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DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

At a meeting of the Board of Docks, held August 9, 1888.

Present—Commissioners Stark, Matthews and Post.

The minutes of the meetings held August 2 and 3, 1888, were read and approved.

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 The Consumers' Ice Company, lessees—Requesting permission to place a cleat on the north side of Pier foot of Horatio street, North river. The action of the President in issuing a permit under the usual conditions was approved.

From John Cornwell, Jr.—Requesting permit to cut through bulkhead at Seventy-ninth street, East river, and through the stone wall at Blackwell's Island, East river. The action of the President in issuing a permit upon the condition that the said Cornwell files in this office a written agreement to make good any damage that may be done in the prosecution of the work to the Pier foot of East Seventy-ninth street, or to any wharf or retaining structure in that vicinity was approved.

From International Navigation Company—Requesting permission to erect an addition to the shed at Pier, new 43, North river, to accommodate passengers and baggage. The action of the President in directing the Engineer-in-Chief to examine and report was approved.

From Equitable Gas-light Company—Requesting permission to repair bulkhead between Fortieth and Forty-first streets, East river. The action of the President in issuing a permit under the usual conditions was approved.

From Hoboken Land and Improvement Company—Requesting permission to extend present temporary shed foot of Barclay street, North river. The action of the President in directing the Engineer-in-Chief to examine and report was approved.

From Department of Public Works—In relation to and stating that measures will be taken, as speedily as practicable, for the placing of a marginal sewer on West street, between Franklin and Canal streets.

From the Board of Assessors—Transmitting protest of Edmund H. Schermerhorn and others, as part owners of Piers 13 and 14, East river, against the assessment imposed upon the said piers on account of dredging done thereat, and requesting such information on the subject as the Department may desire to place them in possession of. Referred to Commissioners Post and Matthews.

From the Department of Street Cleaning—In relation to the removal of the temporary dump now at the foot of Forty-eighth street, East river, and placing the same at the foot of One Hundred and Ninth street, Harlem river.

From National Transit Company—Requesting permission to change location of pipe from the foot of Seventy-ninth street to the crib or Pier foot of West Ninety-sixth street, North river, with permission to dredge at said premises. The action of the President in directing the Engineer-in-Chief to examine and report was approved.

From D. H. Loomis, agent—Requesting permit to place a canvas cover in front of Pier, old 26, North river. Application denied.

From The De Laverne Refrigerating Machine Company—Requesting permission to build bulkhead, etc., at One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, Harlem river. Referred to the Engineer-in-Chief to examine and report.

From Engineer-in-Chief:

1st. Reporting assignment of employees to special duty.

2d. In reference to the condition of the Pier and approach at the foot of Thirty-eighth street, East river. The Engineer-in-Chief directed to change the position of the fence and repair, as recommended in his report, and the Secretary directed to notify Gordon Brothers of the action of the Board.

3d. Report on Secretary's Order No. 8053, that he had repaired sheathing on the deck of west half of Pier 12, East river.

4th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 8080, that he had placed a new mooring-post in lieu of old one at bulkhead foot of East Sixteenth street, East river.

5th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 8094, that he had directed and superintended redriving piles at ferry premises Ninety-ninth street, East river.

6th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 8096, that he had repaired Pier 7, East river.

7th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 8106, that he had refastened spring piles at outer end of Pier, old 42, North river.

From John J. Ryan, Dock Master:

1st. Reporting repairs required at outer end of Pier at One Hundred and Thirtieth street, North river. The Engineer-in-Chief directed to repair.

2d. Reporting that Pier foot of One Hundred and Fifty-second street, North river, requires cleaning. The Engineer-in-Chief directed to clean said pier.

From Joseph B. Erwin, Dock Master—Reporting holes in Pier foot of Fifty-fifth street, North river. The action of the President in directing the Engineer-in-Chief to repair was approved.

From John Callan, Dock Master—Reporting sunken canal boat, foot of One Hundred and Seventeenth street, Harlem river. The action of the President in notifying the owners to remove was approved.

From F. Curley, Dock Master—Reporting repairs required to iron cleat, on bulkhead between Piers, new 42 and 43, North river. The action of the President in directing the Engineer-in-Chief to repair was approved.

From George A. Dearborn, Dock Master—Reporting that he had served notice on J. Cornwell, Jr., not to dredge alongside of Pier foot of Seventy-ninth street, East river.

From Charles H. Pendegast, Dock Master—Respecting the fence erected on Pier 55, East river.

The communication from Hon. Theodore W. Myers, Comptroller, transmitting copy of resolution adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at a meeting held July 27, 1888, approving change in lines of Pier, new 35, East river, was received, read, and together with the plans, ordered to be placed on file, and the Secretary directed to enter the resolution in full on the minutes, as follows:

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund do hereby consent to and approve of the alterations in the location and dimensions of the new pier located near the easterly side of Rutgers Slip, East river, to be known as Pier, new 35, East river, from the width and location therefor as laid down on the plans determined by the Board of Commissioners of Docks, April 13, 1871, and adopted and certified by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, April 27, 1871, whereby the width of the pier shall be fifty feet instead of eighty feet, as shown on the plans aforesaid, the westerly side line of the pier to spring from the established bulkhead line at a point about one hundred and thirty-two feet easterly from the intersection of the easterly side of Rutgers Slip extended, with the established bulkhead-line, the said distance being measured along said established bulkhead line, and to extend southerly to a point in the established pier-head line about one hundred and thirty-two feet easterly from the intersection of the easterly side of Rutgers Slip extended, with the established pier-head line; the southerly end of the pier to extend along the established pier-head line a distance of about fifty feet; the easterly side line to extend northerly and parallel with the westerly side line above described, to the established bulkhead-line; all as shown on a plan submitted by the Engineer-in-Chief of the Department of Docks, and approved by the Board of Commissioners of said Department, by a resolution adopted July 12, 1888.

The report of the Engineer-in-Chief on Secretary's Order No. 8108, in reference to the application of Rufus Darrow to extend platform south of Forty-seventh street, North river, was,

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

Resolved, That permission be and hereby is granted to Rufus Darrow to erect and construct upon land under water belonging to the City of New York, a platform on piles, about twenty-six feet wide easterly and westerly, and about seventy-six feet long, northerly and southerly, to extend from the northerly line of West Forty-seventh street in a northerly direction; all of the said work to be done under the direction and supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department. Provided, that Rufus Darrow shall agree to pay as compensation for the use of the land under water occupied by said platform the sum of twenty-five cents per square foot per annum during the existence of said platform, to be paid monthly at the end of each month to the Dock Master of the District; and it is also specially provided and understood that this permit is for a temporary platform only, and is revocable at any time by the Board governing the Department of Docks; and further provided, that this permit shall not take effect until the petitioner has filed a written agreement, satisfactory as to form, with the Board governing the Department of Docks, to the effect that he will at any time within thirty days from receiving written notice from the Board of Docks so to do, remove any and all structures of every kind that may be built and erected under this permit, and restore the premises to the same condition that they were in at date hereof.

The communication from the Engineer-in-Chief reporting the completion of the dumping-pier at Forty-sixth street, East river, was

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

Resolved, That the time for the completion of the work of building the new Pier and crib-bulkhead at the foot of Forty-sixth street, East river, under Contract No. 271, be and is hereby extended to August 7, 1888, provided the written consent of the sureties is filed in this Department.

