extending for a distance of about eighty feet in length on the inshore end of the same; provided that the said work be done under the supervision and direction of the Engineer-in-Chief, and that the said R. H. Wolff & Co. file an agreement in writing within five days after notice hereof that when required by this Board they will take up and remove the structures hereby authorized upon being notified so to do.

The communications from Joel B. Erhardt, Receiver of the New York City and Northern Railroad Company, and from the Merchants' and Miners' Transportation Company, requesting permission for sub-letting Pier 40, East river, were taken from the table, and with the several communications from Frank Phelps, the lessee of the said pier, assenting to such transfer being made, which were received and read, were ordered to be placed on file, and the following preambles and resolutions, offered by Commissioner Matthews in relation thereto, adopted:

Whereas, This Board did heretofore, on September 6, 1882, grant permission to Frank Phelps, lessee, to sublet Pier 40, East river, to the Merchants' and Miners' Transportation Company; and,

Whereas, The said Merchants' and Miners' Transportation Company and Frank Phelps, lessee, have made application to this Board for permission to assign and transfer the unexpired term of the existing lease of Pier 40, East river, made by the Corporation of the City of New York to Frank Phelps for a term of five years from May 1, 1882, said lease also containing a clause providing for a renewal term thereof for a period of five years, to Joel B. Erhardt, Receiver of the New York City and Northern Railroad Company; therefore,

Resolved, That consent be and hereby is granted to the Merchants' and Miners' Transportation Company and Frank Phelps, lessee, to sublet to Joel B. Erhardt, Receiver of the New York City and Northern Railroad Company, the lease of Pier 40, East river, heretofore made by this Department to Frank Phelps, dated April 30, 1882, for a term of five years from May 1, 1882, together with all the rights and privileges contained therein, including the covenant providing for a renewal term of five years, it being understood that the said lessee and the sureties to the lease have agreed that their obligations under the provisions thereof shall not be affected consequent upon such consent and sub-letting, and also provided that the said Joel B. Erhardt, Receiver of the New York City and Northern Railroad Company, file an agreement in writing in this office within five days after the receipt hereof, that he will place horizontal sheathing and such other necessary fendering, to the satisfaction of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department, on the said pier, in order that the same may be properly protected from injury or damage by reason of the use thereof by car-floats used in the business of the said company.

The Auditing Committee presented an audit of sixteen bills or claims amounting in the aggregate to the sum of \$4,240.49, which was accepted and adopted and the Secretary directed to enter the same in full on the minutes, as follows:

Audit No.	Bills or Claims.	Amount.
9049.	Isaac E. Smith & Son, lumber.....	\$129 20
9050.	Pierson & Co., iron for Pier A.....	78 75
9051.	Decker & Rapp, lumber for Pier A.....	52 00
9052.	Patterson Bros., screw plates, etc.....	39 81
9053.	John F. Walsh, repairing ten-ton derrick.....	940 00
9054.	D. Shields & Son, forge coal.....	19 50
9055.	Horace Theall, iron castings.....	15 75
9056.	Commonwealth Ice Co., ice, relaying pavement.....	99 75
9057.	Stevens' Institute of Technology, tests of iron.....	24 00
9058.	Alfred J. Murray, lumber.....	534 45
9059.	T. E. Crimmins, steam drill for Pier A.....	24 00
9060.	Union Dredging Co., dredging, Estimate No. 36.....	1,415 25

On Construction Account..... \$3,372 46

9061.	Bell Brothers, lumber.....	\$258 70
9062.	M. Halliday, repairing shed, Pier, new 43.....	175 00
9063.	Alfred J. Murray, spruce piles.....	137 50
9064.	Decker & Rapp, lumber.....	296 83

On General Repairs Account..... \$868 03

SUMMARY.

12	Bills or Claims on Construction Account.....	\$3,372 46
4	" " General Repairs Account.....	868 03
16		\$4,240 49

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH KOCH, } Auditing Committee.
JAMES MATTHEWS, }

On motion, the President was directed to forward the said bills, together with proper requisitions for the amounts, to the Finance Department for payment.

