

# THE CITY RECORD.

OFFICIAL JOURNAL.

VOL. XIII.

NEW YORK, SATURDAY, MARCH 14, 1885

NUMBER 3,589.



## AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,  
ROOM 78, TRIBUNE BUILDING,  
NEW YORK, March 12, 1885.

Abstract of Account of Expenditures and Liabilities of the Aqueduct Commissioners during the month of February, 1885, as required by section 39, chapter 490, Laws of 1883.

### EXPENDITURES.

Salaries of engineers and employees.....	\$10,651 49
Office rents for quarter ending February 1, 1885.....	1,275 00
“ stationery.....	210 61
“ furniture and fixtures.....	233 96
“ cleaning and petty expenses.....	53 40
Diamond rock-boring tools and supplies.....	405 50
Field and other instruments and materials.....	1,777 65
Drawing materials and supplies.....	87 90
Transportation, teaming, and incidental expenses.....	72 98
Horse feed, altering and repairing stables, etc.....	674 00
Monumenting line.....	275 03

First monthly estimates of work done under contract for sections A and B and 2 to 9.....	\$15,717 52
	35,493 91

Total expenditures.....	\$51,211 43
-------------------------	-------------

### LIABILITIES.

Salaries of engineers and employees.....	\$13,083 96
Office rents for one month.....	604 99
“ cleaning and petty expenses.....	38 00
“ stationery.....	45 25
“ Furniture and fixtures.....	328 85
Printing.....	268 39
Diamond rock-boring tools and supplies.....	66 05
Instruments, drawing materials and supplies.....	52 71
Horse feed and other expenses.....	53 44
Transportation, teaming and incidental expenses.....	580 62

Total liabilities.....	\$15,122 26
------------------------	-------------

Examined and found correct.

J. H. TIMMERMAN, Auditor.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct and true abstract of account of the expenditures and liabilities of the Aqueduct Commissioners for the month of February, 1885, the said account being on file in the office of the Comptroller of the City of New York.

JAS. W. McCULLOH, Secretary.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 10th day of March, 1885.  
Present—Commissioners French, Matthews, Porter, and McClave.

### Leaves of Absence Granted.

- Patrolman William Warren, Eighth Precinct, five days, half pay.
- “ James Brennan, Fourteenth Precinct, seven days, half pay.
- “ Edward J. Lacy, Eighteenth Precinct, four days, half pay.
- “ Joseph Petrosius, Twenty-ninth Precinct, three days, half pay.

### Deaths Reported.

Captain Thomas Cherry, Eleventh Precinct, on 8th inst.  
Patrolman John H. Brown, Third Precinct, on 9th inst.  
Report of the Superintendent, inclosing \$325, mask ball permits, for week ending 7th inst., was referred to the Treasurer to pay over to the Pension Fund.  
Report of Captain Robbins, Thirty-fourth Precinct, inclosing \$3.75 for manure sold, was referred to the Treasurer to pay over to the City Chamberlain.

### Mask Ball Permits Granted.

William L. Vinton, at Caledonia Hall, March 9. Fee, \$10.  
Frank Wilcox, at American Institute, March 11. Fee, \$50.  
Hugo Jansen, at No. 160 Third avenue, March 12. Fee, \$10.  
Application of Sergeant William H. Christie, Eighth Precinct, for full pay while sick, was referred to the Superintendent for report.

The following applications for promotion were referred to the Superintendent to cite for examination:

- Roundsman William Dean, Second District.
- “ Norman Westervelt, Twentieth Precinct.
- Patrolman William E. Petty, Eighteenth Precinct.
- “ James Reilly, Ninth Precinct.
- Application of Captain Alex. S. Williams for \$900, counsel fees, was referred to the Counsel to the Corporation for opinion.
- Application of D. J. Bryant, for appointment as Clerk, was referred to the Civil Service Examining Board for examination.

### Applications for Increase of Pension Denied.

L. W. Pierce.  
Catharine Evers.  
Communication from Louis F. Post, relative to charges against Captain McCullagh, Seventeenth Precinct, by John Heinrichs, of Central Committee Socialistic Labor Party, was referred to the Superintendent for report.  
Communication from the Superintendent of Police, Boston, giving list of convicts to be discharged from the Massachusetts State Prison in March, was referred to the Superintendent.  
Communication from Charles H. Woodman, Secretary Civil Service Board, relative to promotion of Sergeants to Captains, without examination, was ordered on file.  
Communication from Surgeon McGovern, relative to his leave absence, was referred to the Treasurer.

Communication from P. Fichs, making complaint against Patrolman Charles E. Benjamin, Seventh Precinct, was referred to the Superintendent to obtain affidavit.

Communication from Van Tassel & Kearney, inclosing check for \$126.75, proceeds of sale of two horses, was referred to the Treasurer to pay over to the City Chamberlain.

Communication from the Property Clerk, relative to delivery of property taken from E. T. Riley, was referred back to the Property Clerk, with direction to deliver the same to the owner on consent of the District Attorney.

### NEW YORK COMMON PLEAS.

Jefferson Patten and Samuel Lyman }  
vs. } Order directing payment to plaintiff \$141, and to defendant  
The Comptroller et al. } James Duffy \$107.26.

Resolved, That as the sum of \$248.36, the amount remaining to the credit of account “Construction of Two New Station-houses, one of which shall be in the Sixth Ward,” for 1879, has been paid by the Treasurer to the City Chamberlain, under date November 12, 1884, the above claim be referred to the Comptroller for payment.

On reading communication from the Counsel to the Corporation, reciting a decision of the Court of Appeals in the case of John J. McCarthy, reversing decision of the General Term reinstating said McCarthy as Patrolman, it was

Resolved, That the names of John J. McCarthy, Seventh Precinct, and John Mohr, Sixth Precinct, who are now acting as Patrolmen in the precincts named, be and are hereby stricken from the rolls of the Department.

Resolved, That the resolutions adopted on the 10th day of February last, relative to settlement of claim of Ecclesine and Tomlinson, attorneys for John Johnston, deceased, be and are hereby rescinded.

Resolved, That the Superintendent be directed to report as to the advisability of remanding all officers designated as Acting-Sergeants to duty as Roundsmen, and of depriving them of the use of the regular shield of Sergeant.

### Transfers, Detail and Remand.

- Roundsman Charles Parkerson, from Eleventh Precinct to Fifth Precinct.
- “ William Londrigan, from Fifth Precinct to Eleventh Precinct.
- Patrolman Charles Kook, from Eighth Precinct to Sixteenth Precinct.
- “ Joseph Bradshaw, from Tenth Precinct to Third Precinct.
- “ William Cairns, from Ninth Precinct to Sixteenth Precinct.
- “ Frank Rogers, from Ninth Precinct to Sixteenth Precinct.
- “ Thomas Cavanagh, from Sixteenth Precinct to Ninth Precinct.
- “ Theodore M. Doty, from Twenty-eighth Precinct to Twentieth Precinct.
- “ William Warren, from Fifteenth Precinct to Eighth Precinct, and remand to Patrol.
- “ Benjamin B. Northrup, from Thirty-second Precinct to Sixth Precinct.
- “ Lawrence J. Lynch, from Sixth Precinct to Thirty-second Precinct.
- “ Michael Casey, from Twenty-ninth Precinct, detail in citizen's dress in Precinct.

### Employed on Probation.

Robert W. Clark. Henry Schaffer. Michael Dowd.

### Appointed Patrolman.

Frank S. Price.