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, and in accordance with the request of the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, the southerly side of the dumping-pier at the foot of Forty-sixth street, East river, be and is hereby designated and set apart for the use of the Department of Street Cleaning of the City of New York.

On motion, the Secretary was directed to notify the Dock Master of the action of the Board respecting the southerly side, and notify him that the Department is open for negotiations for the use of the dump on the outer and northerly side of the said pier.

On motion, the Engineer-in-Chief was directed to prepare plans, specifications and form of contract for repairing the damage done to the Pier at foot of West Forty-sixth street, North river, by the West Shore Railroad Company.

The Treasurer, Commissioner Matthews, submitted his report of receipts for the week ending August 8, 1888, amounting to \$104,927.19, which was received and ordered to be spread in full on the minutes, as follows:

DATE.	FROM WHOM.	FOR WHAT.	AMOUNT.	TOTAL.	DATE DEPOSITED.
1888.					1888.
Aug. 1	J. P. Mesereau.....	1 qrs. rent Pier, old 54, N. R.....	\$750 00		
" 1	George H. Penniman.....	" 1 u. w. at Pier 36, E. R....	175 00		
" 1	Ehrenreich Brothers.....	" pfm. S. 63d st.....	25 00		
" 1	Union Stock Yard & Market Co.	" Pier at W. 58th st.....	1,250 00		
" 1	James McLaughlin.....	" bhd. at W. 43th st.....	50 00		
" 1	Jacob Fleischhauer.....	" " at E. 44th st.....	12 50		
" 1	George W. Winant.....	" Pier at W. 15th st.....	250 00		
" 1	J. Skidmore's Sons.....	" bhd. at E. 35th st.....	125 00		
" 1	Hartford and N. Y. Trans. Co.	1 qrs. rent E. 1/2 Pier 24 & 1/2 bhd., E. R.....	1,625 00		
" 1	Neidlinger, Schmidt & Co.....	1 qrs. rent bhd. foot E. 64th st.....	25 00		
" 1	"	1 qrs. rent bhd. bet. 63d & 64th sts.	187 50		
" 1	"	" " at E. 63d st.....	100 00		
" 1	B. F. Romaine.....	" " at E. 4th st.....	37 50		
" 1	Knickerbocker Ice Co.....	1 qrs. rent extension to Pier at W. 43d st.....	25 00		
" 1	"	1 qrs. rent Pier at 20th st., N. R....	750 00		
" 1	"	" bhd. at E. 93d st.....	300 00		
" 1	"	1 qrs. rent bhd. pfm., bet. E. 61st & 62d sts. and Pier at E. 62d st.....	318 75		
" 1	J. S. Cram.....	1 qrs. rent bhd. at E. 136th st.....	62 50		
" 1	Metropolitan Steamship Co.....	" 1 u. w. at Pier 10, etc., N. R....	187 50		
" 1	Consumers' Ice Co.....	" Pier at Horatio st., N. R....	375 00		
" 1	H. Yonge, Jr.....	" Pier, new 35, N. R.....	8,750 00		
" 1	Central R. R. Co. of New Jersey.	1 qrs. rent pfm. bet. Piers 12 & 13 & 14, N. R.....	400 00		
" 1	"	1 qrs. rent S. 1/2 Pier 14 & bhd., N. R....	4,312 50		
" 1	"	1 qrs. rent N. 1/2 Pier 12 & 1/2 bhd., N. R....	1,900 00		
" 1	"	1 qrs. rent Pier, old 13, & 1/2 bhd. S. N. R.....	3,750 00		
" 1	"	1 qrs. rent 1 u. w. pfm. S. Pier 8, N. R.....	375 00		
" 1	Homer Ramsdell.....	1 qrs. rent Pier at W. 129th st., N. R....	250 00		
" 1	"	" Pier, old 35, N. R.....	1,000 00		
" 1	Old Colony Steamboat Co.....	1 qrs. rent 1 u. w. S. Pier, old 28, N. R.....	31 50		
" 1	"	1 qrs. rent 1 u. w. N. Pier, old 28, N. R.....	677 25		
" 1	Co. Generale Transatlantique ..	1 qrs. rent Pier, new 42, N. R.....	7,625 00		
" 1	Suburban Rapid Transit Co.....	" 1 u. w. 129th st. & 2d ave.	125 00		
" 1	Thomas Cunningham.....	" bhd. foot of E. 15th st.....	50 00		
" 1	Baltimore & Ohio R. R. Co.....	1 qrs. rent Pier, old 20, & Pier, old 21, N. R., and bhd.....	9,000 00		
" 1	"	1 qrs. rent 1 u. w. at Pier 27, E. R....	268 75		
" 1	C. T. Van Santvoord.....	" Pier at 21st st. N. R....	875 00		
" 1	"	" Pier at 22d st. N. R.....	625 00		
" 1	A. Van Santvoord & H. P. Far- rington.....	1 qrs. rent 1 u. w. at Pier, old 39, N. R.....	35 44		
" 1	A. Van Santvoord & H. P. Far- rington.....	1 qrs. rent S. 1/2 Pier, old 39, N. R....	1,875 00		
				\$48,556 69	Aug. 2

As these repairs are completed, section by section, the Inspectors and some other members of the force can be reduced.

I am making a careful analysis of the force to report further at the earliest moment in regard to a possible reduction, and, therefore, can only report progress to-day.

Very respectfully,
(Signed) B. S. CHURCH, Chief Engineer.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the report was accepted, and referred to the Committee on Construction.

Also submitted the following report:

NEW YORK, July 31, 1888.

To the Honorable the Aqueduct Commission:

GENTLEMEN—I transmit herewith the final estimate on filling low ground at Shaft-site No. 12, the same having been completed in accordance with the terms of an agreement dated October 5, 1888.

Very respectfully,
(Signed) B. S. CHURCH, Chief Engineer.

On motion of the Comptroller, the report was referred to the Committee of Finance and Audit. Also presented the resignation of John Joseph Shields, as an Inspector of Masonry, to take effect as of July 30, 1888.

On motion of the Comptroller, the same was accepted.

Also recommended the appointment of J. H. Slingerland, as a Superintending Inspector.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the same was referred to the Committee on Construction.

Also recommended the reinstatement to duty of Inspector P. J. Dooner.

On motion of Commissioner Howe, the same was referred to the Committee on Construction.

Also recommended the appointment of Patrick J. Loughlin as an Inspector of Masonry, he having passed the required Civil Service examination, as well as an examination by an Engineer under the direction of the Chief Engineer; his pay to commence from the date of his assignment to duty.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the recommendation was approved and the appointment made.

Also recommended the appointment of Charles J. Reilly as an Inspector of Masonry, he having passed the required Civil Service examination, as well as an examination by an Engineer under the direction of the Chief Engineer; his pay to commence from the date of his assignment to duty.

On motion of the Mayor, the recommendation was approved and the appointment made.

The Secretary submitted triplicate forms of contract to be executed by the Aqueduct Commissioners and George W. Whitman, for the inspection of the iron pipe and pipe castings required on Section 16 of the New Aqueduct, said forms of contract having been approved "as to form" by the Counsel to the Corporation.

