

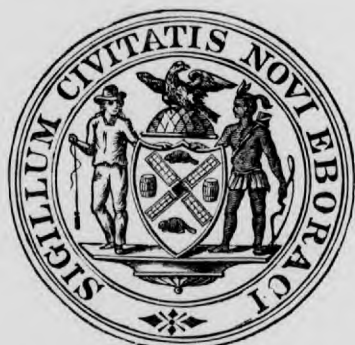
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HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
NEW YORK, October 6, 1885.

The Board met this day.

Reports.

From the Sanitary Superintendent—On operations of the First Division; on operations of the Second Division; on operations of the Third Division; on operations of the Fourth Division; on operations of the Fifth Division; on operations of the Sixth Division; on operations of the Seventh Division; weekly letter; weekly mortuary statement; weekly abstract of births; weekly abstract of marriages; weekly abstract of still-births; weekly abstract of deaths from contagious diseases; weekly report on attendance of clerks; on applications for permits; on condition of certain street pavements, etc.; on applications for relief from certain orders; on manure dumping; on condition of slaughter-houses; on privy-vaults; on house-to-house inspections; on delayed birth and marriage returns; on changes of help at Riverside Hospital; on work of the Summer Corps; on applications for leaves of absence; on analysis of ale and lager beer from Peck Slip, No. 16 Cherry street and No. 99 James street; on concealment of case of smallpox at No. 5 University place; on application of Dr. Parsons to be excused for absence on account of sickness; on applications for appointment as nurses; on suspension of employees at Willard Parker Hospital; on application of Dr. Taylor for traveling expenses to and from Boston; on premises No. 180 Wooster street and corner Ogden avenue and Orchard street.

From the Attorney and Counsel—Weekly report; monthly report.

Communications from other Departments.

From the Finance Department—Comptroller's weekly statement.

From the Civil Service Examining Board—In respect to the appointment of nurses and orderlies.

From the Counsel to the Corporation—Requesting information in respect to the claim of Jas. Brady.

Miscellaneous Communications.

From Simon Stevens—In relation to storing bones and other refuse at Pier 12, East river.

From G. V. Raffo, Consul-General of Italy—In respect to law relating to the adulteration of milk.

From Inspector Dunphy—In respect to suspension from duty.

Bills Audited.

Chas. Lederer.....	\$184 63	William Smith.....	\$490 00
G. N. Zingsen.....	437 50	John Burns.....	72 00
C. C. Haight.....	25 27	Jas. Lay.....	505 50
C. C. Haight.....	97 00	Jas. D. Leary.....	68 71
Metropolitan Telephone & Tel. Co.	125 75	I. H. Dahlman.....	70 00
Chas. B. Trimble.....	108 50	McKesson & Robbins.....	13 41
Francis H. Smith.....	405 55	E. Waller.....	102 00
John Goodwin.....	196 35	W. N. Seymour.....	35 02
H. W. Johns Mfg. Co.....	20 88	John A. Moran.....	30 00
Wm. McKenna.....	12 50	Stewart & Co.....	7 92
W. Chamberlain.....	70 77	Thurber & Co.....	436 91
Jas. Armstrong.....	303 82	J. B. Purroy.....	166 66
Thos. F. White.....	3,000 00	Jacob Jamer.....	1,353 78
Pay-roll of Laborers.....	399 50		

Permits Granted.

To keep a lodging-house at No. 7 Mulberry street.
To keep a lodging-house at No. 183 Chatham street.
To keep a lodging-house at No. 53 Mulberry street.
To keep a lodging-house at No. 283 Bowery.
To occupy basement at No. 22 Christie street for dwelling purposes.
To keep seven cows at No. 319 East One Hundred and Third street.
To keep two cows at north side One Hundred and Twenty-first street, between Boulevard and Riverside Drive.
To keep ten chickens at No. 453 East One Hundred and Forty-eighth street.
To keep eight chickens at No. 243 West Thirty-sixth street.
To keep live fowls for sale at No. 240½ East Houston street.
To keep live fowls for sale at No. 394 Tenth avenue.
To keep live fowls for sale at No. 153 Chambers street.
To smoke sausages at No. 241 East Third street.
To continue wool-pulling establishment at No. 419 to No. 423 East Forty-eighth street.

Permits Denied.

To keep four chickens at No. 68 Oliver street.
To keep fourteen chickens at No. 187 Tenth avenue.
To keep live poultry at No. 71 Hester street.
To keep live poultry at No. 1038 First avenue.
To keep live poultry at No. 1051 Third avenue.
To keep live poultry at No. 431 East Seventy-fourth street.
To keep live poultry at No. 1415 Third avenue.
To keep live poultry at No. 200 Wooster street.
To keep live poultry at corner Second avenue and Fifth street.
To keep live poultry at No. 156 Second street.
To keep live poultry at No. 438 West Thirty-seventh street.
To keep live poultry at No. 153 Ridge street.
To keep live poultry at No. 962 Tenth avenue.

Resolutions.

Resolved, That the Register of Records be and is hereby directed to record the following birth of Hermann Charles Landres, born December 21, 1884.
Resolved, That the Register of Records be and is hereby directed to amend the record of birth of Marguerite Weille, born December 9, 1881, as follows:
Name of mother Serette Weille, instead of Teresse.
Resolved, That the following persons be and are hereby appointed as Nurses, with a salary at the rate of \$360 per annum:
Mary Smith, at Willard Parker Hospital.
Mary J. Makeon, at Willard Parker Hospital.
Laura E. Strangman, at Riverside Hospital.
Alice M. Gallagher, at Riverside Hospital.

Resolved, That the following persons be and are hereby employed at the Willard Parker Hospital:

Elizabeth McCord, Helper, at \$8 per month.
Kate Gallagher, Laundress.

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

No. 20638, at No. 191 Orchard street, to April 1, 1886.
No. 20344, at No. 507 East Sixteenth street, to March 1, 1886.
No. 20345, at No. 509 East Sixteenth street, to March 1, 1886.
No. 17034, at No. 13 Spruce street, to April 1, 1886.
No. 19029, at No. 19½ Forsyth street, to June 1, 1886.
No. 18235, at No. 198 Broome street, to November 15, 1885.
No. 12326, at One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, between Walnut and Locust avenues, to November 1, 1885.
No. 18537, at Nos. 590 and 592 Third avenue, to May 10, 1886.
No. 16154, at Nos. 2353, 2355 and 2357 Third avenue, to April 1, 1886.
No. 19272, at Nos. 484 to 492 East One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, to October 20, 1885.
No. 19271, at Nos. 419, 421 and 423 East Forty-eighth street, to May 1, 1886.
No. 17649, at No. 423 East Forty-seventh street, to May 1, 1886.
No. 20428, at No. 1311 Fourth avenue, to March 1, 1886.
No. 15405, at No. 1568 Third avenue, to May 15, 1886.
No. 19526, at No. 326 East Thirty-fifth street, to May 10, 1886.
No. 20088, at No. 360 Washington street, to May 10, 1886.
No. 20017, at No. 168 Avenue B, to April 1, 1886.
No. 17718, at No. 434 East Houston street, to March 1, 1886.
No. 12990, at Nos. 377 and 383 East Fourth street, to October 30, 1885.
No. 16305, at Nos. 402 and 404 West Thirtieth street, to May 10, 1886.
No. 16877, at No. 205 Hester street, to November 1, 1886.
No. 18068, at Nos. 165 and 167 Broadway, suspended during the pleasure of the Board.
No. 17824, at No. 328 East Thirty-ninth street, during the pleasure of the Board.
No. 16972, at No. 154 East Thirtieth street, during the pleasure of the Board.
No. 20016, at No. 595 East One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, during the pleasure of the Board.

Resolved, That the applications for relief from the following orders be and are hereby denied:
No. 15479, at west side of Eighth avenue, first to seventh houses north of One Hundred and Forty-second street.

No. 2534, premises Nos. 352 to 356 West Forty-eighth street.
No. 19527, premises No. 204 East Thirty-sixth street.
No. 20425, premises No. 167 East Ninety-third street.

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

Street pavement at No. 67 Catharine street.
Street pavement at Nos. 263 and 269 Monroe street.
Street pavement at No. 1963 Third avenue.
Street pavement at No. 79 Monroe street.
Street pavement at No. 254 East Sixty-first street.
Street culvert at No. 64 West Houston street.
Street culvert at No. 44 West Third street.
Street culvert at No. 58 West Houston street.
Street culvert at No. 29 West Third street.
Street culvert at No. 122 Bleeker street.
Street culvert at Washington and Cedar streets.
Street culvert at No. 355 Greenwich street.
Street culvert at southwest corner Eighty-fourth street and Lexington avenue.
Street culvert at northwest corner Manhattan street and Broadway.
Street obstruction at No. 339 West street.
Street gutter at east side Eighth avenue, from Twenty-fifth to Thirty-fourth streets.

Resolved, That copies of the reports of Inspectors upon the condition of premises No. 180 Wooster street and corner Ogden avenue and Orchard street be forwarded to the Board of Education for the necessary action.

Resolved, That the proposal of Chas. B. Trimble to furnish and set a two-inch expansion-joint on main steam-pipe, between Administration building and stable on North Brother Island, with brick chamber around the same, etc., for the sum of \$45, be and is hereby accepted.

Resolved, That the application to file papers supplemental to the original record of death of Dennis Galvin, who died July 17, 1885, be and is hereby granted.

Resolved, That the application to file papers supplemental to the original record of death of Philip Menasheiner, who died October 29, 1883, be and is hereby granted.

The Board proceeded to the opening of bids for estimates for building three pavilions on North Brother Island, City and County of New York, as follows:

John Duke.....	\$14,300 00
James H. Brady.....	10,223 00
Wm. Russell.....	9,900 00
Francis H. Smith.....	10,649 00
Mahoney Bros.....	11,950 00

Which, on motion, were laid on the table.

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

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

Plan No. 3615, for one tenement-house, west side Third avenue, 221 feet north of One Hundred and Sixty-third street.
Plan No. 3628, for two tenement-houses on southwest corner of Ninety-second street and First avenue.
Plan No. 3630, for one tenement-house at No. 492 Grand street.
Plan No. 3631, for four tenement-houses, south side Eighty-seventh street, 250 feet west of Avenue A.
Plan No. 3632, for one tenement-house at No. 448 West Thirty-first street, as amended.
Plan No. 3633, for one tenement-house at No. 448 West Fiftieth street.
Plan No. 3634, for one tenement-house, north side Seventy-first street, one hundred and seventy-five feet east of Second avenue, conditionally.
Plan No. 3635, for three tenement-houses, north side Seventy-first street, two hundred feet east of Second avenue, conditionally.
Plan No. 3636, for one tenement-house, east side Ninth avenue, fifty feet five inches north of One Hundredth street.
Plan No. 3637, for one tenement-house at No. 521 East Twelfth street.
Plan No. 3638, for one tenement-house, north side One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, two hundred feet west of St. Ann's avenue.
Plan No. 3639, for three tenement-houses, west side Eighth avenue, one hundred and forty-nine feet eleven inches south of One Hundred and Thirty-third street, conditionally.
Plan No. 3641, for one tenement-house at No. 109 East Eighty-fifth street.

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

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

Plan No. 20192, for one tenement-house at No. 215 East Twenty-sixth street.
Plan No. 29912, for one business building at Park row, Beekman and Nassau streets.
Plan No. 3846, for one tenement-house, northwest corner Fifty-fourth street and Seventh avenue, as amended.
Plan No. 4183, for one dwelling, west side Walton avenue, seventy-five feet north of One Hundred and Fiftieth street, as amended.
Plan No. 4190, for one business building at No. 118 Walker street, as amended.
Plan No. 4203, for one business building at No. 1722 Broadway, as amended.
Plan No. 4214, for six tenement-houses, north side One Hundred and First street, seventy-five feet east of Second avenue, as amended.

Plan No. 4221, for four dwellings, north side Eighty-second street, one hundred feet east of Ninth avenue.

Plan No. 4223, for one dwelling, south side One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, sixty-six feet west of Delmonico place, conditionally.

Plan No. 4225, for one tenement-house at No. 492 Grand street, conditionally.

Plan No. 4226, for one tenement house at No. 429 West Seventeenth street.

Plan No. 4227, for six dwellings, north side Seventy-eighth street, two hundred and fifty-feet west of Ninth avenue, conditionally.

Plan No. 4228, for two tenement-houses, at Nos. 320 and 322 Cherry street, conditionally.

Plan No. 4229, for one tenement-house, east side Ninth avenue, fifty feet north of One Hundredth street.

Plan No. 4232, for one factory, south side Twenty-eighth street, one hundred and seventy-five feet west of First avenue, conditionally.