On motion, the President was directed to request the opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation as to the powers and duties of this Board in respect to the adoption of the resolution submitted by the New York Ferry Company in reference to the lease of the Pier at Twenty-third street, East river, sold to that company by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

On motion, the President was also directed to request the Department of Public Works to repair and relay the pavement on the westerly side of West street, between Spring and Morton streets, so as to make the grade of same conform to the grade of the new pavement under charge of this Department.

President Koch offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the appointment of Henry C. Freeman as clerk in the service of this Department be and is hereby made permanent in accordance with the provisions of Regulation 35 of the Civil Service Rules, and that his compensation be and is hereby fixed at the rate of \$1,200 per annum, to take effect from August 15, 1885.

Commissioner Matthews, the Treasurer of the Board, presented his report of receipts for the week ending August 25, 1885, which was received, read, and ordered to be placed on file, and the Secretary directed to enter the same in full on the minutes, as follows:

DATE.	FROM WHOM.	FOR WHAT.	AMOUNT.	TOTAL.	DATE DEPOSITED.
1885.					1885.
Aug. 25	Chas. H. Thompson.....	Dock and slip rent, Dist. 1.....	\$622 69		
" 25	Geo. W. Wanmaker.....	" " 2.....	139 03		
" 25	Edward Abeel.....	" " 3.....	202 16		
" 25	John M. Smith.....	" " 4.....	338 98		
" 25	Eugene McCarthy.....	" " 5.....	154 54		
" 25	John M. Brown.....	" " 6.....	477 44		
" 25	Bernard Kenney.....	" " 7.....	107 15		
" 25	Jos. B. Erwin.....	" " 8.....	121 99		
" 25	Jos. F. Sharkey.....	" " 9.....	97 80		
" 25	Abm. Duryee.....	" " 10.....	123 97		
" 25	John Callan.....	" " 11.....	42 49		
" 25	M. Collins.....	Penalty.....	5 00		
" 25	James McGrath.....	Float at 125th st., H. R.....	25 00		
" 25	Owens & Co.....	3 mos. rent bhd. at 47th st. E. R.....	200 00		
			\$2,658 24	\$2,658 24	Aug. 25

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES MATTHEWS, Treasurer.

The following requisitions were read, and

On motion, approved:

Register No.	Description	Estimated cost,
5321.	For 16 2-inch spruce plank, 13 feet long, 10 inches wide.....	\$7 00
5322.	For 6 cross-cut saws.....	16 00
5323.	For 10,000 feet B. M. 3-inch spruce.....	190 00
5324.	For 3,000 feet B. M. 4-inch yellow pine.....	80 00

On motion, the Board adjourned.

JOHN T. CUMING, Secretary.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

Minutes of Stated Meeting of the Aqueduct Commissioners, held at their office, No. 209 Stewart Building, Wednesday, August 19, 1885, at 3 o'clock P. M.

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

Also, Chief Engineer Church, Deputy Chief Engineer Fteley.

And Chief Engineer Birdsall and Consulting Engineer Adams, of the Department of Public Works.

The minutes of the stated meetings of July 29 and 30 were read and approved.

The Committee of Finance and Audit reported the examination and audit of bills included in Vouchers Nos. 967 to 976, 987 to 1024, and 1025 to 1051; which vouchers were, on motion of Commissioner Dowd, approved by the Commissioners, and ordered certified to the Comptroller for payment.

The Committee also reported the audit and certification to the Comptroller of the seventh monthly estimates due to contractors, and included in Vouchers Nos. 977 to 986.

The Committee reported a deficiency in the appropriation for the apparatus for plumbing shafts, and Commissioner Dowd offered the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted, viz.:

Resolved, That an additional appropriation of \$25 be made on account of plumbing apparatus, for which an appropriation of \$100 was made October 21, 1884.

The Committee next made report, dated August 11, 1885, in relation to a settlement with Mrs. William Vail for lands owned by her at Shaft No. 2, in Westchester County, and recommending that settlement be made with her by agreement for the payment of \$3,000, as approved by the Commissioners at their meeting of March 4, 1885, provided said amount be now accepted in full payment for said lands, for the easements required, and for all damages.

On motion of Commissioner Baldwin, the recommendation of the Committee was approved by the Commissioners, and the Secretary directed to inform Mrs. Vail thereof, and when notified of her acceptance, to prepare the necessary agreement for submission to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for approval.