On motion of the Comptroller, the same were referred to the Committee of Finance and Audit.

Also reported that triplicate forms of contract for deepening and finishing Shaft No. 24 have been executed by O'Brien & Clark, the parties to whom the contract was awarded, and by their sureties, and the same are now presented for execution by the Aqueduct Commissioners.

On motion of the Comptroller, the report was approved.

Communications were received from John Brunton & Co., by Rodgers, Shanley & Co., sub-contractors, and Sullivan, Rider & Dougherty, addressed to the President, complaining against the delay in the payment of the estimates for work done by them on the New Aqueduct.

Which were ordered filed.

A communication was received from the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission, dated July 30, 1888, giving the number and names of applicants examined by said Commission for Inspectors of Masonry on the New Aqueduct since September 7, 1886; the number of examinations and the dates thereof held for said position; by whom the papers of applicants for Inspector on the New Aqueduct were rated in each case, and the ratings of each examiner; the number of and names of applicants certified by said Commission to Aqueduct Commission as eligible for appointment as Inspector, and dates when so certified.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the same was referred to the Committee on Construction.

The Comptroller presented an opinion received by him from the Counsel to the Corporation, dated August 4, 1888, having reference to the matter of allowances by the Aqueduct Commissioners to the contractors for the construction of the New Croton Aqueduct for tunnel excavation outside of certain cross-section lines known as "A. A. A." for sections from 2 to 9 inclusive; and in connection therewith, offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That all contract estimates now awaiting action by this Board be referred to the Finance Committee, with instructions to said committee to examine the same; and also to ascertain whether the cross-section line limiting tunnel excavation to be paid for by the city has been determined by the Chief Engineer, in conformity with the requirements of the contracts, and what extra or additional tunnel excavation may have been made in pursuance of orders given by the Chief Engineer therefor, the extent of such additional or extra excavation, the purposes for which the same may have been ordered, the dates when said orders may have been given, and whether such excavations were made prior to or subsequent to the giving of such orders; and that said Committee report upon the above matters to this Board with such recommendations as in their judgment may seem proper.

Adopted.

A communication was received from contractors O'Brien & Clark, dated August 7, 1888, stating that they are ready to commence work on the pipe-line between One Hundred and Tenth and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth streets in this city; and requesting that the Commissioners procure from the Commissioner of Public Works the necessary permit for doing said work.

On motion of Commissioner Scott, the same was referred to the Chief Engineer.

By Commissioner Howe—

Resolved, That the bid-box be closed and the keys given to the President; and that the Secretary, John C. Sheehan, be authorized by this Commission to receive the bids for furnishing and manufacturing, fitting, placing, etc., ten 48-inch stop-cock valves and gearing to be used at the gate-house at One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and Convent avenue, on Section 15, and four 48-inch stop-cock valves and gearing to be used at Shaft No. 25, on Section 12, and one 48-inch stop-cock valve and gearing to be used at the new gate-house on Section 1 of the New Aqueduct; and for building an iron-lined masonry aqueduct near Shaft No. 30, on Section 14 of the New Aqueduct, as called for in the approved forms of contracts and specifications on file in the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners; and also to receive the checks of the bidders and to make the necessary preparations for opening the bids at 2 o'clock P. M. on Wednesday, August 22, 1888, under the law.

Adopted.

By the Mayor—

Resolved, That the President be and is hereby requested to ascertain whether there is any good reason why but one reservoir is being constructed at Sodom Dam, and whether there is any cause for further delay in the construction of the second dam required at that point, and report to this Board at his earliest convenience.

Adopted.

The Commissioners then adjourned.

JOHN C. SHEEHAN, Secretary.

APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to F. C. Welsh to extend a vault in front of his premises in Staple street, commencing fifty-nine feet from and extending to Harrison street, to the centre of the carriageway of said Staple street, as shown on the accompanying diagram, upon payment of the usual fee, provided the work be done in a durable and substantial manner and that the said F. C. Welsh shall stipulate with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the city harmless from any loss or damage that may occur in consequence of the construction or extension of said vault during the progress of, or subsequent to the completion thereof, the work to be done at own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 9, 1888.

Approved by the Mayor, July 19, 1888.

Resolved, That the roadway of West End avenue, from Seventy-sixth street to Eighty-ninth street, be paved with granite-block pavement, and that crosswalks of two courses of blue stone, with a row of paving-blocks between the courses, be laid at the intersecting and abutting streets, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 9, 1888.

Approved by the Mayor, July 19, 1888.

Resolved, That the vacant lots in block bounded by One Hundred and Seventh to One Hundred and Eighth street, Eighth to Manhattan avenue, be fenced in, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 9, 1888.

Approved by the Mayor, July 19, 1888.

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 August 11, 1888.

Barometer.

DATE. AUGUST.		7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	MEAN FOR THE DAY.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.	
		Reduced Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.	Reduced Freezing.	Time.
Sunday,	5	29.732	29.738	29.788	29.752	29.788	9 P.M.	29.682	0 A.M.
Monday,	6	29.782	29.758	29.788	29.779	29.800	10 A.M.	29.748	3 P.M.
Tuesday,	7	29.800	29.820	29.854	29.825	29.888	12 P.M.	29.776	4 A.M.
Wednesday,	8	29.904	29.890	29.900	29.898	29.910	9 A.M.	29.818	12 P.M.
Thursday,	9	29.900	29.904	29.972	29.925	30.000	12 P.M.	29.818	0 A.M.
Friday,	10	30.132	30.130	30.150	30.137	30.166	12 P.M.	30.000	0 A.M.
Saturday,	11	30.198	30.188	30.178	30.188	30.200	9 A.M.	30.156	12 P.M.

Mean for the week 29.929 inches.
Maximum " at 9 A.M., August 11th 30.200 "
Minimum " at 0 A.M., August 5th 29.682 "
Range "518 "

Thermometers.

DATE. AUGUST.		7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	MEAN.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.		MAXIMUM.
		Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	In Sun.
Sunday,	5	74	71	83	77	79	77	78.6	75.0	88
Monday,	6	76	74	82	78	74	72	77.3	74.6	82
Tuesday,	7	70	68	80	74	77	75	75.6	72.3	87
Wednesday,	8	75	72	80	76	74	77	77.0	74.0	80
Thursday,	9	74	71	85	76	77	72	78.6	73.0	89
Friday,	10	66	60	74	63	70	67	70.0	63.3	79
Saturday,	11	66	59	76	65	71	68	71.0	64.0	76

Mean for the week 75.4 degrees.
Maximum for the week, at 4 P.M., 9th 89. " at 5 P.M., 5th 80. "
Minimum " at 5 A.M., 11th 61. " at 6 A.M., 21st 57. "
Range " 28. "

Wind.

