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## HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, }  
NEW YORK, July 5, 1888. }

The Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Present—Commissioners James C. Bayles, Joseph D. Bryant, and the Health Officer of the Port.  
The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

### The Attorney and Counsel Presented the following Reports :

Weekly reports of suits commenced and discontinued, judgments obtained and costs collected.

Orders received for prosecution	271
Attorney's notices issued	363
Nuisances abated before suit	274
Civil suits commenced for violation of ordinances (Sanitary Code)	52
Nuisances abated after commencement of suit	51
Suits discontinued—By Board	44
Judgments for the Department—Civil suits	6
Executions issued	6
Judgments for the People—Criminal suits	1
Civil suits now pending	269
Criminal suits now pending	96
Money collected and paid to Auditor—Civil Suits	\$20 00
Money paid into the court—Criminal suits	\$25 00

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the actions against the following-named persons for violations of the Sanitary Code be discontinued without costs, to wit :

NAMES.	No.	NAMES.	No.
Andrew Martin	3040	J. Edgar Leacycraft	1648
Andrew Martin	3041	George E. Folsom	1687
Sophie Griffin	422	Bernard Freese	1689
John Fenner	805	Patrick Ganley	1692
George L. Balheimer	858	George G. Hallock	1695
John Breen	861	David Lowenbein	1705
William H. Moore	983	Isidor Obataum	1716
Edward Donnelly	1083	Gustav Kobitzak	1719
Louis N. Levy	1245	Frederick Herren	1745
Mary Becker	1311	Thomas Houston	1747
Clarence H. Kelsey	1320	George Ott	1763
John A. Wilson	1387	John F. Attridge	1776
John Hayes	1446	Hugh N. Camp	1781
Henry McArdle	1453	John Doran	1787
Daniel Coleman	1473	Felix Dougherty	1788
Thomas Loughran	1489	Meyer Freeman	1791
Phebe McAdam	1535	Patrick Golden	1793
J. Edgar Leacycraft	1569	Thomas Monaghan	1805
James J. Burchell	1635	Henry McArdle	1807
Henry Draper	1638	Catharine O'Brien	1810
Michael Schloef	1816	William Silgram	1819
John C. Schneider	1817	Richard Turley	1821
William Noble	1809		

### The Sanitary Committee Presented the following Reports :

Weekly report from Riverside Hospital (small-pox).  
Weekly report from Riverside Hospital (fevers).  
Weekly report from Reception Hospital.  
The resignation of Emma Wilgers, Chambermaid.

### Bills Audited.

NAMES.	AMOUNT.	NAMES.	AMOUNT.
James E. Dougherty	\$35 00	New York Mutual Gas-light Co.	\$7 87
William T. White	12 50	Joshua Dyson	51 42
C. Golderman	340 06	George Wauson	68 00
Henry Rick	80 02	William McKenna	10 00
J. B. Purroy	166 66		

### The following Communications were Received from the Sanitary Superintendent :

Weekly report of the Sanitary Superintendent.  
Weekly report of the Chief Sanitary Inspector.  
Weekly report of the Chemist and Assistant Chemist.  
Weekly report of work performed by the Inspectors of Offensive Trades.  
Weekly report on manure dumps.  
Weekly reports on condition of offal and night-soil boats.  
Weekly reports on condition of slaughter-houses.  
Monthly reports of charitable institutions.  
Reports on applications for permits.  
Reports on applications for relief from orders.  
Report on application for leave of absence.  
Report on overcrowding in tenement-houses.

### The following Communications were Received from the Chief Inspector of Contagious Diseases :

Weekly report of work performed by the Division of Contagious Diseases.  
Weekly report of work performed by the Veterinarian.

### The following Communications were Received from the Register of Records :

Weekly letters.  
Weekly abstracts of births.  
Weekly abstracts of still-births.  
Weekly abstract of marriages.  
Weekly mortuary statement.  
Weekly abstract of deaths from contagious diseases.  
Weekly report of work performed by clerks.  
Reports on delayed births and marriage returns.  
Reports on applications to file supplemental papers.

### Permits Granted.

No.	BUSINESS-MATTER OR THING GRANTED.	ON PREMISES AT
1111	To keep a lodging-house	No. 183 Bowery.
1112	To lodge and care for children	No. 317 Bowery.
4785-6		No. 65 East Broadway and No. 83 Henry street.
4787	To keep one cow	Morris avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street.
4788	" three cows	No. 999 East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street.
4789	" one cow (McCarron)	Oak Point.
4790	" three cows (Aiken)	Oak Point.
4791	" one cow (Roe)	Oak Point.
4792	" thirteen cows	No. 432 Concord avenue.
4793	" three cows	East side Riverdale avenue, south of Rock street.
4794	" twelve cows	One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street and Southern Boulevard.
4795	" two cows	One Hundred and Eighty-second street and Valentine avenue.
4796	" one cow	No. 1323 Bronk street.
4797	" "	Intervale avenue and Home street.
4798	" "	Boston avenue and West Farms road.
4800	" two cows	West Farms.
4801	" eighty cows	One Hundred and Seventieth street, Fulton and Third avenue.
4802	" two cows	On Kingsbridge road, near West Farms. One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street and Intervale avenue.
4803	" one cow	No. 2145 Main street, West Farms.
4804	" "	No. 1534 West Farms road.
4805	" "	Honeyville avenue near Samuel street, West Farms.
4806	" two cows	No. 923 East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street.
4807	" one cow	No. 2000 Westchester avenue.
4808	" "	One Hundred and Sixth-fourth street and Morris avenue.
4809	" "	No. 2011 Chestnut street.
4810	" eighteen cows	No. 1975 Chestnut street.
4811	" one cow	Corner Fox and Home street.
4812	" two cows	No. 721 East One Hundred and Eightieth street.
4813	" "	Westchester avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-second street.
4814	" one cow	No. 1599 Main street, West Farms.
4815	" two cows	North side One Hundred and Twenty-third street, second house west of Eighth avenue.
4816	" three cows	No. 928 East One Hundred and Fiftieth street.
4817	" twelve chickens	Nos. 652 and 654 East One Hundred and Sixtieth street.
4818	To use outside opening to manure vault	No. 209 East Eleventh street.

### Permits Denied.

No.	BUSINESS-MATTER OR THING DENIED.	ON PREMISES AT
90	To keep cows	No. 1117 Union avenue.
91	" one cow	Kingsbridge road, near Main street, West Farms.
92	" six cows	Delancey place, between One Hundred and Eighty-eighth and One Hundred and Eighty-ninth streets.
93	" chickens	No. 813 Greenwich street.
94	" and kill chickens	No. 2137 Second avenue.
95	" fowls	No. 312 Pleasant avenue.
96	" live poultry for sale	No. 354 West Forty-fifth street.

### Orders Suspended, Extended, Modified, Rescinded or Referred.

No. OF ORDER.	ON PREMISES AT	TIME EXTENDED TO	REMARKS.
7452	East side Tenth avenue, fifty feet south of One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street.	July 20, 1888	
16166	No. 744 Sixth street	Sept. 15, 1888	
9179	No. 231 Mulberry street	Aug. 1, 1888	
12264	No. 430 East Seventy-fifth street	July 30, 1888	
12234	Nos. 2348 Eighth avenue	July 10, 1888	
11890	No. 547 West Fifty-ninth street	July 15, 1888	
10000	Nos. 314 to 318 West Eighty-first street	July 20, 1888	
17642	Northwest and southwest corners of One Hundred and Sixty-first street and Tenth avenue.	Aug. 1, 1888	
12512	No. 55 North Moore street	May 1, 1889	
9289	No. 77 Hudson street	Aug. 1, 1888	
12445	No. 102 West Sixty-seventh street	Aug. 1, 1888	
11875	Nos. 266 and 268 East Broadway	Oct. 1, 1888	
11523	No. 326 East Fifty-second street	July 21, 1888	
11539	No. 334 East Twentieth street	Sept. 1, 1888	
11558	No. 123 or 125 Broad street	Aug. 1, 1888	
11045	No. 1704 Lexington avenue		Provided water in cellar is pumped out and cellar thoroughly disinfected at once. Modified so as to require but one water-closet.
11802	No. 382 Washington street	Aug. 1, 1888	Provided the privy vault is disinfected, emptied and cleaned, and the defective house-drain repaired, so as not to be in an unsanitary condition.
15986	No. 493 East Houston street		So much of order as relates to plastering cellar be rescinded.
19606	Nos. 103 and 105 Lewis street	Aug. 1, 1888	Provided the privy vault be emptied and disinfected at once.
10375	No. 17 East Ninetieth street		Rescinded, provided the lots are graded towards the street-gutters or towards the lots, on easterly side, and discharge the surface-water into the sewer connection on said premises.

Applications for Relief from Orders Denied.

Table with columns: No. OF ORDER, ON PREMISES AT, No. OF ORDER, ON PREMISES AT. Lists various addresses and order numbers.

Communications from other Departments.

Comptroller's Office—Weekly statement.

Miscellaneous Communications.

The resignation of Inspector S. A. Goldschmidt, to take effect July 10, was received and accepted.

Resolutions.

Resolved, That the Register of Records be and is hereby directed to record the following delayed birth certificates:

Table with columns: NAMES, RETURN, DATE. Lists names like Ellen Wilson and Gertrude Stanton with their birth dates.

Resolutions.

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

- List of names and positions: Annie Walsh, Assistant Cook, at \$20 per month; Annie McNamara, Chambermaid, at \$14 per month; George Meinhard, Boatman, at \$30 per month; James Tully, Fireman, at \$30 per month.

Resolved, That leave of absence be and is hereby granted as follows: Inspector Veritzan, from June 25 to June 26; Inspector Isham, from July 2 to July 14; Inspector Pease, from July 9 to July 16; Disinfecter Travis, from June 29 to June 30; all on account of sickness.

Resolved, That Inspector R. H. Nevins be and is hereby assigned temporarily to the position of Inspector of Offensive Trades, with salary at the rate of \$1,500 per annum from July 11.