### Sent to Civil Service for Examination for Promotion.

Roundsman John McSweeney, Tenth Precinct.

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk be and is hereby directed to advertise for proposals for repairs to Steamboat “Patrol.”

Resolved, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Comptroller, and the Commissioners directed to approve the same, in pursuance of section 262, chapter 410, of the Laws of 1882, for the following sums of money for the month of March, 1885, being one-twelfth part of the amounts estimated, levied, raised, and appropriated for the support and maintenance of the Police Department and force for the current year, to wit:

Police Fund—Salaries of Commissioners, Superintendent, Inspectors, Surgeons, and uniformed force.....	\$293,950 00
Police Fund—Salaries of clerical force.....	7,047 50
Supplies for Police.....	6,250 00
Police Station-houses—Alterations, etc.....	1,750 00
Expenses of Detectives—Contingent, etc.....	1,041 66
Election expenses—Salaries of Chief and Chief Clerk of Bureau.....	583 33
Total.....	\$310,622 49

Resolved, That the Treasurer be and is hereby directed to pay to the Police Pension Fund the following sums of money, for the month of February, 1885—all aye:

For fines imposed.....	\$1,085 89
For sick time deducted.....	4,459 29
For absence without pay.....	573 43
	\$6,118 61

Resolved, That the reports of arrests for violations of the Excise Law, submitted by the Superintendent, be forwarded to the Board of Excise.

### Pensions Granted.

- Elizabeth Houghton, widow of Pensioner Jonas A. Houghton, \$300 per year, from January 13, 1885.
- Mary Green, widow of Pensioner William Green, \$300 per year, from January 9, 1885.
- Mary E. Michaels, widow of Pensioner Wm. L. Michaelis, \$300 per year, from January 24, 1885.
- Mary T. Ward, widow of Pensioner Michael Ward, \$300 per year, from November 13, 1884.

### Judgments—Fines Imposed.

- Patrolman John Raleigh, Fourth Precinct, one day's pay.
- “ Henry Benkers, Fourth Precinct, one day's pay.
- “ Harry E. Hopper, Fifteenth Precinct, one day's pay.
- “ Philip Farley, Nineteenth Precinct, one day's pay.
- “ James Byrne, Thirty-fourth Precinct, one day's pay.
- “ Patrick Vaughan, Thirty-fourth Precinct, one day's pay.
- “ John Lyna, Fourth Precinct, one day's pay.
- “ Hector Worden, Ninth Precinct, two days' pay.
- “ Edward Delany, Eighteenth Precinct, one day's pay.
- “ John Cusack, Thirteenth Precinct, one day's pay.

### Reprimands.

- Patrolman Anderson Stebbins, Tenth Precinct.
- “ Peter Barnett, Eleventh Precinct.
- “ Miles Keon, Eleventh Precinct.
- “ Ferdinand Voss, Eleventh Precinct.
- “ Albert Rohloff, Eleventh Precinct.
- “ Edward S. Walsh, Eleventh Precinct.
- “ John McCullough, Eleventh Precinct.
- “ Frederick Gillman, Eleventh Precinct.
- “ James Mulligan, Eleventh Precinct.
- “ David W. Alexander, Eleventh Precinct.
- “ John Cusack, Thirteenth Precinct.
- “ John Boothney, Thirteenth Precinct.
- “ Max Meiers, Thirteenth Precinct.
- “ Michael Masterson, Thirteenth Precinct.
- “ Cornelius W. Roe, Twenty-first Precinct.
- “ John G. Mints, Twenty-second Precinct.
- “ Frederick W. Kornmann, Twenty-ninth Precinct.



## Complaints Dismissed.

Precinct.		Precinct.	
Patrolman Thomas Harty.....	3	Patrolman James B. McDonald.....	13
" Herman W. Schlottman.....	5	" William Wagner.....	22
" Lawrence J. Lynch.....	6	" James G. Stevens.....	23
" Patrick Daly.....	8	" Lawrence McGovern.....	27
" John Van Horn.....	9	" Charles D. Eddy.....	29
" John Van Horn.....	9	" James J. Perkins.....	29
" Joseph Mulligan.....	12	" Cornelius Martineau.....	34
" John Boyle.....	12		

Adjourned.

WM. DELAMATER, First Deputy Clerk.

## DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
NOS. 31 AND 32 PARK ROW,  
NEW YORK, March 11, 1885.

In accordance with the provisions of section 51, chapter 410, of the Laws of 1882, the Commissioner of Street Cleaning makes the following report of the transactions of the Department of Street Cleaning for the week ending March 7, 1885:

Number of loads of ashes removed.....	17,463
" " rubbish removed.....	11,134
" " snow removed.....	84
" " material received from Department Public Works.....	122
" " " " markets.....	177
" " " " permits.....	3,511
Total.....	32,491

Public moneys received and deposited in the City Treasury—for trimming scows.... \$240 00

## Pay-rolls

—audited and transmitted to the Finance Department, chargeable to the appropriation for "Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning" for the year 1885:

Schedule No. 14—	
Commissioner, Inspectors, Foremen, etc., February.....	\$6,942 48
Schedule No. 16—	
Laborers, Hired Cartmen, etc., last fifteen days of February.....	17,997 25
	\$24,939 73

## Bills

—audited and transmitted to the Finance Department, chargeable to the appropriation for "Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning" for the year 1884:

Schedule No. 314—	
Guy C. Hotchkiss, Field & Co., repairs.....	\$82 45
Kipp, John L., wheels.....	180 00
Vanderbilt & Hopkins, lumber.....	213 75
	\$476 20

## Bills

—audited and transmitted to the Finance Department, chargeable to the appropriation for "Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning" for the year 1885:

Schedule No. 15—	
Collins, P. J., Janitor.....	\$25 00
Sanguinetto, James, Watchman.....	40 00
Whipple, David, rent.....	400 00
Kroeber, F., repairs to clock.....	10 00
Schedule No. 17—	
Gilchrest & Tobey, supplies.....	369 12
Lenane, P. & Bro., feed.....	421 03
Leonard & Ellis.....	11 00
Manhattan Oil Co., oil.....	7 05
Rossi, M., labor.....	61 85
Rossi, M., labor.....	171 35
Patterson Bros., supplies.....	19 95
The Chapman & O'Neill Co., brooms.....	6 00
Brown, John S., contract.....	10,547 96
Hayward & Duffy, contract.....	17,643 06
	\$29,733 37

## Appointments.

John McAdden, Driver.  
M. Hallein, Hired Cartman.

J. S. COLEMAN, Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

## THE NEW YORK AND BROOKLYN BRIDGE.

Statement of the Treasurer of the New York and Brooklyn Bridge for the Month of February, 1885.

February 1. Cash in banks and on hand as per last report..... \$168,918 68

## RECEIPTS FOR TOLLS DURING FEBRUARY.

From 69,029 foot passengers—cash fares.....	\$690 29
" 152,810 " tickets collected.....	305 62
Total, 221,839 ".....	\$995 91
For 358,165 outstanding tickets.....	716 33

Total receipts from Promenade.....	\$1,712 24
From 904,650 car passengers.....	45,232 50
Total, 1,126,489 passengers.....	
For 60,697 vehicles and 121,394 passengers (estimated).....	3,793 54
	50,738 28
Receipts from U. S. Illuminating Co. for work done by our mechanics.....	155 70
" " " " material.....	35 55
Total.....	\$219,848 21

## DISBURSEMENTS.

The expenses are divided as follows:

For Promenade.....	\$5,313 14
" Railroad.....	23,706 77
" Carriageway.....	2,917 89
Total.....	31,937 80
Cash in banks and on hand.....	\$187,910 41

Distributed as follows:

Deposit in Atlantic State Bank.....	\$32,116 03
" Long Island Bank.....	105,224 34
" Brooklyn Trust Co.....	48,348 92
Cash on hand.....	2,221 12
	\$187,910 41

NOTE.—In the expenditures for this month are included about \$5,000 for supplies, work, etc., not belonging to running expenses of the Bridge.

