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### LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Counsel to the Corporation for the week ending February 10, 1883.

*The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York are defendants, unless otherwise mentioned.*

#### SCHEDULE "A."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED.

##### SUPREME COURT.

The Missionary Society of the Most Holy Redeemer in the State of New York—To cancel taxes of 1871 to 1876, \$434.13, \$609.34, \$525, \$588, \$617.40, \$588, respectively.  
People ex rel. Isaac Evens, against Stephen B. French and others, composing the Board of Police Commissioners of the Police Department of the City of New York—Mandamus to compel payment to relator of amount of salary withheld while absent on sick leave. . . . \$2,000 00  
People ex rel. Thomas Mack—Same. . . . 2,000 00  
People ex rel. James McVay—Same. . . . 1,000 00  
People ex rel. Dennis O'Hara—Same. . . . 1,000 00  
People ex rel. Jas. Flanagan—Same. . . . 300 00  
People ex rel. John Flanagan—Same. . . . 100 00  
People ex rel. John J. McKenna—Same. . . . 100 00  
People ex rel. Eljah L. Austin—Same. . . . 2,000 00  
People ex rel. Geo. W. Blouck—Same. . . . 1,000 00  
People ex rel. Alex. Clinchy—Same. . . . 1,000 00  
People ex rel. Hugh Gilgan—Same. . . . 1,000 00  
People ex rel. Henry E. Hopper—Same. . . . 2,000 00  
People ex rel. Daniel McNamara—Same. . . . 2,000 00  
People ex rel. Edward Scanlon—Same. . . . 1,000 00  
People ex rel. John Healy—Same. . . . 2,000 00  
People ex rel. Matthew Kennedy—Same. . . . 2,000 00  
People ex rel. John Laydon—Same. . . . 2,000 00  
People ex rel. Bernard Meehan—Same. . . . 2,000 00  
People ex rel. William Mulcahy—Same. . . . 1,000 00  
People ex rel. Matthew Skelling—Same. . . . 2,000 00  
People ex rel. James Stewart—Same. . . . 2,000 00  
People ex rel. Robert J. Crombie—Same. . . . 1,000 00  
People ex rel. James Gray—Same. . . . 1,000 00  
People ex rel. Geo. C. McClary—Same. . . . 2,500 00  
People ex rel. James Cowen—Same. . . . 500 00  
People ex rel. William B. Deeves—Same. . . . 2,000 00  
People ex rel. Patrick T. Feeney—Same. . . . 2,000 00  
People ex rel. James Geraghty—Same. . . . 500 00  
People ex rel. Timothy Falvey—Same. . . . 2,000 00  
People ex rel. Thomas S. Harper—Same. . . . 1,000 00  
People ex rel. Peter Kenney—Same. . . . 2,000 00  
People ex rel. Mary Leech, administratrix—Same. . . . 2,000 00  
People ex rel. Henry Lahn—Same. . . . 2,000 00  
People ex rel. George D. Shaw—Same. . . . 2,000 00  
People ex rel. Hiram Levy—Same. . . . 75 00  
People ex rel. Chester D. Ketchum—Same. . . . 2,000 00  
People ex rel. George W. Steele—Same. . . . 500 00  
People ex rel. James J. Tuite—Same. . . . 2,000 00  
People ex rel. August Alberts—Same. . . . 1,000 00  
People ex rel. James H. Brennan—Same. . . . 150 00  
People ex rel. John J. Cain—Same. . . . 200 00  
People ex rel. Patrick J. Keenan—Same. . . . 500 00  
People ex rel. Patrick McLaughlin—Same. . . . 100 00  
People ex rel. John Lehnert—Same. . . . 200 00  
People ex rel. Richard Leary—Same. . . . 1,000 00  
People ex rel. Daniel Murray—Same. . . . 400 00  
People ex rel. Christian Popp—Same. . . . 1,000 00  
People ex rel. Philip Meaney—Same. . . . 500 00  
People ex rel. William Byrne—Same. . . . 300 00  
Charles H. Simpson and another against Charles A. St. John—To recover two diamond bracelets.  
Ira L. Otis and another against The Mayor, etc., of New York, James W. O'Grady and Charles Johns—To foreclose lien against contract of J. W. O'Grady and another, for sewer in One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, \$196.05.  
People ex rel. Emilie Austin et al. against Edward Cooper et al. (Assessment Commission)—Certiorari to review award for assessment (made by the Commission) in the matter of Sixth avenue macadamizing, One Hundred and Tenth street to Harlem river.  
David H. Cochrane and another, trustees, etc., against The Manhattan Railway Company, The Metropolitan Elevated Railroad Company, and the Mayor, etc., of New York—To restrain running of elevated railroad in front of No. 213 West Fifty-third street, and for damages sustained, \$30,000; summons only served.  
Esther Ramus—For an award made in the matter of Morris avenue opening to John Bennett, \$995.

##### COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Samuel T. Webster—Balance due on account of salary of Chief Clerk in Building Department for 1879, \$153.90.

##### SUPERIOR COURT.

Patrick Singleton—Damages for alleged personal injuries, falling into trench in Jerome avenue, Twenty-third Ward, November 1, 1882, \$3,000.

##### U. S. DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK.

In the matter of James K. Spratt, bankrupt—City a creditor as per schedule, \$80.91.

##### BEFORE THE ASSESSMENT COMMISSION APPOINTED UNDER CHAPTER 550 OF THE LAWS OF 1880.

In re petition of Eliza Culbert, administratrix, to recover assessment paid for Boulevard regulating, etc., Fifty-ninth to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.  
In re petition of Chas. N. Romaine, to recover assessment paid for Boulevard regulating, etc., Fifty-ninth to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.

In re petition of Sarah P. Van Hoesen, to recover assessment paid for Seventh avenue regulating, etc., from One Hundred and Tenth street to Harlem river.  
In re petition of Sarah P. Van Hoesen, to recover assessment paid for Sixth, Seventh, and St. Nicholas avenue sewers, from One Hundred and Tenth to One Hundred and Sixteenth street.  
In re petition of Moses Bruhl et al., to recover assessment paid for One Hundred and Sixteenth street regulating, etc.  
In re petition of James Galway, to recover assessment paid for Boulevard regulating, etc., from Fifty-ninth to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.  
In re petition of Henry Grossmayer, to vacate assessment for One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street paving, from Seventh to Eighth avenue, completed December 9, 1882.  
In re petition of Stephen Murphy, to vacate assessment for One Hundred and Twenty-second street regulating, etc., from Sixth to Seventh avenue, completed December 9, 1882.

#### SCHEDULE "B."

JUDGMENTS ENTERED AND ORDERS OF THE GENERAL AND SPECIAL TERMS.

Bradley White Lead Co.—Order entered directing deposit of \$1,661.01 and interest in U. S. Trust Company.  
In re James A. Deering, Broadway regulating, etc.—General Term order modifying order of Special Term entered.  
People ex rel. Wm. F. Quinn vs. Wm. R. Grace—Order entered dismissing writ of certiorari.  
Louisa J. Van Buskirk—General Term order of affirmance entered.  
John Meehan—General Term order of reversal with costs to appellants to abide event entered.  
In re John Lawden, Second avenue pavement—Order entered to reduce assessments.  
People ex rel. John Ryan v. Board of Police—Order on remittitur and directing payment to relator of \$2,823.58 entered.  
Wm. H. Webb et al.—Order entered denying motion for extra allowance.  
James H. Monroe—General Term order directing judgment for the city on the verdict with costs entered.  
In re Wm. H. Leonard, Forty-sixth street regulating—Order of reversal with \$10 costs to city entered.  
Ann Crummy—Judgment entered dismissing complaint and for \$86.94 costs, etc.  
In re Trustees Leake and Watts Orphan Asylum Society, Tenth avenue sewer, One Hundred and Tenth to One Hundred and Fourteenth street—General Term order of affirmance entered.  
In re G. A. Seixas, One Hundred and Sixteenth street curbing, grading, etc.—General Term order of affirmance entered.  
Ann McGregor—Order entered sustaining demurrer with costs.  
John Bohling vs. Board of Police Commissioners—Order entered discontinuing suit without costs.  
John D. Brunges do do do  
John Bremmer do do do  
Charles Bosch do do do  
John Bruns do do do  
Behrend Cook do do do  
John T. Cordes do do do  
Herman Cordes do do do  
William Dierke do do do  
Jacob Dohrman do do do  
John H. Dutting do do do  
Jacob Dreyer do do do  
William Fagan do do do  
Bernard Feelman do do do  
Victor Foucher do do do  
Charles Freck do do do  
Hugo Fischer do do do  
Charles Fischer do do do  
Jacob Hohn do do do  
Henry W. Hoops do do do  
Henry Hahn do do do  
Cordt Heinrichs do do do  
J. Frederick Hoops do do do  
Herman Hoops do do do  
Henry Hesse do do do  
Frank Helfst do do do  
Henry Holthusen do do do  
Henry Helfst do do do  
William Inherman do do do  
Ernest A. G. Inherman do do do  
Anna Inherman do do do  
Henry H. Inherman do do do  
Peter De Jounge do do do  
Charles De Jounge do do do  
Herman A. Koenig do do do  
Frederick Lange do do do  
August Less do do do  
James Mackhillany and another do do do  
David Mackay do do do  
Herman Maack do do do  
Frederick Muller and another do do do  
Julius Mitchel do do do  
Heinrich Meyer do do do  
John H. Nordhausen do do do  
John P. Piles do do do  
Henry A. Brunn do do do  
Albert Reiman do do do  
Deverick Rosebrook do do do  
John and Frederick Schuackenberg do do do  
Julius Stern et al. do do do  
Henry Herman, Jr., do do do  
Deverick Schuackenberg and another do do do  
Henrietta Schnell do do do  
Jacob Lohder do do do  
Henry Lunsman do do do  
William Schmitts do do do  
John Fiedemann do do do  
William Wolfinger do do do  
Frederick Wehman do do do  
Erbe Unsterman do do do  
John Wilkins do do do  
Gust Wohltman do do do  
Herman Wilkins do do do  
Claus Wilkens do do do  
John Wilckens do do do  
Louis Blanck—Judgment entered dismissing complaint and for \$117.37 costs, etc.  
Stephen O'Brien—Order of reversal and directing new trial entered.  
In re Simon Wormser and ano., Eighty-fifth street regulating, etc.—Order of affirmance with \$10 costs and disbursements entered.  
In re William A. Richter—Eighty-fourth street regulating, etc.—Order of affirmance with \$10 costs and disbursements entered.  
In re Robert Chapman—One Hundred and Fifteenth street regulating, etc.—Order of affirmance with \$10 costs and disbursements entered.  
Ellen O'Donnell—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$4,161.85.