The Committee on Construction made reports, dated this day, as follows:

1st. Submitting an estimate of the Chief Engineer, dated August 10, of the cost of connecting the drain from the lands of Gustav Schwab with the culvert to be constructed across the dumping-grounds of Shaft No. 23, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of this city, and recommending that said connection be made, and the work included in the agreement with O'Brien & Clark for building said culvert.

On motion of Commissioner Baldwin, this recommendation was approved by the Commissioners, Commissioner Dowd voting in the negative, and the Secretary and Chief Engineer were directed to incorporate this work in said agreement with O'Brien & Clark.

2d. Submitting communications from the Chief Engineer, as follows:

1st. Dated August 10, asking authority to purchase 10,000 additional copies of disc diagrams, at a cost of \$165.

2d. Dated August 4, asking an appropriation of \$200 for constructing an auxiliary office at Shaft No. 20 in the Twenty-fourth Ward.

The Committee recommended that these requests be granted and the appointment made; and, on motion of Commissioner Baldwin, the Commissioners so ordered.

3d. Asking authority to employ another laborer on the Fifth Division to facilitate the testing of cement, and naming therefor W. H. Springsteen.

The Committee recommended that this request be granted and the appropriation made; and, on motion of Commissioner Baldwin, it was so ordered by the affirmative vote of the Mayor, Commissioner of Public Works and Commissioner Baldwin, the Comptroller and Commissioner Dowd voting in the negative.

4th. Dated August 12, recommending the promotion from Laborers to Chainmen, of Richard C. Rathborne, Roland G. Rood and Charles P. Brown, with compensation at the rate of \$60 per month.

On motion of Commissioner Baldwin, this recommendation was approved, and the promotions made, the compensation to date from September 1, next.

5th. Dated August 17, asking an appropriation of \$120 for the purchase of twelve protractors for plotting disc diagrams; and of \$500 for the purchase of sundry apparatus for shaft and tunnel alignment and measurement.

On motion of Commissioner Squire, these requests were granted and the appropriations made.

A communication was received from the Commissioner of Public Works, dated August 18, 1885, transmitting maps of the property necessary for that part of Quaker Bridge Reservoir between the Quaker Bridge and Croton Dam; accompanied by said maps, marked Exhibit "D. D."

The communication was read, and, on motion of Commissioner Baldwin the said exhibit was referred to the Chief Engineer for examination and report thereon at as early date as practicable.

Notice, dated August 15, was received from the Comptroller, of the issue of warrant for voucher not certified by the Aqueduct Commissioners, and appertaining to the work of the Commissioners of Appraisal for New York County, amounting to \$200. Which notice was ordered placed on file, and entered upon the books of this Commission.

The Comptroller also gave notice, dated August 12, of the receipt and filing in his office, as required by law, of one of the originals of the contract with Smith & Brown for the construction of Section No. 1 of the New Croton Aqueduct, which notice was ordered filed with the original of the contract on file in this office.

The Secretary submitted a communication received from William S. Dunn, Esq., dated August 15, 1885, in relation to the settlement for the right of way for the New Aqueduct through lands of himself and of H. B. Claffin, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the city, which was read, and, on motion of Commissioner Dowd, the matter was referred to the Committee of Finance and Audit, with power.

The Secretary notified the Commissioners that the forms of agreement had now been approved by the Counsel to the Corporation for the construction of the culvert at Shaft No. 23, and for the lands required for Shaft No. 18½; whereupon the Comptroller offered the following resolution, which was adopted by the affirmative vote of all the Commissioners present:

Resolved, That the President and the Vice-President of this Commission are hereby authorized and requested, either one or the other of them, on behalf of the Commissioners, to execute the agreements with O'Brien & Clark, for constructing the culvert upon the dumping grounds of Shaft No. 23 in the Twenty-fourth Ward of this city, and also the agreement with Messrs. Bush, Rumsey, Bennett and others, for the shaft site and dumping grounds for Shaft No. 18½ in the City of Yonkers.

On motion of Commissioner Baldwin, the following resolution was adopted by the Commissioners:

Resolved, That the Chief Engineer and Secretary are hereby directed to prepare and submit to the Commissioners, at their next meeting, a plan for rendering more efficient the work (other than engineering) now performed at the Tarrytown and New York headquarters.