DATE. AUGUST.		DIRECTION.		VELOCITY IN MILES.				FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.			
		7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	9 P.M. to 10 P.M.	7 A.M. to 10 P.M.	2 P.M. to 9 P.M.	7 A.M. to 10 P.M.	2 P.M. to 9 P.M.	9 P.M. to 10 P.M.	Max.
Sunday,	5...	W	N	ENE	32	26	18	76	0	0	0
Monday,	6...	NE	ENE	NE	18	30	65	113	0	0	1/2
Tuesday,	7...	ENE	E	ENE	66	19	33	118	0	0	1
Wednesday,	8...	E	SE	SE	28	49	71	148	0	1/2	3/4
Thursday,	9...	SW	W	NW	43	43	27	113	0	0	1 1/4
Friday,	10...	NNW	N	E	47	61	18	126	1/4	0	1 1/4
Saturday,	11...	NNE	NE	ESE	26	39	37	102	0	0	1/4

Distance traveled during the week 796 miles.
Maximum force 4 3/4 pounds.

DATE. AUGUST.		HYGROMETER.				CLOUDS.			RAIN AND SNOW. OZONE.			
		FORCE OF VAPOR.	RELATIVE HUMIDITY.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration.
Sunday,	5	.718	.846	.900	.821	85	75	91	83	7 Cir. Cu.	8 Cir.	10
Monday,	6	.812	.904	.757	.824	90	83	90	87	10	4 Cir.	10
Tuesday,	7	.658	.758	.841	.752	90	74	90	84	10	10	10
Wedn'day,	8	.744	.843	.812	.799	86	82	90	86	10	10	10
Thursday,	9	.718	.775	.718	.737	85	64	77	75	6 Cir. Cu.	5 Cir. Cu.	3 Cir.
Friday,	10	.438	.429	.622	.496	68	51	85	68	0	0	0
Saturday,	11	.407	.470	.644	.507	63	52	85	66	0	5 Cu.	0

Total amount of water for the week03 inch.
Duration for the week 4 hours and 00 minutes.

DATE.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.
Sunday, Aug. 5	Close, hazy	Hot, close, hazy.
Monday, " 6	Close, overcast	Close, hazy.
Tuesday, " 7	Warm, foggy	Warm, hazy.
Wednesday, " 8	Warm, calm, close	Overcast cool.
Thursday, " 9	Warm, close, calm	Warm, close.
Friday, " 10	Cool, pleasant	Warm, pleasant.
Saturday, " 11	Mild, pleasant	Warm, pleasant.

DANIEL DRAPER, Ph. D., Director.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S MARSHAL'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, August 18, 1888.
Number of licenses issued and amounts received there-
for, in the week ending Friday, August 17, 1888.

DATE.	NUMBER OF LICENSES.	AMOUNTS.
Saturday, Aug. 11....	19	\$50 75
Monday, " 13....	63	123 25
Tuesday, " 14....	47	94 75
Wednesday, " 15....	47	129 75
Thursday, " 16....	32	72 00
Friday, " 17....	40	90 00
Totals.....	248	\$1,108 50

THOMAS W. BYRNES,
Mayor's Marshal.

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

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

(Signed), ABRAHAM S. HEWITT,
Mayor.

CITY COURT—TRIAL TERM,
PART I.

In view of the alterations going on in the old City Hall, the April term of Part I. of this City Court will be held in room known as Part III. of the Superior Court in the New Court-house.

By order of the Court.
MICHAEL T. DALY,
Clerk.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY
AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

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

THOMAS COSTIGAN, Esq.,
Supervisor City Record:

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

Yours respectfully,
LEE PHILLIPS,
Secretary and Executive Officer.

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

THOMAS COSTIGAN, Esq.,
Supervisor:

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

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

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

Very respectfully,
LEE PHILLIPS,
Secretary and Executive Officer.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

STATEMENT OF THE HOURS DURING WHICH
all the Public Offices in the City are open for business,
and at which each Court regularly opens and adjourns, as
well as 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, 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.
ABRAHAM S. HEWITT, Mayor. ARTHUR BERRY
Secretary and Chief Clerk

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

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

Rooms 114 and 115, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WM. PITT SHIRMAN, JAMES DALY.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

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

BOARD OF ARMY COMMISSIONERS.

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

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.
No. 8 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE H. FORSTER, President Board of Aldermen.
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

City Library.

No. 12 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
D. N. CARVALHO, City Librarian.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.
No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN NEWTON, Commissioner; D. LOWBER SMITH,
Deputy Commissioner.

Bureau of Chief Engineer.

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

Bureau of Water Register.

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

Bureau of Street Improvements.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WM. M. DEAN, Superintendent.

Engineer-in-Charge of Sewers.

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

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM G. BERGEN, Superintendent.

Bureau of Water Purveyor.

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

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

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

Bureau of Streets.

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

Bureau of Incinerators.

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

Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.

MARTIN J. KEENE, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

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

Auditing Bureau.

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

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

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of
Markets.

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

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

No. 57 Chambers street and No. 35 Reade street,
Stewart Building.
GEORGE W. McLEAN, Receiver of Taxes; ALFRED
VERDENBURGH, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

WM. M. IVINS, City Chamberlain.

Office of the City Paymaster.

No. 33 Reade street, Stewart Building.
JOHN H. TIMMERMAN, City Paymaster.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

Staats Zeitung Building, third floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HENRY R. BECKMAN, 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.

RICHARD J. MORRISON, Public Administrator.

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

WILLIAM A. BOYD, Corporation Attorney.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

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

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORREC-
TION.

Central Office.

No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 9 A. M. to
4 P. M.
THOMAS S. BRENNAN, President; GEORGE F. BRITTON,
Secretary.
Purchasing Agent, FREDERICK A. CUSHMAN. Office
hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Closed Saturdays, 12 M.
Contracts, Proposals and Estimates for Work and Ma-
terials for Building, Repairs and Supplies, Bills and
Accounts, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Closed Saturdays, 12 M.
RUFUS L. WILDER, General Bookkeeper and Auditor.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

Headquarters.

Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street.
HENRY D. PURROY, President; CARL JUSSSEN, 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'ONCHI, Superintendent of Buildings.

Attorney to Department.

WM. L. FINDLEY.

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent
Central Office open at all hours.

Repair Shops.

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

Hospital Stables.

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

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank Building, Nos. 45
and 51 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
J. HAMFORD ROBB, 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.

Battery, Pier A, North River, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

L. J. N. STARK, President; G. KEMBLE, Secretary.
Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. daily, except Satur-
days; on Saturdays as follows: from October 1 to June
1, from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.; from June 1 to September 30,
from 9 A. M. to 12 M.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

49 and 51 Chambers street. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JAMES S. COLEMAN, Commissioner; JACOB SEABOLD,
Deputy Commissioner; R. W. HORNOR, Chief Clerk.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMIN-
ING BOARDS.

Cooper Union.
EVERETT P. WHEELER, Chairman of the Supervisory
Board; LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary and Executive Officer.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

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

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office City Hall, Room No. 115, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

EDWARD GILSON, Chairman; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary

BOARD OF EXCISE.

No. 51 Bond street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

CHARLES H. WOODMAN, President; DAVID S. WHITE,
Secretary and Chief Clerk.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Nos. 3 and 4 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

HUGH J. GRANT, Sheriff; JOHN B. SEXTON, Under
Sheriff; BERNARD F. MARTIN, Order Arrest Clerk.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JAMES J. SLEVIN, Register; JAMES J. MARTIN, Deputy
Register.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Room 127, Stewart Building, Chambers street and
Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

CHARLES REILLY, Commissioner; JAMES E. CONNER,
Deputy Commissioner

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JAMES A. FLACK, County Clerk; THOMAS F. GILROY,
Deputy County Clerk.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

Second floor, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park,
9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JOHN R. FELLOWS, District Attorney; JAMES MCCABE,
Chief Clerk.