Plan No. 4233 for one stable, south side Twentieth street, at Nos. 124 and 126 West Twentieth street.

Plan No. 4234, for three tenement-houses, west side Eighth avenue, near One Hundred and Thirty-second street.

Plan No. 4235, for one tenement-house, south side One Hundred and Fifteenth street, 80 feet west of Second avenue, conditionally.

Plan No. 4236, for eleven dwellings, south side One Hundred and Twenty-third street, one hundred feet east of Ninth avenue.

No. 4237. For one tenement house at No. 109 East Eighty-fifth street.

No. 4239. For two dwellings, south side Seventy-seventh street, one hundred feet west of Third avenue.

No. 4246. For three dwellings at Belmont near Fordham

Tabled for Amendment.

Resolved, That the plans for plumbing and drainage of six houses north side Ninety-fourth street, one hundred and fifty-feet east of Tenth avenue, (No. 4224) 4230 for two dwellings on Anderson avenue between Orchard and High Bridge, be and are hereby tabled for amendment.

Disapproval.

Resolved, That the following plans for the plumbing and drainage of new houses be and are hereby disapproved.

Plan No. 4184, for four tenement houses, southeast corner of Avenue B, and Eleventh street.

Plan No. 4190. For one business building at No. 118 Walker street.

Resolved, That the following violations of law in the plumbing and drainage of new houses be and are hereby referred to the attorney.

Violation No. 2829, for one house, north side One Hundred and Ninth street, two hundred feet west of Fourth avenue.

Violation No. 2887, for two houses, Nos. 410 and 412 Sixth avenue.

Violation No. 2889, for one house, No. 330 West Thirtieth street.

Violation No. 2891, for one house, No. 305 West Forty-second street.

Violation No. 2894, for one house, No. 126 Tenth avenue.

Violation No. 2908, for one house, No. 111 West Forty-third street.

Violation No. 2910, for one house, east side Ninth avenue, twenty-one feet south of Ninety-sixth street.

Violation No. 2914, for one house, No. 577 Eighth avenue.

Violation No. 2923, for ten houses, on and adjoining southwest corner One Hundred and Thirty-second street and Fifth avenue.

Violation No. 2930, for one house, No. 2191 Third avenue.

Violation No. 2932, for one house, No. 527 West Twenty-eighth street.

Violation No. 2933, for one house, north side Thirtieth street, two hundred and twenty-five feet east of Tenth avenue.

Violation No. 2939, for one house, northwest corner One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street and Lexington avenue.

Violation No. 2940, for one house, north side One Hundred and Eighteenth street, one hundred feet west of Second avenue.

Violation No. 2948, for one house, No. 326 East Fortieth street.

Violation No. 2949, for one house, southeast corner Seventy-seventh street and Second avenue.

Violation No. 2951, for one house, No. 1466 Second avenue.

Violation No. 2953, for one house, northeast corner Seventy-second street and First avenue.

Violation No. 2954, for one house, southeast corner Seventy-eighth street and First avenue.

Violation No. 2955, for fifteen houses, on north and south sides of Seventy-fifth street, west of Boulevard.

Violation No. 2957, for five houses, south side Seventy-first street, two hundred feet west of Ninth avenue.

Violation No. 2962, for ten houses, east side Second avenue, between Seventy-sixth and Seventy-seventh streets.

Sanitary Bureau.

The following is a record of the work performed in the Sanitary Bureau for the week ending October 3, 1885:

The total number of inspections made by the Sanitary Inspectors was 5,701.

The number of complaints returned by the Sanitary Inspectors was 560.

During the past week 215 complaints were received from citizens and referred to the Sanitary Inspectors for investigation and report.

There were issued to the consignees of vessels to discharge cargoes on vouchers from the Health Officer of the Port, 81 permits.

There were issued to consignees to discharge rags (in bulk, under bonds), 12 permits.

There were issued to remove manure from stables in the city, 2 permits.

There were issued, under the Sanitary Code, 21 miscellaneous permits.

There were issued to scavengers to empty, clean, and disinfect privy-sinks, 112 permits.

At premises where contagious diseases were reported 70 visits were made, and 33 disinfections and 16 fumigations were performed.

The number of cases of contagious diseases removed to Riverside Hospital was 10.

The number of vaccinations performed was 1,541, of which 534 were primary, and 1,007 revaccinations.

There were seized and condemned 8,350 pounds of meat, and 4,000 pounds of fish.

The number of specimens of milk examined was 72; the number of analyses of the same made was 1; the number of arrests made was 3, and the amount of fines imposed was \$610.

Fruit Inspections.

ARTICLES SEIZED.	BARRELS.	BUSHELS.	BASKETS.	BOXES.	BUNCHES.	NO. OF.
Apples.....	23	..	1½	..	..	..
Bananas.....	..	..	..	..	40	50
Cocoanuts.....	..	..	..	..	..	102
Egg Plant.....	..	..	..	..	..	16
Muskmelons.....	..	..	..	..	..	15
Pears.....	½	..	¾	9	..	..
Peaches.....	..	..	14	..	..	..
Potatoes.....	23	..	..	..	..	..
Watermelons.....	..	..	..	..	..	38

The certificates of 659 births, 50 still births, 205 marriages, and 543 deaths, reported to have taken place in this city, were received by this Bureau during the week ending Saturday, October 3, 1885. This shows an increase of 57 births, 1 still-birth and 10 marriages, and a decrease of 57 deaths, when compared with the number received during the preceding week, but when compared with the corresponding week of the year 1884, there was an increase of 38 births and a decrease of 5 still-births, 67 marriages and 66 deaths. Compared with the mortality reported during the preceding week, the deaths from diphtheria decreased 19; whooping cough, 10; typhoid fever, 9; cerebro-spinal fever, 1; diarrhoeal diseases, 25; alcoholism 5; rheumatism and gout, 2; phthisis pulmonalis, 4; bronchitis, 8; aneurism, 2; hydrocephalus and tubercular meningitis, 1; convulsions, 4; all diseases of the brain and nervous system, 5; gastritis, enteritis, and peritonitis, 2; Bright's disease and nephritis, 6; suicide, 2; while the deaths from small-pox increased 2; scarlatina, 2; croup, 4; malarial fevers, 4; puerperal diseases, 2; inanition, 4; cancer, 6; heart diseases, 10; marasmus, tabes mesenterica and scrofula, 2; meningitis and encephalitis, 2; cirrhosis and hepatitis, 1; cyanosis and atelectasis, 1; premature and preterm births, 1; surgical operations, 3; and drowning, 1. The number of deaths from measles, erysipelas, pneumonia and apoplexy was the same in the two successive weeks.

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

WEEK ENDING—	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlatina.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Whooping Cough.	Typhus Fever.	Typhoid Fever.	Cerebro-Spinal Fever.	Remittent, Intermittent, Typho-Malarial, Congestive, and Simple Continued Fevers.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Phthisis Pulmonalis.	Pneumonia.	Bronchitis.	Diseases of the Nervous System.	Diseases of the Urinary System.	DEATHS OF CHILDREN.		
Sept. 12, 1885.....	..	1	1	15	11	14	..	9	6	11	102	98	32	15	55	44	201	247	292
“ 19, “	1	1	..	24	13	17	..	11	5	8	104	85	40	20	68	50	187	258	302
“ 26, “	1	1	1	29	9	14	..	18	3	6	84	102	34	28	46	43	176	230	270
Oct. 3, “	3	1	3	10	13	4	..	9	2	10	59	98	34	20	41	34	127	170	199
Total.....	5	4	5	78	46	49	..	47	16	35	349	383	140	83	210	171	691	905	1063

The ages of 127 of the persons who died during the week were reported to be under one year, 170 under two years, 199 under five years, and 40 seventy years and over, which shows that the number of deaths of children under five years of age was 71 less than the number reported during the preceding week, and represent 36.65 per cent. of the total weekly mortality.

Deaths reported from Small-pox, Measles, Scarlatina, Diphtheria, Membranous Croup, Whooping Cough, Typhus, Typhoid, Cerebro-Spinal, and Malarial Fevers, in Institutions, Tenement and other Dwellings, with Average Age, Floor, and Ward where the Death occurred, and the Hour of Death, for the week ending October 3, 1885.

DISEASE.	In Houses containing 3 Families and under.	In Houses containing over 3 Families.	Canal Boats.	Hotels and Boarding-houses.	Institutions.	FLOOR.										AVERAGE AGE.		
						Basement.	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.	Top.	Not Stated.	Years.	Months.	Days.	
Small-pox.....	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	5	13
Measles.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	4	..
Scarlatina.....	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	6	5	..
Diphtheria.....	2	8	..	..	..	..	5	2	2	1	..	..	..	..	4	4	28
Membranous Croup..	3	10	..	..	..	..	3	3	5	..	..	..	1	..	2	7	28
Whooping Cough....	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	28
Typhus Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Typhoid Fever.....	1	4	..	..	4	..	1	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	18	2	..
Cerebro-Spinal Fever	1	1	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	1	16
Malarial Fevers.....	3	5	..	2	..	..	4	2	2	1	1	..	..	..	19	11	20

DISEASE.	WARDS.																								TOTAL.	DEATHS.
	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.	Seventh.	Eighth.	Ninth.	Tenth.	Eleventh.	Twelfth.	Thirteenth.	Fourteenth.	Fifteenth.	Sixteenth.	Seventeenth.	Eighteenth.	Nineteenth.	Twentieth.	Twenty-first.	Twenty-second.	Twenty-third.	Twenty-fourth.		
Small-pox.....	3	..	..	..	..	..	3	
Measles.....	1	..	..	1	
Scarlatina.....	1	..	1	..	1	..	3	
Diphtheria.....	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	3	1	1	1	..	..	10	
Membranous Croup..	1	2	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	2	2	..	..	13	
Whooping Cough....	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	4	
Typhus Fever.....	
Typhoid Fever.....	1	2	1	..	..	..	1	1	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	9	
Cerebro-Spinal Fever	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	
Malarial Fevers.....	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	1	..	..	1	2	..	1	..	..	2	..	10

Hours at which Deaths Occurred.

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

Of the total number of deaths reported for the week, 107 were in institutions, 315 in tenement-houses, 102 in houses containing three families or less, 8 in hotels and boarding-houses, 8 in rivers, streets, boats, etc.; 4 were on the basement floor, 102 on the first, 130 on the second, 98 on the third, 68 on the fourth, 22 on the fifth, 1 on the sixth; 543 were stated to be residents of New York City, and 0 non-residents; 50 were stated to be single, 138 married, 69 widowed, and the condition of 286 was not stated; these were children who had not attained a marriageable age.

The total number of burial permits issued during the week are as follows, viz.: City deaths, 543; still-births, 50; bodies in transitu, 21; of the total burial permits issued for city deaths and still-births, 60 were upon certificates received from the Coroners; 659 births, 205 marriages, 50 still-births, 543 deaths; 21 applications for transit permits were recorded, indexed and tabulated; 90 searches of the registers of births, marriages, and deaths were made, and 7 transcripts of the birth record, 10 of marriage, and 48 of death were issued during the week.

The mean temperature for the week ending October 3, 1885, was 65.4 degrees Fahr., the mean reading of the barometer was 29.920, the mean humidity was 83, saturation being 100, the number of miles traveled by the wind was 496, and the total amount of rain-fall was 0.83 inch depth of water, as reported by D. Draper, Ph. D., Director of the New York Meteorological Observatory, Central Park.

The disposition of 505 deaths and still-births, or 85.16 per cent. of the total number reported, was in the following 14 cemeteries: Bayside (Jewish), 10; Calvary (Roman Catholic), 193; City pauper burial-ground (undenominational), 68; Greenwood (undenominational), 34; Lutheran (undenominational), 97; Cypress Hills (undenominational), 16; Evergreen (undenominational), 32; Woodlawn (undenominational), 19; St. Michael's (Protestant Episcopal), 8; Union (Methodist Protestant), 1; Holy Cross (Roman Catholic), 5; Machpelah, L. I. (Jewish), 3; St. Raymond's (Roman Catholic), 5; Washington (undenominational), 14.

The distribution of deaths (actual mortality) for the week ending September 26, 1885, was in the following Wards, viz.: First, 6; Second, 4; Third, 0; Fourth, 10; Fifth, 6; Sixth, 17; Seventh, 26; Eighth, 15; Ninth, 20; Tenth, 23; Eleventh, 28; Twelfth, 66; Thirteenth, 19; Fourteenth, 14; Fifteenth, 11; Sixteenth, 23; Seventeenth, 34; Eighteenth, 45; Nineteenth, 93; Twentieth, 24; Twenty-first, 33; Twenty-second, 42; Twenty-third, 12; Twenty-fourth, 11.