In re petition of Robert H. Arkenburgh,	Boulevard sewers, Sixty-first to Seventy-seventh street—		
	Order to vacate assessment entered.		
In re petition of Frederick H. Cassitt,	do	do	do
In re petition of Jeremiah J. Campion,	do	do	do
In re petition of Jeremiah W. Dimick,	do	do	do
In re petition of James E. Deney,	do	do	do
In re petition of John R. Vanderveer,	do	do	do
In re petition of James D. Fish,	do	do	do
In re petition of Joseph H. Godwin,	do	do	do
In re petition of Charles G. Havery,	do	do	do
In re petition of Elias S. Higgins,	do	do	do
In re petition of Rowland N. Hazard,	do	do	do
In re petition of Arnold Lanstig,	do	do	do
In re petition of Edward Livingston,	do	do	do
In re petition of William Mead,	do	do	do
In re petition of Estate George H. Peck,	do	do	do
In re petition of Charles H. Russell,	do	do	do
In re petition of R. L. Schieffelin,	do	do	do
In re petition of Christian Blum,	Boulevard sewers, Seventy-seventh to Ninety-second street—		
	Order to vacate assessment entered.		
In re petition of Adolph Bernheimer,	do	do	do
In re petition of Edmund Coffin, Jr.,	do	do	do
In re petition of Jeremiah W. Dimmick,	do	do	do
In re petition of Philip Ebling and another,	do	do	do
In re petition of Daniel M. Edgar,	do	do	do
In re petition of George Jones,	do	do	do
In re petition of George W. Paillon,	do	do	do
In re petition of J. Harsen Purdy,	do	do	do
In re petition of Lazarus Rosenfeld,	do	do	do
In re petition of Charles Sanders,	do	do	do
In re petition of German Savings Bank,	do	do	do
In re petition of John Schmidt,	do	do	do
In re petition of Greenleaf K. Sheridan,	do	do	do
In re petition of Selig Steinhardt,	do	do	do
In re petition of Joseph L. R. Wood,	do	do	do
In re petition of Henry Alker,	Boulevard sewers, Ninety-second to One Hundred and Sixth street—		
	Order to vacate assessment entered.		
In re petition of Henry Draper,	do	do	do
In re petition of Nathaniel D. Higgins,	do	do	do
In re petition of George Jones,	do	do	do
In re petition of Bennett J. King,	do	do	do
In re petition of Charles H. Ludding,	do	do	do
In re petition of Greenleaf K. Sheridan, ex'r,	do	do	do
In re petition of Jacob D. Vermilye and others,	do	do	do
In re petition of Jacob D. Vermilye and others,	do	do	do
In re petition of Jacob D. Vermilye and others,	do	do	do
In re petition of Margaret E. Zimmermann,	do	do	do
In re Francis McCabe, Second avenue paving—	Order to reduce assessment entered.		
In re Francis McCabe, Ninety-fifth and Ninety-eighth street sewers—	Order to reduce assessment entered.		
In re Francis McCabe, One Hundred and Sixth street outlet sewer—	Order to reduce assessment entered.		
In re Edward Schell, Eighty-first street sewer, between Eighth and Ninth avenues—	Order to reduce assessment entered.		