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE,

And Bureau of Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.
No. 2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays, on
which days 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.

THOMAS COSTIGAN, Supervisor; R. P. H. ABELL, Book-
keeper.

CORONERS' OFFICE.

Nos. 12 and 15 Chatham street, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Sun-
days and holidays, 8 A. M. to 12 M.

MICHAEL J. B. MESSEMER, FERDINAND LEVY, FERDI-
NAND EDMAN, JOHN R. NUGENT, Coroners; JOHN T.
TALCOT, Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

SUPREME COURT.

Second floor, New County Court-house, opens at 10.30 A. M.

CHARLES H. VAN BRUNT, Presiding Justice; JAMES A.
FLACK, Clerk; THOMAS F. GILROY, Deputy County
Clerk.

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

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

Chambers, Room No. 11, WALTER BRADY, Clerk.

Circuit, Part I., Room No. 12, _____, Clerk.

Circuit, Part II., Room No. 14, JOHN B. MCGOLDRICK,
Clerk.

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

Circuit, Part IV., Room No. 15, J. LEWIS LYON, Clerk.

Judges' Private Chambers, Rooms Nos. 19 and 20,
EDWARD I. KNIGHT, Librarian.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.

General Term, Room No. 35.

Special Term, Room No. 33.

Chambers, Room No. 33, 10 A. M.

Part I., Room No. 34.

Part II., Room No. 35.

Part III., Room No. 36.

Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 30.

Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 32.

Clerk's Office, Room No. 31, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.

Assignment Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Clerk's Office, Room No. 22, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

General Term, Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A. M. to ad-
journment.

Special Term, Room No. 21, 11 o'clock A. M. to ad-
journment.

Chambers, Room No. 21, 10.30 o'clock A. M. to ad-
journment.

Part I., Room No. 25, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

Part II., Room No. 26, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

Part III., Room No. 27, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

No. 35 Chambers street. Parts I. and II. Court opens
at 11 o'clock A. M.

FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder; HENRY A. GILDER-
SLEEVE and RUFUS B. COWING, Judges of the said Court.

Terms, first Monday each month.

JOHN SPARKS, Clerk. Office, Room No. 11, 10 A. M. till
4 P. M.

CITY COURT.

City Hall.

General Term, Room No. 20.

Trial Term, Part I., Room No. 20.

Part II., Room No. 19.

Part III., Room No. 15.

Special Term, Chambers, Room No. 32, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Clerk's Office, Room No. 10, City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

DAVID MCADAM, Chief Justice; MICHAEL T. DALY
Clerk.

OVER AND TERMINER COURT

New County Court-house, second floor, southeast cor-
ner, Room No. 12. Court opens at 10.15 o'clock A. M.

Clerk's Office, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park,
second floor, northwest corner, Room No. 11, 10 A. M. till
4 P. M.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

At Tombs, corner Franklin and Centre streets, daily
at 10.30 A. M., excepting Saturdays.

Clerk's Office, Tombs.

DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.

First District—First, Second, Third and Fifth Wards
southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets.

MICHAEL NORTON, Justice.

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, August 13, 1888.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT two horses, the property of this Department, will be sold at public auction on Tuesday, August 28, 1888, at ten o'clock A. M., by Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers, at their stables, No. 110 East Thirtieth street.

By order of the Board.

WILLIAM DELAMATER,
First Deputy Clerk.

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

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT a horse, the property of this Department, will be sold at public auction on Friday, August 17, 1888, at ten o'clock A. M., by Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers, at their stables, No. 110 East Thirtieth street.

By order of the Board.

WM. H. KIPP,
Chief Clerk.

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

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

JOHN F. HARRIOT,
Property Clerk.

BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THERE will be a regular meeting of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York held in the Mayor's Office, on Friday, August 17, 1888, at 1 o'clock P. M., at which meeting it is proposed to consider the unfinished business with such other matters as may be brought before the Board.

Dated August 14, 1888.

WM. V. L. MERCER,
Secretary.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
ROOM 209, STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, August 15, 1888.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR BUILDING AN Iron-lined Masonry Aqueduct near Shaft No. 30 on Section 14 of the New Aqueduct, as called for in the approved forms of contract and specifications on file in the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners, will be received at this office until Wednesday, September 5, 1888, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the Aqueduct Commissioners, and the award of the contract for doing said work will be made by the Commissioners as soon thereafter as possible.

Blank forms of said approved contract and the specifications therefor and proper envelopes for their enclosure, and form of bonds, and also the plans for said work, and all other information, can be obtained on application to the Secretary.

By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners.
JAMES C. DUANE,
President.

JOHN C. SHEEHAN,
Secretary.
AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
ROOM 209, STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, August 14, 1888.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING and manufacturing, fitting, placing, etc., ten 48-inch stop-cock valves and gearing at the Gate-house at One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and Convent avenue, on Section 15, and four 48-inch stop-cock valves and gearing to be used at Shaft No. 25 on Section 12, and one 48-inch stop-cock valve and gearing to be used at the new Gate-house on Section 1 of the New Aqueduct, as called for in the approved forms of contract and specifications on file in the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners, will be received at this office until Wednesday, September 5, 1888, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the Aqueduct Commissioners, and the award of the contract for said work and furnishing said material will be made by said Commissioners as soon thereafter as possible.

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

By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners.
JAMES C. DUANE,
President.

JOHN C. SHEEHAN,
Secretary.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 301 MOTT STREET,
NEW YORK, August 2, 1888.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH of the Health Department of the City of New York, held at its office, No. 301 Mott street, August 2, 1888, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That under the power conferred by law upon the Health Department, the following additional section to the Sanitary Code for the security of life and health, be and the same is hereby adopted and declared to form a portion of the Sanitary Code:

Section 219. In every public hospital and dispensary in the City of New York there shall be provided and maintained a suitable room or rooms, and place for the temporary isolation of persons infected with contagious disease, who shall immediately be separated from the other persons and other patients at such dispensary or hospital. It shall be the duty of the physician or physicians, of the hospital, to see that a report is immediately made to the Health Department of the City of New York of every person infected with a contagious disease who comes to their knowledge, and that such person or persons so infected are properly isolated and kept separate from other persons and other patients.

[L. S.]

JAMES C. BAYLES,
President.
EMMONS CLARK,
Secretary.

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

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

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

Sec. 13. That no owner or lessee of any building, or any part thereof, shall lease or let, or hire out the same or any portion thereof, to be occupied by any person, or allow the same to be occupied, as a place in which, or for any one, to dwell or to sleep, except when said buildings or such parts thereof are sufficiently lighted, ventilated, provided and accommodated, and are in all respects in that condition of cleanliness and wholesomeness, for which this Code or any law of this State provides, or in which they or either of them require any such premises to be kept. Nor shall any such person rent, let, hire out, or allow, having power to prevent the same to be used as or for a place of sleeping or residence, and as a part of any building, room or lot, when they are not let or intended to be occupied or used by any person as a sleeping apartment, or as a principal or sole dwelling apartment.

