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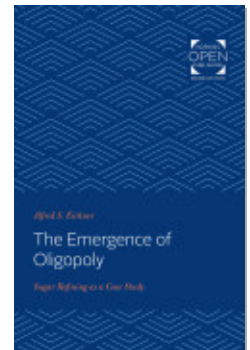
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APPENDIX A

SUGAR REFINERIES LOCATED IN NEW YORK CITY
1868-87*

REFINERY	68	69	70	71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80	81	82	83	84	85	86	87
Aldama & Fuller						•	•	•												
Atlantic S. R. Co.	•	•																		
Joseph Bensei																			•	•
Birbeck & Howell						•														
Booth & Edgar	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•				
Wm. P. Breck (succ'd by Breck & Schemerhorn)	•																			
Brooklyn S. R. Co.										•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Brunjes, Ockershausen & Co. (succ'd by Brunjes, Bohde & Doscher)	•	•	•	•	•		•													
Peter Brunjes					•															
Burden Control S. R. Co.																		•	•	•
Burger, Hurlbut & Livingston	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•			
Hugh Camp & Co.	•	•																		
Canfield & Benner			•	•	•	•														
Chicago S. R. Co.																				•
Cunningham, Harris & Co.		•																		
Curtis, Shapter & Co.			•	•																
DeCastro & Donner					•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Dick & Meyer										•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Dowley, Corners & Co. (succ'd by Corney Bros. & Co.)	•	•	•	•	•	•	•			•	•	•	•							
Carsten Droge						•														
Chas. W. Durant			•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•			
Earie & Co.													•							
Electric S. R. Co.																		•	•	•
Empire S. Mfg. Co.															•	•				
J. M. & L. Escorriaza	•																			
Foote & Knevels																	•			
Thos. Freeborn & Co.							•	•	•	•	•									
Greer, Turner & Co.	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•										
Michael Hannon											•									
Harriman & Wallace (succ'd by Wallace & Schomaker)	•	•		•	•															
John Harris	•																			
Sarah Harris	•																			
Havemeyer & Co. (succ'd by Havemeyers, Eastwick & Co., succ'd in turn by Havemeyer S. R. Co.)			•	•	•	•														
Havemeyer Bros. & Co. (succ'd by Havemeyer S. R. Co.)					•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•							
Havemeyer & Elder	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
M. Hopke & Co.				•	•	•														
B. H. Howell, Sons & Co.																•	•	•	•	•
Hudson River Staam S. R.	•	•	•	•	•															
Johnson, Brodisk & Sons	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•							
Johnson & Lazarus					•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•							
Katterhorn, Hopke, Offerman & Co.					•	•	•	•	•											
Frank Lazarus								•												
Long Island S. R. Co.	•	•	•	•	•	•														
F. O. Matthiessen & Wiechers	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Wm. Moller & Sons (succ'd by Wm. Moller)	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•			•	•	•	•						
Moller, Odell & Co.	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•							
Moller, Sierck, Hencken & Co. (succ'd by Moller, Sierck & Co.)	•	•	•	•	•	•														

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Mollers & Martens (succ'd by	•	•	•	•	•	•														
Moller, Sierck & Co.)							•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
New Jersey S. R. Co.		•																		
New Jersey Ref. Co.													•	•						
New York Steam S. R. Co.	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•										
New York S. R. Co.													•							
W. H. Nichols & Co.														•	•	•				
North River S. R. Co.	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Ockershausen Bros.	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•									
Ockershausen																			•	
Peninsular S. Co.																		•	•	
Plume & Lamont	•	•																		
John F. Reinecke						•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•				
N. Ross & Co.		•	•																	
Wm. Schroeder								•	•	•	•	•								
Hector Sears				•	•	•	•	•	•											
Smith, Griggs & Co.													•							
R. L. & A. Stuart	•	•	•	•	•															
Taussig & Hammerschlag								•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•					
P. B. Veiller	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•				
Weston & Co.																		•		
Wheatley, Williams & Co.	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•												
Williamson, Griffith & Co.	•	•	•	•	•	•	•													
Wintjen, Dick & Co. (succ'd by	•	•	•	•	•	•														
Henry Harms)							•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•					
James Wood																		•		
Wylie, Knevels & Co.					•	•														
Number of Firms Newly Listed	—	3	4	2	6	5	2	3	0	2	0	2	3	1	2	2	3	1	2	0
Number of Firms Newly Omitted	—	3	5	1	1	5	8	1	4	3	2	3	5	4	2	0	5	3	2	1
Number of Firms Temporarily De-listed	—	2	0	1	1	2	0	0	2	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	1	1
Number of Firms Re-listed	—	—	1	1	0	2	1	1	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Number of Mergers	—	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total Number of Firms Listed	30	28	28	29	33	33	27	30	24	22	20	19	18	14	14	17	15	11	12	12

*As compiled from the *New York City Directory*, 1868-87. The symbol • indicates a year in which the refinery specified was listed in the city directory. The table, however, should be interpreted as only an approximation of the actual number of sugar refineries in operation, for not all the firms listed in the directory were, in fact, operating refineries. Some were merely commission merchants, having no refining capacity of their own, while others were merely firms *in embryo* which never succeeded in actually producing sugar. It is impossible to determine what percentage of the firms listed during the twenty-year period fall into either of these categories. But of the twelve firms listed in the 1887 directory, four—Joseph Bense, Burden Control S. R. Co., Electric S. R. Co., and B. H. Howell, Sons & Co.—definitely were not operating refineries. This high percentage, however, probably was not typical for the twenty-year period. On the other hand, the directory did not always list every sugar refinery in New York City. For example, it consistently failed to include the Oxnard Sugar Refining Company. Moreover, in certain years, refineries that had been listed in prior or subsequent years were not included. This fact has been indicated in the table by the symbol ◊ rather than the symbol •. One possible interpretation is that the refineries not listed were temporarily closed down. But an equally possible interpretation is that they were not listed for the same unknown reason that the Oxnard refinery was not listed.