The receipts for tolls are divided as follows:

	From New York.	From Brooklyn.	Total.
For Promenade.....	\$568 65	\$427 26	\$995 91
" Railroad.....	19,728 45	25,504 05	45,232 50
" Carriageway.....	1,877 17	1,916 37	3,793 54
Totals.....	\$22,174 27	\$27,847 68	\$50,021 95
For outstanding tickets.....		716 33	\$50,738 28

For the corresponding month of February, 1884, the receipts were:

From Promenade, \$3,492, against \$995.91 in February, 1885, therefore a decrease of \$2,496.09, or 17½ per cent.  
From Railroad, \$36,187, against \$45,232.50 in February, 1885, therefore an increase of \$9,045.50, or 25 per cent.  
From Carriageway, \$5,522, against \$3,793.54 in February, 1885, therefore a decrease of \$1,728.46, or 31½ per cent.  
Total, \$45,201, against \$50,021.95 in February, 1885, therefore an increase of \$4,820.95, or 10¾ per cent.

The number of people crossing the Bridge in February, 1884, were:  
On the Promenade, 349,200, against 221,839 in February, 1885, therefore a decrease of 127,361, or 36½ per cent.  
On the Railroad, 723,740, against 904,650 in February, 1885, therefore an increase of 180,910, or 25 per cent.

The number of vehicles crossing the Bridge in February, 1884 were, 44,176, against 60,697 in February, 1885, therefore an increase of 16,521, or 37¾ per cent.

The average daily receipts were:

From Promenade.....	\$35 57
" Railroad.....	1,615 44
" Carriageway.....	135 48
Total average of daily receipts.....	\$1,786 49
Against the total average of February, 1884, of daily receipts.....	1,558 66

The gross receipts from tolls for the third quarter of the second year were:

	From New York.	From Brooklyn.	Total.
For Promenade.....	\$2,746 65	\$2,337 26	\$5,083 91
" Railroad.....	58,810 45	75,824 05	134,634 50
" Carriageway.....	5,993 17	6,078 37	12,071 54
Totals.....	\$67,559 27	\$84,239 68	\$151,798 95

Against the receipts of the third quarter of the first year..... \$53,675 00 \$67,946 00 \$121,621 00

Therefore, an increase for the present quarter of \$30,177.95, or 24½ per cent.

The average daily receipts for the third quarter of the second year were:

From Promenade.....	\$56 49
" Railroad.....	1,496 04
" Carriageway.....	134 12
Total.....	\$1,686 65

The total receipts from tolls for the nine months of the second year were:

	From New York.	From Brooklyn.	Total.
For Promenade.....	\$13,453 65	\$11,647 26	\$25,100 91
" Railroad.....	154,519 45	194,524 05	349,043 50
" Carriageway.....	23,248 17	24,234 37	47,482 54
Totals.....	\$191,221 27	\$230,405 68	\$421,626 95

The Bridge was used during the nine months of the second year by—

Foot passengers.....	2,632,339
Car passengers.....	6,980,870
Total passengers.....	9,613,209
Vehicles.....	476,433

Respectfully submitted,

OTTO WITTE, Treasurer.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

MEETINGS, FEBRUARY 23 TO 28, 1885.

## Communications Received.

From Penitentiary. List of prisoners received during week ending February 21, 1885: Males, 25; females, 7. On file.  
List of 50 prisoners to be discharged from March 1 to 7, 1885. Transmitted to Prison Association.

From Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island. History of 13 patients received during week ending February 21, 1885. On file.

From New York City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. History of 7 patients received during week ending February 21, 1885. On file.

From City Prison. Amount of fines received during week ending February 21, 1885, \$128. On file.

## Proposal Accepted.

Joseph W. Duryee, lumber, as per specification, under awards of February 27, 1885, for \$595.

## Appointments.

February 24. Michael F. Whalen, Guard, Penitentiary. Salary, \$600 per annum.  
" 26. Simon Peters, Fireman, Steamboat "Minnahanonck." Salary, \$400 per annum.  
" 27. Mary Sullivan, Attendant, Lunatic Asylum. Salary, \$192 per annum.

## Resignations.

February 24. Ingeborg Kruse, Nurse, Charity Hospital.  
" 24. John Mackay, Guard, Branch Workhouse.  
" 25. Hugh Mooney, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane.  
" 26. W. G. B. Lewis, Apothecary, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane.

## Dismissals.

February 24. Patrick Hanlon, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane.  
" 24. Henry Fieldwick, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane.

## Position Declared Vacant.

February 26. John Matthews, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane.

## Compensation Increased.

February 26. John Kennedy, Steward, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, from \$900 to \$1,000 per annum.  
" 26. John Orr, Deputy Warden, City Prison, from \$769.50 to \$1,000 per annum.

G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.



METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY

OF THE

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,

CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK.

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

ABSTRACT OF REGISTERS FROM SELF-RECORDING INSTRUMENTS,

For the Week ending March 7, 1885.

Barometer.

DATE.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	MEAN FOR THE DAY.	MAXIMUM.	MINIMUM.
MARCH.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.
Sunday, 1	29.700	29.484	29.432	29.538	29.900	29.408
Monday, 2	29.400	29.486	29.650	29.512	29.702	29.398
Tuesday, 3	29.792	29.792	29.800	29.795	29.814	29.702
Wednesday, 4	29.776	29.786	29.900	29.821	29.900	29.744
Thursday, 5	29.900	29.900	29.990	29.930	30.000	29.890
Friday, 6	30.056	30.012	30.018	30.029	30.090	30.000
Saturday, 7	29.912	29.828	29.824	29.854	30.000	29.812

Mean for the week ..... 29.782 inches.  
Maximum " at 10 A. M., March 6..... 30.090 "  
Minimum " at 4 A. M., " 2..... 29.398 "  
Range " ..... .692 "

Thermometers.

DATE.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	MEAN.	MAXIMUM.	MINIMUM.	MAXIMUM.
MARCH.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	In Sun.
Sunday, 1	40	39	48	46	43	43	42.6
Monday, 2	38	38	36	36	31	31	35.0
Tuesday, 3	25	25	35	38	36	36	32.6
Wednesday, 4	35	34	46	40	38	40	38.0
Thursday, 5	37	35	41	37	33	30	37.0
Friday, 6	28	25	35	33	35	32	32.6
Saturday, 7	31	30	32	30	33	30	32.0

Dry Bulb. Wet Bulb.  
Mean for the week ..... 36.1 degrees ..... 34.5 degrees.  
Maximum for the week, at 3 P. M., 1st ..... 49. " at 3 P. M., 1st ..... 48. "  
Minimum " at 7 A. M., 3d ..... 25. " at 7 A. M., 3d ..... 25. "  
Range " " ..... 24. " ..... 23. "

Wind.