[L. S.]

JAMES C. BAYLES,
President.
EMMONS CLARK,
Secretary.

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, 1888.

APPLICATIONS FOR EXEMPTIONS WILL BE heard here, from 9 to 4 daily, from all persons hitherto liable or recently serving who have become exempt, and all needed information will be given.

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

Persons "enrolled" as liable must serve when called or pay their fines. No mere excuse will be allowed or interference permitted. The fines if unpaid will be entered as judgments upon the property of the delinquent. 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 fraud or evasion, and suggesting names for enrollment. Persons between sixty and seventy years of age, summer absentees, persons temporarily ill, and United States jurors are not exempt.

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

CHARLES REILLY,
Commissioner of Jurors.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, August 2, 1888.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMMISSIONERS of the Department of Public Parks, in the City of New York, will, on the 22d day of August, 1888, at 1 o'clock A. M., in their offices, in the Emigrants Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, in said City, hear and consider all statements, objections and evidence that may then and there be offered in reference to a proposed change in the lines of Decatur avenue, between Isaac and Travers streets, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887.

The contemplated change consists in changing the location, course and lines, and discontinuing and closing a part of Decatur avenue, between Isaac and Travers streets.

A map showing the proposed change is on exhibition in said office.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, August 2, 1888.

NOTICE.

PARTIES INTERESTED IN THE MATTER OF the grading of the following named streets in the Twenty-fourth Ward, are requested to call at the office of the Department of Public Parks within ten days from date, and examine maps showing such grades as proposed to be established, and make known their views in relation thereto:

East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, from Carter avenue to the Southern Boulevard, in the Twenty-fourth Ward.

Birch street, from Wolf street to Marcher avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward.

Boscobel avenue, from the easterly approach to the bridge over Harlem river at West One Hundred and Eighty-first street to Jerome avenue, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.

By order of the Department of Public Parks.

CHARLES DE F. BURNS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, July 27, 1888.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

UNDER CHAPTER 407 OF THE LAWS OF 1888, an act relative to railways in the Transverse Roads of the Central Park, in the City of New York, the Department of Public Parks, with the concurrence of the Sinking Fund Commissioners, is authorized to construct, equip, and run the same upon the same terms and conditions, including the rates of fare to be charged to persons using such railways, for such compensation to be paid to the said Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, and subject to such rules and regulations as may be determined upon in such contracts, and as the said Department, with the concurrence of the Sinking Fund Commissioners, may from time to time establish or impose. The said Department,

with the concurrence of the Sinking Fund Commissioners, is authorized to agree with the persons or corporations, with whom any contract may be made for the construction, equipment and running of said railways that the cost of such construction shall be paid by the City in installments out of the compensation which such persons or corporations shall agree to pay to said City under any such contract, from time to time, as such compensation shall be received.

Public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of Public Parks will receive and consider proposals for the construction and operation of a railway or railways in and through the Central Park Transverse Roads, in accordance with the provisions of the act above cited, at a meeting to be held at their office, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, on Wednesday, September 5, 1888, at 11 o'clock A. M.

By order of the Commissioners of Public Parks.
CHARLES DE F. BURNS,
Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,
NEW YORK, July 31, 1888.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE materials and labor, and doing the work required for constructing and erecting two houses—one on the south side of West Eighty-third street, 250 feet front of Sixth avenue, for an engine company, and the other on No. 120 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, for Hook and Ladder Co. No. 14, of this Department, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Board, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Monday, August 20, 1888, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and its members.

Estimates will be received from bidders for both houses together in one bid (in which case the bid or estimate submitted should state a lump sum for both houses) and also separately for each house, and estimates in any of these forms will be received from the same bidder if desired.

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

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

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

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

The work is to be completed and delivered within one hundred and ten (110) days after the execution of the contract.

Compensation to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, are fixed and liquidated at twenty (20) dollars.

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

Any person making an estimate for the work shall present the same in a sealed envelope, to said Board, at said office, on or before the day and hour above named.

The envelope must be marked with the name of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation and a statement of the work to which it relates.

The Board of Commissioners 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, or who is otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of the persons interested with him in them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that 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 award of the 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 true, and that the person making the same is so 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, who are not interested in the same, 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 sureties for the performance, in the sum of eighteen thousand (\$18,000) dollars for both houses together, or of nine thousand and five hundred (9,500) dollars for the house in West Eighty-third street, and of eight thousand and five hundred (8,500) dollars for the house in East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street; 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 is bound by the contract, and the sum 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 paid by the said sureties, in and to the sum 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 is satisfied and gives a good faith and a true 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 nine thousand (\$9,000) dollars for both houses together, or of four thousand and seventy-five (\$4,750) dollars for the house in West Eighty-third street, and of four thousand and twenty-five (\$4,250) dollars for the house in East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street. Such check or money must not be enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the bids, and no payment can be made or 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 any person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the

proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readjusted and let as provided by law.

HENRY D. PURROY,
RICHARD CROKER,
FITZ JOHN PORTER,
Commissioners.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

List 2746, No. 1. Sewer in One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

List 2747, No. 2. Sewer in Forty-fourth street, between summit east of Sixth avenue and Sixth avenue, connecting with sewer in Sixth avenue.

List 2748, No. 3. Sewer in Tompkins street, between Rivington and Delancey streets.

List 2749, No. 4. Sewer in Pleasant avenue, between One Hundred and Sixteenth and One Hundred and Seventeenth streets.

List 2750, No. 5. Sewer in Avenue B, between Eighty-third and Eighty-fourth streets.

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 Fifty-eighth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of Forty-fourth street, extending 195 feet easterly from Sixth avenue.

No. 3. Both sides of Tompkins street, between Delancey and Rivington streets.

No. 4. Both sides of Pleasant avenue, from One Hundred and Sixteenth to One Hundred and Seventeenth street.

No. 5. Both sides of Avenue B, from Eighty-third to Eighty-fourth street.

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 19th day of September, 1888.

EDWARD GILON, Chairman,
PATRICK M. HAVERLY,
CHAS. E. WENDT,
EDWARD CAHILL,
Board of Assessors.

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 2751, No. 1. Planting trees on West End avenue, in accordance with the provisions of the act above cited.

No. 2. That is each side of Eleventh (West End) avenue, between Seventy-second and One Hundred and Seventh streets, two rows of maple trees be "planted, the trees to be placed thirty feet apart."

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 Eleventh (West End) avenue, from Seventy-second to One Hundred and Seventh street.

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 11th day of September, 1888.

EDWARD GILON, Chairman,
PATRICK M. HAVERLY,
CHAS. E. WENDT,
EDWARD CAHILL,
Board of Assessors.

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 2539, No. 1. Sewer and appurtenances in Washington avenue, between Third and Fourth avenues and One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street.

List 2584, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging in Fort George avenue, from Tenth to Eleventh 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. Bounded on the north by One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, on the south by One Hundred and Sixty-second street and Brook avenue, on the east by Boston and Third avenues, and on the west by Washington avenue, including the east side of Boston avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-seventh to One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, and both sides of Washington avenue, from Brook avenue to One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street.