The actual mortality for the week ending September 26, 1885, was 582; this is 58 less than the number that occurred during the corresponding week of the year 1884, and 37.2 less than the average of the corresponding weeks of the past five years, and represents an annual death-rate of 21.47 per 1,000 persons living, the population estimated at 1,409,325.

The annual death-rate per 1,000 persons living, of the estimated or enumerated population, according to the most recent weekly returns of Philadelphia was 19.18; Brooklyn, 20.53; Chicago, 20.63; Baltimore, 16.82; Boston, 21.91; New Orleans, 25.33; Cleveland, 20.54; Newark, 22.09; Erie, 18.27; Charleston, 51.72; Lowell, 14.56; Worcester, 18.75; Cambridge, 18.74; Fall River, 20.72; Lawrence, 14.85; Lynn, 12.56; Springfield, 13.65; Pittsburg, 19.76. Monthly returns—Salt Lake, 11.75. Foreign cities—weekly returns—London, 15.7; Liverpool, 21.4; Birmingham, 12.7; Manchester, 20.6; Glasgow, 19.0; Edinburgh, 13.9; Dundee, 17.4; Dublin, 22.9; Belfast, 23.5; Cork, 25.3; Brussels, 24.8; Antwerp, 19.3; Paris, 20.9; Rome, 32.2; Berlin, 20.8; Munich, 26.4; Breslau, 25.23; Vienna, 22.4; Copenhagen, 14.8; Stockholm, 18.7; Christiania, 21.13; Amsterdam, 18.9; Rotterdam, 19.9; The Hague, 18.5; Calcutta, 26.2; Bombay, 25.19; Madras, 34.3; Geneva, with suburbs, 16.8; Basel, 12.9; Bern, 21.8; St. Petersburg, 26.2; Warsaw, 26.71; Salford, 20.4; Liege, 21.4; Prague and suburbs, 28.4. Monthly returns—Rheims, 41.69; Marseilles, 76.9; Hamburg (State), 25.2. Semi-monthly return—Saint-Etienne, 20.3.

By order of the Board.

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NEW YORK, October 9, 1885.

The Board met this day.

Reports.

From the Sanitary Superintendent—On the presence of ophthalmia in the public schools; on night medical service for September; in relation to the suspension of Robert Crawford and Walter E. Hautch; on applications for leave of absence; on street pavements, etc.

From the Health Officer of the Port—Report on danger of infection from rags.

Resolutions.

Resolved, That copies of the reports of Chief Inspector Morris and Sanitary Inspectors Tracy, Morris, Vermilye and Murtha, upon the reported presence of ophthalmia in the public schools, be forwarded to the Honorable the Board of Aldermen.

Resolved, That Robert Crawford, Fireman, and Walter E. Hautch, Orderly, at the Willard Parker Hospital, be and are hereby dismissed from the service of this Department.

Resolved, That leave of absence of six days be and is hereby granted to Inspector Brennan.

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

Street culvert at southwest corner South and Beekman streets.
Street culvert at northwest corner Grand street and South Fifth avenue.
Street culvert at southwest corner Coenties slip and Front street.
Street culvert at southwest corner Sullivan and Prince streets.
Street culvert at northeast corner Little Twelfth street and Tenth avenue.
Street culvert at No. 399 Greenwich street.
Street culvert at No. 439 Washington street.
Street culvert at No. 363 South street.
Street pavement at Forty-fifth street, between First avenue and East river.
Street pavement at No. 170 Greene street.
Street pavement at Nos. 12 and 4 Extra place.
Street pavement at southeast corner Oak and Catharine streets.
Street sewer at southeast corner Cedar and Washington streets.
Street sewer at corner Roosevelt and Madison streets.
Street sewer at No. 323 Greenwich street.

Unpaved street at One Hundred and Thirty-third street, between One Hundred and Thirty-third street and Eighth avenue.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby respectfully requested to transfer the sum of \$395 from the appropriation made to the Health Department, entitled "Hospital Fund for Completion of Hospital Buildings on North Brother Island, 1885," for which object and purpose it will not be required, to the appropriation entitled "Hospital Fund, for New Pavilions on North Brother Island, 1885," to pay the architect's fees for plans and specifications and the supervision of the same.

Resolved, That the pay-roll of laborers on North Brother Island, amounting to \$117, be and is hereby approved, and, when signed by the President and Secretary, will be forwarded to the Comptroller for payment.

Resolved, That the contract for building three frame pavilions on North Brother Island, City and County of New York, be and is hereby awarded to William Russel for the sum of \$9,900, he being the lowest bidder, subject to the approval of the sureties by the Comptroller, and that the President be and is hereby authorized to execute the contract, the work to commence within ten days after the due execution of such contract.

Resolved, That the proposal of William Russel for building three frame pavilions on North Brother Island, City and County of New York, he being the lowest bidder, be forwarded to the Comptroller for approval of sureties.

Resolved, That the following security deposits, received on proposals to erect three frame pavilions on North Brother Island, opened October 6, be forwarded to the Comptroller:

John Duke, cash, \$250.
Jas. H. Brady, check, \$250.
Francis H. Smith, \$250.
Mahoney Brothers, \$250.
Wm. Russell, cash, lowest bidder, \$250, to whom contract is awarded.

Resolved, That Inspector John F. Dunphy be restored to duty, without pay from the period of his suspension from duty.

Resolved, That a copy of the report of the Attorney and Counsel respecting civil judgments of this Department, and the answers to the inquiries of the Commissioners of Accounts respecting the same, printed in the CITY RECORD of August 14, 1885, be forwarded to the Senate Committee now investigating the City Departments, with the request that it be added to the record of evidence concerning this Department.

Resolved, That the Senate Committee now investigating the City Departments be and is hereby respectfully requested to furnish this Department with printed copies of the evidence taken relative to this Department.

By order of the Board,

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

At a special meeting of the Board of Docks held October 8, 1885.

Present—Commissioners Koch and Stark.

Absent—Commissioner Matthews.

The minutes of the meeting held October 7, 1885, were read and approved.

The Board then went into executive session.

The following communications were received, read, and

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

From Joseph L. Liscomb, Dock Superintendent—Reporting that on September 28, 1885, Michael Cleary, of No. 633 West Forty-sixth street, used a horse on Pier foot of West Forty-sixth street, North river, without having a platform for the use of the said horse.

Penalty of \$5 imposed on Michael Cleary for violation of Rule 7 of the Rules and Regulations, and the President directed to notify him to call and pay the said amount to the Treasurer of this Department within five days, or the claim will be sent to the Counsel to the Corporation for collection.

From Harry Craske—Reporting that filling is being thrown into the river, foot of East Fifty-fifth street, between Avenue A and the East river. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to examine and report, and Secretary directed to notify Dock Master Sharkey to call on the President on Tuesday, October 13th instant, in respect thereto.

From the Collector of the Port—In reference to certificate of inspection Tug "Manhattan." President directed to advise that the tug is laid up at present for the purpose of having repairs made to the hull, engine and machinery, and when completed, application will be made for certificate.

From Abram Duryee, Dock Master—Reporting that the Manhattanville Ferry Company are using a portion of the Pier at the foot of West One Hundred and Thirtieth street, North river, without paying any revenue for the use of the said premises. The President was directed to notify Messrs. Coffin & Son, to remove forthwith any property belonging to the said Ferry Company, or the penalty for violation of the Rules will be imposed.

From the Engineer-in-Chief:

1st. Reporting that a portion of the fence erected by order of the Board, at outer end of Pier foot of East Thirty-seventh street, East river, has been removed by some unknown parties. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to replace fence, and the President directed to notify the Dock Superintendent and Dock Master Blake to find out, if possible, who removed the fence from the said pier and report the same.

2d. Reporting that there is a large pile of street dirt on the outer end of Pier, foot of Thirty-eighth street, East river. President to request Department of Street Cleaning to have the said pier cleaned.

From Felix Dougherty—Requesting permission to erect a dumping-board on the bulkhead foot of Bloomfield street, North river. Referred to the President, with power, and the Secretary directed to request Mr. Dougherty to call on the President on Tuesday, October 13, 1885, at 12 o'clock M.

The report from the Engineer-in-Chief on Secretary's Order No. 4698, as to the condition of and the repairs required to Pier, old 54, North river, was taken from the table and ordered to be placed on file and the Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to repair, where necessary, in order to keep the said pier in good condition for public use.

Commissioner Stark offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the compensation of the Doormen and Watchmen at Department offices, Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, be and hereby is fixed at the rate of twenty-five cents per hour, to take effect November 1, 1885.

Commissioner Stark offered the following preamble and resolution, which was adopted:

Whereas, The New York, West Shore and Buffalo Railway, lessees of Pier at foot of West Thirty-sixth street, North river, having failed to execute the lease or pay rent for the use and occupation of the said pier in accordance with the resolution adopted by the Board October 6, 1884, therefore

Resolved, That the matter be referred to the President to enforce the execution of the lease and the payment of the rent accrued for the use and occupation of the premises in question.

And the Secretary was directed to request Theodore Houston, Receiver of the said company, to confer with the President on Monday, October 12, at 11 o'clock A. M.

On motion of President Koch, Wm. Barr was appointed as Dock Builder in place of Ambrose C. Tanner, discharged. James M. Quillan was appointed as Laborer in place of Daniel Lanahan, discharged, and Wm. Gibbons was appointed as Laborer in place of John Meehan, discharged.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

B. W. ELLISON, Secretary.

At a special meeting of the Board of Docks held October 12, 1885.

Present—President Koch and Commissioner Stark.

Absent—Commissioner Matthews.

On motion of Commissioner Stark, the President was directed to forward a communication to the Civil Service Supervisory and Examining Board, requesting that Randolph Gardener, an Inspector in the Department, be examined for promotion to the position of Messenger.

A communication from the Department of Street Cleaning, requesting dredging at the dumping-board located at Pier 12, East river, was received, read, and the Engineer-in-Chief directed to examine and report as to the dredging required thereat.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

B. W. ELLISON, Secretary.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 13th day of October, 1885.

Present—Commissioners French, Porter, McClave, and Voorhis.

Leaves of Absence Granted.

Sergeant William Blair, Sixteenth Precinct, ten days, half pay.

Patrolman John H. Sheils, First Precinct, one and a half days, half pay.

The Superintendent submitted lists of leaves of absence granted under Rule 564, and resolutions of the Board, which were approved and ordered on file.

Report of the Superintendent on communication from the Mayor, relative to complaints for violations of Corporation ordinances, was ordered on file, and a copy of the same, with blanks and General Order, forwarded to the Mayor.

Reports Ordered on File.

Superintendent—On communication from J. M. Degraw relative to detail of Patrolman Peter O'Donnell.

Sergeant Randall, Thirty-first Precinct—On death of Doorman Michael Killilea, on 10th inst.

Superintendent—On conduct and efficiency of the following officers:

Precinct.	Precinct.
Sergeant Richard F. Magan..... 4	Sergeant Donald Grant..... 15
" Thomas Farley..... 4	" John Gallagher..... 17
" Wm. Thompson..... 6	" John McNamara..... 19 Sub.

Captain Clinchy, Eighteenth Precinct—On application for appointment of Wm. C. Merritt as Special Patrolman.

Application of R. H. Macy & Co., for detail of Patrolman John H. Genore, was referred to the Superintendent, with power.

Masked Ball Permit Granted.

Henry G. Mallan, at Broadway and Forty-first street, October 15; fee \$25.

Application of Patrolman John Leddy, Thirty-fourth Precinct, for full pay while sick, was denied.

The following applications for permission to take vacation after 15th instant, were granted, the same to be not taken on registry or election days:

Captain Geo. W. Gastlin, Third Precinct.
" John McCullagh, Seventeenth Precinct.
" Peter Conlin, Twenty-third Precinct.
" Ira S. Garland, Twenty-fifth Precinct.
Sergeant Chas. F. Williams, 2d Court.
" George L. Suttie, Twelfth Precinct.
" Alex. B. Warts, Central Office.
Roundsman Chas. W. Smith, Second Precinct.
Patrolman James Reilly, Twelfth Precinct.
" Conrad Giesel, Third Precinct.
Detective Sergeant Tim. Golden, Detective Squad.

Applications Referred to the Superintendent.

Roundsman Samuel H. Coon, Nineteenth Sub-Precinct, for Civil Service examination, for promotion.

Brokaw Bros., for appointment of Samuel Robb as Special Patrolman.

James C. Cooley, for services of officers at the country club races.

Communication from the Mayor calling for quarterly report, was referred to the Chief Clerk to furnish.

Communication from M. A. Corrigan, Archbishop, inviting the Board of Police to attend the funeral of Cardinal McCloskey, was accepted, and the Chief Clerk directed to acknowledge the same.