On motion of Commissioner Dowd, it was resolved that when the Commissioners adjourn, it be until the 2d of September next, at 2 o'clock P. M.

The Chief Engineer made verbal report to the Commissioners in relation to the construction of the New Aqueduct through Gould's swamp, and stated that he would make formal report thereon after investigations now in progress are completed.

The Commissioners then adjourned.

JAMES W. McCULLOH, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Abstract of Proceedings for the Week ending August 29, 1885.

No meeting held this week.

Pay-rolls amounting to..... \$27,206 44
—were approved and transmitted to the Finance Department for payment.

CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

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

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

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY,
Clerk Common Council.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.

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

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

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

Permit Bureau Office.

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

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

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

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

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

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.

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

City Library.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.

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

Bureau of Chief Engineer.

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

Bureau of Water Register.

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

Bureau of Street Improvements.

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

Engineer-in-Charge of Sewers.

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

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

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

Bureau of Water Purveyor.

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

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

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

Bureau of Streets.

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

Bureau of Incumbrances.

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

Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.

MARTIN J. KEESSE, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

Nos. 15 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EDWARD V. LOEW, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STORNS, Deputy Comptroller.

Auditing Bureau.

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

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

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

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

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

First floor, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park.
GEORGE W. McLEAN, Receiver of Taxes; ALFRED VREDEBURG, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

Office of the City Paymaster.

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

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

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

Office of the Public Administrator.

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

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

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

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Headquarters.

Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.
HENRY D. PURROY, President; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.
Bureau of Chief of Department.
CHARLES O. SHAY, Chief of Department.

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.
Bureau of Fire Marshal.
GEORGE H. SHELTON, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

ALBERT F. D'ONCHI, Inspector of Buildings.
Attorney to Department.
WM. L. FINDLEY, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent of Telegraph, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.
Central Office Fire Alarm Telegraph open at all hours.
Repair Shops.
Nos. 128 and 130 West Third street.
JOHN CASTLES, Foreman-in-Charge, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Hospital Stables.

Ninety-ninth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.
JOSEPH SHEA, Foreman-in-Charge.
Open at all hours.
HEALTH DEPARTMENT.
No. 301 Mott street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ALEXANDER SHALER, President; EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Office.

No. 36 Union Square, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN D. CRIMMINS, President; CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.
Civil and Topographical Office.
Arsenal, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.
One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and Third avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOSEPH KUCH, President; JOHN T. CUMING, Secretary.
Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. daily, except Saturdays; on Saturdays as follows: from September 15 to June 15, from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.; from June 15 to September 15, from 9 A. M. to 12 M.
DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.
Staats Zeitung Building, Tryon Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 3 P. M.
MICHAEL COLEMAN, President; FLOYD T. SMITH, Secretary.
Office Bureau Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.
Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES S. BEARDSLEY, Attorney; WILLIAM COMERFORD, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

Nos. 31 and 32 Park Row, "World" Building, Rooms 8 and 9, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES S. COLEMAN, Commissioner; JACOB SEABOLD, Deputy Commissioner; M. J. MORRISON, Chief Clerk.
CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.
Room No. 11, City Hall.
EVERETT P. WHEELER, Chairman of the Advisory Board; CHARLES H. WOODMAN, Secretary and Executive Officer.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

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

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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

BOARD OF EXCISE.

Corner Bond street and Bowery, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
NICHOLAS HAUGHTON, President; JOHN K. PERLEY, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Nos. 3 and 4 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ALEXANDER V. DAVIDSON, Sheriff; ARON ARONS, Under Sheriff; DAVID MCGONIGAL, Order Arrest Clerk.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN REILLY, Register; JAMES A. HANLEY, Deputy Register.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
PATRICK KEENAN, County Clerk; EDWARD SELLECK, Deputy County Clerk.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

Second floor, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, District Attorney; JOHN M. COMAN, Chief Clerk.

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE,

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

CORONERS' OFFICE.

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

SUPREME COURT.

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

SUPERIOR COURT.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.
General Term, Room No. 35.
Special Term, Room No. 33.
Chambers, Room No. 33, to 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. 25, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Part II., Room No. 26, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Part III., Room No. 27, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES P. DALY, Chief Justice; NATHANIEL JARVIS Jr., Chief Clerk.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

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

CITY COURT.

