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APPROVED PAPERS.

Ordinances and Resolutions passed by the Common Council during the week ending May 16, 1885.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to John Quinn to place a watering-trough at premises No. 557 West Fifty-first street, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; said permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 24, 1885.
Approved by the Mayor, May 11, 1885.

Resolved, That the sidewalks on both sides of Ninety-sixth street, from the westerly line or side of Third avenue to the easterly line or side of Fourth avenue, be and they are hereby fixed and established at a uniform width of thirty feet, and the carriageway of said street, between said Third and Fourth avenues, at a width of forty feet.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 27, 1885.
Approved by the Mayor, May 11, 1885.

Resolved, That the sidewalk on the north side of Eighty-third street, from First to Second avenue, be flagged full width, 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, April 27, 1885.
Approved by the Mayor, May 11, 1885.

Resolved, That One Hundred and Fourteenth street, from Tenth avenue to Riverside Drive, be regulated, graded, curbed and flagged four feet wide, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 27, 1885.
Approved by the Mayor, May 11, 1885.

Resolved, That the four lamps now placed in front of temporary Church of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, Nos. 432 to 436 West Fiftyth street, be removed and placed in front of new Church of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, Nos. 451 to 455 West Fifty-first street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 27, 1885.
Approved by the Mayor, May 11, 1885.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in One Hundred and Second street, from Second to Third avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 27, 1885.
Approved by the Mayor, May 11, 1885.

Resolved, That the roadway of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, from North Third avenue to St. Ann's avenue, be paved with granite-blocks, and that crosswalks be laid at the terminating avenues where required, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 27, 1885.
Approved by the Mayor, May 11, 1885.

Resolved, That two additional courses of blue stone crosswalk be laid alongside of the present crosswalks crossing Greenwich and Washington streets, parallel with the sidewalks on the southerly side of Vesey street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 27, 1885.
Approved by the Mayor, May 11, 1885.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized to erect a free drinking-hydrant (for man and beast) at the northwest corner of First avenue and Ninety-ninth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 27, 1885.
Approved by the Mayor, May 11, 1885.

Resolved, That Croton water-mains be laid in Monroe avenue, from Waverly or East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street to Gray street; in Gray street, from Monroe avenue to Clinton avenue; and in Clinton avenue, from Gray street to Spring street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward; the work to be done under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, as provided in chapter 381 of the Laws of 1879.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 27, 1885.
Approved by the Mayor, May 11, 1885.

Resolved, That a crosswalk of two courses be laid in front of No. 1457 Broadway, from the west rail of the west horse car track to the curb in front of said No. 1457 Broadway, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, the expense to be paid from the appropriation "Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading."

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 1, 1885.
Approved by the Mayor, May 11, 1885.

Resolved, That the curb on the south side of One Hundred and Fiftieth street, between Avenue St. Nicholas and St. Nicholas place, be reset in a line with the south curb of One Hundred and Fiftieth street, east of St. Nicholas place, and that the curb on the westerly side of St. Nicholas place, below One Hundred and Fiftieth street, be reset at a distance of forty feet westerly from the easterly curb thereof below said street and parallel therewith, and that the map and plan of said St. Nicholas place, on file in the Department of Public Works, be changed in accordance therewith, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 4, 1885.
Approved by the Mayor, May 11, 1885.

Resignation of Timothy Donovan as a Commissioner of Deeds.
Resolved, That Julius Levy be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Timothy Donovan, who has resigned.

Resignation accepted and resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 11, 1885.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Kroger & Strubbe to erect and retain a watering-trough in front of No. 35 Madison street, the work to be done and water supplied at their 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, April 20, 1885.
Received from his Honor the Mayor, May 1, 1885, with his objections thereto.
In Board of Aldermen, May 11, 1885, taken up, reconsidered, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to D. M. Campbell to place and keep a watering-trough in front of his premises, No. 637 Hudson street, the work done at his 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, April 24, 1885.
Received from his Honor the Mayor, May 1, 1885, with his objections thereto.
In Board of Aldermen, May 11, 1885, taken up, reconsidered, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to R. N. Clawson to place a watering-trough at No. 441 Washington street, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 20, 1885.
Received from his Honor the Mayor, May 1, 1885, with his objections thereto.
In Board of Aldermen, May 11, 1885, taken up, reconsidered, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Patrick Jones to place and retain a watering-trough in front of premises at the southwest corner of First avenue and Thirty-seventh street, the work to be done and water supplied at his 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, April 24, 1885.
Received from his Honor the Mayor, May 1, 1885, with his objections thereto.
In Board of Aldermen, May 11, 1885, taken up, reconsidered, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby directed to cause the sidewalk in front of Nos. 91, 93 and 95 Trinity place, Nos. 23, 24 and 25 West street, and on the east side of Greenwich street, from Morris street to the sidewalk in front of the Washington building, to be repaired and laid or relaid, on the established grade, as provided in sections 99, 103 and 104 of article VII. of chapter 6 of the Revised Ordinances of 1880.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 1, 1885.
Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1885.

Resolved, That the sidewalks on both sides of Eighty-sixth street, from the westerly line or side of Eighth avenue to the easterly line or side of Riverside Drive, be and they are hereby fixed and established a uniform width of thirty feet, and the carriageway of said street between said Eighth avenue and Riverside Drive at a width of forty feet.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 4, 1885.
Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1885.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Young Men's Hebrew Association to erect two ornamental lamp-posts and lamps inside the stoop-line in front of their premises, No. 721 Lexington avenue, the work to be done and gas supplied at their 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, May 8, 1885.
Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1885.

Resolved, That Ninety-fifth street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, be regulated and graded, curb-stones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide, 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, May 8, 1885.
Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1885.

Resolved, That Croton water-pipes be laid in Seventy-fifth street, between First and Second avenues, where not already laid, as provided in chapter 381, Laws of 1879.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 8, 1885.
Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1885.

Resolved, That Sixty-sixth street, from the Boulevard to Tenth avenue, be paved with trap-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at the terminating avenues where required, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 8, 1885.
Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1885.

Resolved, That Croton-mains be laid in Seventy-fourth street, between the Boulevard and Eleventh avenue, as provided in chapter 381, Laws of 1879.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 8, 1885.
Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1885.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Association of War Veterans of the First Regiment, N. Y. Volunteers, Col. Ward B. Burnett, in the war between the United States of America and Mexico, to use their battle flags, now in the Governor's room, during the parade, Decoration Day, May 30, 1885, this permission being granted on condition that the president of said association, Jacob R. Riley, shall be personally responsible for the proper use of the flags, and their safe return the day after the parade; and the Commissioner of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to permit the use of the flags upon the conditions above named.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 11, 1885.
Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1885.

Resolved, That One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, from North Third avenue to Brook avenue, be paved with granite blocks, and that crosswalks be laid at the terminating avenues where required, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks; and that the accompanying ordinance thereto be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 11, 1885.
Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1885.

Resolved, That an improved iron drinking-fountain (for man and beast) be placed in front of No. 206 Varick street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 4, 1885.
Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1885.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to cause the name of every intersecting street, and every intersecting street and avenue, to be placed on the building, or, in localities where practicable, on the street-lamps at or near the northeast and southwest corners formed by such intersections, and of a size and style of letters that will be legible from the sidewalk in front of every such house, both day and night, in order to afford a much-needed accommodation to our own citizens and strangers, and to facilitate them in finding any particular locality within our city limits.