No. 2. Both sides of Fort George avenue, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to the 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 5th day of September, 1888.

EDWARD GILON, Chairman,
PATRICK M. HAVERLY,
CHAS. E. WENDT,
EDWARD CAHILL,
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS.
No. 11½ CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, August 4, 1888.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, DRY GOODS, HARDWARE, IRON, LEATHER, LIME AND LUMBER.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING GROCERIES, ETC.
8,500 pounds Dairy Butter: sample on exhibition, Thursday, August 25, 1888.

1,500 pounds Cheese.
5,000 pounds Dried Apples.
12,000 pounds Rice.
40,000 pounds Brown Sugar.
7,000 pounds Coffee Sugar.
4,000 pounds Cut Leaf Sugar.
6,000 pounds Oolong Tea.
100 barrels Crackers.
100 bushel—Dried Peas.
200 lbs best quality Kettle Rendered Leaf Lard,
50 pounds each.
40 dozen Canned Peaches.
3,500 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.
634 barrels good sound White Potatoes, to weigh 175 pounds net per barrel.
50 barrels Prime Red or Yellow Onions, to weigh 150 pounds net per barrel.
1,600 heads prime good-sized Cabbage.
40 pieces, prime quality City Cured Bacon, to average about 6 pounds.
50 prime quality, City Cured Smoked Hams, to average about 14 pounds each.
1,000 bushels Oats, 32 pounds net per bushel.
60 bags Coarse Meal, 100 pounds net each.
300 bales prime quality long, bright Rye Straw, tare not to exceed three pounds; weight charged as received at Blackwell's Island.

DRY GOODS.

100 pieces Oiled Muslin.
200 Gross Cotton Shoe Laces.
20 Gross Fine Combs.

HARDWARE, IRON, ETC.

10 bundles first quality Galvanized Iron No. 24,
24 x 34.
1 dozen Lining Hatchets.
15 dozen Taper Saw Files, 10 x 5 1/2.
25 barrels Standard White Kerosene Oil 150° Test

LEATHER.

300 sides prime quality Waxed Kip Leather, to average about 12 feet.
300 sides prime quality Waxed Upper Leather, to average about 12 feet.
2,000 pounds Offal Leather.

LIME.

25 barrels W. W. Lime, first quality.
25 barrels Plaster Paris, first quality.

LUMBER.

300 first quality Spruce Lumber, 1 1/2 x 4 x 13.
300 first quality Spruce Lumber, 1 1/2 x 4 x 13, dressed, tongued and grooved.
50 first quality Spruce Lumber, 1 1/2 x 4 x 13, dressed, tongued and grooved.
100 bunches Extra 1 1/2 x 8 clear sawed Pine Shingles, 18".
2,000 feet Electric Moulding.

All lumber to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.
—will be received at the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9:30 o'clock A. M. of Friday, August 24, 1888. 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, Hardware, Lumber, etc.," to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 64, CHAPTER 410, LAWS OF 1882. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.
Delivery will be required to be made from time to time in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioners.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each 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 Commission or 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; and that the verification may be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons to 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 State or National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract, 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 it is forfeited or neglected, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has

been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet, as provided by law.

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

Bidders will state the price 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, in accordance with the terms 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.

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

Dated New York, August 13, 1888.
THOMAS S. BRENNAN, President,
HENRY H. PORTER, Commissioner,
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, Commissioner,
Public Charities and Correction.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FLOUR.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING and delivering, free of all expense, at the Bake-house dock, Blackwell's Island, 4,000 barrels (no sacks) extra Wheat Flour, in lots of 500 to 1,000 barrels, one-half of each quality, as follows:

2,000 barrels of sample marked No. 1.
2,000 barrels of sample marked No. 2.

Only 2,000 empty barrels to be returned.

—will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 9:30 o'clock A. M. of Friday, August 24, 1888. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed, "Bid or Estimate for Flour," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 64, CHAPTER 410, LAWS OF 1882. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each 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 Commission or 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; and that the verification may be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons to 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 State or National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract, 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 it is forfeited or neglected, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has

been 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 on exhibition at the office of the said Department. Bidders will be required to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required, before making their estimates.

Bidders will state the price 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, in accordance with the terms 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.

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

Dated New York, August 13, 1888.
THOMAS S. BRENNAN, President,
HENRY H. PORTER, Commissioner,
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, Commissioner,
Public Charities and Correction.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR STEAM HEATING AT CENTRAL ISLAND, LONG ISLAND, NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications to be furnished by the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 9:30 o'clock A. M. of Tuesday, August 21, 1888. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Steam Heating at Central Island, Long Island, New York," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 64, CHAPTER 410, LAWS OF 1882. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Commission or 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; and that the verification may be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

No bid or estimate will be received, or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of FIVE PER CENTUM OF the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be 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 it is forfeited or neglected, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has

been 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 on exhibition at the office of the said Department. Bidders will be required to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required, before making their estimates.

Bidders will state the price 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, in accordance with the terms 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.

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

Dated New York, August 13, 1888.
THOMAS S. BRENNAN, President,
HENRY H. PORTER, Commissioner,
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, Commissioner,
Public Charities and Correction.

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

GRANTS OF LANDS UNDER WATER.

THE OWNERS OF LANDS IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, which were formerly under water, and which were granted by the City of New York, are notified that nearly all of the grants of such lands contain covenants, on the part of the grantees, and their successors and assigns, to maintain and keep in repair the adjacent streets. The condition of many of these streets is such as to make it necessary that they should be repaired and repaved, and that the obligation resting upon the present owners of adjacent lots to do this work should now be enforced. Many of such owners have requested that such covenants be removed, and wholly released, upon the payment by them of a certain sum per lot.

The matter will shortly be presented to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for their consideration, and the adjustment of the same, by way of commutation, and application for releases should therefore be made at once.

They may be sent to the undersigned.

Dated New York City, August 7, 1888.

JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, August 7, 1888.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indicated thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock, Tuesday, August 22, 1888, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING EIGHTY-NINTH STREET, from Tenth Avenue to the Boulevard, and SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING TWELFTH AVENUE, from One Hundred and Thirty-third to One Hundred and Thirty-fifth Street, and SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 3. FOR SEWER IN AVENUE B, between Second and Third Streets.

No. 4. FOR SEWER IN SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET, between Boulevard and West End Avenue.

No. 5. FOR ALTERATIONS AND IMPROVEMENTS TO SEWER IN TENTH AVENUE, between Seventy-seventh and Eighty-first Streets.

No. 6. FOR SEWER IN FIRST AVENUE, between Ninety-first and Ninety-second Streets, connecting with Sewer in Ninety-second Street.

No. 7. FOR SEWER IN MADISON AVENUE, between One Hundred and Thirty-fifth and One Hundred and Thirty-sixth Streets.

No. 8. FOR SEWER IN HAMILTON PLACE, between One Hundred and Fortieth and One Hundred and Forty-first Streets.

No. 9. FOR SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIRST STREET, between Tenth Avenue and Eleventh Avenue, Boulevard.

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

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

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

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at Rooms 5 and 9, No. 31 Chambers Street.

JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, August 7, 1888.

