



*New York State Archives*

**Affidavits of non-occupancy of lands purchased at  
Comptroller's tax sales B0988**

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## Overview of the Records

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<b>Repository:</b>	New York State Archives
<b>Summary:</b>	This series consists of affidavits of purchasers of land at Comptroller's tax sales, stating that the land purchased was wholly unoccupied and vacant. The affidavits were filed with the Comptroller to prove that no occupant had rights to redeem land from the tax sale.
<b>Creator:</b>	New York (State). Comptroller's Office
<b>Title:</b>	Affidavits of non-occupancy of lands purchased at Comptroller's tax sales
<b>Quantity:</b>	0.3 cubic feet
<b>Inclusive Date:</b>	1869-1927
<b>Bulk Date:</b>	bulk 1869-1918
<b>Series:</b>	B0988

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## Arrangement

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Alphabetic by county, then roughly chronological by year.

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## Scope and Content Note

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This series consists of affidavits of purchasers of land at Comptroller's tax sales, stating that the land purchased was wholly unoccupied and vacant.

The affidavits were filed with the Comptroller to prove that there was no occupant having any right to redeem land from tax sale.

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## Use of Records

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### Access Restrictions

There are no restrictions regarding access to or use of the material.

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## Access Terms

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- Tax-sales
- Accounting
- Real property tax
- Affidavits
- New York (State)
- Finance, Public--New York (State)--Accounting
- Taxation
- New York (State). Department of Audit and Control