Resolved, That it shall not be lawful for any person to hinder or interfere with the person or persons engaged in placing such designation of street and avenue, on every such house or street-lamp, or to remove, or deface, or in any other manner interfere with any such designation, when so affixed or placed, under a penalty of one hundred dollars for each and every offense.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 4, 1885.
Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1885.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and they are hereby requested to set apart a sufficient sum, not to exceed thirteen thousand dollars, in the estimates for the year 1886, for the construction of a free public bath, to be located in the East river at the foot of Dover street, the work to be done under the supervision and direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 8, 1885.
Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1885.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be and are hereby requested to provide suitable rooms for the Receiver of Taxes, in which to transact the public business of his office, within thirty days after the passage of this resolution; and be it further

Resolved, That when a new location is thus provided for the Receiver of Taxes, and the rooms now occupied by him as public offices shall be vacated, then the said rooms shall be and hereby are set apart for and assigned to the uses of the Court of General Sessions, and of the Oyer and Terminer of the Supreme Court.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 11, 1885.
Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1885.

Resignation of Eugene Sweeny as a Commissioner of Deeds.

Resolved, That George P. H. McVay be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Eugene Sweeny, who has resigned.

Resignation accepted and resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 15, 1885.

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby respectively reappointed to the office of Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, to date from the expiration of their present terms of office, viz.:

- Emil S. Arnold. Charles Dahl.
Augustus T. Docharty. Frank R. Haughton.
George Finck. Edward J. Harding.
Maurice F. Harris. George W. Lush.
William N. Loew. James McLoughlin.
John H. Loos. Albert Miller.
Thomas J. McGuire. Theodore F. Van Zandt.
Henry Schoen. Edgar Williams.
George J. Wood. Henry Adler.
John W. Crump.

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in the places respectively of those whose names appear opposite, and whose terms of office have expired, viz.:

- Abraham Boehm, in place of.....Christian Closson.
Jacob H. Valentine, ".....James S. Clark.
Hugh Douglas, ".....John R. Farrington.
Henry H. Snyder, ".....Edward J. Hancy.
Henry V. Steers, ".....Joseph McCann.
John O'Dwyer, ".....George W. McAdam.
James Demarest, ".....William M. Negus.
John H. McCarty, ".....Peter Washington Salmon.
Philip Emrich, ".....John B. Christie.
Philip J. Joachimsen, ".....Thomas Cunningham.
Charles N. Morgan, ".....Jacob Fleischhauer.
John Gilchrist, ".....Frank Forrester.
Hugo Cohn, ".....Christopher Foster.
Joel Marks, ".....James Forrester.
Gilbert J. Burnet, ".....Edward Grosse.
Albert L. Phillips, ".....Francis J. Gallagher.
George C. Austin, ".....George C. Knapp, Jr.
Simon Rosenthal, ".....Louis Kneisel.
Charles A. L. Goldey, ".....Simon Loeb.
Moritz Pfrenger, ".....Daniel P. O'Connor.
Francis D. Dowley, ".....Charles Putzel.
Abraham Bernard, ".....H. F. Repper.
Charles D. Brooks, ".....Henry J. Schumacher.
Jacob Goldschmidt, ".....Simon Steingut.
John J. Hayes, ".....Rudolph L. Scharf.
James O. Farrell, ".....Charles Ullmann.
Alexander Humboldt Roemer, in place of.....George H. Wyckoff.
John M. Kyle, ".....Henry E. Wallace.
Wm. A. F. P. Mulford, ".....Frank Wolff.
James W. Ross, ".....Hermann Wiesner.
William F. Erving, ".....Noah Wood.
Frank R. Brady, ".....Stephen Whitehorne.

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in the places, respectively, of those whose names appear opposite, who were recently appointed but failed to qualify:

- Lewis C. Cohn, in place of.....Thomas F. Casey.
Herman Schmidt, ".....Haydn C. Kelly.
Felix S. Falk, ".....Thomas J. Kenny.
Matthew F. Neville, ".....David S. Updyke.

Resolved, That the name of Thomas J. Kenny, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be corrected so as to read George J. Kenny.

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, as follows: William E. Haws, in place of the term of office of Thomas J. Crombie, which expired October 13, 1884; and Howard E. Sands, in place of the term of office of William Henry Gardiner, which expired November 23, 1884.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 15, 1885.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk of the Common Council.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 12th day of May, 1885.

Present—Commissioners French, Porter, McClave, and Voorhis, and Mr. Marsh, representing the Comptroller.

Commissioner John R. Voorhis presented a certificate of his appointment by the Mayor as Police Commissioner for the unexpired term of James Matthews.

The following bids for "altering, coppering, recaulking, painting and making general repairs to the steambot "Patrol," were opened and read:

Table with 2 columns: Bid number and amount.
No. 1. James D. Leary \$4,690 00
No. 2. C. & R. Poulton 4,645 00
No. 3. Wm. Jenkins and James Tregarthen 4,631 00

Whereupon said bids were referred to the Chief Clerk for report.
Adjourned.

Second Meeting—May 12, 1885.

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

Leave of Absence Granted.

Roundsman Franklin P. Germain, Thirteenth Precinct, five days, half pay.

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

Weekly statement of the Comptroller showing condition of the several accounts of the Police Department, was referred to the Treasurer.

Report of the Treasurer's Bookkeeper on collection of interest on bonds, was referred to the Trustees of the Pension Fund.

Death reported.

Patrolman John Minnick, Sanitary Company, on 12th instant.

Application of Wm. H. Warts, guardian of Wm. H. Fitzgerald, son of late Sergeant Francis Fitzgerald, for pension, was referred to the Counsel to the Corporation for opinion as to the power of the Board to grant.

The following applications for restoration to the Pension Roll, and releases in each case, were referred to the Counsel to the Corporation for opinion and advice as to the legality of the releases and as to the powers of the Board in the respective cases:

- Susan H. Wilson, Sarah Golden,
Emma C. Blunt, Mabel Roberson,
Catharine Schwarz, Lizzie Wooldridge,
Catharine Duff, John McAree,
Thomas Mulvey, Timothy Falvey,
Matilda Wright.

Application of Charles E. Whittington for appointment as Doorman, was referred to the Civil Service Examining Board.

Application of Patrolman Michael Flynn, Seventeenth Precinct, for detail, was referred to the Superintendent.

Application of Patrolman Joseph Brereton, Seventeenth Precinct, for promotion, was referred to the Superintendent to cite for examination.

Communication from Bureau of Buildings, Fire Department, relative to condition of Fourteenth Precinct Station-house, was referred to Commissioner Voorhis.

Communication from Commissioners of Sinking Fund, being resolution setting apart a plot of ground on the north side of East Sixty-seventh street, for Station-house, etc. for Twenty-eighth Precinct, was ordered on file.

Communication from the Department of Public Works, relative to repairs to culvert-basins in vicinity of First Precinct Station-house, was ordered on file.

Communication from the Police Commissioners of Boston, inclosing list of convicts to be discharged from Massachusetts State Prisons in May, 1885, was referred to the Superintendent.

Communication from General McMahon, inviting the Board of Police to participate in the ceremonies of Decoration Day, was accepted, and the Chief Clerk directed to acknowledge the same.

Communication from A. W. Lemcke, relative to lease of Thirtieth Precinct Station-house, was ordered on file.