Resolved, That the resolution employing provisionally Hugh Leddy as Inspector of Plumbing and Ventilation adopted at the last meeting of the Board, June 29, be and is hereby rescinded.

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the following tenement-houses in the City of New York are so overcrowded that less than six hundred cubic feet of air space is afforded to each occupant.

It is ordered, that the number of occupants in said tenement-houses in New York City be and are hereby reduced, as follows:

Table with columns: ORDER, LOCATION, FRONT OR REAR HOUSE, FLOOR, LESSEES, REDUCED TO (Adults, Children). Lists addresses and the number of occupants to be reduced.

- 8195. For one club-house, No. 12 East Eighth street, as amended.
8207. For one tenement, southeast corner of Third avenue and Thirty-fourth street, as amended.
8239. For one tenement, No. 121 East Eighty-ninth street, as amended.
8331. For two dwellings, south side of One Hundred and Sixty-second street, two hundred feet east of Morris avenue, as amended.
8357. For two tenements, north side of Eighty-fourth street, two hundred and fifty feet west of Eighth avenue, as amended.
8358. For seven tenements, north side of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, one hundred and ten feet west of Fifth avenue, as amended.
8359. For two tenements, north side of One Hundred and Third street, one hundred feet west of Eighth avenue, as amended.
8360. For one storehouse, No. 220 Greenwich street, conditionally.
8361. For one storehouse, No. 179 Franklin street, conditionally.
8362. For one storehouse, No. 101 Park place, conditionally.
8366. For one tenement, north side of Tenth street, one hundred and ninety-eight feet east of Fifth avenue, as amended.
8367. For one store, Nos. 15 and 17 East Eighteenth street, and from Nos. 873 to 879 Broadway, conditionally.
8371. For one tenement, south side of One Hundred and Twenty-third street, one hundred and forty feet east of Fourth avenue, as amended.
8372. For one tenement, north side of Eighty-first street, one hundred feet west of Second avenue, as amended.
8375. For one tenement, south side of One Hundred and Forty-third street, seventy-seven feet east of Willis avenue, as amended.
8376. For ten tenements, southeast corner of Fifth avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, as amended.
8380. For three tenements, south east corner of One Hundred and Twenty-first street and Seventh avenue, as amended.
8381. For one storehouse, east side of Crosby street, No. 43, as amended.
8383. For nine dwellings, southwest corner of One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street and Webster avenue, as amended.
8385. For one business building, No. 44 Gold street, as amended.
8386. For one tenement, northwest corner of Park avenue and Fifty-sixth street, as amended.
8387. For engine and boiler house, Nos. 255 and 257 West Seventeenth street.
8388. For two tenements, south side of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, ninety feet west of Lexington avenue, as amended.
8394. For one stable south side of One Hundred and Seventeenth street, seventy-five feet west of First avenue, as amended.
8395. For ten dwellings, north side of One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, one hundred and seventy-five feet east of Boulevard.
8396. For two tenements, west side of Eighth avenue, fifty feet south of One Hundred and Forty-second street.
8397. For one dwelling, east side of Boston road, two hundred feet from Boston avenue, as amended.
8398. For one tenement, No. 83 Baxter street, as amended.
8400. For three tenements, Nos. 34, 36, and 58 East Fourth street, as amended.
8401. For one shop, Nos. 627, 629 and 631 East One Hundred and Forty-second street, as amended.
8402. For drainage for twenty-six houses, north side of Sixth-sixth street and south side of Sixty-seventh streets, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.
8404. For one dwelling, east side of Fort Independence street (plot 59).
8405. For one dwelling, west side of Bailey avenue (plot 103), as amended.
8375. For one tenement, No. 253 East Tenth street, as amended.

Disapproved.

Resolved, That Plan No. 8337 for plumbing and drainage of one dwelling, No. 3 West Thirty-sixth street, be and is hereby disapproved.

Tabled for Amendment.

Resolved, That the following plans for plumbing and drainage of new houses be and are hereby tabled for amendment:

- Plan No. 8363. For one tenement, No. 948 Ninth avenue.
8364. For one tenement, southwest corner of Seventy-sixth street and Ninth avenue.
8365. For one tenement, No. 442 West Thirty-sixth street.
8369. For one dwelling, north side of Thirty-fourth street, one hundred feet east of Fifth avenue.
8370. For one tenement, No. 81 Rivington street.
8374. For eight tenements, east side of Eighth avenue, between Hundred and Thirty-sixth and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh streets.
8377. For one dwelling, north side of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, two hundred and fifty feet west of Courtland avenue.
8378. For one dwelling, east side of Washington avenue, sixty-eight feet north of One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street.
8379. For one tenement, west side of Third avenue, eighty feet south of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.
8382. For one tenement, west side of Second avenue, fifty feet south of Forty-second street.
8384. For one dwelling, east side of Washington avenue, one hundred and twenty feet north of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street.
8389. For two tenements, south side of Ninety-first street, one hundred feet west of First avenue.
8390. For one dwelling, No. 516 West Twenty-first street.
8391. For one dwelling, southwest corner of Clinton avenue and First street.
8392. For one dwelling, south side of Clinton avenue, one hundred and fifty feet west of First street.
8399. For four tenements, northeast corner of Avenue D and Ninth street.
8403. For alteration, east side of Second avenue, eighty-seven feet south of Tenth street.

Amendments to Plumbing Specifications.

- Plan No. 6689. For one hotel, northwest corner of Thirty-sixth street and Broadway.
7763. For one tenement, north side of One Hundred and Forty-third street, three hundred and fifty feet west of Seventh avenue.
8010. For two dwellings, east side of Prospect avenue, one hundred and ninety-nine feet south of Samuel street.

Resolved, That the application to amend Plan No. 5850, for plumbing and drainage of five tenements, northeast corner of Third avenue and Ninety-seventh street, be and is hereby denied.

Violations to the Attorney.

Resolved, That the following violations of law in respect to the plumbing and drainage of new houses be and are hereby referred to the Attorney: Nos. 110, 732, 787, 796, 826, 868, 869, 875, 881, 888.

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

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

- Plan No. 6154. For one tenement, southeast corner of Fifth avenue and Eighty-sixth street, as amended.
6177. For one tenement, southwest corner of Western Boulevard and Seventy-fifth street, as amended.
6186-2. For four tenements, south side of Eighty-sixth street, one hundred and seven feet nine inches west of Fourth avenue, as amended.
6190. For one tenement, No. 29 Charles street.
6191. For one tenement, south side of One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, two hundred and fifty feet east of Willis avenue.
6193. For one tenement, No. 44 Pike street.
6194. For two tenements, south side of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, one hundred and seventy-five feet west of Alexander avenue.
6198. For one tenement, west side of Pleasant avenue, twenty-five feet south of One Hundred and Twenty-third street.

Tabled for Amendment.

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

- Plan No. 6157. For one tenement, No. 160 East One Hundred and Sixteenth street.
6192. For one tenement, north side of One Hundred and Sixtieth street, one hundred and fifty feet west of Courtland avenue.

Disapproved.

Resolved, That Plan No. 6197, for light and ventilation for two tenements, north side of One Hundred and First street and south side of One Hundred and Second street, seventy-five feet west Lexington avenue, be and is hereby disapproved.

The following Communications were Received from the Chief Inspector of Plumbing and Ventilation:

- Weekly report of work performed by the Division of Plumbing and Ventilation.
Weekly report on light and ventilation of tenement-houses, plumbing and drainage, plans of new buildings.
Resolved, That the recommendations of the Chief Inspector of Plumbing and Ventilation be and the same are hereby approved.

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

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

- Plan No. 7833. For one tenement, No. 119 Division street, as amended.
8159. For one store, southeast corner of Grand and Eldridge streets, as amended.
8195. For one dwelling, west side of Washington avenue, three hundred feet north of One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, as amended.

Amendments to Light and Ventilation Permits.

Resolved, That the application of A. B. Ogden & Son for the modification of Plan No. 4746, for the light and ventilation of two tenements, southeast corner of Seventy-sixth street and Lexington avenue, be and is hereby denied.

Violations to the Attorney.

Resolved, That the following violations of law in respect to the light and ventilation of tenement-houses be and are hereby referred to the attorney:

- Nos. 786, 805, 835, 844, 876, 959, 1005, 1031, 1075, 1075, 1091, 1112.

Sanitary Bureau.

The following is a record of the work performed in the Sanitary Bureau for the week ending June 30, 1888:

There were 6,318 inspections made by the Sanitary Inspectors and the Sanitary Police. There were 655 complaints returned by the Sanitary Inspectors and the Sanitary Police. There were 575 complaints received from citizens and referred to the Sanitary Inspectors and Sanitary Police for investigation and report. There were issued to the consignees of vessels, to discharge cargoes, on vouchers from the Health Officer of the Port, 77 permits. There were issued to consignees, to discharge rags (in bulk, under bonds), 4 permits. There were issued to scavengers to empty, clean and disinfect privy sinks, 41 permits. I herewith forward reports in detail from Chief Inspector Bullard and E. W. Martin, chemist, of the work performed by themselves, and their respective corps, also report of L. A. Goldschmidt, Inspector of Offensive Trades, and report of the number of complaints and inspections made by the Medical Inspectors.

Report of Vital Statistics for the Week ending June 30, 1888.

Table with columns: WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 12 M., Certificates Received and Tabulated, Increase over Previous Week, Decrease from Previous Week, Annual Rate per 1000 Estimated at 1,252,984, Burial Permits Issued, Transit Permits Issued, Coroner's Cases, Searches Made, Transcripts Issued, Entered in Registers, Indexed. Rows include Marriages, Births, Deaths, Still-births.