Communication from J. W. McCulloh, Secretary Aqueduct Commissioners, enclosing complaint of E. Weymann, Jr., Division Engineer, Aqueduct Department, that certain handbills are destroyed by malicious persons, was referred to the Superintendent.

Communication from James R. O'Beirne, relative to promotion of Patrolman John W. Walters, Twenty-second Precinct, was ordered on file.

Resolved, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Comptroller, in pursuance of section 262, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, and the Commissioners directed to approve the same, for the following sums of money for the month of October, 1885, being one-twelfth part of the total amount

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
Expenses of Detectives, Contingent Expenses, etc.....	1,041 66
Police Station-houses, Alterations, Fitting up, etc.....	973 61
Supplies for Police.....	7,026 39
Bureau of Elections, Salaries of Chief and Chief Clerk.....	583 33
Total.....	\$310,622 49

Transfers, Details, etc.

Patrolman Patrick J. Foley, from Eighth Precinct to Seventh Precinct.
 " Michael Roche, from Eighteenth Precinct to Fourth Precinct.
 Sergeant Frank B. Randall, Thirty-first Precinct, assigned to command of Precinct.
 Patrolman Abram Vosburg, Thirtieth Precinct, detail as Doorman, temporarily.
 " James F. Crowe, Thirty-first Precinct, detail as Doorman, temporarily.

Appointments, Patrolmen—all aye.

Michael B. Snyder, Thirteenth Precinct.
 Henry McArdle, Fifteenth Precinct.
 Resolved, That the resolution adopted September 30, 1885, suspending payment of pension to Charity Tompkins, and to all widows of pensioners who were not members of the force prior to June 4, 1878, be and is hereby rescinded.

Resolved, That, pursuant to authority of chapter 180, Laws of 1884, the pensions of the following persons be and are hereby readjusted, equalized and fixed at the sums per annum, respectively designated—all aye.

Wm. E. Brush, Sergeant, sixteen years on force, pension to be \$640.
 Wm. Delamater, Sergeant, fifteen years on force, pension to be \$600.
 Wm. W. Dilks, Sergeant, fifteen years on force, pension to be \$600.
 Edgar Davis, Sergeant, seventeen years on force, pension to be \$680.
 Henry Horr, sixteen years on force, pension to be \$480.
 Thomas Murray, eight years on force, pension to be \$300.
 Wm. McClary, Captain, fourteen years on force, pension to be \$700.
 John Nelson, fifteen years on force, pension to be \$450.
 Levi W. Pierce, eleven years on force, pension to be \$330.
 Joseph H. Petty, Captain, fourteen years on force, pension to be \$700.
 Abraham Stran, thirteen years on force, pension to be \$390.
 John E. Sparrow, seventeen years on force, pension to be \$510.
 James Todd, Captain, fourteen years on force, pension to be \$800.
 Francis S. Wemyss, Sergeant, fifteen years on force, pension to be \$600.
 John W. Williams, seventeen years on force, pension to be \$510.
 Arthur B. Simonson, three years on force, pension to be \$400; incapacitated while on duty.
 Jasper G. Terry, two years on force, pension to be \$600; incapacitated while on duty.

Retired Officer.

Patrolman John Butcher, Twenty-third Precinct, \$600 per year—all aye.

Pensions Granted—all aye.

Mary S. Bogart, widow of James Z. Bogart (late pensioner), \$300 per year, from August 4, 1885.
 Mary Jane Rockwell, widow of James Rockwell (late pensioner), \$300 per year, from October 1, 1885.
 Rebecca Walsh, widow of William B. Walsh (late pensioner), \$300 per year, from October 1, 1885.

Bureau of Elections.

An examination was had upon the charge of incompetency against Patrick H. Goodwin, Inspector of Election, Sixteenth Election, Ninth Assembly District, during the progress of which said Goodwin tendered his resignation; whereupon it was

Resolved, That the resignation of Patrick H. Goodwin, Inspector of Election, Sixteenth Election, Ninth Assembly District, be and is hereby accepted, and that Henry D. Seward, No. 5 Leroy street, be appointed in his stead.

Report of Capt. Allaire, Tenth Precinct, relative to polling place, Eighteenth Election, Eighth Assembly District, was ordered on file.

On report of Capt. Allaire, Tenth Precinct, it was
 Resolved, That the following place of the Fifth Election, Eighth Assembly District, be and is hereby changed from No. 132 Division street to No. 35 Orchard street, to take effect after the registration of the 14th instant.

Resolved, That the persons named in list "J" be selected and appointed as Inspectors of Election in the several districts named, in the place and stead of those previously selected, approved and appointed, who have for reasons failed to qualify; that said list be ordered on file in the Bureau of Elections, and the Chief of the Bureau directed to issue the necessary notices and qualify them according to law.

ELECTION DISTRICT.	ASSEMBLY DISTRICT.	NAMES.	IN PLACE OF.	POLITICS.	CAUSE.
16	5	Henry F. Shaughnessy.....	Abram W. Ebbits.....	Republican....	Resigned.
19	18	Owen Fitzpatrick.....	Jas. E. Costello.....	Democrat.....	"
2	22	Jno. A. Dickerson.....	Walter H. Waldron.....	Republican....	"
10	5	Wm. J. Burke.....	Wm. Barry.....	Democrat.....	"
16	9	H. D. Seward.....	Patk. H. Goodwin.....	"	"

Adjourned.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Abstract of Proceedings for the Week ending October 10, 1885.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 8, 1885.—ADJOURNED MEETING—10 A. M.

Present—Commissioners Beekman (President), Crimmins, Powers, and Borden.

At the hour of ten o'clock, Mr. E. G. Marsh, the representative of the Comptroller, being present, and the meeting open to the public, the President, in the presence of the representative of the Comptroller and such of the parties making proposals as were present, opened the estimate-box and publicly opened and read all the estimates or proposals which had been received in accordance with an advertisement duly published in the CITY RECORD, for the erection of a sea-wall on the easterly side of East River Park, between Eighty-fourth and Eighty-sixth streets.

The proposal of John Treanor, amounting to \$4,397.50, was accepted as the lowest bid, and the contract was awarded him.

The following communications were received:

From the Counsel to the Corporation, in relation to the bills for presentation to the Legislature. Ordered filed.

From Martin B. Brown, requesting permission for the National Rod and Reel Association to hold its annual tournament at the Harlem Meer, in Central Park, on the 21st instant. Granted.

From P. A. Bernard, licensee, asking that additional accommodations be provided at Claremont for carriages, and that the fronts of the piazzas be inclosed and a storm-door erected.

On motion, the matter was referred to Commissioner Borden.

From Henry Bergh, suggesting that location of drinking-fountain at Bowling Green be changed.

On motion, the matter was referred to the Superintendent of Parks to report upon.

From Charles A. Hess, asking an opportunity to be heard in opposition to proposed railroad through Central Park at Eighty-fifth street, before this Board takes action in the matter. Ordered filed.

From J. A. Tarlton, R. A. Moyler and others, in relation to model yachts sailing in Central Park. Ordered filed.

From the Secretary, etc., of the Civil Service Examining Board, reporting Leonard McClure as ineligible for promotion from Fireman to Engineer. Order filed.

From E. B. Southwick, reporting upon the progress of work of destroying insects in the Parks. Ordered filed.

From Jacob Wrey Mould, Architectural Draughtsman, submitting design for pavilion to be erected over the old well near the Menagerie in Central Park, with estimate of the cost. On motion, the matter was referred to the Treasurer to report upon.

From the Topographical Engineer:

1st. Submitting a map showing proposed alteration of streets and avenues west of Riverdale avenue, and north of River street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 492, Laws of 1885. Ordered filed.

Mr. R. C. Martin appeared before the Board and was heard in relation to said map.

2d. In relation to proposed alteration of the map of a portion of the High Bridge District. Ordered filed.

3d. Report upon progress of work under his charge. Ordered filed.

From the Engineer of Construction, reporting upon petition of Peter P. Decker, for improvement of Forest (Concord) avenue, from Westchester avenue to Home street. Ordered filed.

From the Superintendent of Parks:

1st. In relation to culture of water-lilies, and recommending that a limited number be planted at the proper season, in Central Park. Approved.

2d. Recommending that no additional permits be issued for playing foot-ball in Central Park during the present season. Ordered filed.

3d. In relation to the disposition of refuse material gathered on Central Park.

On motion, the Treasurer was authorized to purchase an ash-cart for the removal of refuse material.

From the Superintendent Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards:

1st. Reporting upon works in progress under his charge. Ordered filed.

2d. Reporting temporary suspension of men and teams on account of stormy weather. Approved.

3d. Recommending that one or two road rollers used in Central Park be detailed to assist on work of macadamizing streets in the annexed district. Referred to the President.

4th. Recommending transfer of the sum of \$1,000 from the balance to credit of the account of Bronx River Bridge to account of Sewers and Drains. Laid over.

From C. S. Conklin, asking permission to assign his license for the sale of refreshments at Mount St. Vincent, in Central Park, to Patrick McCann. Granted.

From the Superintendent of Parks, recommending suspension of Peter Fleming, John Reilly and Michael Cullen, Masons, on account of a lack of work. Approved.

From the Superintendent of Parks, recommending suspension of John Hennessey, Rockman, and Thomas Reilly and John Moore, Pavers, on account of completion of the work upon which they were employed. Referred to the President.

From the Superintendent of Parks, recommending that the following employees be reduced to the grade of Laborers, at \$1.76 per day:

18 Mowers.
 4 Rockmen
 1 Blaster.
 2 Asphalt Pavers.
 16 Laborers at \$2 per day.
 1 Laborer at \$2.50 per day.
 1 skilled Laborer.

Approved.

From the Superintendent of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, recommending employment of additional teams for work in the annexed district.

On motion, the employment of four double teams and eight Laborers was authorized.

From Morgan M. O'Brien, Axeman, asking for an increase of pay. The pay of Morgan M. O'Brien was fixed at \$2.50 per day.

From Clinton H. Smith, Clerk, asking for an increase of salary. The salary of Clinton H. Smith was fixed at \$1,750 per annum.

The salary of Wm. Van Valkenburgh, Property Clerk, was fixed at \$2,750 per annum.

The salary of F. H. D. Mason, Clerk, was fixed at \$1,500 per annum.

On motion, the President was authorized to direct the Superintendent of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards to proceed with the work of macadamizing Jerome avenue to the north side of bridge at One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street.

The President was authorized to appoint an inspector on the contract for erection of East River Park wall, when such contract is entered into; also an inspector on the work to be done in Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards by the Suburban Rapid Transit Company under a permit issued by this Department.

The appointment of eleven laborers was authorized for work on Riverside Park.

In accordance with Regulation 35 of the Civil Service Regulations, the following-named persons were reappointed to the positions set opposite their names respectively, subject to the further pleasure of this Board:

Barrett, Cornelius H., Parkkeeper.
 McAviney, Thomas, Parkkeeper.
 Quinn, John J., Parkkeeper.
 Clarkson, Frank A., Parkkeeper.
 Tallman, Nelson H., Parkkeeper.

Promoted.

Frederick Schreiber, Skilled Laborer to Clerk at \$1,100 per annum.
 Jeremiah O'Leary, Skilled Laborer to Clerk at \$800 per annum.
 E. B. Southwick, Skilled Laborer to Clerk at \$1,275 per annum.
 John J. Odell, Skilled Laborer to Clerk at \$1,275 per annum.
 John McLaughlin, Skilled Laborer to Clerk at \$1,000 per annum.
 Christopher C. Collins, Parkkeeper to Roundsman at \$3 per day.
 Fritz Ehrenburg, Gardener to Division Gardener at \$2.50 per day.

Appointed.

Thomas F. Hyland, Parkkeeper, \$2.75 per day.

Bills amounting to..... \$39,261 14
 Pay-rolls amounting to..... 26,109 08

—were approved and transmitted to the Finance Department for payment.

CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to R. Federoll to exhibit goods on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 372 Seventh avenue; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, August 11, 1885.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, August 31, 1885, with his objections thereto.

In Board of Aldermen, September 15, 1885, taken up, reconsidered, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Resolved, That be and the same is hereby given to Charles A. Held to place and retain a pole, with sign on top, near the curb, in front of premises No. 412 West Forty-first street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, August 14, 1885.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, August 31, 1885, with his objections thereto.

In Board of Aldermen, September 15, 1885, taken up, reconsidered, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Resolved, That the resolution which became adopted September 15, 1885, giving permission to Hanson & Co. to retain signs in front of No. 80 Warren street, be amended by striking out the figures "80" before the word Warren, and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "90."

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 18, 1885.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, September 28, 1885, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That an improved iron drinking-fountain (for man and beast) be placed in front of No. 205 Madison street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 18, 1885.

Approved by the Mayor, September 29, 1885.