Communication from Leonard J. O'Neill, Drum Major, Sixty-ninth Regiment, relative to music for annual parade, was referred to the Superintendent.

Communication from G. Wichelms, complaining of roller skating in front of No. 343 Hudson street, was referred to the Superintendent.

Resolved, That Commissioner John R. Voorhis be appointed Chairman of Committee on Repairs and Supplies, and in place of Commissioner Matthews on all other committees.

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby granted to Patrolman Michael J. Donohue, Twenty-first Precinct, to receive a reward of \$50 (subject to the deduction under the rule) from John Snyder, for recovery of horse and wagon.

On reading and filing communication from the Comptroller, it was

Resolved, That the Treasurer be and is hereby directed to pay over to the City Chamberlain the sum of \$35,851.55, said sum being the unexpended balance of amount appropriated for the year 1884, for the payment of salaries of thirty Patrolmen detailed to the Health Department—all aye.

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

Table with 2 columns: Item and amount.
Police Fund—Salaries of Commissioners, Superintendent, Inspectors, Surgeons and Uniformed Force..... \$293,950 00
Salaries of Clerical Force..... 7,047 50
Supplies for Police..... 6,250 00
Police Station-house, alterations, etc..... 1,750 00
Expenses of Detectives, contingent, etc..... 1,041 66
Election Expenses—Salaries of Chief and Chief Clerk of Bureau..... \$83 33
Total..... \$310,622 49

Resolved, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Comptroller for the sum of thirty dollars, to enable this Board to pay a bill of M. B. Brown, for stationery for the Bureau of Elections.

Retired Officer.

Sergeant James R. Thatcher, Second Inspection District, \$800 per year—all aye.

Resignation Accepted.

Patrolman Andrew H. Pitchford, Eighth Precinct.

Transfers Ordered.

Sergeant Charles R. Wilson, from Thirtieth Precinct to Thirty-fifth Precinct.
" Joseph Douglas, from Eighth Precinct to Fifteenth Precinct.
Roundsman Francis J. Kear, from Thirty-first Precinct to Thirty-fifth Precinct.
Patrolman David S. Connor, from Ninth Precinct to Third Precinct.

Promotion to Sergeant.

Roundsman William Strauss, Third Precinct.

Assigned as Roundsman.

Patrolman William B. Deeves, Eighteenth Precinct.

Patrolmen Appointed.

Table with 2 columns: Name and Precinct.
Thomas G. Kennedy 20 | Henry W. Burfeind 12
Michael Neville 4 | James R. Brownlee 21
Conrad Schellenberger 10 | Louis Fritz, Jr. 32

Whereas, A statement appeared in one of the morning journals, alleging improper conduct on the part of Detective Sergeant McNaught;

Resolved, That Inspector Byrnes be and is hereby directed to investigate and report to the President of the Board forthwith, if Detective Sergeant McNaught, or any member of his Bureau, has in any manner been connected with any attempt to influence witnesses in behalf of Sergeant Crowley, indicted for assault, etc.

On reading and filing report of the Chief Clerk, it was

Resolved, That the contract for "altering, coppering, recaulking, painting and making general

repairs on the steamboat 'Patrol,' in pursuance of advertisement, and the specifications for said work referred to therein, be and is hereby awarded to William Jenkins and James Tregarthen for the sum and price of \$4,631, they being the lowest bidders; and that the President be and is hereby authorized to execute the said contract for and on behalf of the Board of Police, on approval of the sureties of the said William Jenkins and James Tregarthen by the Comptroller.

Resolved, That the following bills be approved, and the Treasurer authorized to pay the same—all aye.

Argus Company, subscription \$2 75
Daniel Slote & Co, printing..... 90 00

Judgments—Fines Imposed.

- Patrolman James Coen, Ninth Precinct, one day's pay.
- Timothy O'Leary, Fourteenth Precinct, one day's pay.
- John O'Neill (No. 2), Eighteenth Precinct, one day's pay.
- Joseph Doyle, Twentieth Precinct, two days' pay.
- William B. Stanton, Twentieth Precinct, two days' pay.
- William F. McCoy, Twentieth Precinct, two days' pay.
- Samuel Ellis, Twenty-first Precinct, one day's pay.
- Charles Bohan, Twenty-second Precinct, three days' pay.
- Andrew H. Rowley, Twenty-fifth Precinct, one day's pay.
- Patrick McKenna, Twenty-eighth Precinct, one day's pay.
- Wilbur F. Carpenter, Twenty-ninth Precinct, one day's pay.
- Patrick Crinnion, Twenty-ninth Precinct, one day's pay.
- Bernard F. McEnroe, Thirtieth Precinct, one day's pay.
- John H. Flahive, Thirty-first Precinct, one day's pay.
- John J. McGuire, First Precinct, one day's pay.
- Thomas J. Morris, First Precinct, one day's pay.
- John J. Bradley, Sixth Precinct, one day's pay.
- Edward Fitzgibbon, Eighth Precinct, one day's pay.
- Owen H. Beagan, Eighth Precinct, one day's pay.
- John Kelly, Eighteenth Precinct, one day's pay.
- John McDonald, Twentieth Precinct, two days' pay.
- Joseph Martin, Twenty-second Precinct, one day's pay.
- Nathan W. Putnam, Twenty-seventh Precinct, one day's pay.
- William J. Rourke, Twenty-eighth Precinct, five days' pay.
- James McKnight, Twenty-eighth Precinct, one day's pay.
- Patrick E. Dolan, Fourteenth Precinct, one day's pay.
- Antonie A. Straussner, Eighteenth Precinct, one day's pay.
- Ira M. Rollins, Nineteenth Precinct, two days' pay.
- Thomas Flaherty, Twenty-first Precinct, two days' pay.

Reprimands.

Precinct.	Precinct.	Precinct.
Patrolman William Z. Mullen..... 2	Patrolman Samuel B. Totten..... 22	
Sergeant Myron H. Allen..... 7	John Casey..... 22	
Patrolman George T. Sherwood..... 15	David O'Callahan..... 27	
Abraham Minnerly..... 20	Richard Ennis..... 33	

Complaints Dismissed.

Precinct.	Precinct.
Patrolman John J. Cronin..... 6	Patrolman Cornelius W. Roe..... 21
James B. Nann..... 6	William J. McGowan..... 22
James B. McDonald..... 13	James M. Stephenson..... 29
Michael Gilroy..... 15	James Kivlen..... 29
Daniel W. Clark..... 17	George A. Kinsler..... 30

Adjourned.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

Minutes of Stated Meeting of the Aqueduct Commissioners, held at their office, No. 209 Stewart Building, Wednesday, May 6, 1885, at 3 o'clock P.M.

Commissioners present—The Comptroller, Commissioner of Public Works, Commissioners James C. Spencer and C. C. Baldwin.

Also, Chief Engineer Church, Assistant Chief Engineer Fteley; and Chief Engineer Birdsall and Consulting Engineer Adams of the Department of Public Works.

On motion of Commissioner Baldwin, Commissioner Spencer was elected Chairman.

Chairman Spencer then declared the meeting open for public hearing, in relation to the proposed modifications to be made upon that part of the line of the New Aqueduct between a point near Shaft No. 24, on the easterly side of the Harlem river, and a point near One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and Convent avenue in the City of New York, as set forth in the public notice.