Of the total number of deaths reported, those due to contagious diseases and to certain diseases whose prevalence may be due to variable local conditions were as follows:

Table showing INCREASE OR DECREASE OF DEATHS, BY WARDS. Columns: CAUSE OF DEATH, Deaths Reported, Deaths Reported in Previous Week, and wards 1-11. Rows include Cerebro-spinal Meningitis, Diphtheria, Enteric Fever, Erysipelas, Malarial Fevers, Measles, Scarletina, Small-pox, Typhus Fever, Whooping-cough, Diarrhoeal Diseases, Bronchitis, Croup, Pneumonia, Puerperal Diseases, and a Total row.

Table showing INCREASE OR DECREASE OF DEATHS, BY WARDS. Columns: CAUSE OF DEATH, and wards 12-24. Rows include Cerebro-spinal Meningitis, Diphtheria, Enteric Fever, Erysipelas, Malarial Fevers, Measles, Scarletina, Small-pox, Typhus Fever, Whooping-cough, Diarrhoeal Diseases, Bronchitis, Croup, Pneumonia, Puerperal Diseases, and a Total row.

The 1,038 deaths represent a death-rate of 35.37 as against 27.31 for the previous week, and 35.93 for the corresponding week of 1887.

The increase of 237 deaths was mainly due to an increase of diarrhoeal diseases (145 more), diseases of the brain and nervous system (28 more), and sunstroke (56 more). There was a decrease in deaths from diphtheria (10 less), phthisis (18 less), pneumonia (16 less).

The increase of diarrhoeal diseases was most marked in the Tenth, Eleventh, Twelfth and Nineteenth Wards, and, of course, was mainly confined to children and infants—188 of the excess of deaths for the week being deaths of children under 5 years of age.

The greatest number of deaths reported on any one day was on Tuesday, June 26, viz: 227.

Analyses of Croton Water for the Week ending Saturday, July 7, 1888. Results Expressed in Grains per U. S. Gallon of 231 Cubic Inches.

Table with columns: SUNDAY, MONDAY, TUESDAY, WED'DAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY. Rows include Appearance, Color, Odor, Chlorine in Chlorides, Equiv. to Sodium Chloride, Phosphates, Nitrites, Nitrogen in Nitrates and Nitrites, Free Ammonia, Albuminoid Ammonia, Hardness equiv. to before boiling, Carbonate of Lime, Organic and Volatile, Mineral matter, Total solids.

Analyses of Croton Water for the Week ending Saturday, July 7, 1888. Results Expressed in Parts by Weight in One Hundred Thousand.

Table with columns: SUNDAY, MONDAY, TUESDAY, WED'DAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY. Rows include Appearance, Color, Odor, Chlorine in Chlorides, Equiv. to Sodium Chloride, Phosphates, Nitrites, Nitrogen in Nitrates and Nitrites, Free Ammonia, Albuminoid Ammonia, Hardness equiv. to before boiling, Carbonate of Lime, Organic and Volatile, Mineral matter, Total solids.

By order of the Board,

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 13th day of July, 1888. Present—Commissioners McClave, Voorhis and MacLean. The following proposals for coal were opened: No. 1. William Terhune and Whitfield Van Cott, \$4.46 per ton, egg and nut size. No. 2. George W. Winant, \$4.44 per ton.

Resolved, that the contract for supplying this Department with two thousand tons of coal be and is hereby awarded to George W. Winant, for the sum and price of \$4.44 per ton, he being the lowest bidder; and that the President be authorized to execute the contract, for and in behalf of this Board, on approval of the sureties by the Comptroller.

Leaves of Absence Granted.

Surgeon B. F. Dexter, twenty days (Surgeon Damainville to act), with pay. B. F. Dexter, ten days (Surgeon Damainville to act), half pay. Captain Edward Carpenter, Fourth Precinct, ten days, half pay. Robert O. Webb, Twelfth Precinct, ten days, half pay. Alexander B. Warts, Twenty-third Precinct, ten days, half pay.

Sundry reports were ordered on file and copies to be forwarded to the Mayor and Board of Excise.

Reports Ordered on File.

Captain Schultz, Thirteenth Precinct—As to affidavit of Patrick Foley. Surgeon Dexter—That he had relieved Patrolman Joseph L. Davis, Thirty-third Precinct, from duty, because of contagious disease in his family. Superintendent—Relative to the Holywood Co. Inspectors Steers, Williams and Conlin—Quarterly reports. Report of Superintendent Crowley, on communication from the Board of Electrical Control, relative to dead wires in Bleeker street, was referred to the Chief Clerk to answer. Report of Captain Cortright, Thirty-second Precinct, on suspension of Patrolman John W. Murray, was referred to the Superintendent to prefer charges.

Applications for Pension Referred to the Committee on Pensions.

Nancy A. Layton, widow of John H. Layton. Ed. F. Hargrove, guardian of children of Ellen E. Harvey. Applications for Appointment as Special Patrolmen Referred to the Superintendent for Report. John E. Hoffmire, for Thomas H. Costello. F. S. Longworth, for Edward Knight.

Applications for Advance to Second Grade Denied.

Patrolman Patrick Harrigan, Eighth Precinct.
Patrick Hand, Twenty-first Precinct.
Application of Captain Gastlin, Twenty-eighth Precinct, for increase of force during the summer months, was ordered on file.

N. Y. SUPREME COURT.

The People ex rel. Lawrence Clarson vs. The Board of Police.
Order to show cause why peremptory mandamus should not issue requiring Board of Police to restore him.
Referred to the Counsel to the Corporation, with request that appeal be taken to higher court, and to apply for stay pending appeal.

Communications Referred to the Committee on Repairs and Supplies.

Comptroller—Enclosing copies of leases from A. H. Green, executor Ogden Estate, for Thirty-first Precinct Station-house, etc.
Thomas Norton—Relative to sanitary ventilation of Station-houses.
Communication from Mrs. J. F. De Berg, asking whereabouts of Julia Broderick, was referred to the Chief Clerk.

Communications Ordered on File.

From Mayor—Relative to fireworks, etc., in the public highways; commending the Police Force for efficiency July 4, 1888; also as to publication in CITY RECORD of certain correspondence.
Board of Apportionment—Notices of meetings July 10 and 12.
Commissioner of Street Cleaning (2)—Acknowledging receipt of weekly reports.
Corporation Counsel—Approving form of contract for coal; also opinion as to affirmative vote of two Commissioners (three being present) to appoint or dismiss an officer, and as to transaction of other official business.
Mrs. Henrietta Watson—Recommending appointment of Mrs. Frances L. Soles as Matron.
Mrs. I. J. Howard—Relative to appointment of Matrons.
O. E. Davidson, Dayton, Ohio—Acknowledging receipt of blanks, etc.

Communications Referred to the Superintendent for Action.

From the Mayor—Sundry complaints, etc.
From the Board of Excise—Licenses revoked, forty-one cases; licenses rejected, thirty-four cases; unlicensed saloons, six cases; asks arrest of Dufrane & Co., No. 91 Third avenue, for violation Excise law; asks arrest of Thomas P. Wilson, No. 600 Grand street, for violation Excise law; asks arrest of F. M. Savage, steamer "Crystenah," for violation Excise law; asks character, etc., of Donato Tuozzo, No. 37 Mulberry street; asks character, etc., of Thomas Noonan, No. 19 Second avenue; asks information as to fight in saloon, No. 68 Bayard street; asks information as to assault in saloon, No. 1321 Second avenue; relative to arrest for keeping unlicensed place at No. 91 Third avenue; relative to alleged gambling place, No. 144 East Fourteenth street.
A. H. Feuchtwanger—Asking protection to vacant house No. 105 East Seventy-second street.
A Lady—Of insults by Policeman at Broadway and Chambers street.
Frank Curtis, President, etc.—Enclosing affidavits relative to assault on a conductor by a Policeman.
Andrew Powell—As to naked bathing in Harlem river, at Morris Dock.
Communication from the Herzog Teleseme Co. was ordered on file and to be entered in the minutes, as follows:

NEW YORK, July 12, 1888.

To the Honorable the Board of Police:

GENTLEMEN—I was present to-day at the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at which a resolution was adopted requesting you to return to the Finance Department the money which you have already drawn on account of the appropriation for the construction of electric signaling boxes.
As we claim that the contract relation at present existing between your Department and this company makes this entire appropriation a fund for the payment of our claims, we herewith enter our protest against any action on your part which might in any way modify the direct control which your Treasury has at present over this sum. We make this protest in view of the fact that, as I was present when this resolution was passed, this notice on my part, without protest, might in the future be claimed as a tacit acquiescence in this action. In specifying the fund, moreover, we do so without prejudice to our right to claim that, under section 255, the fund devoted to "General Expenses of Police" is chargeable with the cost, etc., relating to this matter.

Very respectfully,

HERZOG TELESME CO. OF NEW YORK STATE,

F. BENEDICT HERZOG, President.

On reading communication from the Department of Public Works, asking detail of an officer in front of No. 51 Chambers street, to prevent collection of persons when prison vans are being loaded or discharged; also for detailment of an officer for thirty days at the office of the Water Register, it was

Resolved, That the Captain of the Precinct be directed to have the nuisance spoken of abated.
Resolved, That the detailment of an officer at the office of the Receiver of Taxes be discontinued.

Resolved, That Patrolman William J. Armstrong, Twenty-seventh Precinct, be detailed for thirty days at the office of the Water Register, Commissioners Voorhis and McClave voting aye; Commissioner MacLean voting no.

Details.

Roundsman Henry Aitken, Sixteenth Precinct, as acting Sergeant during vacation of Sergeant.
William Cruise, Eighth Precinct, as acting Sergeant during vacation of Sergeant.
James Casey, Twenty-seventh Precinct, as acting Sergeant during vacation of Sergeant.
Patrolman Albert D. Downing, Thirty-third Precinct, to special duty, twenty days.
Resolved, That the Committee of Surgeons be directed to examine the following applicants for appointment as Patrolmen:
Michael H. Fitzgerald. James Fallon.
Edmund H. Keefe. Henry C. Ayres.
John P. Ott. James S. Hunt.

Advanced to First Grade.

Patrolman William Gillespie, Sixth Precinct, June 23, 1888.
Bernard J. Farrell, Eighteenth Precinct, June 30, 1888.
Michael Donlin, Eighteenth Precinct, June 21, 1888.