## SCHEDULE "C."

## SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED OR ARGUED.

People ex rel. William H. Scott against Tax Commissioners—Argued at Special Term; decision reserved.

Ellen O'Donnell—Tried before J. F. Daly, J., and jury; verdict for plaintiff for \$4,000.

Frederick P. Reed—Tried before Larremore, J., and jury; verdict for plaintiff for \$5,000.

Mayor, etc., vs. A. L. Kerker—Judgment debtor examined in supplementary proceeding.

Mayor, etc., vs. Frederick Schecker—Judgment debtor examined in supplementary proceeding.

Lidgerwood Manufacturing Company vs. McMahon et al.—Tried before Van Vorst, J.; decision reserved.

People ex rel. Charles Jones vs. Allan Campbell—Motion for mandamus argued; decision reserved.

M. T. McMahon, Receiver, vs. J. S. Platt—Tried before Ingraham, J., and jury; verdict directed for plaintiff for full amount.

Edmund R. Morris—Tried before J. F. Daly, J., and jury; verdict direct subject to opinion of court at General Term.

GEORGE P. ANDREWS, Counsel to the Corporation.

FEBRUARY 10, 1883.

At a meeting, this day, held at the Mayor's office, there were present the following persons: Franklin Edson, Mayor; Allan Campbell, Comptroller; Hubert O. Thompson, Commissioner of Public Works; Charles F. Chandler, President of the Health Department; John J. Gorman, President of the Fire Department; Stephen B. French, President of the Police Department; Joel W. Mason, Commissioner of the Police Department; James Matthews, Commissioner of the Police Department; William Laimbeer, President of the Dock Department; Edward C. Donnelly, Commissioner of the Department of Taxes and Assessments; Henry H. Porter, Commissioner of the Department of Public Charities and Correction; Salem H. Wales, Commissioner of the Park Department; James S. Coleman, Commissioner of the Street Cleaning Department; George P. Andrews, Counsel to the Corporation.

His Honor the Mayor acted as Chairman, and the Counsel to the Corporation was appointed Secretary.

The following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

"Resolved, That in the opinion of this Conference, Assembly Bill No. 114, 'to regulate the removal of stable refuse, street sweepings, and other material from cities,' is an objectionable bill, and should not become a law."

"Resolved, That in the opinion of this Conference, Assembly Bill No. 75, called 'The Matrons' Bill,' is an objectionable one, and should not become a law."

"Resolved, That in the opinion of this Conference, Assembly Bill No. 7, relating to providing a dock for the police boat is a proper one, and should become a law, as amended by agreement between the Police and Dock Departments."

"Resolved, That Assembly Bill No. 151 is an objectionable one, and should not become a law, for the reason that the Department of Public Charities and Correction has power, under existing law, to apply for, and the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to appropriate, whatever sums may be necessary for the relief of the adult blind of the City of New York."

FEBRUARY 17, 1883.

At a meeting, this day, held at the Mayor's Office, the following persons were present: Franklin Edson, Mayor; Allan Campbell, Comptroller; Hubert O. Thompson, Commissioner of Public Works; Charles F. Chandler, President of the Health Department; John J. Gorman, President of the Fire Department; James Matthews, Commissioner of the Police Department; William Laimbeer, President of the Dock Department; Edward C. Donnelly, Commissioner of the Department of Taxes and Assessments; Henry H. Porter, Commissioner of the Department of Public Charities and Correction; Salem H. Wales, Commissioner of the Park Department; James S. Coleman, Commissioner of the Street Cleaning Department; George P. Andrews, Counsel to the Corporation.

The following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

"Resolved, That in the opinion of this Conference, the bill pending before the Legislature, in regard to the adult blind, should be amended, so as to leave the amount to be appropriated subject to the control of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment."

"Resolved, That in the opinion of this Conference, Senate Bill No. 137, relating to parts of Piers 22 and 23, East river, and bulkhead between, should not become a law, for the reason that a lease of the premises now exists, and will not expire until 1889."

"Resolved, That Assembly Bill No. 227 is an improper one, and should not become a law."

"Resolved, That in the opinion of this Conference, Assembly Bill No. 249 should not become a law."