Mr. John D. Crimmins was then heard on behalf of the Convent of the Sacred Heart, owning lands at and near the southern terminus of the proposed modifications, and, after receiving from the Commissioners explanation of the proposed mode of locating and constructing the New Aqueduct to that point, he stated that the owners of the above-named property had no objection to offer thereto, but that they were greatly interested in its mode of construction from that point southward, and desired full opportunity to be heard when that matter was to be determined by the Commissioners.

Mr. Edward Morrison, of No. 13 West Thirty-ninth street, the owner of Lots Nos. 15, 16 and 17, in Block 1076, north side of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, under which the New Aqueduct will pass, was next heard, and explanations given him of the plan under consideration and mode of obtaining his compensation for the easement required for the construction of the Aqueduct.

No one else appearing, the public hearing was then adjourned until Wednesday next, at 3 o'clock P. M., and the Secretary directed to give public notice thereof.

The regular order of business was then taken up, and the minutes of the stated meeting of the 29th ultimo were read and approved.

The Committee on Finance and Audit reported the examination and audit of bills included in Vouchers Nos. 704 to 716, which vouchers were, on motion of Commissioner Spencer, approved and ordered to be certified to the Comptroller for payment.

The Committee on Construction presented a report, dated May 4, 1885, viz.:

1st. Concurring in the recommendation of the Chief Engineer, for the promotion of Robert E. Morris from Transitman to Assistant Engineer, with compensation at the rate of \$1,800 per annum; and of George Endicott, from Chainman to Rodman, with compensation at the rate of \$75 per month; and the appointment of Charles Percy Brown, as laborer, at \$2 per day.

On motion of Commissioner Spencer, the above-named recommendations were approved by the Commissioners, and the promotions and appointment made, to date from the entrance of the parties upon the discharge of the duties to which they are now assigned.

2d. Recommending that the Chief Engineer, with the approval of a majority of the Committee on Construction, be authorized to grant permits for the removal, by owners of property along the line of the New Aqueduct, of stone excavated from the shafts or tunnel of the Aqueduct, for use in building walls, foundations, and making other improvements upon adjacent property.

On motion of Commissioner Baldwin, this recommendation was approved by the Commissioners, and authority given to grant permits for the purposes above named.

A letter was received from the Mayor, inclosing a communication from the President of the Department of Public Parks, in relation to the proposed route of the New Aqueduct through Central Park, and the damage to be inflicted upon the Park grounds by the construction of the Aqueduct in the manner proposed by this Commission.

The communications were read, and President Crimmins being present, he was heard in relation to the changes proposed by him; and upon motion of Commissioner Spencer, the matter was referred to the Committee on Construction for investigation and report.

The Secretary next presented a letter from Cyrus W. Field, Esq., dated May 2, 1885, requesting the appointment, by the Aqueduct Commissioners, of watchmen or policemen to protect private property along the line of the New Aqueduct from deprecation by the laborers employed by the contractors.

The letter was read, and referred to the Counsel to the Corporation for his opinion as to the power of the Commissioners to make such appointments, and as to the liability of the City in such cases.

By direction of the Committees of Finance and Audit, and Construction, the Auditor then presented a schedule showing the name, kind and place of occupation, and rate of pay of all persons in the Engineering Department of the Commission on the 1st instant.

On motion of Commissioner Spencer, said schedule was referred to the Secretary, with directions to have it revised to date of printing, and printed simultaneously with the rules and regulations now under consideration for the Engineering Department.

On motion of Commissioner Spencer, all matters of unfinished business were laid over for future consideration by the full Board; and the Commissioners then adjourned.

JAMES W. McCULLOH, Secretary.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

*Births * reported during the week ending May 9, 1885.*

TOTAL	COLOR.		SEX.					NATIVITY OF PARENTS.						NAME OF CHILD.		
	White.	Colored.	Male.	Female.	Not stated.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign Father only.	Foreign Mother only.	NATIVITY OF FATHER STATED ONLY		NATIVITY OF MOTHER STATED ONLY		Not stated.	Stated.	Not stated.
										Native.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign.			
541	538	3	290	251	..	287	134	71	37	..	..	4	8	..	459	82

*Marriages * reported during the week ending May 9, 1885.*

TOTAL.	COLOR.		NATIVITY.						CONDITION.										
	White.	Colored.	Foreign.	Native.	Born at sea.	Not stated.	First Marriage.	Second Marriage.	Third Marriage.	Fourth Marriage.	Not stated.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.				
																Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.
291	288	3	180	108	124	3	3	242	251	44	38	4	1	1	1

* The returns of births, marriages, and still-births are incomplete.

Nativity of those who were Married, and the Parents of the Births and Still-Births, for the week ending May 9, 1885, and those who Died (actual mortality), week ending May 2, 1885.

NATIVITY OF DECEASED.	COUNTRY.	DEATHS.		BIRTHS.		MARRIAGES.		STILL-BIRTHS.	
		Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.	Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.	Nativity of Groom.	Nativity of Bride.	Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.
		14	13	22	20	15	11	2	3
6	Austria.....	14	13	22	20	15	11	2	3
6	British America.....	0	0	0	0	..	..	..	..
9	England.....	18	20	11	11	5	5	2	2
3	France.....	0	4	0	0	5	2	..	..
99	Germany.....	151	161	165	149	101	91	10	10
108	Ireland.....	208	200	75	75	20	21	3	6
9	Italy.....	20	20	11	12	12	12	..	..
9	Poland.....	9	7	10	5	5	2	..	..
3	Scotland.....	3	3	3	3	2	2	..	..
3	Switzerland.....	7	7	2	2	2	2	..	..
419	United States.....	157	160	171	200	108	124	13	13
4	Unknown or not stated.....	57	54	12	..	3	3	4	3
3	West Indies.....	4	3	3	2	..	..	1	1
13	Other countries.....	24	19	39	39	16	15	2	1

Still-Births reported during the week ending May 9, 1885.

TOTAL.	SEX.			COLOR.		NATIVITY OF						PERIOD OF UTERO-GESTATION.										
	Male.	Female.	Not stated.	White.	Colored.	FATHER.			MOTHER.			MONTH.										
						Native.	Foreign.	Not stated.	Native.	Foreign.	Not stated.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	Unknown or not stated.
38	22	16	..	37	1	13	21	4	12	23	3	..	..	..	1	3	7	5	3	19	..	..

Deaths reported during the week ending May 9, 1885.

TOTAL.	PLACE OF DEATH.												RESIDENCE.			CONDITION.						
	Institutions.	Tenement-houses (four families or more).	Houses containing three families or less.	Hotels and Boarding-houses.	In Rivers, Streets, Boats, etc.	Not stated.	Basement.	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.	Seventh.	Not stated.	New York City.	Outside New York City.	Not stated. †	STATED.			
																			Single.	Married.	Widowed.	
705	149	388	151	6	8	3	9	137	160	142	69	26	2	705	95	175	86	349

† Principally children and deaths in Institutions.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, SANITARY BUREAU, SEVENTH DIVISION—VITAL STATISTICS.

REPORTED MORTALITY * for the week ending May 9, 1885, together with the ACTUAL MORTALITY for the week ending May 2, 1885

W. DE F. DAY, M. D., Sanitary Superintendent and Register :

SIR—There were 705 deaths reported to have occurred in this city during the week ending Saturday, May 9, 1885, which is an increase of 67, as compared with the number reported the preceding week, and 110 more than were reported during the corresponding week of the year 1884. The actual mortality for the week ending May 2, 1885, was 682, which is 17.6 below the average for the corresponding week for the past five years, and represents an annual death-rate of 25.50 per 1,000 persons living, the population estimated at 1,390,837.