Advanced to Second Grade.

Patrolman Anthony F. Bolz, Second Precinct, July 9, 1888.
Michael Lane, Second Precinct, July 9, 1888.
Edgar J. Barker, Fifth Precinct, July 9, 1888.
Louis Knierman, Jr., Ninth Precinct, July 9, 1888.
James E. Leonard, Twelfth Precinct, July 9, 1888.
Charles H. Stromberg, Thirteenth Precinct, July 9, 1888.
Owen J. Dunne, Eighteenth Precinct, July 1, 1888.
Dennis O'Connell, Nineteenth Precinct, July 9, 1888.
Michael Kelly, Twentieth Precinct, July 9, 1888.
George Dippold, Twenty-second Precinct, July 9, 1888.
James Crotty, Twenty-third Precinct, July 1, 1888.
John J. Fitzpatrick, Twenty-fifth Precinct, July 9, 1888.
Alfred Anderson, Twenty-fifth Precinct, July 9, 1888.
Michael J. Keane, Twenty-fifth Precinct, July 9, 1888.
William Bloss, Thirty-first Precinct, July 1, 1888.
William M. Ferdon, Thirty-first Precinct, July 8, 1888.
Peter J. Hunt, Thirty-first Precinct, July 1, 1888.
Frank E. Baldwin, Thirty-second Precinct, July 9, 1888.
Josiah Jones, Thirty-third Precinct, July 1, 1888.

Resolved, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Comptroller, in pursuance of section 262, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, and the Commissioners directed to approve the same, for the following sums of money for the month of July, 1888, being one-twelfth part of the total amount estimated, levied, raised and appropriated for the support and maintenance of the Police Department and Force for the current year, to wit:

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes Police Fund—Salaries of Commissioners, Superintendent, Surgeons and Uniformed Force (\$340,093 81), Police Fund—Salaries of Clerical Force, etc. (7,346 50), Supplies for Police (7,185 90), Police Station-houses, Alterations, etc. (2,500 00), Expenses of Detectives, Contingent, etc. (1,041 66), Salary of Chief Bureau of Elections (333 33). Total: \$358,501 20.

Resolved, That the Treasurer be and is hereby directed to pay to the Police Pension Fund the following sums of money for the month of June, 1888—all aye.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes For fines imposed (\$703 30), For absence without pay (3,497 03), For sick time deducted (2,721 52). Total: \$6,922 45.

Resolved, That the Treasurer be and is hereby directed to pay to Thomas J. Sheridan the sum of \$2,658.15, being the first payment on contract to build a stable for the Thirty-fourth Precinct—all aye.

Resolved, That the Treasurer be and is hereby directed to pay to Erwin Schmidt the sum of \$400.50 for the construction of concrete yards at Twenty-fifth Precinct Station-house—all aye.

On filing copy of mandamus in the case of The People ex rel. Joseph A. Gardiner against The Board of Police, it was

Resolved, That the Treasurer be and is hereby directed to pay to Joseph A. Gardiner, or his attorneys, for salary due him from date of his dismissal, as follows: \$647.65 for account of 1887, and \$276.08 for account of 1888—all aye.

Resolved, That the returns in the cases of Lawrence Deley and John Irving be verified by the President and Chief Clerk and forwarded to the Counsel to the Corporation.

Resolved, That the appointment of Charles Schneider as Special Patrolman be and is hereby revoked.

Special Patrolman Appointed.

John J. Quinn, for the Consolidated Stock and Petroleum Exchange.

On reading and filing report of Captain Grant, Sixteenth Precinct, it was
Resolved, That special commendation be given to Patrolman James McGrath, Sixteenth Precinct, for meritorious service in stopping a runaway horse on the 20th day of June, 1888, and that the same be entered upon his record.

Resolved, That the following bills be referred to the Comptroller for payment:
Joseph H. Godwin, rent Thirty-fifth Precinct Station-house, etc. \$75 00
Estate William B. Ogden, rent Thirty-first Precinct Station-house, etc. 150 00

On recommendation of the Committee on Repairs and Supplies, it was
Resolved, That the following bills be approved and the Treasurer authorized to pay the same—all aye:

Table with 3 columns: Name, Amount, and Description. Includes Samuel L. Berrian, lumber (\$30 52), Henry Bungery, repairing harness (15 90), National Disinfectant Co., disinfectant (\$12 25), N. Y. Belting & Packing Co., hose (11 03), Northern Gas-light Co., gas (13 92), George Reed, expenses (5 75), Abraham Steers, lumber (4 80), John Stier & Son, repairing wagon (25 50), H. M. Schefflin & Co., insect powder (6 00), H. M. Smith & Son, carpenter work (181 20), John F. Tappin, expenses (6 05), Thomas C. Tate, (5 05), Charles W. Tarbox, lodgings (50 00), Elizabeth C. Taylor, prisoners' meals (13 25), Julia E. Tillman, (224 50), T. & W. Thorn & Co., horse-feed (150 37), Trow City Directory Co., directories (330 00), Robert J. Vail, expenses (10 50), Western Union Tel. Co., use of wire (62 50), Yonkers Gas-light Co., gas (38 72), Charles M. Young, attorney, keeping horses (50 00), Peter Yule, disbursements (7 50). Total: \$3,428 57.

Judgments—Fines Imposed.

Patrolman James Ivory, First Precinct, improper patrol, two days' pay.
Jesse R. Clark, Second Precinct, absent roll-call, one-half day's pay.
Albert E. Westlotven, Fourth Precinct, off post, two days' pay.
Frederick J. Eigen, Fourth Precinct, sitting, one-half day's pay.
William J. Dickson, Fourth Precinct, improper patrol, two days' pay.
Henry Herrlich, Seventh Precinct, improper patrol, two days' pay.
Norman C. Sly, Seventh Precinct, standing, etc., one-half day's pay.
Thomas Flaherty, Eighth Precinct, improper uniform, three days' pay.
Joseph A. Gardiner, Eighth Precinct, smoking, one day's pay.
Frank D. Thompson, Eighth Precinct, sitting, one day's pay.
George F. Darcey, Eighth Precinct, standing, etc., one-half day's pay.
George F. Darcey, Eighth Precinct, off post, two days' pay.
George Bobel, Ninth Precinct, off post, two days' pay.
George A. Neal, Ninth Precinct, loitering, one-half day's pay.
Thomas Henry, Tenth Precinct, improper patrol, three days' pay.
James Ryan, Eleventh Precinct, absent reserve, one day's pay.
James J. Kiernan, Eleventh Precinct, absent roll-call, one-half day's pay.
George A. Hess, Twelfth Precinct, improper patrol, two days' pay.
William Schreiber, Twelfth Precinct, failed to report dead horse, one-half day's pay.
Martin Carroll, Fourteenth Precinct, asleep, etc., two days' pay.
Roundsman John Smith, Fourteenth Precinct, sitting, one day's pay.
Patrolman William H. Breakall, Sixteenth Precinct, sitting, one day's pay.
Andrew J. Bradley, Nineteenth Precinct, standing, etc., one day's pay.
Thomas Dolan, Nineteenth Precinct, standing, etc., one-half day's pay.
James Duncan, Twenty-first Precinct, sitting, one-half day's pay.
James F. McNamara, Twenty-second Precinct, improper patrol, two days' pay.
Thomas F. Moe, Twenty-fifth Precinct, standing, etc., one-half day's pay.
Christopher Tauphoons, Twenty-sixth Precinct, standing, etc., one-half day's pay.
Thomas A. Carman, Twenty-sixth Precinct, standing, etc., one-half day's pay.
Robert D. Gath, Twenty-seventh Precinct, off post, three days' pay.
Thomas Dermody, Twenty-seventh Precinct, off post, three days' pay.
James J. Murray, Thirtieth Precinct, absent reserve, one-half day's pay.
William Mulcare, Thirty-first Precinct, off post, one day's pay.
Edward McLaughlin, Thirty-first Precinct, off post, one day's pay.
Edward McLaughlin, Thirty-first Precinct, improper patrol, two days' pay.
Edward McLaughlin, Thirty-first Precinct, improper patrol, one day's pay.
John C. Holohan, Thirty-first Precinct, improper relief, one-half day's pay.
Robert H. Ellis, Thirty-third Precinct, violation of Rule 199, two days' pay.
Albert J. Reed, Twenty-second Precinct, improper patrol, three days' pay.
James Everett, Twenty-sixth Precinct, standing, etc., one-half day's pay.
William S. Morris, Twenty-seventh Precinct, off post, one day's pay.
Joseph E. Burke, Twenty-ninth Precinct, shot citizen, three days' pay.
Alexander D. Norval, Twenty-ninth Precinct, in liquor store, three days' pay.
Andrew Shea, Thirty-first Precinct, improper relief, one-half day's pay.
John G. Zukschwerdt, Thirty-second Precinct, absent roll-call, one-half day's pay.
William H. Van Kirk, Ninth Precinct, off post, one day's pay.
Thomas Perry, Ninth Precinct, standing, etc., one-half day's pay.
James J. Turner, Eleventh Precinct, improper patrol, two days' pay.
Gustav Schramm, Twelfth Precinct, improper patrol, two days' pay.
Dennis A. Nolan, Nineteenth Precinct, discharged revolver, ten days' pay.
William G. Neely, Twenty-third Precinct, improper relief, one-half day's pay.
Joseph J. Kelly, Twenty-sixth Precinct, standing, etc., one-half day's pay.
Dennis Harrington, Twenty-seventh Precinct, sitting, etc., one day's pay.
William J. Rothman, Twenty-seventh Precinct, absent roll-call, etc., one-half day's pay.

Reprimands.

Patrolman Mortimer Shea, Sixth Precinct, lost fire key.
George H. Dale, Twenty-second Precinct, assaulted woman.

Patrolman Philip C. Bleil, Twenty-eighth Precinct, lost shield. Sergeant William W. Sullivan, Twenty-ninth Precinct, failed to telegraph, etc.