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 October 10, 1885.

Barometer.

DATE.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	MEAN FOR THE DAY.	MAXIMUM.	MINIMUM.
OCTOBER.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.
Sunday, 4	29.528	29.428	29.718	29.558	29.798	12 P. M.
Monday, 5	29.954	29.928	29.980	29.954	29.984	10 A. M.
Tuesday, 6	29.958	29.916	29.975	29.950	29.982	12 P. M.
Wednesday, 7	30.014	30.016	30.100	30.043	30.104	12 P. M.
Thursday, 8	30.124	30.100	30.100	30.108	30.158	8 A. M.
Friday, 9	30.118	30.108	30.136	30.121	30.156	10 A. M.
Saturday, 10	30.152	30.090	30.082	30.108	30.152	7 A. M.

Mean for the week..... 29.977 inches.
Maximum " at 8 A. M., 8th..... 30.158 "
Minimum " at 1 P. M., 4th..... 29.398 "
Range "760 "

Thermometers.

DATE.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	MEAN.	MAXIMUM.	MINIMUM.	MAXIMUM.
OCTOBER.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	In Sun.
Sunday, 4	66	65	69	65	55	50	63.3
Monday, 5	49	44	58	50	53	49	53.3
Tuesday, 6	50	47	49	47	45	43	48.0
Wednesday, 7	41	38	51	43	45	40	45.6
Thursday, 8	39	36	49	45	44	41	44.3
Friday, 9	44	40	52	46	48	44	48.0
Saturday, 10	45	43	63	54	57	49	55.0

Mean for the week..... 51.0 degrees.
Maximum for the week, at 12 M., 4th..... 72. " at 12 M., 4th..... 70. "
Minimum " at 6 A. M., 8th..... 39. " at 6 A. M., 8th..... 35. "
Range " 33. "

Wind.

DATE. OCTOBER.		DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.			FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.					
		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	9 P. M. to 7 A. M.	7 A. M. to 2 P. M.	2 P. M. to 9 P. M.	Distance for the Day.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Max.	Time.
Sunday,	4....	SSE	W	WNW	35	52	90	177	0	3	½	4¾	6.20 A.M.
Monday,	5....	WSW	SW	SW	94	77	74	245	½	1¾	¾	4	7.15 A.M.
Tuesday,	6....	NW	WNW	NNW	53	25	25	103	0	0	0	¾	10.20 P.M.
Wednesday,	7....	WNW	WNW	NNW	49	51	30	130	0	½	0	2	2.10 P.M.
Thursday,	8....	ENE	NE	NNE	40	34	48	122	0	0	¾	½	1.20 P.M.
Friday,	9....	NNE	NNW	WNW	67	50	27	144	½	¾	0	2	0.20 A.M.
Saturday,	10....	NNW	W	W	33	47	49	129	0	1½	0	1½	2.03 P.M.

Distance traveled during the week..... 1,050 miles.
Maximum force " 4 3/4 pounds.

DATE. OCTOBER.	Hygrometer.						Clouds.			Rain and Snow. Ozone.					
	FORCE OF VAPOR.			RELA- TIVE HUMID- ITY.			CLEAR, °. OVERCAST, 10.			DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES					
	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration. H. M.	Amount of Water.	Depth of Snow.	O. 10.
Sunday, 4	.604	.564	.295	94	79	68	10	10	0	11.30 A.M.	1.30 P.M.	2.00	.36	...	...
Monday, 5	.223	.255	.295	64	53	73	0	2 Cir. Cu.	10	.....	.....	....	....	....	0
Tuesday, 6	.283	.297	.251	78	85	84	10	10	0	8.30 A.M.	5.00 P.M.	8.30	.48	...	7
Wedn'day, 7	.190	.173	.182	74	46	60	9 Cu.	9 Cu.	0	.....	.....	....	....	....	2
Thursday, 8	.173	.247	.228	72	71	76	9 Cu.	10	10	3.00 P.M.	8.30 P.M.	5.30	.01	...	8
Friday, 9	.195	.232	.284	67	60	85	8 Cu.	3 Cir. Cu.	0	.....	.....	....	....	....	0
Saturday, 10	.251	.298	.322	84	52	69	0	0	0	.....	.....	....	....	....	0

Total amount of water for the week..... .85 inch.
Duration for the week..... 16 hours, 00 minutes.

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 September 30, 1885 (Construction Account).

RECEIPTS.	
For material sold.....	\$96 48
For wharfage.....	110 00
For property sold, Julia A. Kent.....	4,250 00
For rent.....	15 00
	\$4,471 48

EXPENDITURES.	
John Davis, repairs to buildings.....	\$178 55
Wm. H. Hazzard's Son & Co., brick- ing up archway.....	620 00
American Bank Note Co., printing reports.....	55 50
The Sun, advertising.....	55 20
The World, ".....	23 00
" ".....	17 25
N. Y. Herald, ".....	31 05
The N. Y. Times, advertising.....	17 25
" ".....	7 00
" ".....	4 50
The Evening Post, ".....	18 40
" ".....	9 20
N. Y. Commercial Advertiser, adver- tising.....	23 00
Brooklyn Daily Eagle, advertising.....	13 80
The Tribune Association, ".....	13 20
Brooklyn Union Publishing Co., ad- vertising.....	9 60
	\$1,096 50

JAMES HOWELL, President.
ALDEN S. SWAN, Treasurer.

County of Kings, ss.:

James Howell, President, and Alden S. Swan, 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.

JAMES HOWELL, President.
ALDEN S. SWAN, Treasurer.

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

R. A. WADDY,
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; WILLIAM L. TURNER, Secretary and Chief Clerk.
Mayor's Marshal's Office.
No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS W. BYRNES, First Marshal.
GEORGE W. BROWN, JR., Second Marshal.
Permit Bureau Office.
No. 13 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HENRY WOOD, Registrar.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

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

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

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

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.
No. 8 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ADOLPH L. SANGER, President Board of Aldermen.
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.
City Library.
No. 12 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

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

Bureau of Chief Engineer.
No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE W. BIRDSALL, Chief Engineer.
Bureau of Water Register.
No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN H. CHAMBERS, Register.

Bureau of Street Improvements.
No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE A. JEREMIAH, Superintendent.
Engineer-in-Charge of Sewers.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
STEVENSON TOWLE, Engineer-in-Charge.
Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

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

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

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
STEPHEN MCCORMICK, Superintendent.
Bureau of Streets.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEO. E. BARCOCK, 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 Broad-
way, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EDWARD V. LOEW, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.

Auditing Bureau.

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

Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears
of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents.

Nos. 31, 33, 35, 37, 39 Stewart Building, Chambers
street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ARTEMAS S. CADY, Collector of Assessments and Clerk
of Arrears.

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of
Markets.

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

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.
First floor, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park.
GEORGE W. McLEAN, Receiver of Taxes; ALFRED
VREDENBURG, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

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

Office of the City Paymaster.
No. 33 Reade street, Stewart Building.
MOOR FALLS, City Paymaster.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

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

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

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORREC-
TION.

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

Headquarters.
Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.
HENRY D. PURROY, President; CARL JUSSEN, Sec-
retary.

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. SHERIDON, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.
ALBERT F. D'ONCH, 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.
HENRY R. BEEKMAN, President; CHARLES DE F.
BURNS, Secretary.

Civil and Topographical Office.
Arsenal, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, 9 A. M.
to 5 P. M.

Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.
One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and Third ave-
nue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOSEPH KOCH, President; B. W. ELLISON, Secretary.
Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. daily, except Satur-
days; on Saturdays as follows: from September 15 to
June 15, from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.; from June 15 to Sepem-
ber 15, from 9 A. M. to 12 M.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS
Staats Zeitung Building, Tryon Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Saturdays, 3 P. M.

MICHAEL COLEMAN, President; FLOYD T. SMITH,
Secretary.
Office Bureau Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.
Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES S. BEARDSLEY, Attorney; WILLIAM COM-
ERFORD, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

Nos. 31 and 32 Park Row, "World" Building, Rooms
8 and 9, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JAMES S. COLEMAN, Commissioner; JACOB SEABOLD,
Deputy Commissioner; M. J. MORRISON, Chief Clerk.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMIN-
ING BOARDS.

Room No. 11, City Hall.

EVERETT P. WHEELER, Chairman of the Advisory
Board; CHARLES H. WOODMAN, Secretary and Executive
Officer.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

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

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, City Hall, Room No. 11 1/2, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EDWARD GILON, Chairman; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

BOARD OF EXCISE.

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

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

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

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

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

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

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

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

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

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

And Bureau of Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.
No. 2 City Hall, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays, on
which days 8 A. M. to 3 P. M.
THOMAS COSTIGAN, Supervisor; R. P. H. ABELL, Book-
keeper.

CORONERS' OFFICE.

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
117 AND 119 DUANE STREET.

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 226.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRING
THE HULL AND THE ENGINE AND
MACHINERY OF THE TUG "MANHAT-
TAN," BELONGING TO THE DEPARTMENT
OF DOCKS.

ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRING THE HULL
and the engine and machinery of the tug "Man-
hattan," belonging to the Department of Docks, will be
received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of
the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department,
Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, in the City of New
York, until 12 o'clock M., of

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 29, 1885,

at which time and place the estimates will be publicly
opened by the head of said Department. The award of
the contract, if awarded, will be made as soon as prac-
ticable after the opening of the bids.

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

The bidder to whom the award is made shall give
security for the faithful performance of the contract, in
the manner prescribed and required by ordinance, in the
sum of Twenty-five Hundred Dollars for Class 1, and in
the sum of Five Hundred Dollars for Class 2, and in
case the contract for both classes be awarded to him, in
the sum of Three Thousand Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the nature, quantities and
extent of the work is as follows:

CLASS 1.—REPAIRS TO THE HULL OF THE TUG "MANHATTAN."

	Feet B. M. measured in the work.
1. White Oak Timber, 10 by 15 inches.....	200
" " " 12 by 12 inches.....	500
" " " 12 by 14 inches.....	200
" " " 8 by 12 inches.....	4,740
" " " 8 by 16 inches.....	350
" " " 8 by 8 inches.....	1,320
" " " 6 by 7 inches.....	2,550
" " " 6 by 6½ inches.....	160
" " " 6 by 6 inches.....	639
" " " 6 by 5 inches.....	90
" " " 4 by 15 inches.....	1,200
" " " 4 by 12 inches.....	200
" " " 4 by 2 inches.....	275
Total.....	12,724

2. White Oak Plank, 5 inches.....	4,800
" " " 4 inches.....	5,200
Total.....	10,000

3. Yellow Pine Plank, 4 inches.....	1,925
" " " 3 inches.....	1,048
" " " tongued and grooved, 1½ inches.....	400
Total.....	3,973

4. Locust Timber, 4½ by 5½ inches..... 150

NOTE.—The above quantities are exclusive of waste.	
5. Hackmatac Knees, 6 inches.....	16
6. Locust Treanils, 1½ inches diameter by 16 inches.....	3,000
7. Strap Iron, 5 by ¾, 4 by ¾, and 5 by 1½ inches.....	6,090 pounds.
8. ¾-inch round wrought-iron, blunt- pointed Bolts, galvanized.....	3,000 "
9. 9 by ¾, 8 by ¾, 9 by ¾, 8 by ¾ inches square wrought-iron, spike-pointed Bolts, galvanized.....	1,800 "
10. Composition Sheathing and Nails.....	325 "
11. Oakum, 12 bales.....	600 "
12. Labor of framing and carpentry, in- cluding all moving of timber, joint- ing, planing, spiking, etc., also labor of caulking, sheathing and painting.	

CLASS 2.—THE REPAIRING OF THE ENGINE AND MACHINERY OF THE TUG "MANHATTAN," BELONGING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Labor and materials necessary to prepare for and
repair the engine and machinery of the tug "Manhattan,"
in accordance with the specifications.

N. B.—As all the above-mentioned quantities, though
stated with as much accuracy as is possible, in advance,
are approximate only, bidders are required to submit
their estimates upon the following express conditions,
which shall apply to and become part of every estimate
received:

1st. Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal ex-
amination of the tug "Manhattan," and by such other
means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the fore-
going Engineer's estimate, and shall not, at any time
after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain
of the above statement of quantities, nor assert that there
was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or
amount of the work to be done.

2d. Bidders will be required to complete the entire
work, to the satisfaction of the Department of Docks, and
in substantial accordance with the specifications of the
contract. No extra compensation, beyond the amount
payable for the work before mentioned, which shall be
actually performed at the price therefor, in each class,
to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or pay-
able for the entire work.

The work to be done under the contract is to be com-
menced within five days after the date of the contract,
and the entire work to be done under both or either of
the above classes, is to be fully completed within forty-
one days after the date of the contract, Sundays and holi-
days excepted; and the damages to be paid by the con-
tractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled
after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has ex-
pired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liqui-
dated at Fifty Dollars per day.