Table showing the Reported Mortality for the week ending May 9, 1885, and the Actual Number of Deaths each day, from the Principal Causes, with the Ages of Decedents, for the week ending May 2, 1885.

Main table with columns for METEOROLOGY, CAUSES OF DEATH, DATE (Apr. 26-30, May 1-2), AGE BY YEARS (Under 1 year to 70 and over), SEX (Male, Female), and COLORED. Includes sub-tables for 'ACTUAL NUMBER OF DEATHS EACH DAY DURING THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, MAY 2, 1885' and 'Total Actual Mortality during the week ending May 2, 1885'.

* Refers to the number of death certificates received.

DEATHS FROM ZYMOTIC DISEASES. NEW YORK.—DEATHS FROM SMALL-POX, MEASLES, SCARLATINA, DIPHTHERIA, CROUP, WHOOPING COUGH, TYPHOID FEVER, TYPHUS FEVER, MALARIAL FEVERS, PUERPERAL FEVER, DIARRHOEAL MALADIES, CEREBRO-SPINAL FEVER, AND OTHER ZYMOTIC DISEASES. Actual Mortality during the Week ending May 2, 1885. Table with columns for WARD, AREA IN ACRES, and various disease categories (Small-pox, Measles, etc.), plus REMARKS and Total in Institutions.

Very respectfully submitted,

JOHN T. NAGLE, M. D., Deputy Register of Records.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S MARSHAL'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, May 16, 1885.

Number of licenses issued and amounts received therefor, in the week ending Friday, May 15, 1885:

Table with columns: DATE, NUMBER OF LICENSES, AMOUNTS. Rows for Saturday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, and Totals.

THOMAS W. BYRNES, Mayor's Marshal.

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

Appointments by the Mayor.

May 9, 1885—To be City Marshals for six years, from May 1, 1885: William Alt, Abram Bernard, Thomas J. Blessing, James Boylan, Patrick H. Coady, Solomon Cohen, John Fagan, Isaac C. Goldstein, Michael Goode, Moritz Grosse, Thomas A. Harris, George Hatzel, Alpheus W. Herriman, Robert Hill, John W. Jordan, Charles G. King, James Leahey, Thomas Leahey, Louis Levy, John E. Lowry, Richard M. Lush, George E. Lynch, James McCauley, Lewis McDermott, Michael Madigan, John Meehan, Peter F. Morris, John F. Neilson, Samuel Peyser, Edward A. Piepenbring, John B. Purroy, Louis Schlamp, George J. Smith, Frederick Stahl, David Ullman, Andrew Wagner.

RICHARD J. MORRISON, Secretary.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.

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

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

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

Permit Bureau Office.

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

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

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

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

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

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.

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

City Library.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.

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

Bureau of Chief Engineer.

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

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

No. 15 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. EDWARD V. LOEW, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.

Auditing Bureau.

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

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

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

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

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

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

First floor, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park. MARTIN T. McMAHON, Receiver of Taxes; ALFRED VREDENBURG, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

Office of the City Paymaster.

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

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

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

Office of the Public Administrator.

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

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

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

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

Headquarters.

Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street. HENRY D. PURROY, President; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

Bureau of Chief of Department.

CHARLES O. SHAY, Chief of Department.

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

Bureau of Fire Marshal.

GEORGE H. SHELDON, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

ALBERT F. D'ORCH, Inspector of Buildings.

Attorney to Department.

WM. L. FINDLEY, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent of Telegraph, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.

Repair Shops.

Nos. 128 and 130 West Third street.

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

Hospital Stables.

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

Open at all hours.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

No. 301 Mott street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

ALEXANDER SHALER, President; EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

No. 36 Union Square, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JOHN D. CRIMMINS, President; EDWARD P. BARKER, Secretary.

Civil and Topographical Office.

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

Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.

One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and Third avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

LUCIUS J. N. STARK, President; JOHN T. CUMING, Secretary.

Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. daily, except Saturdays; on Saturdays as follows: from September 15 to June 15, from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.; from June 15 to September 15, from 9 A. M. to 12 M.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS

Staats Zeitung Building, Tryon Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 3 P. M.

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

Office Bureau Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.

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

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

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

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

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

Room No. 11, City Hall.

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

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

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

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, City Hall, Room No. 11 1/2, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JOHN R. LYDECKER, Chairman; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

BOARD OF EXCISE.

Corner Bond street and Bowery, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

NICHOLAS HAUGHTON, President; JOHN K. PERLEY, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

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

ASSESSMENT COMMISSION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT A MEETING of the Commissioners under the act, chapter 550 of the Laws of 1880, entitled "An act relating to certain assessments for local improvements in the City of New York," passed June 9, 1880, will be held at their office, No. 27 Chambers street, on Tuesday, May 19, 1885, at 2 o'clock P. M.

DANIEL LORD, JR., JOHN KELLY, ALLAN CAMPBELL, JOSEPH GARRY, Commissioners under the Act.

JAMES J. MARTIN, Clerk.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

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

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

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

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

THE CITY RECORD.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

REPAIRS TO WORKHOUSE ROOF, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND; ALSO MATERIALS FOR SAME.

PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE office of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction until 9.30 A. M. of Friday, May 29, 1885, for stripping the entire roof of the Workhouse, Blackwell's Island, with the sole exception of the roofs over the east and west tiers of cells of male hall, and the roof over the west tiers of cells of female hall, the roof over the east tier of cells of female hall to be stripped and the slate to be replaced by a tin roof. The old slate which are suitable, to be put on the east side of the building, and the west side to be covered with new slate, 12 by 24 inches, to be laid on two-ply roofing felt and put on with galvanized 4d. slate nails, each slate to be fastened with four nails. All gutters to be tinned anew, well-pointed and laid in cement, and to have a four-inch lap and a galvanized iron rod through lap, and a lap of at least one foot under slate. New flashings over ridges and new valleys will be required, and five hundred feet of corrugated iron leader to be put up and securely fastened. The two shed roofs on the east side to be stripped and covered with tin and felt, and the two shed roofs on the west side of building to be thoroughly repaired and painted. The whole work to be completed within ninety days after award of same. The Department to furnish all materials and unskilled labor only, and the work to be done in a thorough and workmanlike manner, and to the entire satisfaction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Charities and Correction and their Architect or Supervising Engineer.

MATERIALS.

(To be bid for separately.)

- 250 squares Chapman's Slate, prime quality, 12 by 24 inches.
12 boxes best quality charcoal Roofing Tin, 14 by 20 inches.
1,500 pounds best quality Roofing Solder.
500 feet, more or less, best quality galvanized inches, corrugated iron Leaders, complete for putting up.
350 squares, more or less, best quality two-ply Roofing Felt.
Slate to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.

—will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. of Friday, May 29, 1885. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Repairs to Roof, Roofing Slate, Solder, Tin, Galvanized Iron Leader and Roofing Felt," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department, and read.

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

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

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

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

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

Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, May 18, 1885. THOMAS S. BRENNAN, HENRY H. PORTER, CHARLES E. SIMMONS, Commissioners of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR THOROUGH REPAIRS TO CONNECTING SEWERS AND ENTIRE PLUMBING SYSTEM OF BELLEVUE HOSPITAL.