Complaints Dismissed.

Patrolman William J. Mooney, Eleventh Precinct, assaulted woman. Edward F. Sinnott, Eighteenth Precinct, refused to arrest. Charles McLeavy, Twenty-second Precinct, off post. Frederick S. Rockwell, Twenty-sixth Precinct, off post. Oscar Reinhardt, Thirty-third Precinct, fired pistol.

Adjourned.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

BALANCES IN BANK AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS, JULY 18, 1888.

CHAMBERLAIN'S OFFICE.

Table with columns for Banks, Mechanics' National Bank, National Broadway Bank, Ninth National Bank, St. Nicholas Bank, Western National Bank, Trust Companies, Central Trust Company, Mercantile Trust Company, Union Trust Company, and Mercantile National Bank.

BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL, NEW YORK CITY, July 17, 1888.

A meeting of the Armory Board was held this day, at 2.30 P. M., at the office of his Honor Mayor Hewitt.

Present—The President Commissioner of Taxes and Assessments, the Commissioner of the Public Works Department, Brigadier-General Louis Fitzgerald, and Colonel Emmons Clark.

In the absence of his Honor the Mayor, General Fitzgerald was unanimously called to the chair.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The committee, appointed on June 11th, to select a suitable site for an armory for the Seventy-first Regiment, through the chairman, General Fitzgerald, reported an offer of the plot of twenty city lots on Fourth avenue, between Thirty-third and Thirty-fourth streets, for \$400,000, and also presented a communication from the Colonel of the regiment stating that the site would be a very satisfactory one.

Commissioner Coleman said that was an asking price, and suggested an offer of \$250,000 if the restrictions were removed.

The matter was referred to Commissioner Coleman.

A communication from the Secretary of Board of Officers of the Twenty-second Regiment was read, enclosing a resolution of that Board of June 8, which was referred to the Committee on Plans.

The following resolution was offered by Colonel Clark and unanimously passed: That the Comptroller be requested to transfer \$12,000 from the General Armory Fund to the Eighth Regiment Armory Fund, to meet the payments on the work in progress.

A certificate was received and read from Mr. J. R. Thomas, the architect of the Eighth Regiment Armory, stating that materials and work have been furnished entitling the contractor to a payment of \$10,042.75.

The formal application and affidavit of the contractor for such payment were also presented.

Colonel Clark then offered the following resolution, which was seconded by Commissioner Coleman and unanimously passed:

Resolved, That the Comptroller be directed to pay to Isaac A. Hopper, the contractor of the Eighth Regiment Armory, the sum of \$10,042.75, the sum due him on this date in accordance with the architect's certificate, and that a voucher for that amount be forwarded.

The following resolution was offered by Colonel Clark, seconded by Commissioner Coleman, and unanimously passed:

Resolved, That Mr. John Guy, of No. 275 Seventh street, New York City, be engaged by this Board as Clerk of the work in the erection of armories, at a salary of \$2,000 per year, and that the Sinking Fund Commissioners be requested to concur in this engagement.

The meeting then adjourned.

M. COLEMAN, Secretary.

APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Frederick Scheel to retain the small sign now on private lamp-post in front of the St. Cloud Hotel; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 12, 1888. Received from his Honor the Mayor, June 26, 1888, with his objections thereto.

In Board of Aldermen, July 9, 1888, 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 the Fifth Avenue Stage Company to sprinkle clear sand, unmixd with salt or any other substance, in the carriage-way of Fifth avenue, on the steep grade, between Thirty-third and Thirty-seventh streets, in order to provide a secure footing for their horses and to prevent injury to the animals by slipping and falling on the pavement, as is now frequently the case.

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Resolved, That One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, from Willis avenue to St. Ann's avenue, be regulated and graded, the curb-stones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, where not already done, under the direction of the Department of Public Parks; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Glass to connect his premises, Nos. 530, 532 and 534 West street, with the tracks of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, by a switch or turn-out, as shown on the accompanying diagram, the work to be done at the expense of said Glass, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

(Signed), ABRAM S. HEWITT, Mayor.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

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

THOMAS COSTIGAN, Esq., Supervisor City Record.

DEAR SIR—The following amendment to Regulation 16 of the New York City Civil Service Regulations has been made:

If the appointing officer shall notify the Secretary of more than one vacancy at any one time, the Secretary shall certify to the appointing officer for appointment, the names of as many persons as there are vacancies to be filled, with the addition of two names for the first vacancy and one name for every two vacancies in addition to the first.

Yours respectfully, LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary and Executive Officer.

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

THOMAS COSTIGAN, Esq., Supervisor.

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

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

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

Very respectfully, LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary and Executive Officer.

CITY COURT—TRIAL TERM, PART I.

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

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

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. ABRAM S. HEWITT, Mayor. ARTHUR BERRY, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

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

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS. Rooms 114 and 115, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. WM. PITT SHERRMAN, JAMES DALY.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies. No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. WILLIAM G. BERGEN, Superintendent.

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

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

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

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

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

FINANCE DEPARTMENT. Comptroller's Office. No. 15 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. THEODORE W. MYERS, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STOKES, Deputy Comptroller.

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

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

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

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes. No. 57 Chambers street and No. 35 Reade street, Stewart Building. GEORGE W. McLEAN, Receiver of Taxes; ALFRED VREDEBURGH, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

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

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

LAW DEPARTMENT. Office of the Counsel to the Corporation. Straits Zeitung Building, third floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. HENRY K. BREKIDIA, Counsel to the Corporation. ANDREW T. CAMPBELL, Chief Clerk.

Office of the Public Administrator. No. 40 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. RICHARD J. MORRISON, Public Administrator.

Office of the Corporation Attorney. No. 40 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, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. THOMAS S. BRENNAN, President; GEORGE F. BRITTON, Secretary.

Purchasing Agent, FREDERICK A. CUSHMAN, Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Closed Saturdays, 12 M. Contracts, Proposals and Estimates for Work and Materials for Building, Repairs and Supplies, Bills and Accounts, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Closed Saturdays, 12 M. RUFUS L. WILDER, General Bookkeeper and Auditor.

FIRE DEPARTMENT. Office hours for all except where otherwise noted from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 10 to 12 M. Headquarters. Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh 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'ORCENI, Superintendent of Buildings.

Attorney to Department. WM. L. FINDLEY.

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

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank Building, Nos. 40 and 51 Chambers street, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. J. HAMFREN ROBB, President; CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary. Civil and Topographical Office. Arsenal, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, 9 A.M. to 5 P.M. Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards. One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and Third avenue, 9 A.M. to 5 P.M.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS

Staats Zeitung Building, Tryon Row, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. Saturdays, 12 M. MICHAEL COLEMAN, President; FLOYD T. SMITH, Secretary. Office Bureau Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes. Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. CHARLES S. BEARDSLEY, Attorney; WILLIAM COMBERFORD, Clerk

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

49 and 51 Chambers street. Office hours, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. JAMES S. COLEMAN, Commissioner; JACOB SEAROLD, Deputy Commissioner; R. W. HORNER, Chief Clerk.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

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

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPOINTMENT.

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

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office City Hall, Room No. 1155, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. EDWARD GILON, Chairman; WM. H. JASSER, Secretary

BOARD OF EXCISE.

No. 54 Bond street, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. CHARLES H. WOODMAN, President; DAVID S. WHITE, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Nos. 3 and 4 New County Court-house, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. HUGH J. GRANT, Sheriff; JOHN B. SEXTON, Under Sheriff; BERNARD F. MARTIN, Order Arrest Clerk.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. JAMES J. SLEVIN, Register; JAMES J. MARFIN, Deputy Register.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. JAMES A. FLACK, County Clerk; THOMAS F. GILROY, Deputy County Clerk.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

Second floor, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. JOHN R. FELLOWS, District Attorney; JAMES McCABE, Chief Clerk.

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE,

And Bureau of Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books. No. 2 City Hall, 9 A.M. to 5 P.M., except Saturdays, on which days 9 A.M. to 3 P.M. THOMAS COSTIGAN, Supervisor; R. P. H. ABELL, Book-keeper.

CORONERS' OFFICE.

Nos. 13 and 15 Chatham street, 8 A.M. to 5 P.M. Sundays and holidays, 8 A.M. to 12.30 P.M. MICHAEL J. B. MESSER, FREDINAND LEVY, FERDINAND EIDMAN, JOHN R. NUGENT, Coroners; JOHN T. TOAL, Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

SUPREME COURT.

Second floor, New County Court-house, opens at 10.30 A.M. CHARLES H. VAN BRUNT, Presiding Justice; JAMES A. FLACK, Clerk; THOMAS F. GILROY, Deputy County Clerk. General Term, Room No. 9, WILLIAM LAMB, Jr., Clerk. Special Term, Part I., Room No. 10, HUGH DONNELLY, Clerk. Special Term, Part II., Room No. 18, WILLIAM J. HILL, Clerk. Chambers, Room No. 11, WALTER BRADY, Clerk. Circuit, Part I., Room No. 12, \_\_\_\_\_, Clerk. Circuit, Part II., Room No. 14, JOHN B. MCGOLDRICK, Clerk. Circuit, Part III., Room No. 13, GEORGE F. LYON, Clerk. Circuit, Part IV., Room No. 15, J. LEWIS LYON, Clerk. Judges' Private Chambers, Rooms Nos 19 and 20, EDWARD J. KNIGHT, Librarian.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A.M. General Term, Room No. 35. Special Term, Room No. 35. Chambers, Room No. 33, to 10 A.M. Part I., Room No. 34. Part II., Room No. 35. Part III., Room No. 36. Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 30. Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 32. Clerk's Office, Room No. 31, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. JOHN SEDGWICK, Chief Judge; THOMAS BOESE, Chief Clerk.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A.M. Assignment Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. Clerk's Office, Room No. 22, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. General Term, Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A.M. to adjournment. Special Term, Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A.M. to adjournment. Chambers, Room No. 21, 10.30 o'clock A.M. to adjournment. Part I., Room No. 25, 11 o'clock A.M. to adjournment. Part II., Room No. 26, 11 o'clock A.M. to adjournment. Part III., Room No. 27, 11 o'clock A.M. to adjournment. Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. RICHARD L. LARSEN, Chief Justice; NATHANIEL JARVIS, Jr., Chief Clerk.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

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

DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.