All the old material taken from the said tug, to be
removed under this contract, and not to be put back
again in the work, will be relinquished to the contractor,
and bidders must estimate the value of such material
when considering the price for which they will do the
work under the contract.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price for the
whole of the work to be done, in either or both of the
above-mentioned classes, respectively, in conformity
with the approved form of agreement and the specifica-
tions therein set forth, by which prices the bids will be
tested separately for each class. These prices are to
cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental
to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that
may arise through delay, from any cause, in the perform-
ing of the work thereunder. The Department of Docks
reserves the right, when an estimate is made containing
bids for more than one class, to accept any one or more of
the bids contained therein, which may be the lowest in
their respective classes, and to reject the remainder which
may not be the lowest in their respective classes. The
contract for any class or classes will be awarded, if
awarded, to the lowest bidder in each class or classes.

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

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

Bidders are required to state, in their estimates, their
names and places of residence; the names of all persons
interested with them therein; and if no other person be
so interested, the estimate shall distinctly state the fact;
also that the estimate is made without any connection
with any other person making an estimate for the same
work, and that it is in all respects fair and without col-
lusion or fraud; and also that no member of the Com-
mon 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 por-
tion of the profits thereof; which estimate must be
verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the
estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all
respects true. Where more than one person is inter-
ested, it is requisite that the verification be made and
subscribed to by all the parties interested.

Each estimate shall be accompanied by the consent,
in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the
City of New York, with their respective places of busi-
ness or residence, to the effect that if the contract be
awarded to the person or persons making the estimate,
they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his
or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that
if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute
the contract, they will pay to the Corporation of the City
of New York any difference between the sum to which
said person or persons would be entitled on its comple-
tion, and that which said 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
to be done in each item of either class, 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 the contract,
over and above all his debts of every nature, and
over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and other-
wise; 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 will be subject to approval by the Comptroller of
the City of New York, after the award is made and
prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be received or considered unless ac-
companied 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 security required for the faith-
ful 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, ex-
cept that of the successful bidder, will be returned by
the Comptroller to the persons making the same, within
three days after the contract is awarded. If the success-
ful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after
notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to
execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by
him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of
New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or
refusal; but, if he shall execute the contract within the
time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned
to him by the Comptroller.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the speci-
fications will be allowed, unless under the written in-
structions of the Engineer-in-Chief.

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

The right to decline all the estimates is reserved, if
deemed for the interest of the Corporation of the City of
New York.

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or esti-
mates, to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the
Department, a copy of which, together with the form of
the agreement, including specifications, and showing the
manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon
application therefor at the office of the Department.

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

Dated, New York, October 16, 1885.

JURORS.

NOTICE

IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

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

APPLICATIONS FOR EXEMPTIONS WILL BE
heard, 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 en-
rollment notice," requiring them to appear before me
this year. Whether liable or not, such notices must be
answered (in person, if possible, and at this office only)
under severe penalties. If exempt, the party must bring
proof of exemption, if liable, he must also answer in
person, giving full and correct name, residence, etc., etc.
No attention paid to letters.

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

All good citizens will aid the course of justice, and
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 mis-
deemeanor to give any jury paper to another to answer.
It is also punishable by fine or imprisonment to give or
receive any present or bribe, directly or indirectly, in
relation to a jury service, or to withhold any paper or
make any false statement, and every case will be fully
prosecuted.

CHARLES REILLY,
Commissioner of Jurors.

THE CITY RECORD.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR SKILLED LABOR TO
ERECT AND COMPLETE PAVILION
FOR FEMALE INSANE ON HART'S
ISLAND.

THE SPECIFICATIONS AND PLANS FOR
which are at this office—will be received at No.
66 Third Avenue, the Central office of the Department of
Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New
York, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., of Tuesday, October
27, 1885. The person or persons making any bid or
estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope,
indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Skilled Labor to
Erect and Complete Pavilion for Female Insane
on Hart's Island," 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 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 SEVEN
THOUSAND (\$7,000) 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 esti-
mate 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 entitled
on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be
obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the
contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the
amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated
amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The
consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the
oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons
signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in
the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the
security required for the completion of this contract, over
and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above
his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he
has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the
intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of
chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New
York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or
persons for whom he consents to become surety. The
adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be
approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless 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 inclosed 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 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 exe-
cute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount
of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the lowest formal estimate be accepted by the
Board of Public Charities and Correction, due notice of
the fact will be given forthwith upon the receipt of the
Comptroller's approval of the sureties, presented by the
bidder as consenting to be bound for the faithful execution
of this contract if awarded. Thereupon, if the Board shall
not deem it for the best interests to reject all the proposals,
the contract for this aforesaid work and materials shall be
awarded to this lowest bidder, who shall execute the
contract and bond of good and true performance in due form,
to the satisfaction of said Board, within five days after the
award aforesaid. If the party or parties to whom said
contract is awarded neglect or refuse to execute the same
as aforesaid, and the Bond accompanying the same,
the said contract shall be regarded as having
been abandoned, the party or parties notified as in
default to the Corporation of the City of New York,
and the work and materials will be re-advertised as pro-
vided 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 Com-
ptroller, 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, October 14, 1885.

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

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, DRY
GOODS, IRON AND TIN.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISH-
ing

GROCERIES.

5,500 pounds Dairy Butter, samples on exhibition
Thursday, October 22, 1885.
6,000 pounds Rio Coffee, roasted.
8,000 pounds Hominy, price to include packages.
1,000 pounds Cheese.
20,000 pounds Brown Soap.
3,200 pounds Wheaten Grits, price to include pack-
ages.
8,000 pounds Rice.
3,500 pounds Oolong Tea.
150 bushels Beans.
100 bags Fine Meal, 100 pounds net each.
100 bags Coarse Meal, 100 pounds net each.
500 barrels good sound Irish Potatoes, to weigh 168
pounds net per barrel.
50 barrels Crackers.
50 pieces prime quality City-cured Bacon, to
average about 6 pounds each.
50 prime quality City-cured Smoked Hams, to
average about 14 pounds each.
3,000 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.
3 dozen Gherkins, pints.
20 dozen Canned Peas.
40 dozen Canned Tomatoes.

DRY GOODS, ETC.

150 pairs White Blankets.
1,000 pairs Colored Blankets.
20 great gross Dress Buttons.
100 dozen Basting Cotton, No. 20.
250 dozen Women's Stockings.
60 dozen Boys' Socks.
1,000 Sail Needles, 2 sizes.
6 bales Broom Corn.

IRON AND TIN.

20 bundles Common Iron, No. 22, 24 x 84.
10 boxes best quality Charcoal Tin, 1XX, 14 x 20.

—will be received at the office of the Department of
Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New
York, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., of Friday, October 23, 1885.
The person or persons making any bid or estimate
shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed
"Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Dry Goods, Iron
and Tin," with his or their name or names, and the
date of presentation, to the head of said Department,
at the said office, on or before the day and hour above
named, at which time and place the bids or estimates
received will be publicly opened by the President of
said Department and read.

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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.

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name
and place of residence of each of the persons making the
same; the names of all persons interested with him or
them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it
shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without
any connection with any other person making an estimate
for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without
collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common
Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau,
deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the
Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or
in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any por-
tion 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 there-
in 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 entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, October 12, 1885.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, October 3, 1885.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from foot of Thirty-sixth street, North river—Unknown man; aged about 35 years; 5 feet 7½ inches high; sandy hair and moustache. Had on two white shirts, pepper and salt pants, trogan shoes.

Unknown man from New York Hospital; aged about 45 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; dark brown hair; blue eyes; brown moustache. Had on blue jacket, brown pants, blue flannel shirt, laced gaiters, tattooed on right arm, American coat of arms, on hand, heart pierced with arrow, two British flags, anchor and cross; left forearm crucifix, two hearts pierced with arrows.

Unknown man, from Seventh Precinct Station-house; aged about 60 years; 5 feet 9 inches high; gray hair; short side whiskers and moustache. Had on black pants, vest and coat, red flannel undershirt, trogan shoes.

Unknown man, from Gouverneur Slip; aged about 30 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; light brown hair. Had on black diagonal coat, dark gray mixed pants, hickory shirt, white knit undershirt, gray socks, gaiters.

Unknown man, from Seventy-fourth street and East river; aged about 55 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; light brown hair mixed with gray. Had on dark, mixed sack coat, blue check jumper, blue overalls, white undershirt and drawers, gray socks, trogan shoes.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Minnie Weston, aged 45 years; 5 feet 3½ inches high; brown eyes and hair. Had on when admitted, straw hat striped shawl, green dress, brown petticoat.

Mary Deevy, aged 55 years; 5 feet ½ inch high; red hair; blue eyes. Had on black dress, balmorel skirt, striped shawl.

At Hart's Island Hospital—Elizabeth Connors; aged 45 years.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order,

G. F. BRITTON,
Secretary.

ELECTION NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, PURSUANT TO section 1839 of chapter 410, Laws of 1882, entitled "An act to consolidate and declare the special and local interests in the City of New York," that at the General Election to be held in this State on the Tuesday succeeding the first Monday of November next, the following municipal officers are to be chosen in the City and County of New York, viz.:

Twenty-four Aldermen, one of whom shall be elected in the territory embraced in each Assembly District as the same existed on the first day of January, eighteen hundred and eighty-two.

A President of the Board of Aldermen, in the place of Adolph L. Sanger.

A Sheriff, in the place of Alexander V. Davidson.

A County Clerk, in the place of Patrick Keenan.

A Justice of the Supreme Court, in the place of George C. Barrett.

A Justice of the Court of Common Pleas, in the place of Charles P. Daly.

A Justice of the Superior Court, in the place of John Sedgwick.

Two Justices of the City Court of New York, in place of David McAdam and Granville P. Hawes.

A Justice of the District Court of the Tenth Judicial District of the City of New York, in the place of James R. Angell.

Three Coroners, in the place of Ferdinand Levy, Bernard F. Martin, and William B. Kennedy.

Twenty-four Members of Assembly, one of whom shall be elected in each of the Assembly Districts as now established by law.

Seven Senators, one of whom shall be elected in each of the following-named Senate districts, viz.: Fifth, Sixth, Seventh, Eighth, Ninth, Tenth, and Eleventh.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY,
Clerk of the Common Council.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
36 UNION SQUARE,
October 6, 1885.

PROPERTY-OWNERS INTERESTED IN THE matter of the proposed plan of drainage for Sewerage Districts 33 D and 35 in the Twenty-third Ward, being the lands bounded by St. Ann's avenue, the Port Morris Branch of the New York and Harlem Railroad, and Long Island Sound, are requested to call at the office of the Department, No. 36 Union Square, within ten days from date and examine such plan and make known in writing, any objection they may have to its adoption.

By order of the Department of Public Parks.

CHARLES DE F. BURNS,
Secretary.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
36 UNION SQUARE,
October 3, 1885.

PROPERTY-OWNERS INTERESTED IN THE matter of altering the streets west of Riverdale avenue and north of River street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 402, Laws of 1885, are requested to call at the office of the Department, 36 Union Square, within ten days from date and examine the plans showing such streets, and state, in writing, any objection they may have to its adoption.

By order of the Department of Public Parks.

CHARLES DE F. BURNS,
Secretary.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
36 UNION SQUARE,
October 2, 1885.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR EXCAVATING AND REMOVING THE ADDITIONAL EARTH AND ROCK, FURNISHING THE MATERIALS AND COMPLETING THE DRAINAGE, FURNISHING THE MATERIALS AND ERECTING THE MASON WORK, GRANITE, AND OTHER STONE WORK, OF THE ENLARGEMENT OF THE METROPOLITAN MUSEUM OF ART IN THE CENTRAL PARK: THE WHOLE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PLANS, SPECIFICATION, SCHEDULE AND ARCHITECT'S DIRECTIONS THEREFOR.

SEALED BIDS FOR THE ABOVE WORK, indorsed with the above title, also with the name of the person or persons making the same, and the date of presentation will be received at the office of the Department of Public Parks, No. 36 Union Square, New York City, until ten o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, the 21st day of October, 1885, at which place and hour the bids will be publicly opened by the head of said department and read, and the award of the contract will be made as soon thereafter as practicable.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at the office of the said Department, with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to him or their bid, and that the sureties offered by him or them have been approved by the Comptroller; and in case of failure or neglect so to do, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation, and thereupon the work will be readvertised and relet, and so on until the contract be accepted and executed. The work to commence at such time as the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks may designate.