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

OVER AND TERMINER COURT.

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

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, May 23, 1885.

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

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

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

NEW YORK, September 2, 1885.

TO CONTRACTORS AND BIDDERS ON FIFTH AVENUE REPAVING WORK.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE, THAT A MEETING of the Board appointed under chapter 371, Laws of 1885, to consider such proposals, plans and specifications which may be before them for

REPAVING FIFTH AVENUE, FROM NINTH STREET TO THE NORTHERLY LINE OF NINETEENTH STREET, EXCEPT THE FIVE BLOCKS FROM THE NORTH SIDE OF THIRTY-SECOND STREET TO THE SOUTH SIDE OF THIRTY-SEVENTH STREET,

—will meet at the Mayor's office, on Thursday, September 10, 1885, at 2 o'clock P. M.

By advice of the Comptroller to the Corporation, the Board will decline to consider the proposal of any bidder who has withdrawn his deposit of twenty-five thousand dollars.

By order of the Board.

JOHN S. ROUTH, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES.

6,000 pounds Dairy Butter; sample on exhibition Thursday, September 10, 1885.
2,000 pounds Dried Apples.
2,000 pounds Maracaibo Coffee, roasted.
1,000 pounds Cheese.
1,000 pounds Pepper (whole).
100 pounds Pure Ground Pepper, ½-lb. papers.
4,000 pounds Prunes.
500 barrels good sound Irish Potatoes, to weigh 168 pounds net per barrel.
100 bags Bran (50 pounds each).
100 bags Fine Meal (50 pounds each).
425 quintals prime quality Grand Bank Codfish, to be perfectly well cured, and to average not less than five pounds each; to be delivered as required in boxes of four quintals each.
6 dozen Gherkins, pints (B. & C.).
20 dozen Canned Salmon.
2,900 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.

DRY GOODS.

100 pieces Crinoline.
60 dozen Handkerchiefs.
10 boxes Green Picture Cord, No. 5.
200 dozen Women's Stockings.
2,000 yards Furniture Check.
500 yards White Flannel.
500 yards Blue Flannel.
1,000 yards Linen Diaper.
30,000 yards Brown Muslin.
20,000 yards Bandage Muslin.
4,000 yards Awning Stripes.
4,000 yards Hickory Stripes.
8,000 yards Ticking.

HARDWARE, LEATHER, ETC.

12 dozen Cast Butts, 3 doz. each, 2-in., 2½-in., 3-in.
25 quires Emery Cloth, assorted.
100 Pick Handles.
100 Sledge Hammer Handles.
100 Striking Hammer Handles.
20 kegs Cut Nails, half each 6d and 10d.
20 gross Table Spoons.
2 casks best quality Zinc, No. 9.
6 dozen Paint Brushes, 6".
10 dozen Sash Tools, half each Nos. 6 and 8.
500 sides good damaged Sole Leather, to average 18 to 20 pounds.

LUMBER.

30,000 feet good shipping Box Boards, 1 inch, 12 to 15 inches wide, 12 to 16 feet long, dressed one side.
16,000 feet good shipping Box Boards, ¾ inch, 12 to 15 inches wide, 12 to 16 feet long, dressed one side.
6,400 square feet prime quality Georgia Yellow Pine Flooring, 1¼ x 3½ inches, dressed, tongued and grooved.
6,000 lineal feet prime quality Georgia Yellow Pine Flooring, 1¼ x 3½ inches, dressed, tongued and grooved.
24 pieces prime quality Spruce, 3 x 6 inches by 16 feet.
24 pieces prime quality Wall Strips, 2½ x 4 inches by 16 feet.
All lumber to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.

—will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M., of Friday, September 11, 1885. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Dry Goods, Hardware and Lumber," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

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

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

making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, August 31, 1885.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, August 24, 1885.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from steamboat, "Plymouth Rock"—Unknown man; aged about 35 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; dark brown hair and moustache; gray eyes. Had on black and gray mixed coat and vest, check pants, laced shoes, striped shirt, black der. y hat.