First District—First, Second, Third and Fifth Wards southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets. MICHAEL NORFON, Justice. Clerk's office open from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. Second District—Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, corner of Pearl and Centre streets, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. CHARLES M. CLANCY, Justice. Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards, southwest corner Sixth District and West Tenth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. GEORGE R. DEANE, Justice. Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards, No. 30 First street, corner Second avenue. Court opens 9 A.M. daily; continues to close of business. ALFRED STECKLER, Justice. Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards, No. 154 Clinton street. HENRY M. GOLDFOGLIE, Justice. Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards, No. 81 Union place, Fourth avenue, southwest corner of Eighteenth street. Court opens 9 A.M. daily; continues to close of business. SAMSON LACHMAN, Justice. Seventh District—Nineteenth and Twenty-second Wards, No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock, except Sundays and legal holidays; and continues to the close of business. ANDREW MONELL, Justice. Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards, southwest corner of Tenth and Second streets and Seventh avenue. Court opens at 9 A.M., and continues to close of business. Clerk's office open from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. each court day. During the months of July, August and September the trial days of this Court will be Tuesday and Friday of each week. Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, No. 225 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street. JOSEPH P. FALLON, Justice. Clerk's office open daily from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. Trial days Tuesdays and Fridays. Court opens at 9.30 A.M. Tenth District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street. Office hours, from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. Court opens at 9 A.M. ANDREW J. ROGERS, Justice. Eleventh District—Eight, Eighth, and Twenty-second Ward, and all that part of the Twelfth Ward lying south of One Hundred and Tenth street and west of Sixth avenue. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. THOMAS E. MURRAY, Justice.

JURORS.

NOTICE IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS, ROOM 127, STEWART BUILDING, CHAMBERS STREET AND BROADWAY, NEW YORK, JUNE 1, 1888. APPLICATIONS FOR EXEMPTIONS WILL BE heard here, from 9 to 4 daily, from all persons hitherto liable or recently serving who have become exempted by law. 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 within five days. When 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 jurors are not exempt. Every man must attend to his own notice. It is a misdemeanor to give any jury paper to another to misemploy. It is also punishable by fine or imprisonment to give or receive any present or bribe, directly or indirectly, in relation to a jury service, or to withhold any paper or make any false statement, and every case will be fully prosecuted. CHARLES REILLY, Commissioner of Jurors.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, NEW YORK, JULY 18, 1888.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE materials and labor and doing the work required in repairing one second size Amosack "U" tank steam fire-engine (registered number 158, known as the 8th Battalion engine of this Department), and fitting the same with a boiler of the "La France nest tube" pattern, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head office of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A.M., Tuesday, July 31, 1888, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read. No estimate will be received or considered after the hour named. For information as to the amount and kind of work to be done, bidders are referred to the specifications, which form part of these proposals. The form of the agreement (with specifications), showing the manner of payment for the work, may be seen, and forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Department.

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate in addition to inserting the same in figures. The work is to be completed and delivered within sixty (60) days after the execution of the contract. The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, are fixed and liquidated at twenty (20) dollars. The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids. Any person making an estimate for the work shall present the same to the head office of the Fire Department, at said office, on or before the day and hour above named, which envelope shall be endorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates. The Fire Department reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contracts awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation. Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Corporation for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested. Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, in 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 sureties for its faithful performance, in the sum of twenty thousand (20,000) dollars; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the sum required by law, 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 same, and that he will be bound by the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract. No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of one thousand (1,000) dollars. Such check or money must not be enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the bid, but must 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 neglects to execute 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 being liable to the Corporation, and the contract will be re-advertised and let as provided by law. HENRY D. PURROY, RICHARD CROKER, FITZ JOHN PORTER, Commissioners.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect to execute 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 being liable to the Corporation, and the contract will be re-advertised and let as provided by law. HENRY D. PURROY, RICHARD CROKER, FITZ JOHN PORTER, Commissioners.

TO CONTRACTORS. SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE materials and labor, and doing the work required for placing fire-alarm electrical conductors underground for the use of the Fire Department, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A.M., Tuesday, July 31, 1888, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read. Proposals may be submitted as follows: 1st. For furnishing the materials and doing the work with Waring anti-induction and bunched cables, as specified. 2d. For furnishing the materials and doing the work with cables claimed to be as good or better than the Waring anti-induction and bunched cables, the bidder to specify the kind and quality proposed to be furnished, and submit samples thereof, as specified. No estimate will be received or considered after the hour named. For information as to the amount and kind of work to be done, bidders are referred to the specifications and map which form part of these proposals. The forms of the agreements with specifications and map showing in full manner of the work to be done may be seen and forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Department. Bidders will write out the amount of their estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures. The work is to be completed and delivered on or before the one hundred and twentieth (120th) day after the execution of the contract. The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, are fixed and liquidated at twenty (20) dollars. The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids. Any person making estimates for the work shall present the same in sealed envelopes, to said Board, at said office, on or before the day and hour above named, which envelope shall be endorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation and a statement of the work to which they relate, specifying the kind of cables it is proposed to furnish. The Fire Department reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contracts 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.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, NEW YORK, JULY 17, 1888.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING GROCERIES, ETC. 9,200 pounds Dairy Butter; sample on exhibition, Thursday July 26, 1888. 1,500 pounds Cheese. 5,000 gallons Syrup, in barrels. 300 bushels Beans. 1,000 pounds Whole Pepper. 7,500 pounds Granulated Sugar. 1,000 pounds Corn Starch, powder packages. 20 tubs best quality kettle rendered Leaf Lard, 50 pounds each. 100 barrels prime quality American Salt, 320 pounds net each; to be delivered at Blackwell's Island within fifteen days. 50 barrels Fine Flour. 1 dozen Chow Chow, "C. & B." 12 dozen Gelatine. 50 dozen Sea Foam. 40 pieces Bacon, prime quality, City Cured, to average about 6 pounds. 60 Sausage Ham, prime quality, City Cured, to average about 14 pounds each.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, and the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested. Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, in 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 sureties for its faithful performance, in the sum of twenty thousand (20,000) dollars; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the sum required by law, 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 same, and that he will be bound by the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract. No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of one thousand (1,000) dollars. Such check or money must not be enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the bid, but must 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 neglects to execute 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 being liable to the Corporation, and the contract will be re-advertised and let as provided by law. HENRY D. PURROY, RICHARD CROKER, FITZ JOHN PORTER, Commissioners.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect to execute 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 being liable to the Corporation, and the contract will be re-advertised and let as provided by law. HENRY D. PURROY, RICHARD CROKER, FITZ JOHN PORTER, Commissioners.

BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THERE will be a meeting of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York held in the Mayor's Office, on Friday, July 20, 1888, at 1 o'clock P.M., at which meeting it is proposed to consider the unfinished business with such other matters as may be brought before the Board. The Board will also have under consideration the matter of extending and widening College place, from Chambers to Fulton street. Parties interested in such proposed improvement are invited to be present to make suggestions and give their views in regard to the matter. Dated July 16, 1888. WM. V. I. MERCER, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, JULY 20, 1888. PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments that the assessment rolls of real and personal estate in said city, for the year 1888, have been finally completed and have been delivered to the Board of Assessors of said city, and that such assessment rolls will remain open to public inspection, in the office of the Clerk of said Board of Assessors, for a period of fifteen days from the date of this notice. MICHAEL COLEMAN, EDWARD C. DONNELLY, THOMAS L. FEITNER, Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING GROCERIES, ETC. 9,200 pounds Dairy Butter; sample on exhibition, Thursday July 26, 1888. 1,500 pounds Cheese. 5,000 gallons Syrup, in barrels. 300 bushels Beans. 1,000 pounds Whole Pepper. 7,500 pounds Granulated Sugar. 1,000 pounds Corn Starch, powder packages. 20 tubs best quality kettle rendered Leaf Lard, 50 pounds each. 100 barrels prime quality American Salt, 320 pounds net each; to be delivered at Blackwell's Island within fifteen days. 50 barrels Fine Flour. 1 dozen Chow Chow, "C. & B." 12 dozen Gelatine. 50 dozen Sea Foam. 40 pieces Bacon, prime quality, City Cured, to average about 6 pounds. 60 Sausage Ham, prime quality, City Cured, to average about 14 pounds each.

- 40 Smoked Tongues, prime quality, City Cured, to average 2 1/2 lbs.
- 350 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.
- 500 barrels good sound White Potatoes, to weigh 7 1/2 pounds net per barrel.
- 100 barrels prime Red or Yellow Onions, to weigh 25 lbs. per barrel.
- 1,600 heads prime and good size Cabbage.
- 300 bales prime quality long bright Rye Straw, care not to exceed three pounds; weight charged as rest of the lot, to be Island.
- 50 bags Bran, 50 pounds net each.
- 500 Grass Matches, "white."

DRY GOODS, ETC.

- 100 pieces Oiled Mulin.
- 480 White Toilet Quills.
- 500 dozen Men's Socks.
- 100 dozen Boys' Socks.
- 500 Bolts Cotton Duck, No. 4.
- 25,000 Sewing Needles, 5 No. 3, 10 No. 4, 5 No. 5, 5 No. 6.
- 25 dozen Women's Thimbles.
- 50 gross Shoe Binding.

LIME AND CEMENT.

- 25 barrels first quality W. W. Lime.
- 25 barrels first quality Best Portland Cement.

HARDWARE, IRON, ETC.