N.B.—The price must be written in the estimate, and also stated in figures, and all bids will be considered as informal which do not contain a bid for the whole work called for herein. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid, and the right is expressly reserved by the Department of Public Parks to reject any or all bids which it may deem prejudicial to the public interests. No bid will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation of New York upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise upon any obligation to said Corporation.

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

Bidders are required to state in their proposals, under oath, their names and places of residence; the names of all persons interested with them therein, and if no other person be so interested they shall distinctly state the fact; also, that such bid is made without any connection with any other person making a bid for the same purpose, and that it is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and also, that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof.

The bid must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the proposal, that the several matters therein stated are in all respects true. When more than one person is interested in the bid, the verification must be made by all the parties interested.

Each bid shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the bid, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation of New York any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which said Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting. 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 the contract and stated in the proposals, over and above all his debts of

every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, and with an intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be determined by the Comptroller of the City of New York after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

Bidders will be required to state in their proposals ONE PRICE OR SUM for which they will execute the ENTIRE WORK, including the furnishing of all materials, labor and transportation; all implements, tools, apparatus and appliances of every description necessary to complete in every particular the whole of the work as set forth in the plans and in the specification, schedule, and form of agreement hereto annexed.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be two hundred days, and the damages to be paid by the Contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the completion thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at twenty dollars per day. See paragraph (E) of contract.

The successful bidder will be strictly held to the time allowed for the completion of the work and in accordance with the plans, specifications, schedule and form of agreement hereto annexed, and in compliance with such directions as may be given from time to time by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks and the Architect appointed by them.

The Architect's schedule of materials to be furnished and work to be done, upon which the bids are to be based, is as follows:

SCHEDULE.

All additional excavation, trenching, preparation and leveling of ground, and trimming, whether of earth or rock, which, in the judgment of the Architect, may be found necessary to secure proper foundations, surfacing, facing and supports for walls or other structures.

All drains, trenches and refilling same, pipe and laying thereof with connections and outlets therefor and appliances belonging thereto.

(A.) Concrete and Beton.—In foundations and elsewhere.

(B.) Rubble Stone Work (except the interior dwarf walls supporting the basement floor).

(C.) The Cut and other Granite work in the exterior, court and interior connecting walls of the main building, the front doorway and the pedestal blocks, flanking the same with the returns underneath them, and all water table, base blocks, caps, binders and templates required in said walls and piers.

(D.) The Blue Stone sills, lintels, string courses and coping in the court walls, and all bases, caps, binders and templates required in the various walls and piers.

(E.) Lime or Sand Stone.—The six panels for frieze (with rough face) in the south facade.

(F.) Brick work in the walls, piers, arches, facing, lining, backing, corbelling, bracketing and elsewhere, composed of Front, Colaberg, Enamel and Common Hard brick.

(G.) The Terra Cotta or Stoneware Flue-pipe where required in the walls and piers.

(H.) A Damp Proof Course where required in the walls and piers.

(I.) Pointing and cleaning down of all face work both outside and inside.

The wrought-iron anchors, clamps, dowels and straps which may be required in executing the masonry and stone work throughout.

N.B.—The above schedule is intended to fully cover all the work contemplated in the agreement, and though stated with as much accuracy as possible in advance, bidders will be required to submit their proposals upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become a part of every bid received:

(1.) Bidders must satisfy themselves by personal examination of the site of the proposed work, and its present condition and nature, by careful examination of the existing building, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the sufficiency of the foregoing Architect's schedule and plans, and shall not at any time after the submission of their bid dispute or complain of such schedule and plans, or the specification and directions explaining or interpreting them, nor assert that there is any misunderstanding in regard to the location, extent, nature or amount of work to be done.

(2.) Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, and the Architect appointed by them, and in accordance with the drawings and directions given or which may be given by the Architect, and in conformity with the specification hereto annexed. No extra compensation beyond the amount payable for the whole work contemplated, and which shall be actually performed at the gross price or sum to be specified by the lowest bidder shall be due or payable.

(3.) Bidders will be required to provide for all pumping and bailing which may, in the judgment of the Architect, be found necessary in the proper execution of the work.

(4.) Bidders are notified that all building stone or other material now upon the ground, which in the judgment of the Commissioners and the Architect may be suitable, will be available to the Contractor.

The amount of the security required is THIRTY thousand dollars.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the plans and specification will be allowed, except a written direction therefor shall have been previously given by the Architect, indorsed in writing with the approval of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks.

The Contractor is required to notify the Architect, in writing, forty-eight hours prior thereto of the date he intends to actually begin work.

Bidders are specially notified that the Department of Public Parks reserves the right to determine the times and places for commencing and prosecuting the works, and that postponement or delay on the whole or any part thereof, cannot constitute a claim for damages.

Blank forms of proposals and forms of agreement, including the specifications, and showing the mode of payment for the work, can be obtained on application to the Secretary, at the office of the Department, No. 36 Union Square.

HENRY R. BECKMAN,
JOHN D. CRIMMINS,
JESSE W. POWERS,
M. C. D. BORDEN,

Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 31 CHAMBERS ST.,
NEW YORK, October 8, 1885.

ON WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 21, 1885, AT 11 o'clock A. M., the Department of Public Works will sell at public auction, under the supervision of the Superintendent of Streets, by Messrs Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers, at Kingsbridge road, near Dykman's creek, about 1,255 cubic feet of granite coping stone.

TERMS OF SALE.

The purchaser must remove the articles within thirty days from the date of the sale, otherwise he will forfeit the same together with all moneys paid therefor.

The purchase money to be paid in bankable funds at the time and place of sale or the articles to be resold.

ROLLIN M. SQUIRE,

Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
BUREAU OF WATER REGISTER,
No. 31 CHAMBERS ST., ROOM 2,
NEW YORK, October 3, 1885.

CROTON WATER RATES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ACCORDING to law, ten per cent. additional will be added on the first of November next on all unpaid Croton water rates.

ROLLIN M. SQUIRE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

List 1760, No. 1. Regulating and grading Fourth avenue, from Ninety-sixth to One Hundred and Second street.

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

Both sides of Fourth avenue, from Ninety-sixth to One Hundred and Second street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

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

The above-described list will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 17th day of November ensuing.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 11½ CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, October 15, 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 2114, No. 1. Regulating and grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, from Third to Alexander avenue.

List 2121, No. 2. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging One Hundred and Fifty-third street, from Third to Fourth avenue.

List 2251, No. 3. Regulating and grading the sidewalks in St. Nicholas place, from the south curb of One Hundred and Fiftieth street to the intersection with St. Nicholas avenue, and setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks five feet wide therein.

List 2226, No. 4. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging One Hundred and Forty-second street, from Willis to Brook avenue.

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

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, from Third to Alexander avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-third street, from Third to Fourth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of Ninth avenue and St. Nicholas place, from One Hundred and Forty-eighth to One Hundred and Fiftieth street.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-second street, from Willis to Brook avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 18th day of November ensuing.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 11½ CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, October 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 assessment has been completed and is lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors, for examination by all persons interested, viz.:

List 1828, No. 1. Sewers in West street, between Spring and West Eleventh streets, with connections to present sewers, and alterations and improvements to existing sewers, and their appurtenances, in Sewerage District No. 20.

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

No. 1. Commencing on the south side of Spring street, at the Hudson river; thence easterly along Spring street to Sullivan street; thence northerly along Sullivan street to West Houston street; thence easterly along West Houston street to the Bowery; thence northerly along the Bowery and Fourth avenue to Sixteenth street; thence westerly along Sixteenth street to Seventh avenue; thence southerly along Seventh avenue to West Twelfth street; thence westerly along West Twelfth street to Hudson river; thence southerly to the place of beginning.

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

The above-described list will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 26th day of October, ensuing.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 11½ CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, September 23, 1885.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,
No. 32 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, Oct. 1, 1885.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ASSESSMENT ROLLS of Real Estate, Personal Property and Bank Stock in the City and County of New York for the year 1885, and the warrants for the collection of taxes have been delivered to the undersigned, and that the taxes on said Assessment Rolls are now due and payable at this office.

In case of payment on or before the first day of November next, the person so paying shall be entitled to the benefits mentioned in section 842 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, viz., a reduction of interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum between the day of such payment and the first day of December next.

GEORGE W. McLEAN,
Receiver of Taxes.

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

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

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

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller

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

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

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

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

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller

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

INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

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

The Transfer Books will be closed from September 25 to November 1, 1885.

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller

FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, September 18, 1885.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

THE ATTENTION OF LAWYERS, REAL Estate Owners, Monetary Institutions engaged in making loans upon real estate, and all who are interested in providing themselves with facilities for reducing the cost of examinations and searches, is invited to these Official Indices of Records, containing all recorded transfers of real estate in the City of New York from 1653 to 1885, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

Grants, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriff's sales, in 61 volumes, full bound, price \$100 00. The same in 25 volumes, half bound, price 50 00. Complete sets, folded, ready for binding, price 15 00. Records of Judgments, 25 volumes, bound, price 10 00. Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Angell, Room 23, Stewart Building."

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, September 30, 1885.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT two horses, the property of this Department, will be sold at public auction, on Friday, October 16, 1885, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the stables of Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, No. 110 East Thirteenth street.

By order of the Board,
WM. H. KIPP,
Chief Clerk.

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

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 9, for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boots, shoes, 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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, October 14, 1885.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS Department with the following articles:

400,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as Best Sweet Timothy.
85,000 pounds good, clean Rye Straw.
2,800 bags clean No. 1 White Oats, 80 pounds to the bag.
1,800 bags first quality Bran, 40 pounds to the bag.

—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., Wednesday, October 28, 1885, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

All of the articles are to be delivered at the various houses of the department in such quantities and at such times as may be directed.

Proposals must include all the items, specifying the price per cwt. for hay and straw, and per bag for oats and bran.

Any person making an estimate for the above 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 supply to which it relates.

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 four thousand dollars (\$4,000); and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of two hundred dollars (\$200). Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk, and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

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.

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

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

HENRY D. PURROY,
RICHARD CROKER,
EDWARD SMITH,
Fire Commissioners.

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

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

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

CARL JUSSEN,
Secretary.

NEW AQUEDUCT.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR APPRAISAL.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT IT is the intention of the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York to make application to the Supreme Court for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal, under chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883.

Such application will be made at a Special Term of said Court, to be held in the Second Judicial District, at the Court-house in White Plains, Westchester County, on the 21st day of November, 1885, at 12 o'clock noon.

The object of such application is to obtain an order of court appointing three disinterested and competent freeholders, one of whom shall reside in the County of New York, and the other two of whom shall reside in the county in which the real estate hereinafter described is situated, as commissioners of appraisal to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners and all persons interested in the real estate hereinafter described, as proposed to be taken or affected for the purposes indicated in chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883.

The real estate sought to be taken or affected as aforesaid, is located in the County of New York, south of Harlem river, and is laid out and indicated on two similar or duplicate maps filed, one in the Register's office in the City and County of New York, on the 28th day of August, 1885, the other in the Register's office in the village of White Plains and County of Westchester, on the same day, and each bearing the following certificate:

We, the Commissioners, appointed to carry out the provisions of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, do hereby certify that this is one of six similar maps prepared in accordance with the requirements of section 4 of said act, and do further certify that the same has been adopted by us in the manner prescribed in such section, this 17th day of June, 1885.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.
EDWARD V. LOEW, Comptroller,
ROLLIN M. SQUIRE,
Commissioner of Public Works,
WM. DOWD,
C. C. BALDWIN.

Of the real estate so proposed to be taken or affected certain parcels are required, as

SHAFT SITES AND AFFURTENANCES AND DUMPING-GROUNDS, for the purpose of constructing and maintaining said Aqueduct.

The boundaries of said parcels are as follows, the said parcels being colored on said maps in pink:

All those parcels of land forming parts of Farms Nos. 56 and 59, contained within the boundaries described as follows: Beginning at a point in the westerly line of the proposed street known as Exterior street, at the intersection of said westerly line with the northerly line of the lands owned by the City of New York, and known as High Bridge Park; and running thence (1) along said westerly line of Exterior street north 24° 54' 24" east 353.87 feet to a point on lot Ward No. 178; thence (2) northerly still along said westerly line of Exterior street upon a curve bending to the east with a radius of 2,700 feet 566.12 feet to a point on Farm No. 59; thence (3) still along said westerly line of Exterior street north 35° 32' 30" east 453 feet; thence (4) north 56° 30' west 652.73 feet to the easterly line of Tenth avenue; thence (5) north 38° 19' east along said easterly line of Tenth avenue 100.36 feet; thence (6) south 56° 30' east 707.91 feet to a point distant at a right angle 40 feet easterly of the United States bulkhead line; thence (7) south 35° 32' 30" west 556.36 feet; thence (8) southerly upon a curve bending to the east with a radius of 2,640 feet 499.15 feet to a point on lot Ward No. 178; thence (9) south 24° 54' 24" west, and parallel to the said United States bulkhead-line 345.13 feet to the aforesaid northerly line of High Bridge Park; thence (10) along said northerly line south 73° 55' 45" east 60.64 feet to the place of beginning, comprising within said boundaries parts of lots Ward Nos. 177, 178, 179, 180 and 181 of Farm No. 56, and part of Farm No. 59, containing 3,361.7 acres, more or less; and numbered on said property map Parcel No. 1 to 6 inclusive.