DATE.	DIRECTION.	VELOCITY IN MILES.	FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.
MARCH.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.
Sunday, 1	SSE	SW	W
Monday, 2	W	NW	NW
Tuesday, 3	W	WSW	S
Wednesday, 4	N	W	W
Thursday, 5	WNW	NW	NNE
Friday, 6	NW	WNW	WSW
Saturday, 7	NE	ENE	NNE

Distance traveled during the week ..... 1,056 miles.  
Maximum force " " ..... 4 1/2 pounds.

Hygrometer.

Clouds.

Rain and Snow. Ozone.

DATE.	FORCE OF VAPOR.			RELATIVE HUMIDITY.			CLEAR, O. OVERCAST, 10.			DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES.					
MARCH.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration. H. M.	Amount of Water.	Depth of Snow.	O. 10.
Sunday, 1	.225	.284	.278	91	85	100	5 Cir. Cu.	10	10	3 P.M.	12 P.M.	9.00	.25	...	0
Monday, 2	.229	.212	.174	100	100	100	0	NW 3 Cir. Cu.	0	.....	.....	....	....	....	6
Tuesday, 3	.135	.204	.186	100	100	81	2 Cir. S.	W 6 Cir. Cu.	4 Cir. Cu.	.....	.....	....	....	....	0
Wed'n'day, 4	.183	.215	.203	90	69	82	5 Cir. Cu.	2 Cir. S.	0	.....	.....	....	....	....	0
Thursday, 5	.178	.168	.132	80	65	70	8 Cir. Cu.	W 3 Cir. S.	0	.....	.....	....	....	....	5
Friday, 6	.100	.162	.142	65	79	70	2 Cir.	7 Cir. Cu.	10	.....	.....	....	....	....	0
Saturday, 7	.155	.144	.132	89	79	70	10	10	10	10 A.M.	1 P.M.	3.00	.01	1/8"	9

Total amount of water for the week ..... .26 inch.  
Duration for the week ..... 12 hours, 00 minutes.  
Depth of snow ..... 1/2 inch.

DANIEL DRAPER, Ph. D., Director.

NEW YORK AND BROOKLYN BRIDGE.

Statement of the Cash Receipts and Expenditures of the New York and Brooklyn Bridge for the month ending February 28, 1885 (Construction Account).

RECEIPTS.	
For rent.....	\$6,029 73
For material sold.....	93 50
	\$6,123 23
EXPENDITURES.	
Thos. H. Terry, commissions.....	\$47 57
Thos. H. Terry, insurance.....	65 00
Albert Gray, steam fitting.....	8 47
Wm. H. Hazzard's Son & Co., repairs to building.....	100 00
	\$221 04

J. S. T. STRANAHAN, President.  
OTTO WITTE, Treasurer.

County of Kings, ss.:  
James S. T. Stranahan, President, and Otto Witte, Treasurer, of the Trustees of the New York and Brooklyn Bridge, being severally duly sworn, each for himself, deposes and says, that the foregoing statement is in all respects true, according to the best of his knowledge, information and belief.

J. S. T. STRANAHAN,  
OTTO WITTE.

Sworn before me the 12th day of March, 1885.

HENRY BEANE,  
Notary Public,  
Kings County.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.  
No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
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 78, Tribune Building, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
THE MAYOR, President; JAMES W. McCULLOH, Secretary; BENJAMIN S. CHURCH, Chief Engineer.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.  
Commissioner's Office.  
No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
ROLLIN M. SQUIRE, Commissioner; DAVID LOWBER SMITH, Deputy Commissioner.

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

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

Bureau of Street Improvements.  
No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
GEORGE A. JEREMIAH, Superintendent.

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

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.  
No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
THOMAS H. McAVOY, Superintendent.

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

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

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

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

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

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.  
Comptroller's Office.  
No. 15 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

EDWARD V. LOWE, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.

Auditing Bureau.  
Nos. 19, 21, 23 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

WM. J. LYON, Auditor of Accounts.  
DAVID E. AUSTEN, Deputy Auditor.

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

ARTEMAS S. CADY, Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

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

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.  
First floor, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park.  
MARTIN T. McMAHON, Receiver of Taxes; ALFRED 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.

HENRY B. LAIDLAW, City Chamberlain.  
Office of the City Paymaster.  
Room 1, New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

MOOR FALLS, City Paymaster.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.  
Staats Zeitung Building, third floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

E. HENRY LACOMBE, Counsel to the Corporation  
ANDREW T. CAMPBELL, Chief Clerk.

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

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.  
No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 8.30 A. M. to 5.30 P. M.  
JACOB HESS, President; GEORGE F. BRITTON, Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

Headquarters.  
Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.  
CORNELIUS VAN COTT, President; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

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

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

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

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.  
ALBERT F. D'OENCH, Inspector of Buildings.

Attorney to Department.  
WM. L. FINDLEY, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.

Fire Alarm Telegraph.  
J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent of Telegraph, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.  
Central Office Fire Alarm Telegraph open at all hours.

Repair Shops.  
Nos. 128 and 130 West Third street.  
JOHN CASTLES, Foreman-in-Charge, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Hospital Stables.  
Ninety-ninth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.  
JOSEPH SHEA, Foreman-in-Charge.  
Open at all hours.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

No. 301 Mott street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
ALEXANDER SHALER, President; EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

No. 36 Union Square, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN D. CRIMMINS, President; EDWARD P. BARKER, 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.  
LUCIUS J. N. STARK, 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.

THOMAS B. ASTEN, 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 ADVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

No. 23 East Twentieth street.  
EVERETT P. WHEELER, Chairman of the Advisory Board; CHARLES H. WOODMAN, Secretary and Executive Officer.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, City Hall, Room No. 11 1/2, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN R. LYDECKER, 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; JOEL O. STEVENS,  
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; J. FAIRFAX McLAUGHLIN,  
Deputy Register.

## COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Room 127, Stewart Building, Chambers street and  
Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
GEORGE CAULFIELD, 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; H. S. BEATTIE,  
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 3 P. M.  
THOMAS CAGAN, Supervisor; R. P. H. ABELL, Book-  
keeper.

## CORONERS' OFFICE.

Nos. 13 and 15 Chatham street, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Sun-  
days and holidays, 8 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.  
PHILIP MERKLE, FERDINAND LEVY, BERNARD F. MAR-  
TIN and WILLIAM H. KENNEDY, Coroners; JOHN T.  
TOAL, Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

## SUPREME COURT.

Second floor, New County Court-house, 10 1/2 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. 36.  
Chambers, Room No. 37, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Part I., Room No. 34.  
Part II., Room No. 35.  
Part III., Room No. 36.  
Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 30.  
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 32.  
Clerk's Office, Room No. 31, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN SEDGWICK, Chief Judge; THOMAS BOESE, Chief  
Clerk.

## COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.  
Assignment Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Clerk's Office, Room No. 22, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
General Term, Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A. M. to ad-  
journment.  
Special Term, Room No. 21, 11 o'clock A. M. to ad-  
journment.  
Chambers, Room No. 21, 10:30 o'clock A. M. to ad-  
journment.  
Part I., Room No. 25, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.  
Part II., Room No. 26, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.  
Part III., Room No. 27, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.  
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
CHARLES P. DALY, Chief Justice; NATHANIEL JARVIS,  
Jr., Chief Clerk.

## COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

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

## CITY COURT.

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

## OVER AND TERMINER COURT.

New County Court-house, second floor, southeast cor-  
ner, Room No. 13. Court opens at 10 1/2 o'clock A. M.  
Clerk's Office, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park,  
second floor, northwest corner, Room No. 11, 10 A. M.  
till 4 P. M.

## COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

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

## DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.

First District—First, Second, Third, and Fifth Wards,  
southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets.  
MICHAEL NORTON, Justice.  
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Second District—Fourth, Sixth, and Fourteenth Wards  
corner of Pearl and Centre streets, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
CHARLES M. CLANCY, Justice.  
Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards, southwest  
corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court open  
daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M.  
to 4 P. M.  
GEORGE W. PARKER, Justice.  
Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards, No.  
30 First street, corner Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M.  
daily; continues to close of business.  
ALFRED STECKLER, Justice.  
Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh, and Thirteenth  
Wards, No. 154 Clinton street.  
JOHN H. MCCARTHY, Justice.  
Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards,  
No. 61 Union place, Fourth avenue, southwest corner of  
Eighteenth street. Court opens 9 A. M. daily; continues  
to close of business.  
WILLIAM H. KELLY, Justice.  
Seventh District—Nineteenth and Twenty-second  
Wards, No. 151 East Fifth-seventh street. Court opens  
every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal  
holidays), and continues to the close of business.  
AMBROSE MONELL, Justice.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHAR-  
ITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

## TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR THE SEVERAL WORKS,  
MATERIALS, MATTERS AND THINGS  
REQUIRED FOR THE ALTERATION  
AND REPAIR OF THE OLD GOUVER-  
NEUR MARKET BUILDING, ON GOUV-  
ERNEUR SLIP, FOR THE PURPOSE OF  
CONVERTING THE SAME INTO A RE-  
CEPTION HOSPITAL SOUTH OF CANAL  
STREET, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

THE SPECIFICATIONS AND PLANS FOR  
which are at this office—will be received at the  
office of the Department of Public Charities and Correc-  
tion, in the City of New York, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., of  
Friday, March 27, 1885. The person or persons making  
any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed en-  
velope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for RECEPTION  
HOSPITAL SOUTH OF CANAL STREET," for which there is one separate set of specifications,  
and the work for which is to be let in one contract,  
and with his or their name or names, and the date of  
presentation, to the head of said Department, at the  
said office, on or before the day and hour above  
named, at which time and place the bids or estimates  
received will be publicly opened by the President of the  
Board 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 PRO-  
VIDED 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 Corpora-  
tion upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as  
surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corpora-  
tion.

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

The person or persons to whom the contract may be  
awarded will be required to give security for the per-  
formance of the contract by his or their bond, with two  
sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of TEN  
THOUSAND (\$10,000) DOLLARS.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the con-  
sent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the  
City of New York, with their respective places of busi-  
ness 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 en-  
titled 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 esti-  
mated amount of the work by which the bids are tested.  
The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the  
oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons  
signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder  
in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the  
security required for the completion of this contract, over  
and above all his debts of every nature, and over and  
above his liabilities, as bail, surety, or otherwise; and  
that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and  
with the intention to execute the bond required by law.  
The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered  
shall be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New  
York.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accom-  
panied by either a certified check upon one of the  
National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the  
order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five  
per centum of the amount of the BOND required for the  
faithful performance of the contract. Such check or  
money must not be enclosed in the sealed envelope con-  
taining 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 de-  
posits, except that of the successful bidder, will be  
returned to the persons making the same, within three  
days after the contract is awarded. If the successful  
bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after  
notice 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.

Should the lowest formal estimate be accepted by the  
Board of Public Charities and Correction, due notice of  
this fact will be given forthwith upon the receipt of the  
Comptroller's approval of the sureties, presented by the  
bidder as consenting to be bound for the faithful execu-  
tion of this contract if awarded. Thereupon, if the Board  
shall not deem it for the best interests to reject all the  
proposals, the contract for this aforesaid work shall be  
awarded to this lowest bidder, who shall execute the  
contract and bond of even date therewith in due form, to  
the satisfaction of said Board, within five days after the  
award aforesaid. If the party or parties to whom said  
contract is awarded neglect or refuse to execute the  
same as aforesaid, the said contract shall be regarded as  
having been abandoned, the party or parties notified as  
in default to the Corporation of the City of New York,  
and the work will be re-advertised as provided in  
section 64, chapter 410, Laws of 1882.

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate in  
addition to inserting the same in figures.  
Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller,  
in accordance with the terms of the contract, as the  
Commissioners may determine.

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

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

Dated, New York, March 11, 1885.

THOMAS S. BRENNAN, President,  
HENRY H. PORTER, Commissioner,  
JACOB HESS, Commissioner,  
Public Charities and Correction.

THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF  
NEW YORK.

A STATED MEETING OF THE BOARD OF  
Trustees of the College of the City of New York  
will be held at the Hall of the Board of Education, No.  
146 Grand street, on Tuesday, March 17, 1885, at 4  
o'clock P. M.

LAWRENCE D. KIERNAN,  
Secretary.

Dated New York, March 11, 1885.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS  
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,  
NEW YORK, March 3, 1885.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS  
Department with one (1) steam Fire Engine, will be  
received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of  
the Fire Department, at the office of said Department,  
Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street, in the City of New  
York, until 11 o'clock A. M., Monday, March 16, 1885,  
at which time and place they will be publicly opened by  
the head of said Department and read.

The engine is to conform to the following specifica-  
tions:

The engine to be what is known as Second (2d) Size,  
Double Pump and Cylinder Vertical Crane Neck Steam  
Fire Engine, and to weigh not more than six thousand  
five hundred (6,500) pounds when fully equipped with and  
carrying all the tools, implements and appurtenances  
called for in these specifications, and with the boiler filled  
with water to the second gauge-cock.

The boiler to be vertical, 35 inches in diameter and 62  
inches high, to be made of best steel boiler plate, having  
copper smoke flues and hanging tubes of lap-welded  
iron; each hanging tube having circulating strips.

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

To be in all respects as to form and construction  
exactly similar to that now on Engine No. 32 of this  
Department, being M. R. Clapp's Circulating Tubular  
Boiler Patent of 1878.

The main pumps to be vertical, double acting, made  
entirely of composition, with cylinders each 4 1/2 inches  
diameter, and having a stroke of seven (7) inches; to have  
three (3) discharge gates and an automatic relief valve.

The steam cylinders to be each 7 1/2 inches in diameter,  
and having a stroke of seven (7) inches, and to be fitted  
to a bed-plate containing the steam passages.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name  
and place of residence of each of the persons making the  
same; the names of all persons interested with him or  
them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it  
shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without  
any connection with any other person making an estimate  
for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without  
collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common  
Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy  
thereof or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corpora-  
tion, 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 con-  
sent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the  
City of New York, with their respective places of busi-  
ness or residence, to the effect that if the contract be  
awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on  
its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its  
faithful performance in the sum of two thousand  
dollars (\$2,000); and that if he shall omit or refuse to  
execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any  
difference between the sum to which he would be entitled  
on its completion and that which the Corporation may be  
obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the con-  
tract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the  
amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated  
amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The  
consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the  
oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons  
signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder  
in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the  
security required for the completion of this contract, over  
and above all his debts of every nature, and over and  
above his liabilities, as bail, surety, or otherwise; and  
that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith  
and with the intention to execute the bond required by  
law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security  
offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City  
of New York before the award is made and prior to the  
signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by  
either a certified check upon one of the National Banks  
of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the  
Comptroller, or money, to the amount of one hundred  
dollars (\$100). Such check or money must not be in-  
closed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but  
must be handed to the officer or clerk of the De-  
partment 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 and retained by the City of New York as  
liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but, if he  
shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the  
amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may  
be awarded, neglect or refuse to accept the contract within

five days after written notice that the same has been  
awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they  
accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper  
security, he or they shall be considered as having aban-  
doned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the con-  
tract will be re-advertised and relet, as provided by law.