- 12 dozen Carpenters' Pencils.
- 50 dozen pattern Carpet Tacks, 6 each, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12 and 14 oz.
- 5 coils first quality Bright Iron Wire, No. 6.
- 40 bundles first quality Common Sheet Iron, No. 22.
- 15 bundles first quality R. G. Iron, No. 24, 26 & 28.
- 5 bundles first quality R. G. Iron, No. 24, 26 & 28.
- 1 dozen Scythe Blades.

LUMBER.

- 50,000 feet first quality Coffin Box Boards, 1" x 12 to 15" x 2 to 16 feet, dress one side.
- 500 first quality eye security for the performance, tongue and grooved, dressed one side, 1" x 10" x 13 feet.
- 900 square feet, first quality, thoroughly seasoned, clear Pine Flooring, dressed, tongued and grooved, 7/8" x 4 1/2".
- 2,000 feet first quality, thoroughly seasoned, extra clear Yellow Georgia Pine Ceiling Boards, 2", dressed, tongued and grooved, dressed one side.

All lumber to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.

will be received at the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9:30 o'clock A. M. of Friday, July 27, 1888. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed, "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Dry Goods, Iron, Hardware, Lumber, etc.," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of the office, at the same 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 46, chapter 410, Laws of 1882.

No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears for any obligation 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 furnish several testimonials 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 her therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with, or in aid of, or as compensation 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 any officer or member 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, and of several material witnesses 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 must 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 is awarded to the person making the estimate, they will support 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 bid or estimate is made, and the amount 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 and 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 State or National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must NOT be included 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 the award, to execute the same, he shall be liable to the Corporation for 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 that 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 the award, or that the same has been awarded to his or her 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 the contract will be re-awarded, 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 same.

files of the same on exhibition 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 price for each article, by which the bids will be tested.

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract, or from time to time, as the Commissioners may determine.

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

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

Dated New York, July 16, 1888.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, July 13, 1888.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from Pier 1, East river—Unknown male, aged about 30 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; dark hair. Had on wine-colored, dark vest, jean pants, brown plaid calico shirt, white knitted undershirt, white cotton socks, laced shoes.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Fanny Cosgrove, aged 65 years. Committed July 5, 1888.

John Pinkerton, aged 65 years. Committed July 2, 1888.

John Ward, aged 65 years. Committed July 12, 1888.

Patrick Rooney, aged 52 years. Committed May 5, 1888.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Mary Hendigran, aged 60 years; 5 feet high; gray hair and eyes; transferred from Workhouse November 29, 1887.

At Homeopathic Hospital—Jane Ladd, aged 50 years; 5 feet 2 inches high; blue eyes, brown hair. Had on when admitted violet woolen skirt, black and red woolen waist, black shawl, black cloth gaiters, black straw bonnet.

Joseph Cornell, aged 40 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; blue eyes, brown hair. Had on when admitted black coat, black and white striped pants, laced shoes, black derby hat.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

NEW AQUEDUCT. NEW YORK SECTION.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CONFIRMATION of the report of the Commissioners of Appraisal, New York Section, dated June 1, 1888, as to Parcels 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 13, 16, 20, 22, 27, 31, 37, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 48, 52, 53, 55, 56, 57, 60, 62, 64, 65, 71, 73, and real estate contiguous thereto.

Public notice is hereby given that it is my intention to make application before the Honorable Joseph F. Barnard, at a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, to be held in the Second Judicial District, at the Court-house in Poughkeepsie, Dutchess County, on Saturday, the 28th day of July, 1888, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, to confirm the report as to Parcels 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 13, 16, 20, 22, 27, 31, 37, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 48, 52, 53, 55, 56, 57, 60, 62, 64, 65, 71, 73, and a copy of which was filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, on the same day.

Dated New York, June 28, 1888.

HENRY R. BEEKMAN, Counsel to the Corporation, Tryon Row, New York City.

MANHATTAN ISLAND SECTION—ADDITIONAL LANDS.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CONFIRMATION of the report of the Commissioners of Appraisal, Manhattan Island Section—Additional Lands, dated June 1, 1888, as to Parcels 19, 20, 22, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 37, 38, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59 and 60.

Public notice is hereby given that it is my intention to make application before the Honorable Joseph F. Barnard, at a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, to be held in the Second Judicial District, at the Court-house in Poughkeepsie, Dutchess County, on Saturday, the 28th day of July, 1888, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, to confirm the report as to Parcels 19, 20, 22, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 37, 38, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59 and 60, of the Commissioners of Appraisal appointed in the above matter, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, which said report was filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the same day.

Dated New York, June 28, 1888.

HENRY R. BEEKMAN, Counsel to the Corporation, Tryon Row, New York City.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, July 13, 1888.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE following-mentioned work, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received at the Department of Public Parks at its offices, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, until eleven o'clock A. M. on Wednesday, July 25, 1888:

FOR CONSTRUCTING OUTLET SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN RAILROAD AVENUE, EAST BETWEEN THE HARLEM RIVER AND ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-EIGHTH STREET.

The Engineer's estimate of work and materials by which the bids will be tested, is as follows, to wit:

SEWER, CLASS I, 400 LINEAR FEET.

400 linear feet of brick sewer, of 6 feet 11 inches by 6 feet 11 inches diameters, including concrete foundations and masonry in outlet, and exclusive of spurs for house connections, as per section marked "A" on the plan of the work.

SEWER, CLASS II, 950 LINEAR FEET.

920 linear feet of brick sewer, of 6 feet by 6 feet 10 inches interior diameters, including concrete foundation, and exclusive of spurs for house connections, as per section marked "B" on the plan of the work.

SEWER, CLASS III, 3,370 LINEAR FEET.

1,500 linear feet of brick sewer, of 5 feet 8 inches by 6 feet 4 inches interior diameters, including concrete foundation, and exclusive of spurs for house connections, as per section marked "C" on the plan of the work.

1,860 linear feet of brick sewer, of 5 feet 4 inches by 6 feet 10 inches diameters, including concrete foundation, and exclusive of spurs for house connections, as per section marked "D" on the plan of the work.

10 linear feet of brick sewer, of 4 feet 8 inches by 5 feet 4 inches interior diameters, including concrete foundation, and exclusive of spurs for house connections, as per section marked "E" on the plan of the work.

SEWER, CLASS IV, 400 LINEAR FEET.

80 linear feet of brick and stone masonry sewer, of 3 feet 6 inches by 3 feet 6 inches interior diameters, including concrete foundation, and exclusive of spurs for house connections, as per section marked "F" on the plan of the work.

20 linear feet of brick sewer, of 3 feet by 2 feet 2 inches interior diameters, including masonry cradle, and exclusive of spurs for house connections, as per section marked "G" on the plan of the work.

300 linear feet of brick sewer, of 2 feet 6 inches by 1 foot 8 inches interior diameters, including masonry cradle, and exclusive of spurs for house connections, as per section marked "H" on the plan of the work.

SEWER, CLASS V, 1,720 LINEAR FEET.

350 linear feet of 18-inch pipe sewer, including concrete cradle, and exclusive of spurs for house connections.

360 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, including concrete cradle, and exclusive of spurs for house connections.

1,000 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, including concrete cradle, and exclusive of spurs for house connections.

6,810

28 manholes and ventilators complete on the sewers comprising classes I, II, and III, as hereinabove designated.

18 manholes complete on the sewers comprised under Classes IV, and V, as hereinabove designated.

425 spurs for house connections.

22 receiving-basins complete.

144,000 linear feet, below caps, of PILES, including furnishing, driving and cutting off, and cast-iron shoes on the piles when required.

400,000 feet, board measure, of TIMBER for foundation, to be furnished and laid, and also for the caisson, including its construction and placing.

30 cubic yards of concrete in place, including the sewer foundations and cradle for pipe sewers.

75 cubic yards of broken stone in place.

400 cubic yards of rubble masonry laid in mortar for foundations of branch sewers in Class IV.

300 cubic yards of rubble masonry in the sewer sections, as shown on the plans.

500 cubic yards of rock excavation.

In addition to the above quantities of work to be done, sheet piling is required and ordered by the Engineer to be left in the trench, it will be measured and paid for at ONE-HALF the rate for timber.

Also, the time required for the completion of the whole work, which will be tested at the rate of FOUR DOLLARS per day.

As the above-mentioned quantities, though stated with an object to satisfy, as far as possible in advance, are approximate only, bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become a part of every estimate received:

The bidders are required to be particularly examination of the location of the proposed work, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the foregoing statement, and shall not at any time after the opening of the bids, make any statement, or assertion, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the depth of the excavation to be made or the nature or amount of the work to be done.

Bidders are specially notified that the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks reserve the right to determine the times and places for commencing and prosecuting the work, and that postponement or delay on the whole or any part thereof, occasioned by the precedence of other work, shall not be a cause for either the annulment of the contract or a claim for damages, nor for a reduction of the damages fixed for delay in completing the work.

Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Parks, and in substantial accordance with the specifications for the work and the plans therein referred to. No extra compensation beyond the amount payable for the several classes of work mentioned, which shall be actually performed at the prices therefor, to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

The estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of the said Department at the place and hour last above mentioned and read.

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 her therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with, or in aid of, or as compensation 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 any officer or member 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 is awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as surety for the completion thereof, 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 made, and the amount 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 37 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 received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National or State 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 included in the sealed envelope containing the estimates, 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 that time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

N. B.—The prices must be written in the estimate, and also stated in figures, and all estimates will be considered as informal, which must contain bids for all items for which bids are herein called, or which contain bids for items for which bids are not herewith called for. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate. No bid 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 AMOUNT OF SECURITY REQUIRED IS EIGHTY THOUSAND DOLLARS.

The Department of Public Parks reserves the right to reject any or all the bids received in response to this advertisement, if it should determine that the interest of the City so to do, and to re-advertise until satisfactory bids or proposals shall be received. But the contracts when awarded will be awarded to the lowest bidder.