All those three parcels of land known as Ward Nos. 105, 106 and 107 of Farm No. 55, containing 8,426 square feet; and numbered respectively on said property map Parcels 8, 9, and 10.

All that parcel of land known as Ward No. 4 of Farm No. 54, containing 2,034 square feet, and numbered on said property map Parcel 11.

All those four parcels of land known as Ward Nos. 61, 62, 63 and 64 of Farm No. 1, containing 9,992 square feet; and numbered respectively on said property map Parcels 12, 13, 14 and 15.

All that piece or parcel of land which is bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, projected easterly, which point is the intersection of said projected line and the easterly line of Tenth avenue, and running thence (1) easterly along the said northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street projected 743.98 feet to the westerly line of St. Nicholas Avenue; thence (2) southerly along the westerly line of St. Nicholas Avenue, 61.36 feet to the southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street projected easterly; thence (3) westerly along the said southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street projected 756.83 feet to the easterly line of Tenth avenue; thence (4) northerly along the aforesaid property map Parcel No. 44.

All that piece or parcel of land which is bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point in the northerly line of property owned by the Convent of the Sacred Heart, which point is the intersection of said line and the proposed westerly line of Convent avenue, and running thence (1) S. 34° 34' 43" E. along said northerly line 78.48 feet to the proposed easterly line of Convent avenue; thence (2) northerly along the proposed easterly line of Convent avenue 386.48 feet; thence (3) N. 35° 32' 30" E. W. 78.48 feet to the proposed westerly line of Convent avenue; thence (4) southerly along the proposed westerly line of Convent avenue 386.48 feet to the place of beginning, containing 1,956.2 acres, and numbered on the aforesaid property map Parcel No. 70.

Of the real estate so proposed to be taken or affected certain parcels are required as

TUNNEL SITES.

The boundaries and descriptions of the sites of the several tunnels which it is proposed to construct are as follows, being colored on said maps in blue.

All that piece or parcel of land under the water of the Harlem river, between the westerly boundary of lands now owned or occupied by the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company on the east and a line parallel to the United States bulkhead line on the westerly side of the Harlem river and 40 feet westerly thereof, which is bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point in the westerly line of land owned or occupied by the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, distant along said line 50 feet and 1/2 inch southerly from its intersection with the centre line of the proposed New Aqueduct, and running thence (1) N. 56° 30' W. 563.79 feet; thence (2) N. 35° 32' 30" E. 100.06 feet; thence (3) S. 56° 30' E. 556.43 feet to the westerly line of the aforesaid New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company's lands; thence (4) along said westerly line S. 31° 21' W. 100.08 feet to the point or place of beginning, containing 1,288.8 acres; and numbered on the aforesaid property map Parcel No. 7.

All that part of Block No. 1078 described as follows: Beginning at the point of intersection of the easterly line of Tenth avenue with the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-second street, and running thence (1) southerly along said easterly line of Tenth avenue 45.80 feet; thence (2) southerly upon a curve bending to the east with a radius of 375 feet 69.35 feet to the easterly line of the Old Croton Aqueduct lands; thence (3) southwesterly along said Old Croton Aqueduct lands 2.84 feet; thence (4) southeasterly along the dividing line between lots Ward Nos. 4 and 67 of said block 2.8 feet; thence (5) southerly upon a curve bending to the east with a radius of 375 feet 137.23 feet to a point on lot Ward No. 7; thence (6) southerly reversing upon a curve bending to the west with a radius of 325 feet 59.33 feet to a point on the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-first street, which is distant on said line 214.84 feet easterly of the easterly line of Tenth avenue; thence (7) easterly along said northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-first street 81.50 feet to a point on lot Ward No. 12; thence (8) northerly upon a curve bending to the west with a radius of 375 feet 137 feet to a point on lot Ward No. 8; thence (9) northerly reversing upon a curve bending to the east with a radius of 325 feet 59.33 feet to the westerly line of lot Ward No. 63; thence (10) northerly 4.02 feet along said westerly line of said lot Ward No. 63, to the southerly line of lot Ward No. 66; thence (11) westerly 4.91 feet along said southerly line of said lot Ward No. 66; thence (12) northerly upon a curve bending to the east with a radius of 325 feet 100.02 feet to the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-second street; thence (13) westerly along said southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-second street 29.23 feet to the place of beginning, comprising part of lots Ward Nos. 64, 66, 67, 63, 62, 4, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 of said Block No. 1078, containing 13,181 square feet; and numbered on said property map Parcels 16 to 29, inclusive.

All that part of Block No. 1077 which is described as follows: Beginning at a point upon the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-first street upon lot Ward No. 53 and distant 285 feet and 1/2 inch easterly of the easterly line of Tenth avenue; and running thence (1) southerly upon a curve bending to the west with a radius of 325 feet 219.36 feet to the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-first street at a point upon lot Ward No. 15 and distant on said line 365.54 feet from the easterly line of Tenth avenue; thence (2) easterly along said northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-first street 50.04 feet; thence (3) northerly upon a curve bending to the west with a radius of 375 feet 211.06 feet to a point on the division line between lots Ward Nos. 50 and 51; thence (4) northerly along said division line 2.23 feet to the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-first street; thence (5) westerly along said southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-first street 64.98 feet to the place of beginning, comprising part of lots Ward Nos. 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 14, 15, 16 and 17 of said Block No. 1077, containing 10,578 square feet; and numbered on said property map Parcels Nos. 30 to 37, inclusive.

All that part of Block No. 1076, which is described as follows: Beginning at a point in the southerly line of One Hundred and Fiftieth street upon lot Ward No. 49 of said block, and distant 305 feet 10 1/2 inches easterly from the easterly line of Tenth avenue, and running

thence (1) easterly along said southerly line of One Hundred and Fiftieth street 50 feet; thence (2) southerly and parallel to said easterly line of Tenth avenue 199.84 feet to the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street projected; thence (3) westerly along said northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street projected 50 feet; thence (4) northerly and parallel to said easterly line of Tenth avenue 199.84 feet to the place of beginning, comprising the easterly part of the lot Ward No. 49, all of lot Ward No. 48, the westerly part of lots Ward Nos. 47 and 17, all of lot Ward No. 16, and the easterly part of lot Ward No. 15, containing 9,992 square feet; and numbered on said property map Parcels Nos. 38, 39, 40, 41, 42 and 43.

All that part of Block No. 1075, which is described as follows: Beginning at a point on the southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street projected upon lot Ward No. 49 of said block and distant 365 feet 10 1/2 inches easterly from the easterly line of Tenth avenue and running thence (1) easterly along said southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street projected 50 feet; thence (2) southerly and parallel to said easterly line of Tenth avenue 199.84 feet to the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street; thence (3) westerly along said northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street 50 feet; thence (4) northerly and parallel to said easterly line of Tenth avenue 199.84 feet to the place of beginning, comprising the easterly part of the lot Ward No. 49, all of lot Ward No. 48, the westerly part of lots Ward Nos. 47 and 17, all of lot Ward No. 16, and the easterly part of lot Ward No. 15, containing 9,992 square feet; and numbered on said property map Parcels Nos. 45, 46, 47, 48, 49 and 50.

All that part of land bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, distant 365 feet 10 1/2 inches easterly from the easterly line of Tenth avenue, and running thence (1) easterly along the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street 50 feet; thence (2) southerly and at right angles to One Hundred and Forty-eighth street 60 feet to the southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street; thence (3) westerly along the southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street 50 feet; thence (4) northerly and at right angles to One Hundred and Forty-eighth street 60 feet to the place of beginning, containing 3,000 square feet; and numbered on the aforesaid property map Parcel No. 51.

All that part of Block No. 1074, which is described as follows: Beginning at a point in the southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street on lot Ward No. 50 of said block, and distant 365 feet 10 1/2 inches from the easterly line of Tenth avenue and running thence (1) easterly along said southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street 50 feet; thence (2) southerly and parallel to said easterly line of Tenth avenue 199.84 feet to the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street; thence (3) westerly along said northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street 50 feet; thence (4) northerly and parallel to said easterly line of Tenth avenue 199.84 feet to the place of beginning, comprising the easterly part of lot Ward No. 50, all of lot Ward No. 49, the westerly part of lots Ward Nos. 48 and 17, all of lot Ward No. 16, and the easterly part of lot Ward No. 15, containing 9,992 square feet; and numbered on said property map Parcels Nos. 52, 53, 54, 55, 56 and 57.

All that part of Block No. 1073, which is described as follows: Beginning at a point in the southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street on lot Ward No. 50 of said block, and distant 365 feet 10 1/2 inches from the easterly line of Tenth avenue, and running thence (1) easterly along said southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street 50 feet; thence (2) southerly and parallel to said easterly line of Tenth avenue 199.84 feet to the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street; thence (3) westerly along said northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street 50 feet; thence (4) northerly and parallel to said easterly line of Tenth avenue 199.84 feet to the place of beginning, comprising the easterly part of lot Ward No. 50, all of lot Ward No. 49, the westerly part of lots Ward Nos. 48 and 17, all of lot Ward No. 16, and the easterly part of lot Ward No. 15, containing 9,992 square feet; and numbered on said property map Parcels Nos. 58, 59, 60, 61, 62 and 63.

All that part of Block No. 1072, which is described as follows: Beginning at a point in the southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street on lot Ward No. 50 of said block and distant 365 feet, 10 1/2 inches easterly from the easterly line of Tenth avenue, and running thence (1) easterly along said southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street 50 feet; thence (2) southerly and parallel to said easterly line of Tenth avenue 199.84 feet to the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street; thence (3) westerly along said northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street 50 feet; thence (4) northerly and parallel to said easterly line of Tenth avenue 199.84 feet to the place of beginning; comprising the easterly part of lot Ward No. 50; all of lot Ward No. 49; the westerly part of lots Ward Nos. 48 and 17; all of lot Ward No. 16; and the easterly part of lot Ward No. 15, containing 9,992 square feet; and numbered on said property map Parcels Nos. 64, 65, 66, 67, 68 and 69.

ROUTE.

The track or route of the said Aqueduct in tunnel from a point on the easterly bank of the Harlem river to a point in Convent avenue, near One Hundred and Thirtieth street, in the City of New York, as shown upon said maps, is as follows:

Beginning upon the centre line of the survey of said Aqueduct route, as shown on said maps, at a point upon the westerly line of the lands now owned or occupied by the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company upon the easterly bank of the Harlem river, about one-fourth of a mile northeasterly of the High Bridge, and distant upon said westerly line of said railroad lands 79.31 feet from the prolongation of the northerly line of a road or street from Sedgwick avenue to Commerce avenue; and running thence (1) along said centre line upon a course of north 56° 30' west across and under the Harlem river, and thence to a point in Tenth avenue 330 feet northerly of the north line of One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street and near the centre of said avenue, a distance of about 1,320 feet; thence (2) still upon said centre line, upon a course of south 38° 19' west along and parallel with Tenth avenue and 46 feet 7 1/2 inches westerly of the easterly line of said avenue, a distance of about 7,103 feet to a point in said avenue 114.56 feet northerly of the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-second street; thence (3) still along said centre line, upon a curve bending to the eastward, with a radius of 350 feet, to a point upon lot Ward No. 7, of Block No. 1078, and thence reversing upon a curve bending to the westward, with a radius of 350 feet, a distance of 830.78 feet to a point in One Hundred and Fiftieth street distant 14.68 feet southerly from the northerly line of said street, and 390.87 feet easterly of the easterly line of Tenth avenue; thence (4) still along said centre line upon a course of south 38° 19' west to and through Convent avenue, parallel with and near its centre to a point in said avenue near its intersection with the northerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, a distance of 3,906 feet, the whole length upon said centre line of said aqueduct, as above described, being 13,160 feet, and its width throughout said distance being 25 feet on each side of said centre line, save and except in its passage across the Harlem river, and where a greater width is shown upon the said map at the several sites of the working shafts for the construction of the tunnel of the said aqueduct, and which sites are colored on said map in pink.

The enumeration of the numbers of the parcels to be taken in fee is as follows: Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 44 and 70.

The enumeration of the numbers of the parcels in which an easement in perpetuity is to be acquired is as follows: Nos. 7, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68 and 69.

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