THE SPECIFICATIONS AND PLANS FOR which are at this office—will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. of Friday, May 29, 1885. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for THOROUGH REPAIRS TO CONNECTING SEWERS AND ENTIRE PLUMBING SYSTEM OF BELLEVUE HOSPITAL," for which there is one separate set of specifications and the work for which is to be let in one contract, and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of the Board and read.

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

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

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

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 FIVE THOUSAND (\$5,000) DOLLARS.

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the 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.

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, May 14, 1885. 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 BUILDING A NEW GAS-HOLDER AND BENCH FOR THE GAS-WORKS ON RANDALL'S ISLAND.

THE SPECIFICATIONS FOR WHICH ARE at this office will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. of Friday, May 29, 1885. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for BUILDING A NEW GAS-HOLDER AND BENCH FOR THE GAS-WORKS ON RANDALL'S ISLAND, for which there is one separate set of specifications and the work for which is to be let in one contract, and with his or their name or names and the date of presentation, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of the Board and read.

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

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

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids. 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 ONE THOUSAND \$1,000 DOLLARS.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the 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 surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, May 14, 1885. 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 GROCERIES, DRY GOODS, IRON, PAINTS, LUMBER, DRAIN PIPE, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

- GROCERIES. 6,500 pounds Dairy Butter; sample on exhibition Thursday, May 21, 1885. 1,500 pounds Dried Apples. 1,000 pounds Cheese. 1,000 pounds Black Pepper (whole). 4,000 pounds Prunes. 40,000 pounds Brown Soap. 20 boxes Castile Soap (imported). 100 bushels Peas, including packages. 25 dozen Canned Tomatoes. 500 barrels good sized Irish Potatoes, to weigh 175 pounds net per barrel, to be delivered at Blackwell's Island. 10 casks prime quality Sal Soda, about 340 pounds per cask, in original packages. 500 bales long bright Rye Straw, tare not to exceed three pounds per bale and weight charged as received at Blackwell's Island. 100 bags Br n (50 pounds each). 100 bags Coarse Meal (100 pounds each). 2,800 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.

- DRY GOODS. 6,000 yards Cotton Jeans. 100 gross Pantaloon Buckles.

- PAINTS AND OILS. 10,000 pounds pure White Lead, ground in oil and equal to Atlantic Mills, 75 100s, 40 50s, 20 25s. 5 barrels prime quality Boiled Linseed Oil. 5 barrels prime quality Raw Linseed Oil.

- LUMBER. 3,000 feet extra clear Pine, 1 1/2 by 10 to 16 inches by 13 to 16 feet, dressed one side. 3,000 feet extra clear Pine, 1 1/2 by 10 to 16 inches by 13 to 16 feet, dressed one side. 3,000 feet extra clear Pine, 2 by 10 to 16 inches by 13 to 16 feet, dressed one side. 700 good Merchantable Pine Boards, tongued and grooved, free from loose and black knots, 1 x 10 inches by 13 feet. 100 pieces clear White Pine, 7/8 by 3 1/2 inches by 12 feet, tongued and grooved, dressed one side. 250 first quality Hemlock Joists, 3 x 4 x 13 feet. 150 first quality Hemlock Wall Strips, 2 x 4 x 13 feet. 2 pieces first quality Spruce, 4 by 14 inches by 25 feet. 4 pieces first quality Spruce, 2 by 12 inches by 12 feet. 40 pieces first quality Spruce, 3 by 4 inches by 13 feet. 4 pieces first quality Spruce, 3 by 10 inches by 14 feet. 4 pieces first quality Spruce, 3 by 8 inches by 21 feet. 4 pieces first quality Spruce, 3 by 6 inches by 15 feet. 2 pieces first quality Oak Joists, 6 by 4 1/2 inches by 14 feet. 1 piece first quality Oak Joist, 5 by 4 inches by 14 feet.

- 250 feet extra clear White Pine, 2 1/2 in. by 20 to 22 inches by 16 feet, for Wash Tubs. 150 feet extra clear White Pine, 3 inches by 20 to 22 inches by 16 feet, for Wash Tubs. All lumber to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.

- IRON, ETC. (Bidders requested to bid for the entire lot.) 68 sheets B.B. Galvanized Iron No. 26, 24 by 84 inches 130 " " " " No. 24, 24 by 84 " 53 " " " " No. 24, 30 by 84 " 575 feet refined Iron Rods, 3/8 inch. 2 papers roundhead Stove Bolts, 3/4 by 3/4 inch. 2 bundles B. B. galvanized Band Iron, 3/8 by 1 inch. 17 Simond's Mfg. Co. round black Registers, 2 feet outside diameter, for ceiling.

- EARTHEN DRAIN-PIPE, ETC. (Bidders requested to bid for the entire lot.) 2,200 feet best quality earthen Drain-Pipe, 8-inch. 4 reducing L's best quality, 8 x 6 inches. 4 Bends, best quality, 8-inch. 4 Y's best quality, 8-inch. 2 Reducing Y's best quality, 12 by 8 inches. 5 barrels Portland Cement.

—will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M., of Friday, May 22, 1885. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Dry Goods, Iron, Paints, Lumber, Drain-pipe, etc.," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate in addition to inserting the same in figures. Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, issued on the completion of the contract, or from time to time, as the Commissioners may determine.

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

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

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

Dated New York, May 11, 1885. THOMAS S. BRENNAN, HENRY H. PORTER, JACOB HESS, Commissioners of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, May 6, 1885.

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

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Mark Sarroni; aged 22 years; 5 feet 2 inches high; dark hair and eyes. Had on when admitted brown coat, gray vest, blue pants, white shirt, cap, shoes.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Charles Johnson; committed January 22, 1885. Clara Gilbert; committed February 17, 1885.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Catherine Regan; aged 29 years; 4 feet 11 inches high; brown hair, blue eyes.

At Homoeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—John Gedick; aged 35 years; 5 feet four inches high; gray eyes; brown hair. Had on when admitted black overcoat, dark mixed suit of clothes, black derby hat.

At Branch Insane Asylum, Randall's Island—W. H. Dempster; aged 26 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; gray hair; blue eyes.

At Hart's Island Hospital—Mary Smith; aged 39 years.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives. By order, G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

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

CARL JUSSER, 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, 1883.

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

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

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

All good citizens will aid the course of justice, and secure reliable and respectable juries, and equalize their duty by serving promptly when summoned, allowing their clerks or subordinates to serve, reporting to me any attempt at bribery or evasion, and suggesting names for enrollment. Persons between sixty and seventy years of age, summer absentees, persons temporarily ill, and United States and District Court jurors are not exempt. Every man must attend to his own notice. It is a misdemeanor to give any jury paper to another to answer. It is also punishable by fine or imprisonment to give or receive any present or bribe, directly or indirectly, in relation to a jury service, or to withhold any paper or make any false statement, and every case will be fully prosecuted.

GEORGE CAULFIELD, Commissioner of Jurors.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 39, for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc., also small amount money taken from prisoners and found by patrolmen of this Department.

JOHN F. HARRIOT, Property Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, May 15, 1885.