Unknown man from foot of Leroy street; aged about 30 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; black hair; sandy moustache; gray eyes. Had on black sack coat, black cloth vest, striped pants, white shirt, white and gray barred undershirt, white drawers and socs, Oxford tie shoes.

Unknown man from Bellevue Hospital—Aged about 35 years; 5 feet 10 inches high; dark brown hair; brown moustache; blue eyes. Had on blue check jumper, grey Kentucky jeans pants, gaiters.

Unknown man from Pier 37, North river—5 feet 6 inches high; body in advanced state of decomposition. Had on light brown overcoat, dark mixed cut-away coat, dark striped vest and pants, white shirt, white cotton undershirt, white merino undershirt, white twill drawers, white cotton socks, gaiters.

Unknown man from Spuyten Duyvil Creek—Aged about 55 years; 5 feet 6½ inches high; gray hair, moustache, and eyes. Had on seal-brown diagonal coat, dark gray vest, brown mixed pants, blue barred cambric shirt, white linen collar, gray mixed socks, boots.

Unknown man from One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, North river—Aged about 30 years; 5 feet 10 inches high; dark brown hair; smooth face; body nude.

Unknown boy, from Spuyten Duyvil Creek, aged about 14 years; 4 feet 9 inches high; dark brown hair. Had on gray mixed sack coat, blue diagonal vest, dark pants, white cotton socks, blue check shirt, laced shoes, wore a truss, ruptured on left side.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Henry Wagner, aged 52 years.
At Almshouse, Blackwell's Island—James Fitzgerald, aged 55 years.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Wards Island—Mena Karcher; aged 49 years; 4 feet 7 inches high; blue eyes; brown hair. Had on when admitted black skirt, brown check sacque, red hood.

Jacob Keller; aged 65 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; blue eyes; brown hair. Had on when admitted, brown coat, gray vest, dark mixed pants, gaiters, black derby hat.

Casper Wendler; aged 28 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; blue eyes; brown hair. Had on when admitted, brown mixed pants and coat, gray vest, gaiters, black derby hat.

At Randall's Island Hospital—Bertha Lorenz; aged 38 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; black hair; blue eyes. Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order.

G. F. BRITTON,
Secretary.

ARMORY BOARD—OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,
No. 301 MOTT STREET,
NEW YORK, August 26, 1885.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING ADDITIONAL MATERIALS AND IRON WORK IN THE ERECTION OF AN ARMORY BUILDING AT NINTH AVENUE, SIXTY-FIRST AND SIXTY-SECOND STREETS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING additional materials and iron work in the erection of an Armory Building at Ninth avenue, Sixty-first and Sixty-second streets, County and City of New York, will be received by the Armory Board at the office of the President, his Honor the Mayor, City Hall, until 12 M. of the 8th day of September, 1885, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read by said Board.

Any person making an estimate for the above work shall furnish the same, in a sealed envelope, to the President of said Armory Board, indorsed "Estimate for Furnishing Materials and Iron Work in the Erection of an Armory Building at Ninth avenue, Sixty-first and Sixty-second streets," and also with the name of the person or persons presenting the same, and the date of its presentation.

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

Bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become part of every estimate received :

1st. Bidders must satisfy themselves by personal examination of the location of the proposed work, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the estimate, and shall not at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the statement of quantities, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.

2d. Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Armory Board, and in substantial accordance with the specifications of the contract and the plans therein referred to. No extra compensation beyond the amount payable for the work before mentioned, which shall be actually performed, at the prices therefor to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price for the whole of the work to be done, in conformity with the approved form of contract and the specifications therein set forth, by which price the bids will be tested. This price is to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder.

Bidders will distinctly write out, both in words and in figures, the amount of their estimates for doing this work.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at this office with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days from the date of the service of a notice to that effect; and in case of failure or neglect so to do he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet, and so on until it be accepted and executed.

bidders are required to state in their estimate their names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein; and if no other person be so interested, the estimate shall distinctly state the fact; also that the estimate is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work and that it is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and also that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof, or clerk 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; which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party 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 estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, *with their respective places of business or residence*, to the effect that: if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation of the City of New York any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled on its completion, and that which said Corporation or the Armory Board may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the e-estimated amount of the work to be done by which the bids are tested; the consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of the said persons signing the same to the effect that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required (\$4,000) for the completion of the contract and stated in the proposals, over and above all his debts of every nature, *and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise*; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York, after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Board who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk, and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned by the Comptroller 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 by the Comptroller.