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

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

CORNELIUS VAN COTT,  
HENRY D. PURROY,  
RICHARD CROKER,  
Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS  
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,  
NEW YORK, March 3, 1885.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS  
Department with

TEN THOUSAND FEET OF HOSE.

—will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the  
head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Depart-  
ment, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street, in the City of New  
York, until 11 o'clock A. M., Monday, March 16, 1885,  
at which time and place they will be publicly opened by  
the head of said Department and read.

The hose is to be seamless Baker fabric cotton, rubber-  
lined; made of best Gulf cotton and best Para rubber;  
to be four (4) ply, of two and one-half (2 1/2) inches inter-  
nal diameter; in lengths of fifty (50) feet each, with New  
York Fire Department standard couplings attached. Each  
and every length of the hose, with the couplings  
attached, is to be capable of resisting a pressure test of  
three hundred (300) pounds to the square inch without  
twisting or turning more than one revolution, or elongat-  
ing more than forty-two (42) inches, or increasing in  
exterior diameter more than one-eighth (1/8) of an inch at  
any point, and is to weigh not more than fifty-two (52)  
pounds, including the couplings.

The contractor will be required to give a guarantee  
that the hose, with couplings attached, which shall be  
delivered, and each and every length, part and parcel  
thereof, shall and will, well and sufficiently bear and  
stand for and during the full end and term of three (3)  
years from the time the same shall be put in use, a pres-  
sure test of three hundred (300) pounds to the square  
inch, and the wear and tear of use by the Fire Depart-  
ment, its officers, agents, and servants; it being agreed  
that such wear and tear shall be understood to include  
all damage to the hose or couplings caused by being run  
over by vehicles or stepped upon by horses, and all other  
damage, except that which may be caused by fire  
or acids. And should any part, parcel, or length of hose  
or couplings which shall be delivered fail to well and  
sufficiently bear and stand, for and during the full end  
and term of three years from the time the same shall be  
put in use, a pressure test of three hundred (300) pounds  
to the square inch, and such wear and tear of use by the  
Fire Department, its officers, agents, and servants, then  
and in every such case the same shall be either replaced,  
length for length with hose, and piece for piece with  
couplings, or repaired by the contractor, at the option of  
and upon the demand in writing and without expense to  
said Fire Department.

All of the hose is to be delivered at the Repair Shops  
of the Fire Department, Nos. 130 and 132 West Third  
street, on or before the thirtieth day after the execution  
of the contract.

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name  
and place of residence of each of the persons making the  
same; the names of all persons interested with him or  
them therein; and if no other person be so interested,  
it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without  
any connection with any other person making an estimate  
for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without  
collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common  
Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy  
thereof or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corpora-  
tion, 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 con-  
sent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the  
City of New York, with their respective places of busi-  
ness or residence, to the effect that if the contract be  
awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on  
its being so awarded become bound as his sureties for its  
faithful performance, in the sum of five thousand  
dollars (\$5,000); and that if he shall omit or refuse to  
execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any  
difference between the sum to which he would be entitled  
on its completion and that which the Corporation may be  
obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the con-  
tract 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 sign-  
ing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in  
the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the  
security required for the completion of this contract, over  
and above all his debts of every nature, and over and  
above his liabilities, as bail, surety, or otherwise; and  
that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith  
and with the intention to execute the bond required by  
law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered  
is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New  
York before the award is made and prior to the signing of  
the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by  
either a certified check upon one of the National Banks  
of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the  
Comptroller, or money, to the amount of two hundred  
and fifty dollars (\$250). Such check or money must  
not be in closed 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 de-  
posits, except that of the successful bidder, will be  
returned to the persons making the same within three  
days after the contract is awarded. If the successful  
bidder shall refuse or neglect within five days after  
notice 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.

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

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

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

CORNELIUS VAN COTT,  
HENRY D. PURROY,  
RICHARD CROKER,  
Fire Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS  
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,  
NEW YORK, March 3, 1885.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

### SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS

#### SIX THOUSAND FEET OF HOSE

will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street, in the City of New York, until 11 o'clock A. M., Monday, March 16, 1885, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The hose is to be circular woven, seamless, multiply, rubber-lined cotton fire-hose, "Eureka Fire-Hose" brand; to be three (3) ply, made of the best Gulf cotton, two and one-half (2½) inches internal diameter, and lined with the finest grade of Para rubber; in lengths of fifty (50) feet each, with New York Fire Department standard couplings attached. Each and every length of the hose, with the couplings attached, is to be capable of resisting a pressure test of three hundred (300) pounds to the square inch, without twisting or turning more than two (2) revolutions, or elongating more than fifty (50) inches, or increasing in exterior diameter more than one-quarter (¼) of an inch at any point, and is to weigh not more than fifty-nine (59) pounds, including the couplings.

The contractor will be required to give a guarantee that the hose with couplings attached which shall be delivered, and each and every length, part and parcel thereof, shall and will, well and sufficiently bear and stand for and during the full end and term of three (3) years from the time the same shall be put in use, a pressure test of three hundred (300) pounds to the square inch, and the wear and tear of use by the Fire Department, its officers, agents and servants; it being agreed that such wear and tear shall be understood to include all damage to the hose or couplings caused by being run over by vehicles or stepped upon by horses, and all other damage, except that which may be caused by fire or acids. And should any part, parcel or length of hose or couplings which shall be delivered fail to well and sufficiently bear and stand for and during the full end and term of three years from the time the same shall be put in use, a pressure test of three hundred (300) pounds to the square inch, and such wear and tear of use by the Fire Department, its officers, agents and servants, then, and in every such case the same shall be either replaced, length for length with hose, and piece for piece with couplings, or repaired by the contractor, at the option of, and upon the demand in writing and without expense to, said Fire Department.

All of the hose is to be delivered at the Repair Shops of the Fire Department, Nos. 130 and 132 West Third street, on or before the thirtieth day after the execution of the contract.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, in the sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000); and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of one hundred and fifty dollars (\$150). 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 and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

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

CORNELIUS VAN COTT,  
HENRY D. PURROY,  
RICHARD CROKER,  
Fire Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS  
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,  
NEW YORK, March 3, 1885.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

### SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS

#### FOUR THOUSAND FEET OF HOSE

will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street, in the City of New York, until 11 o'clock A. M., Monday, March 16, 1885, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The hose is to be seamless two-bodied cotton rubber-lined fire hose, American Double or Jack-t Hose brand, knitted fabric. The inner tube to be of cotton, rubber-lined, made of the best Gulf cotton, two and one-half (2½) inches internal diameter, and lined with finest grade of Para rubber; the outer tube to be of cotton, made of the best Gulf cotton. To be furnished in lengths of fifty (50) feet each, with New York Fire Department standard couplings attached. Each and every length of the hose, with the couplings attached, is to be capable of resisting a pressure test of three hundred (300) pounds to the square inch, without twisting or turning more than one revolution, or elongating more than forty-two (42) inches, or increasing in exterior diameter more than one-eighth (⅛) of an inch at any point, and is to weigh not more than fifty-five (55) pounds, including the couplings.