Blank forms for proposals and forms of the several contracts which the successful bidder will be required to execute, can be had at the office of the Secretary, and the plans can be seen and information relative to them can be had at the office of the Department, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, Nos. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, July 13, 1888.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH OF the following-mentioned works, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work and the amount of the estimate, will be received by the Department of Public Parks at its offices, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, until eleven o'clock A. M. on Wednesday, July 25, 1888:

- No. 1. For Constructing Receiving Basins and Inlets for Walk and Surface Drainage in Morningside Park in the City of New York.
- No. 2. For Furnishing and Erecting, wholly complete, the Freight and Passenger Elevator, with all appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the enlargement of the Metropolitan Museum of Art in the Central Park.
- No. 3. For the Excavation and Removal of Earth, Rock and all Surplus Material from the site of the proposed enlargement of the Metropolitan Museum of Art in the Manhattan Square, including the cellars, areas, elevator pits and trenches connected therewith.
- No. 4. For the renewal of the Flooring upon the Bridge crossing the Harlem River at Third Avenue, in the City of New York.

Special notice is given that the works must be bid for separately, that is, more than one work must not be included in the same bid. Where more than one work is included in the same bid, the bid will be rejected.

The nature and extent of each of the works, as near as it is possible to state them, in advance, is as follows:

- NUMBER 1, ABOVE MENTIONED.
- 85 walk basins 6' interior diameter, with cast-iron curb and grating.
- 8 surface basins 3' 6" interior diameter, with 24" cast-iron curb and grating.
- 12 surface basins 3' 6" interior diameter, with 36" cast-iron curb and grating.
- 10 inlet basins, with 18" cast-iron curb and grating.
- 10 inlet basins, with walk, curb and grating.
- 1,000 feet (B. M.) of lumber furnished and laid.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be six calendar months, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the completion thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at FOUR DOLLARS per day.

NUMBER 2, ABOVE MENTIONED.

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

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be SIXTY days, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the completion thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at TWENTY DOLLARS per day.

NUMBER 3, ABOVE MENTIONED.

Bidders will state in their estimates the total cost of removing all incumbrances, buildings, earth, rock or rubbish to the levels called for on "Excavation Plan."

The estimate of the work to be done, over and above that required by "Excavation Plan," is as follows:

800 Eight hundred cubic yards of rock excavation in trenches below the level of the "Excavation Plan."

(4,200 Four thousand two hundred cubic yards of earth excavation in trenches, below levels called for on "Excavation Plan."

The bids will be tested by these amounts being added to the lump sums or estimate for all work to levels called for on "Excavation Plan."

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be SIXTY days, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the completion thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at FIFTY DOLLARS per day.

NUMBER 4, ABOVE MENTIONED.

488 linear feet of flooring of roadway.

975 linear feet of flooring of foot-walk.

Bidders are required to state in writing, and also in figures, in their proposals ONE PRICE OR SUM for which they will execute the ENTIRE WORK, including the furnishing of all materials, labor and all implements, tools, apparatus and appliances of every description necessary to complete in every particular the whole of the work as set forth in the plans and in the specifications, estimate, and form of agreement.





In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET, from the Boulevard to Tenth avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the 27th day of July, 1888, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 27th day of July, 1888, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at one o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 27th day of July, 1888.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz: Northerly by the centre-line of the block or farm number between One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street and One Hundred and Fortieth street; easterly by the westerly side of Tenth avenue; southerly by the westerly side of the block between One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, and westerly by the easterly side of the Boulevard; excepting from said area all the streets and avenues heretofore opened as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the twenty-fourth day of August, 1888, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, June 18, 1888.  
EDWARD L. PARRIS,  
JOHN JEROME LAM,  
JOHN H. KITCHEN,  
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.  
In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of NINETY-NINTH STREET, from Third avenue to Fourth avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the twenty-fifth day of July, 1888, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said twenty-fifth day of July, 1888, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at two o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the twenty-fifth day of July, 1888.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz: Northerly by the centre line of the blocks between Ninety-ninth and One Hundredth streets; easterly by the westerly side of Third avenue; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between Ninety-eighth and Ninety-ninth streets, and westerly by the easterly side of Fourth avenue, excepting from said area all the streets and avenues heretofore opened as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 10th day of August, 1888, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, June 15, 1888.  
EDWARD L. PARRIS,  
OWEN W. FLANAGAN,  
EDWARD C. SHEEHY,  
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.  
In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SECOND STREET, from Eighth avenue to the first new avenue west of Eighth avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the twentieth day of July, 1888, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said twentieth day of July, 1888, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 1/2 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the twentieth day of July, 1888.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz: Northerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Forty-second and One Hundred and Forty-third streets; easterly by the westerly side of Eighth avenue; southerly by the easterly side of the block between One Hundred and Forty-first

and One Hundred and Forty-second streets, and westerly by the easterly side of New avenue; excepting from said area all the streets and avenues heretofore opened as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 10th day of August, 1888, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, June 1, 1888.  
EDWARD L. PARRIS,  
FRANCIS HIGGINS,  
JOSEPH MCGUIRE,  
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.  
In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-THIRD STREET, from Eighth avenue to the first new avenue west of Eighth avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the twentieth day of July, 1888, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said twentieth day of July, 1888, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at three o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the twentieth day of July, 1888.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz: Northerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Forty-third and One Hundred and Forty-fourth streets; easterly by the westerly side of Eighth avenue; southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Forty-second and One Hundred and Forty-third streets, and westerly by the easterly side of New avenue; excepting from said area all the streets and avenues heretofore opened as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the third day of August, 1888, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, June 1, 1888.  
FRANCIS HIGGINS,  
EDWARD L. PARRIS,  
JOSEPH MCGUIRE,  
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.  
In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of BUNGAY STREET, from Third avenue to Fourth avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the 14th day of July, 1888, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 14th day of July, 1888, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at four o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 14th day of July, 1888.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, to wit: Northerly by the southerly side of Timpon place and the westerly side of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; easterly by the centre line of the blocks between Bungay street and East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, Bungay street and Truxton street, and a line drawn parallel, or nearly so, with and distant about one hundred and twenty-four feet east from the easterly side of Bungay street, extending from the northerly side of Edgewater road to Long Island Sound; southerly by the Long Island Sound, and westerly by the centre line of the blocks between Bungay street and Walmoe street, the centre line of the blocks between Bungay street and Wetmore avenue, and the centre line of the blocks between Bungay street and St. Joseph's avenue; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads heretofore opened as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 10th day of August, 1888, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, May 18, 1888.  
B. CASSERLY,  
THOMAS J. MILLER,  
ADOLPH L. SANGER,  
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.  
In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of BUNGAY STREET, from Third avenue to Fourth avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

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First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the 14th day of July, 1888, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 14th day of July, 1888, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 1/2 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 14th day of July, 1888.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz: Northerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Forty-second and One Hundred and Forty-third streets; easterly by the westerly side of Eighth avenue; southerly by the easterly side of the block between One Hundred and Forty-first

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
ROOM 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, July 18, 1888.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder inclosed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M., Tuesday, July 31, 1888, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING THE WORK OF BUILDING AND ERECTING AN IRON ROAD BRIDGE OVER THE MIDDLE BRANCH OF THE CROTON RIVER AT SOUTH EAST RESERVOIR, PUTNAM COUNTY, NEW YORK.

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

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

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

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at Room 6, No. 31 Chambers street.

JOHN NEWTON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

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COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
ROOM 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, July 18, 1888.

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No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND TENTH STREET, from First avenue to Pleasant avenue, and SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTEENTH STREET, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, and SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIRST STREET, from Eighth to New avenue, and SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FOURTH STREET, from Ninth to Tenth avenue, and SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING TWELFTH AVENUE, from One Hundred and Thirty-third to One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, and SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

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.

tract shall be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested.

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

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

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

JOHN NEWTON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 1, 1888, AT 10.30 o'clock A. M., the Department of Public Works will sell at public auction, by Messrs. Van Tassel and Kearney, Auctioneers, at the Corporation Yards at One Hundred and Nineteenth street and St. Nicholas avenue, foot of East Sixteenth street, and foot of Rivington street, East River, sale to commence at One Hundred and Nineteenth street yard at the following, viz:

- Furniture, Booths, Stands, Show-cases, Wagons, Trucks, Carts, Push-wagons, Wooden and Tin Awnings, Signs, Banners, Tool-houses, Marble, Foot-block Stands and Chairs, Canvas, Swinging Trucks, Iron Telegraph Pole, Fruit-stands, Coal-boxes, Sleighs, Sawdust Wagon, Dirt Carts, Canvas Curtains, Storm Poles, Wooden Posts and Beams, Iron Posts, Soda-water Stands, Rags, Bill-boards, Express and Railroad Booths, Barber Poles, Platforms, Barrels, etc., Timbers, Beams, etc., Boilers, Cable Wire.

TERMS OF SALE.  
Cash payments in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, and the immediate removal of the articles purchased.

JOHN NEWTON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
ROOM 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, July 18, 1888.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder inclosed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M., Thursday, July 27, 1888, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR SEWER IN SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET, between Riverside and West End avenues.

No. 2. FOR SEWER IN FOURTH AVENUE, west side, between Ninety-ninth and One Hundred and Third streets.

No. 3. FOR SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND FIRST STREET, between Boulevard and West End avenue.

No. 4. FOR SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND THIRD STREET, between Eighth and Manhattan avenues.

No. 5. FOR SEWER IN AVENUE ST. NICHOLAS, west side, between One Hundred and Seventeenth and One Hundred and Eighteenth streets, and ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-NINTH STREET, between Avenue St. Nicholas and Eighth avenue.

No. 6. FOR SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND NINETEENTH STREET, between Manhattan and Eighth avenues.

No. 7. FOR SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SEVENTH STREET, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.

No. 8. FOR EXTENSION OF SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIRST STREET, between Boulevard and Tenth avenue, and in TENTH AVENUE, west side, between One Hundred and Fourth and One Hundred and Forty-first streets.

No. 9. FOR SEWER IN HAMILTON PLACE, between One Hundred and Forty-first and One Hundred and Forty-second streets, connecting with present sewer in One Hundred and Forty-second street.

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

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