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No. 1. FOR LAYING WATER-MAINS IN BOSTON ROAD, OLD BOSTON ROAD, KING BRIDGE ROAD, ADAMS, LOCUST, ARTHUR AND WESTCHESTER AVENUES, IN CHESTNUT, VYSE, MAIN, ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH, CENTRE AND ONE HUNDRED AND NINETEENTH STREETS, AND IN SOUTHERN BOULEVARD.

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

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

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JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

UNDER CHAPTER 410, LAWS 1882, SECTIONS 350, 351, 352 AND 353, and as amended by chapter 359, of the Laws of 1887.

The Commissioner of public works shall, from time to time, establish scales of rents for the supply of water, which rents shall be collected in the manner now provided by law, and which shall be apportioned to different classes of buildings in said city in reference to their dimensions, values, exposure to fires, ordinary uses for dwellings, stores, shops, private stables and other common purposes, whether of families or occupants, and consumption of water, as near as may be practicable, and modify, alter, amend and increase such scale from time to time, and extend it to other descriptions of buildings and establishments. *All extra charges for water shall be deemed to be included in the regular rents, and shall not be a charge and lien upon the buildings upon which they are respectively imposed, and, if not paid, shall be returned as arrears to the clerk of arrears.* Such regular rents, or charges, or both, as are so mentioned, shall be collected from the owners or occupants of all such buildings respectively, which shall be situated upon lots adjoining any street or avenue in said city in which the distributing water-pipes are or may be laid, and from which they shall be supplied with water. Said rents, including the extra charges aforesaid, shall become a charge and lien upon such houses and lots, respectively, as herein provided, but no charge whatever shall be levied or collected against any building in which water-meter may have been, or shall be placed as provided in this act. In all such cases the charge for water shall be determined only by the quantity of water actually used as shown by said meter.

It is hereby authorized to prescribe a penalty not exceeding the sum of five dollars for each offense, for permitting water to be wasted, and for any violation of such reasonable rules as he may from time to time prescribe for the prevention of the waste of water; such fines shall be added to the regular water rents.

The regular annual rents to be collected by the Department of Public Works shall be as follows, to wit:

FRONT WIDTH.	1 Story.	2 Stories.	3 Stories.	4 Stories.	5 Stories.
16 feet and under.	\$4.00	\$5.00	\$6.00	\$7.00	\$8.00
16 to 18 feet.	5.00	6.00	7.00	8.00	9.00
18 to 20 feet.	6.00	7.00	8.00	9.00	10.00
20 to 22½ feet.	7.00	8.00	9.00	10.00	11.00
22½ to 25 feet.	8.00	9.00	10.00	11.00	12.00
25 to 27½ feet.	9.00	10.00	11.00	12.00	13.00
27½ to 30 feet.	10.00	11.00	12.00	13.00	14.00
30 to 32½ feet.	11.00	12.00	13.00	14.00	15.00
32½ to 35 feet.	12.00	13.00	14.00	15.00	16.00

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

The apportionment of the regular rents upon dwellings-houses are on the basis that but one family is to occupy the same, and for each additional family, one dollar per year shall be charged.

Meters will be placed on all houses where waste of water is found, and they will be charged at rates fixed by the Department for all the water passing through them.

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

BAKERIES.—For the average daily use of flour, for each barrel, three dollars per annum each.

BARKER SHOPS.—shall be charged from five to twenty dollars per annum each in the discretion of the Commissioner of Public Works; an additional charge of five dollars per annum shall be made for each bath-tub therein.

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

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

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

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

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

For all stables not metered, the rates shall be as follows:

HORSES, PRIVATE.—For two horses there shall be charged six dollars per annum; and for each additional horse, two dollars.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

WATER-CLOSETS AND URINALS.—To each building on a lot one water-closet having sewer connection is allowed without charge; each additional water-closet or urinal will be charged as hereinafter stated. Water-closets connected in any manner with sewer shall be charged two dollars for each seat per annum, whether in a building or on any other portion of the premises.

Urinals shall be charged two dollars per annum each.

WATER-CLOSET RATES.—For each of any form when water is supplied direct from the Croton supply, through any form of the so-called single or double valves, hopper-clocks, stop-cocks, self-closing cocks, or any valve or cock of any description attached to the closet, each, per year, twenty dollars.

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

For any form of hopper or water-closet, supplied from the ordinary style of cistern filled with ball-cock, and overflow pipe that communicates with the pipe to the water-closet, or any overflow will run into the hopper or water-closet, when ball-cock is defective, or from which an unlimited amount of water can be drawn by holding up the handle, per year, each, five dollars.

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

Cistern answering this description can be seen at this Department.

METERS.

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

It is provided by section 353, Laws of 1882, that "all expenses of meters, their connections and setting, water rates, and other lawful charges for the supply of Croton water, shall be a lien upon the premises where such water is supplied, as now provided by law."

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

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

Rate Without Meters.

PER DAY, GALLONS.	PER 100 GALLONS, RATE.	PER ANNUM, AMOUNT.
25	05	\$3.75
50	05	7.50
75	05	9.00
100	05	10.50
125	05	12.00
150	05	13.50
175	05	15.00
200	05	16.50
225	05	18.00
250	04	20.00
300	04	24.00
350	03½	26.25
400	03½	28.50
450	03½	30.75
500	03½	33.00
550	03½	35.25
600	03½	37.50
650	03½	39.75
700	03½	42.00
750	03½	44.25
800	03½	46.50
850	03½	48.75
900	03½	51.00
950	03½	53.25
1,000	03½	55.50
1,500	03	82.50
2,000	02½	105.00
2,500	02½	127.50
3,000	02½	150.00
3,500	02½	172.50
4,000	02½	195.00
4,500	02½	217.50
5,000	02½	240.00
5,500	02½	262.50
6,000	02½	285.00
6,500	02	307.50
7,000	02	330.00
7,500	02	352.50
8,000	02	375.00
8,500	02	397.50
9,000	02	420.00
9,500	02	442.50
10,000	02	465.00

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

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

Water supplied to sailing vessels and put on board, twenty-five cents per hundred gallons.

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

HYDRANTS, HOSE, TROUGHS, FOUNTAINS, ETC., ETC.
No owner or tenant will be allowed to supply water to another person or person.

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

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

No horse-troughs or horse-watering fixtures will be permitted in the street or on the sidewalk, except upon a license or permit taken out for that purpose. All licenses or permits must be annually renewed on the first of May. Such fixtures must be kept in good order and the water not allowed to drip or waste by overrunning the sidewalk or street, or to become dangerous in winter by freezing in and about such troughs or fixtures.

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

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

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

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

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

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

By order,
JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, June 21, 1887.

PUBLIC NOTICE AS TO WATER RATES.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT in compliance with the provisions of chapter 359, Laws of 1887, amending sections 350 and 321 of the City of New York Consolidation Act of 1882, passed June 9, 1887, the following changes are made in charging and collecting water rents:

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

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

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

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

5th. Charges for so-called extra water rents of every nature, imposed or incurred prior to June 9, 1887, will be canceled or returned on the books of the Department.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, September 29, 1886.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

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

JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, November 10, 1886.

NOTICE TO CROTON WATER CONSUMERS.

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

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

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

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

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

JOHN NEWTON,
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