The contractor will be required to give a guarantee that the hose with couplings attached which shall be delivered, and each and every length, part and parcel thereof, shall and will, well and sufficiently bear and stand for and during the full end and term of three (3) years from the time the same shall be put in use, a pressure test of three hundred (300) pounds to the square inch, and the wear and tear of use by the Fire Department, its officers, agents and servants; it being agreed that such wear and tear shall be understood to include all damage to the hose or couplings caused by being run over by vehicles or stepped upon by horses, and all other damage, except that which may be caused by fire or acids. And should any part, parcel, or length of hose or couplings which shall be delivered fail to well and sufficiently bear and stand, for and during the full end and term of three years from the time the same shall be put in use, a pressure test of three hundred (300) pounds to the square inch, and such wear and tear of use by the Fire Department, its officers, agents, and servants, then, and in every such case, the same shall be either replaced, length for length with hose, and piece for piece with couplings, or repaired by the contractor, at the option of, and upon the demand in writing and without expense to, said Fire Department.

All of the hose is to be delivered at the Repair Shops of the Fire Department, Nos. 130 and 132 West Third street, on or before the thirtieth day after the execution of the contract.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of one hundred dollars (\$100). Such check or money must not be inclosed 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 and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but, if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

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

CORNELIUS VAN COTT,  
HENRY D. PURROY,  
RICHARD CROKER,  
Fire Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS  
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
155 & 157 MERCER STREET,  
NEW YORK, Nov. 21, 1883.

### 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  
CORNELIUS VAN COTT, President.  
HENRY D. PURROY,  
RICHARD CROKER,  
Commissioners

CARL JUSSEN,  
Secretary

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
36 UNION SQUARE,  
December 26, 1884.

PROPERTY-OWNERS INTERESTED IN THE proposed change of the grades of the streets and avenues intersecting and crossing the tracks of the Harlem Railroad Company, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, are requested to call at the office of the Topographical Engineer of the Department of Public Parks, at the Arsenal building, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, Central Park, and examine plans, as prepared by the Department of Public Parks, showing a system of proposed over grade crossings, and make known their views in relation to the same with the view of securing such legislation as may be necessary in order to secure such change of grades.

By order of the Department of Public Parks.

E. P. BARKER,  
Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, March 10, 1885.

### TO LAMP-POST MANUFACTURERS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received at this office until Tuesday, March 24, 1885, at 12 o'clock M., at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read, for the following:

### FOR FURNISHING ONE HUNDRED CAST-IRON LAMP-POSTS.

Bidders for the above contracts must be regularly engaged in the business and well prepared for furnishing the materials they propose for; and no contract will be made with any bidder who is not prepared to furnish satisfactory evidence to that effect.

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

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

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

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired can be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Lamps and Gas, Room 11, No. 31 Chambers street.

ROLLIN M. SQUIRE,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

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

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

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

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

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,  
117 AND 119 DUANE STREET,  
NEW YORK CITY.

### NOTICE TO MARINERS IN THE PORT OF NEW YORK, PILOTS, AND ALL OTHERS TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT THIS DEPARTMENT has placed off the Battery and south of Pier, new 1, North river, two wooden floats or buoys, cubical in shape, six feet on each side, painted black, and anchored on a line bearing S. 7½° east from southwest corner of Pier, new 1, North river, the first float being anchored about 209 feet and the second about 335 feet distant therefrom.

By order of the Board.  
JOHN T. CUMING,  
Secretary.

## AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

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

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

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

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

## SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Sixtieth street, between Kingsbridge road and Eleventh avenue, in the City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 73 William street (third floor), in the said city, on or before the second day of March, 1885, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said second day of March, 1885, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2½ o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the third day of March, 1885.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Westerly by the easterly line or side of Eleventh avenue; northerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Sixtieth and One Hundred and Sixty-first streets, from the easterly line or side of Eleventh avenue to the westerly line or side of Kingsbridge road; easterly by the westerly line or side of Kingsbridge road, and southerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Fifty-ninth and One Hundred and Sixtieth streets from the westerly line or side of Kingsbridge road to the easterly line or side of Eleventh avenue, excepting therefrom all the streets and avenues within said area.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the twentieth day of March, 1885, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, January 21, 1885.

JOHN WHALEN,  
J. DANA JONES,  
E. HOGAN,  
Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.



In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Sixty-first street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues, in the City of New York.

**WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS** of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 73 William street (third floor), in the said city, on or before the 2d day of March, 1885, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 2d day of March, 1885, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at three o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 3d day of March, 1885.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Westerly by the easterly line or side of Eleventh avenue; northerly by a straight line drawn from a point on the easterly line or side of Eleventh avenue, ninety-nine feet eleven inches northwardly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-first street easterly to a point on the westerly line or side of Tenth avenue, distant ninety-nine feet eleven inches northwardly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-first street; easterly by the westerly line or side of Tenth avenue; and southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Sixty-first and One Hundred and Sixty-second streets, from Tenth avenue to Eleventh avenue, excepting therefrom all of the streets and avenues within said area.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 2d day of March, 1885, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, January 21, 1885.

JOHN WHALEN,  
I. DANA JONES,  
E. HOGAN,  
Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, March 2, 1885.

## SALE OF UNCLAIMED, POLICE AND CARTAGE PROPERTY.

VAN TASSELL & KEARNEY, AUCTIONEERS.

**THE UNDERSIGNED WILL SELL AT PUBLIC** auction, on Wednesday, March 18, 1885, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Property Clerk's Office of the Police Department of the City of New York, No. 302 Mott street, a lot of unclaimed property, consisting of wagons and hand-carts.

Cartage property—Trunks, furniture, boxes and contents.

Police property—Glass, iron, lead, boat, wardrobes, desks, chairs, brass, copper, doors, basin, bowls, urinals, harness, blankets, carpets, flags, gas-fixtures, hose, rope, etc.

For particulars see catalogues, to be procured of the Property Clerk on day of sale.

JOHN F. HARRIOT,  
Property Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
OFFICE OF THE PROPERTY CLERK (Room No. 39),  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, 1884.

**OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY** Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 39, for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boots, 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.

## 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, 1883.

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

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

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

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

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

GEORGE CAULFIELD,  
Commissioner of Jurors.

## 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 assessments have been completed and are 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 sidewalks four feet wide, in Ninth avenue, from the centre line of Eighty-first street to the south curb-line of One Hundred and Tenth street.

The limit embraced by such assessments includes 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 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 assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to 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 16th day of April ensuing.

JOHN R. LYDECKER,  
JOHN W. JACOBUS,  
JOHN MULLALLY,  
HENRY A. GUMBLETON,  
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 11½ CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, March 14, 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 1793, No. 1. Sewer in Fourth avenue (east side), between Eighty-second and Eighty-third streets.

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

No. 1. East side of Fourth avenue, between Eighty-second and Eighty-third 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 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 13th day of April ensuing.

JOHN R. LYDECKER,  
JOHN W. JACOBUS,  
JOHN MULLALLY,  
HENRY A. GUMBLETON,  
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 11½ CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, March 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 assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors, for examination by all persons interested, viz.: List 1344, No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curb, gutter stones and flagging on Lexington avenue, from One Hundred and Second street to Harlem river.