PROPOSALS FOR STOP-COCKS, STOP-COCK BOXES AND HYDRANTS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until Thursday, May 28, 1885, at 12 o'clock M., at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read—

- No. 1. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING STOP-COCKS, STOP-COCK BOXES AND HYDRANTS. No. 2 FURNISHING AND DELIVERING STOP-COCKS, HYDRANTS, AND STOP-COCK BOXES AND COVERS.

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

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

Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Edgewood road, from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks, being the following-described lots or parcels of lands, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, distant 725 1/2 feet easterly from the easterly line of Tenth avenue; thence northerly in a straight line, at an angle of 59 degrees, 50 minutes and 5 seconds, with said northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, distance 127 1/2 feet; thence in a curved line to the right, radius 248 1/2 feet, distance 228 1/2 feet; thence in a reversed curved line to the left, radius 200 feet, distance 200 1/2 feet; thence northerly and tangent thereto, distance 134 1/2 feet; thence in a curved line to the right, radius 355 feet, distance 299 1/2 feet; thence northerly and tangent thereto, distance 500 1/2 feet; thence in a curved line to the left, radius 400 feet, distance 158 1/2 feet; thence northerly and tangent thereto, distance 1,217 1/2 feet; thence in a curved line to the right, radius 900 feet, distance 478 1/2 feet; thence in a reversed curved line to the left, radius 400 feet, distance 424 1/2 feet; thence northwesterly and tangent thereto, distance 295 1/2 feet; thence westerly and parallel with One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, distance 96 1/2 feet, to the easterly line of Tenth avenue; thence northerly and along said easterly line of Tenth avenue to the northerly line of One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, extended, distance 1,409 1/2 feet; thence easterly and along the northerly line of One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, extended, distance 10 feet; thence southerly and parallel with the easterly line of Tenth avenue, and 10 feet easterly therefrom, distance 1,159 1/2 feet; thence in a curved line, to the left, radius 100 feet, distance 87 1/2 feet; thence southeasterly and tangent thereto, distance 445 1/2 feet; thence in a curved line to the right, radius 400 feet, distance 617 1/2 feet; thence in a reversed curved line, to the left, radius 800 feet, distance 425 1/2 feet; thence southerly and tangent thereto, distance 1,217 1/2 feet; thence in a curved line to the right, radius 500 feet, distance 108 1/2 feet; thence southwesterly and tangent thereto, distance 500 1/2 feet; thence in a curved line, to the left, radius 25 feet, distance 214 1/2 feet; thence southerly and tangent thereto, distance 134 1/2 feet; thence in a curved line, to the right, radius 300 feet, distance 300 1/2 feet; thence in a reversed curved line, to the left, radius 148 1/2 feet, distance 135 1/2 feet; thence southerly and tangent thereto, distance 154 1/2 feet; thence in a curved line, to the right, radius 550 feet, distance 30 1/2 feet, to the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; thence westerly and along said northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, distance 174 1/2 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, April 22, 1885. E. HENRY LACOMBE, Counsel to the Corporation, Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that part of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIFTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority) extending from Union avenue to Westchester avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by said Department.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the twenty-second day of May, 1885, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, extending from Union avenue to Westchester avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by said Department of Public Parks, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

- Beginning at the southeastern extremity of the lands acquired for opening East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from Boston avenue to Union avenue. (1) Thence northerly along the most eastern course of said East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street for 54 1/2 feet. (2) Thence deflecting to the right 90° 00' 24" south easterly for 663 1/2 feet. (3) Thence deflecting to the left 16° 27' 18" easterly for 198 1/2 feet to a point of curve. (4) Thence curving to the left northerly on the arc of a circle, tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 10 feet, for 13 1/2 feet. (5) Thence northerly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 123 1/2 feet to a point of curve. (6) Thence curving to the right northeasterly on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 120 feet for 186 1/2 feet to a point of compound curve. (7) Thence curving to the right southerly on the arc of a circle whose radius is 150 feet for 200 1/2 feet to a point of reverse curve. (8) Thence curving to the left easterly on the arc of a circle whose radius is 50 feet for 82 1/2 feet. (9) Thence easterly on a line forming an angle of 89° 35' 07" with the radius of the preceding course, drawn through its eastern extremity for 100 1/2 feet. (10) Thence deflecting to the left 3° 35' 07" easterly for 922 1/2 feet to the northern side of Westchester avenue. (11) Thence southwesterly along the northern side of Westchester avenue for 117 1/2 feet. (12) Thence deflecting to the right 30° 38' 15" westerly for 825 1/2 feet. (13) Thence deflecting to the right 3° 40' 10" westerly for 100 1/2 feet. (14) Thence curving to the right northwesterly on the arc of a circle, whose radius drawn through the western extremity of the preceding course forms an angle of 89° 40' 10" with the preceding course, and is 120 feet for 181 1/2 feet to a point of reverse curve. (15) Thence curving to the left northwesterly on the arc of a circle, whose radius is 90 feet for 120 1/2 feet to a point of compound curve. (16) Thence curving to the left southwesterly on the arc of a circle, whose radius is 50 feet for 84 1/2 feet. (17) Thence southerly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 123 1/2 feet to a point of curve. (18) Thence curving to the right southwesterly on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 70 feet for 97 1/2 feet. (19) Thence southwesterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 207 1/2 feet. (20) Thence deflecting to the right 16° 27' 18" northwesterly for 672 1/2 feet. (21) Thence deflecting to the right 89° 59' 36" northerly for 5 1/2 feet to the point of beginning; and as shown on certain maps, filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, and in the Department of Public Parks.

Dated New York, April 22, 1885. E. HENRY LACOMBE, Counsel to the Corporation, Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIRST STREET, from Eleventh avenue to the Boulevard, in the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof in the City of New York, on Friday, the 22d day of May, 1885, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as One Hundred and Eighty-first street, from Eleventh avenue to the Boulevard, in the City of New York, being the following-described lots or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Eleventh avenue, distant 6,905 feet 8 inches northerly from the southerly side of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, thence westerly and parallel with said street 530 feet to the easterly line of Kingsbridge road; thence northerly along said line 80 feet 9 1/2 inches; thence easterly 541 feet 3 1/2 inches to the westerly line of Eleventh avenue; thence southerly along said line 80 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the westerly line of Kingsbridge road, distant 6,905 feet 8 inches northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; thence westerly 650 feet 2 1/2 inches to a point in the easterly line of Fort Washington Ridge road, said point being 6,806 feet 10 inches northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; thence northerly along said line 80 feet 1 1/2 inches; thence easterly 666 feet 2 1/2 inches to the westerly line of Kingsbridge road; thence southerly along said line 76 feet 9 1/2 inches; thence still further along said westerly line of Kingsbridge road 3 feet 5 inches to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the westerly line of Fort Washington Ridge road, said point being 6,794 feet 10 inches northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; thence westerly 300 feet 8 1/2 inches to a point 6,749 feet 9 1/2 inches northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, and 2,660 feet 4 inches westerly from the easterly line of Tenth avenue; thence westerly and in a curved line, radius 560 feet, distance 233 feet 4 inches; thence westerly and tangent thereto, distance 100 feet; thence westerly and northerly in a curved line, radius 340 feet, distance 283 feet 4 1/2 inches to a point 6,573 feet 5 1/2 inches northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, and 3,233 feet 8 1/2 inches westerly from the easterly line of Tenth avenue; thence northerly and tangent thereto, distance 135 feet 2 1/2 inches to the easterly line of Boulevard; thence northerly along said line 80 feet 1 1/2 inches; thence southerly 131 feet 1 1/2 inches; thence easterly and northerly in a curved line, radius 260 feet, distance 216 feet 8 1/2 inches; thence easterly and tangent thereto, distance 100 feet; thence easterly and in a curved line, radius 640 feet, distance 266 feet 8 inches; thence easterly and tangent thereto, distance 295 feet 10 1/2 inches to the westerly line of Fort Washington Ridge road; thence southerly along said line 80 feet 1 1/2 inches to the point or place of beginning. Said street to be 80 feet wide between the Eleventh avenue and the Boulevard.