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

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use a blank prepared for that purpose by the Board, a copy of which, together with the form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be seen upon application at the office of the architect, James E. Ware, No. 239 Broadway.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all estimates not deemed beneficial to or for the public interest. Plans may be examined, and specifications and blank forms for bids or estimates obtained, by application to the architect, at his office, No. 230 Broadway, New York.

WILLIAM R. GRACE,
ALEXANDER SHALER,
ROLLIN M. SQUIRE,
Commissioners.

NEW AQUEDUCT.

NEW YORK SECTION.

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

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

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

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
August 31, 1885.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

One Hundred and Fortieth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, which was confirmed by the Supreme Court, August 11, 1885, and entered on the 24th day of August, 1885, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 998 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before November 4, 1885, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller.

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

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

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

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller.

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

REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

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

Grantors, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriff's sales, in 61 volumes, full bound, price, \$200 00
The same in 25 volumes, half bound, 50 00
Complete sets, folded, ready for binding, 15 00
Records of Judgments, 25 volumes, bound, 10 00
Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Angell, Room 23, Stewart Building."

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller.

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

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

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

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE PROPERTY CLERK (Room No. 9),
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, 1885.

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

JOHN F. HARRIOT,
Property Clerk.

PUBLIC POUND.

PUBLIC SALE.

WILL BE SOLD AT AUCTION, AT THE Public Pound, No. 458 East One Hundred and Fifty-first street, on Monday, September 7, 1885, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, unless sooner claimed by the owner and all charges paid, one bay mare about twelve hands high, with figure 8 branded on head and letters L. B. on rump.

JOSEPH LOEHR,
Pound Master.

THE CITY RECORD.

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

CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

List 1870, No. 1. Sewers in One Hundred and Twentieth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues; in One Hundred and Twenty-first and One Hundred and Twenty-second streets, between Mount Morris and Sixth avenues, and in Mount Morris avenue, between One Hundred and Twentieth and One Hundred and Twenty-second streets.

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

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Twentieth street, from Fifth to Sixth avenue; both sides of Mount Morris avenue, from One Hundred and Twentieth to One Hundred and Twenty-second street, and both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-first and One Hundred and Twenty-second streets, from Mount Morris to Sixth avenue.

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

The above-described list will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 2d day of October ensuing.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 11½ CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, September 1, 1885.

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

List 1877, No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curb stones and flagging Ninth avenue, from Eighty-first to One Hundred and Tenth street.

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

Both sides of Ninth avenue, from Eighty-first to One Hundred and Tenth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

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

The above-described list will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 28th day of September ensuing.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 11½ CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, August 25, 1885.

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

List 1876, No. 1. Sewer in Ninth avenue, between One Hundred and Fifty-second and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth streets, and in One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, between Ninth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Ninth avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-first to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from Ninth avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas; and west side of Public Drive, from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth to One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

List 1838, No. 4. Regulating and paving with granite-block pavement Forty-second street, from Second to First avenue, and setting curb and gutter-stones and flagging sidewalks therein.

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

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

List 1296, No. 7. Regulating, grading, curb, gutter, and flagging Madison avenue, from Ninety-ninth to One Hundred and Fifth street.

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

List 1899, No. 9. Paving Lexington avenue, from One Hundred and Fourth to One Hundred and Thirty-first street, with granite-block pavement.

List 1886, No. 10. Paving Forty-third street, from Second to Third avenue with granite pavement.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

No. 11. Both sides of Fourth avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-fourth to One Hundred and Thirty-

third street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

JURORS.

NOTICE

IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

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

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

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

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

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

Every man must attend to his own notice. It is a misdemeanor to give any jury paper to another to answer. It is also punishable by fine or imprisonment to give or receive any present or bribe, directly or indirectly, in relation to a jury service, or to withhold any paper or make any false statement, and every case will be fully prosecuted.

CHARLES REILLY,
Commissioner of Jurors.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

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

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

The right to reject all bids received is reserved.

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

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

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

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

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

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

CARL JUSSEN,
Secretary.