List 1629, No. 2. Drains for the lands bounded on the north by Fordham and Pelham avenues, on the south by the Kingsbridge road, on the east by the Southern Boulevard, and on the west by Arthur street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Lexington avenue, from One Hundred and Second street to Harlem river, and to the extent of one-half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 2. Quarry and Kingsbridge road on the south, College street, Fordham and Pelham avenues on the north, both sides of the Southern Boulevard on the east, and both sides of Arthur street on the west, in the Twenty-fourth Ward.

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 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 13th day of April ensuing.

JOHN R. LYDECKER,  
JOHN W. JACOBUS,  
JOHN MULLALLY,  
HENRY A. GUMBLETON,  
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 11½ CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, March 10, 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 1467, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curb and gutter stones, and flagging Tenth avenue, from One Hundred and Tenth to Manhattan street.

The limit 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 Tenth avenue, from One Hundred and Tenth to Manhattan street, and to the extent of one-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 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 9th day of April ensuing.

JOHN R. LYDECKER,  
JOHN W. JACOBUS,  
JOHN MULLALLY,  
HENRY A. GUMBLETON,  
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 11½ CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, March 7, 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 1287, No. 1. Regulating and paving with granite block pavement Fourth avenue, on the west side from One Hundred and Twenty-fourth to One Hundred and Thirty-second street.

List 2027, No. 2. Paving Fourth avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-ninth to One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street with granite block pavement.

The limits embraced by such assessments includes all

the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

No. 1. 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. 2. Both sides of Fourth avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-ninth to One Hundred and Twenty-fourth 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 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 30th day of March ensuing.

JOHN R. LYDECKER,  
JOHN W. JACOBUS,  
JOHN MULLALLY,  
HENRY A. GUMBLETON,  
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 11½ CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, February 26, 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 2129, No. 1. Receiving-basins on the northeast and southeast corners of Frankfort and Cliff streets.

List 2130, No. 2. Setting curb and flagging sidewalks four feet wide on One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, from Tenth avenue to Kingsbridge road.

List 2135, No. 3. Fencing vacant lots on the east side of Fourth avenue, between Sixty-fourth and Sixty-fifth streets, and on south side Sixty-fifth street, between Fourth and Lexington avenues.

List 2137, No. 4. Receiving-basins on the northwest corner of One Hundred and Fourth street and Fourth avenue and northwest corner of One Hundred and Seventeenth street and Lexington avenue.

List 2138, No. 5. Sewer in Ninety-fifth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

List 2140, No. 6. Sewer in Avenue B, between Fourth and Fifth streets.

List 2143, No. 7. Sewer in Lexington avenue, between One Hundred and Eighth and One Hundred and Ninth streets.

List 2089, No. 8. Sewer in Riverside avenue, between Ninety-second and One Hundred and Sixth streets.

List 1902, No. 9. Sewer in Riverside avenue, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Eleventh streets.

List 2145, No. 10. Sewer in One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, between Boulevard and Tenth avenue, and in Tenth avenue, west side, between One Hundred and Forty-sixth and One Hundred and Forty-seventh streets.

List 1854, No. 11. Sewer in Twelfth and Riverside avenues, between One Hundred and Twenty-second and Manhattan streets.

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

No. 1. Property bounded by Cliff and Pearl streets Hague and Ferry streets.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, between Tenth avenue and Kingsbridge road.

No. 3. East side of Fourth avenue, between Sixty-fourth and Sixty-fifth streets, and south side Sixty-fifth street, between Fourth and Lexington avenues.

No. 4. North side of One Hundred and Fourth street, between Fourth and Madison avenues, and extending fifty feet on the west side of Fourth avenue, north of One Hundred and Fourth street; also, north side of One Hundred and Seventeenth street, between Lexington and Fourth avenues, and east side of Fourth avenue, between One Hundred and Seventeenth and One Hundred and Eighteenth streets.

No. 5. Both sides of Ninety-fifth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

No. 6. Both sides of Avenue B, between Fourth and Fifth streets.

No. 7. Both sides of Lexington avenue, between One Hundred and Eighth and One Hundred and Ninth streets.

No. 8. Property situated between Ninety-second and One Hundred and Sixth streets, West End avenue and Hudson river.

No. 9. Property situated between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Eleventh streets, Boulevard and Hudson river.

No. 10. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, between Boulevard and Tenth avenue, and west side Tenth avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-sixth and One Hundred and Forty-seventh streets.

No. 11. Property situated between One Hundred and Twenty-second and One Hundred and Twenty-seventh streets, Clermont avenue and Hudson river, and also property situated between One Hundred and Twenty-seventh and Manhattan streets, Boulevard and Riverside avenue.

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 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 16th day of March ensuing.

JOHN R. LYDECKER,  
JOHN W. JACOBUS,  
JOHN MULLALLY,  
HENRY A. GUMBLETON,  
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 11½ CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, February 12, 1885.

## DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,  
STAATS ZEITUNG BUILDING,  
NEW YORK.

**IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 817 OF THE** City Consolidation Act of 1882, it is hereby advertised that the books of "The Annual Record of the Assessed Valuations of Real and Personal Estate" of the City and County of New York, for the year 1885, will be open for examination and correction from the second Monday of January, 1885, until the first day of May, 1885.

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

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

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

## BOARD OF EDUCATION.

**SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY** the School Trustees of the Fourth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until the 16th day of March, 1885, and until 4 o'clock P. M. on said day, for Desks and Seats for two class-rooms in Grammar School-house No. 1, on Vandewater street, near Pearl street.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blanks for proposals and all necessary information may be obtained, at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand, corner of Elm street.

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

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

No proposal will be considered from persons whose character or antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful.

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

FREDERICK WIMMER,  
MICHAEL J. DUFFEY,  
FRANCIS DANNBACHER,  
DAVID B. FLEMING,  
JOHN B. SHEA,  
Board of School Trustees, Fourth Ward.

Dated New York, March 2, 1885.

**SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT** the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, by the School Trustees of the Twenty-third Ward, until 9½ o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, the 18th day of March, 1885, for altering and fitting up premises on the south side of One Hundred and Forty-third street, near Third avenue, for the use of a part of Grammar School No. 60.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same time and place for the School Furniture required for the same.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blanks for proposals, and all necessary information may be obtained, at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand, corner of Elm street, third floor.

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

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

No proposal will be considered from persons whose character or antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful.

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

WILLIAM R. BEAL,  
L. A. FULLGRAFF,  
WILLIAM HOGG,  
SAMUEL SAMUELS,  
ALVAH TROWBRIDGE,  
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-third Ward.

Dated, New York, March 4, 1885.

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

## 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 is 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, has been and is hereby postponed by him until Monday, May 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.

EDWARD V. LOEW,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, Dec. 20, 1884.

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

**PURSUANT TO SECTION 928 OF THE NEW** York City Consolidation Act of 1882, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives PUBLIC NOTICE that the sale at public auction of lands and tenements in said city for unpaid assessments laid and confirmed during the year 1879 and prior thereto, for local improvements, which sale is 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, has been and is hereby postponed by him until Monday, May 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.

S. HASTINGS GRANT,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, Nov. 15, 1884.

## 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 1877, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

Grantors, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriff's sales, in 61 volumes, full bound, price \$100 00  
The same in 25 volumes, half bound, " " " " 50 00  
Complete sets, folded, ready for binding, " " " " 15 00  
Records of Judgments, 25 volumes, bound, " " " " 10 00

Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Angell, Comptroller's Office, New County Court-house."

EDWARD V. LOEW,  
Comptroller.

## THE CITY RECORD.

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