Dated New York, April 22, 1885. E. HENRY LACOMBE, Counsel to the Corporation, Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTEETH STREET from Tenth avenue to the Kingsbridge road, in the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 22d day of May, 1885, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue, known as One Hundred and Seventeenth street, from Tenth avenue to the Kingsbridge road, in the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Tenth avenue, distant 4,047 feet 6 inches northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; thence westerly and parallel with said street, distance 800 feet to the easterly line of Eleventh avenue; thence northerly and along said line 80 feet, thence easterly 200 feet to the westerly line of Tenth avenue; thence southerly along said line 80 feet to point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the westerly line of Eleventh avenue, distant 4,047 feet 6 inches northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; thence westerly and parallel with said street, distance 29 feet 9 1/2 inches to the easterly line of Kingsbridge road; thence southerly along said line 68 feet 9 1/2 inches to the westerly line of Eleventh avenue; thence northerly and along said line 61 feet 1 1/2 inches to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 80 feet wide between the lines of Tenth and Eleventh avenues, and to take all of the triangle of land at the junction of Kingsbridge road and Eleventh avenue, south of the northerly line of One Hundred and Seventeenth street, as laid down upon the Commissioner's map of the City of New York.

Dated New York, April 22, 1885. E. HENRY LACOMBE, Counsel to the Corporation, Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that part of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SEVENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Elton avenue to North Third avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by said Department.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 22d day of May, 1885, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the

Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue, known as East One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, extending from Elton avenue to North Third avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated, as a first-class street or road by said Department of Public Parks, being the following-described lots, pieces, or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of North Third avenue, distant 242.9 feet northeasterly from the intersection of the northern line of East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street with the western line of North Third avenue; thence northeasterly along the western line of North Third avenue for 51,166 feet; thence deflecting to the left 94° 02' 20" northeasterly for 231.54 feet; thence deflecting to the left 10° southwesterly for 57.47 feet; thence deflecting to the left 90° southeasterly for 220.47 feet to the point of beginning; and as shown on certain maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, in the Department of Public Parks, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York

Dated New York April 20, 1885. E. HENRY LACOMBE, Counsel to the Corporation, Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring right and title to certain lands required for a certain public park or parks, square or squares, or place or places, at or near the intersections of Sedgwick avenue with Mott and Walton avenues, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

CEDAR PARK.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all whom it may concern: That it is our intention to present our supplemental or amended report herein to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, for confirmation at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 10th day of May, 1885, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, having objections thereto, shall file the same in writing, duly verified, with us at our office, No. 73 William street (third floor), in the said city, on or before the 4th day of May, 1885, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear such objections within the ten weekdays next after the said 4th day of May, 1885, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2 1/2 o'clock, P. M.

Dated New York, April 1, 1885. HENRY M. WHITEHEAD, JOHN BERRY, RICHARD V. HARNETT, Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK, FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, May 15, 1885.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 997 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the assessment lists for the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SECOND STREET, between Tenth avenue and Boulevard. One Hundred and Sixty-first street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues. —which were confirmed by the Supreme Court, May 8, 1885, and entered on the 12th day of May, 1885, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," but which the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 998 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before July 20, 1885, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

EDWARD V. LOEW, Comptroller.

SCOTT & MYERS, AUCTIONEERS.

CORPORATION SALE OF REAL ESTATE ON THIRD AVENUE AND SIXTY-SEVENTH AND SIXTY-EIGHTH STREETS.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the City of New York, by virtue of the powers vested in them, will offer for sale, at public auction, on Wednesday, May 27, 1885, at noon, at the Real Estate Exchange and Auction Room (limited), Nos. 59 to 65 Liberty street, in the City of New York, the following real estate belonging to the Corporation of said city, situated on Block Number 359 1/2, between Third and Lexington avenues, and Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets, in the Nineteenth Ward of said city, and shown on a map or survey drawn by Eugene E. McLean, City Surveyor, dated March 23, 1885, filed in the Comptroller's office, to wit:

- Lot No. 1. On the west side of Third avenue, corner of Sixty-seventh street, 25.5 x 100. Lots Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7. On the west side of Third avenue, between Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets, each 25 x 100. Lot No. 8. On the west side of Third avenue, corner of Sixty-eighth street, 25.5 x 100. Lot No. 9. On the south side of Sixty-eighth street, in the rear of the lots on Third avenue, 20 x 100.5. Lot No. 10. Adjoining, 25 x 100.5. Lot No. 11. Adjoining, 25 x 100.5. Lot No. 12. On the north side of Sixty-seventh street, 25 x 100.5. Lot No. 13. Adjoining, 25 x 100.5. Lot No. 14. Adjoining and in the rear of the lots on Third avenue, 20 x 100.5.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

The highest bidders will be required to pay ten (10) per cent. of the purchase money and the auctioneer's fee

on each lot immediately after the sale; thirty (30) per cent. upon the delivery of the deeds, within thirty days from the date of sale; and the balance, sixty (60) per cent., of the purchase money, or any portion thereof, may remain, at the option of the purchaser, on bond and mortgage, for five years, with interest at the rate of six per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, the mortgages to contain the customary thirty days' interest and ninety days tax clauses.

The bond and mortgage may be paid off at any time within the term thereof on giving thirty days' notice to the Comptroller, or it may be paid by installments of not less than five hundred dollars, on any day when the interest is due, or on thirty days' notice. The bonds and mortgages will be prepared by the Counsel to the Corporation, and the sum of twelve dollars and fifty cents will be charged for drawing, acknowledging and recording each separate mortgage. If more than one lot of land is included in any mortgage, the whole mortgage must be paid off before any release can be given by the corporation, as a release of any part of the premises included in a mortgage to the corporation is forbidden by law.

The Comptroller may, at his option, resell any lot which may be struck off to the highest bidder if he fail to comply with the terms of sale, and the party who may fail to comply therewith will be held liable for any deficiency that may result from any such resale.

The Comptroller is authorized and empowered to make such conditions and provisions with respect to the removal of any and all of the buildings on the premises fronting on Third avenue, and for the erection of new buildings thereon as he may consider advisable and necessary in the interest of the city.

On and after May 1st, 1885, lithographic maps of the premises may be had at the office of the Comptroller. By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under a resolution adopted April 17, 1885.

EDWARD V. LOEW, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 20, 1885.

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

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

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

EDWARD V. LOEW, Comptroller.

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

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

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

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

S. HASTINGS GRANT, Comptroller.

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

REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

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

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

EDWARD V. LOEW, Comptroller.

THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

A STATED MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the College of the City of New York will be held at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, on Tuesday, May 19, 1885, at 4 o'clock P. M.

LAWRENCE D. KIERNAN, Secretary.

Dated New York, May 12, 1885.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

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

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

By order of the Department of Public Parks. E. P. BARKER, Secretary.