"Resolved, That Senate Bill No. 147, authorizing the Park Department to organize a police force, should not become a law, for the reason that it provides for a mode of trial of charges against parkkeepers which is open to very serious objection. The system of trials, as now carried on, is simple, and has worked to advantage for many years. The bill is also objectionable, inasmuch as it limits the number of men to be employed on the force. This expenditure is now under the control of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment."

"Resolved, That this Conference objects to the passage of Senate Bill No. 163, which provides for taking certain land for a park, in view of the fact that Senate Bill No. 153 provides for a commission to consider the proposition of acquiring property for the same purpose, which bill (No. 153) this Conference approves."

"Resolved, That Assembly Bill No. 203 should not become a law, for the reason that it is special legislation, and for the additional reason that its passage would produce great damage to the piers and bulkhead."

"Resolved, That in the opinion of this Conference, Assembly Bill No. 246, relating to compensation of keepers of prisons, should not become a law, for the reason of the damage which would accrue to the city."

"Resolved, That in the opinion of this Conference, Assembly Bill No. 202, to regulate the use of Pter 21, East river, and adjoining bulkhead, should not become a law."

"Resolved, That in the opinion of this Conference, Assembly Bill No. 247, for the relief of Daniel J. McCarthy, for work in the Dock Department exceeding eight hours per day, in 1876, should not become a law."

"Resolved, That in the opinion of this Conference, the bill prohibiting the driving of cattle through Eleventh avenue, except between Fortieth and Sixtieth streets, is not a proper bill, and should not become a law. It permits cattle-driving in New York City, the same being now prohibited by the Health Department. All necessary power for regulating the subject is already provided by the acts establishing the Board of Health."

"Resolved, That in the opinion of this Conference, Senate Bill No. 124 is not deemed to be advisable, and should not become a law."

GEORGE P. ANDREWS, Counsel to the Corporation, and Secretary.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, January 6, 1883.

Present—President John J. Gorman, Commissioners Cornelius Van Cott and Henry D. Purroy.

## Trials.

Private Edward A. Scannell, of Engine Co. No. 16, charged with "violation of sec. 1, par. II, General Orders No. 21, 1881." Found guilty, but excusable under the circumstances, and charge dismissed.

Fireman William J. Cavanagh, of Engine Co. No. 27, charged with "absence without leave." Found guilty and fined one day's pay.

Private John J. Horan, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 1, charged with "absence without leave." Found guilty and fined five days' pay.

Private John A. McCormick, of Engine Co. No. 6, charged with "absence without leave." Found guilty and fined two days' pay.

Commissioner Purroy, in compliance with resolution relative to the organization, etc., of a life-saving corps, adopted February 6, 1882, presented the following report:

NEW YORK, January 6, 1883.

## Hon. Board of Fire Commissioners:

GENTLEMEN—After careful consideration of the matter contained in the annexed resolution, I am fully convinced that it would be a step wisely taken in the direction of the improvement of this Department, for the Board of Fire Commissioners to promptly adopt measures to prevent, as far as possible, loss of life at fires.

Years ago many of the great cities of Europe (warned by calamities similar to the Potter fire in this city) organized life-saving corps, which were made part of their respective fire services; and in the United States, among other cities, St. Louis and Chicago have recently followed their examples.

It is an undeniable fact that occasions rarely present themselves where life-saving corps are given an opportunity of bringing their services into successful operation, because long experience has shown that, where loss of life takes place in connection with fires, the loss in most instances occurs in the first few minutes which follow the breaking out of the conflagration, and before it is possible, even with the utmost speed, to render effective assistance. Still, every now and then the country is shocked by calamities such as the Potter fire and the burning of the Southern Hotel at St. Louis, where life is lost before the eyes of a multitude compelled to listen to the cries for aid of the victims whom the flames have cut off; and, to my mind, one such case more than justifies the labor and comparatively small expense of organizing, training and equipping a force of men who, in addition to their other fire duties, shall be prepared, in just such emergencies, to bring to those whose lives are endangered, every help that human ingenuity and skill can devise.

The fact that New York City has of late years witnessed the erection, in large numbers, of buildings of such immense height as to place their upper stories beyond the reach of the highest extension ladders, seems an additional reason for the general introduction of the light scaling ladders which are in use among life-saving corps, and by means of which the tops of the loftiest buildings can be safely and quickly reached.

In conclusion, I would recommend that the services of a person fully competent to instruct and drill men in the use of the necessary appliances for life-saving be at once secured; that thereupon suitable quarters be assigned for a training-school, and as many men as practicable be placed under his command; and that, according as these men become proficient, they be sent to the various hook and ladder companies throughout the city; and that said companies shall hereafter be supplied with the light scaling ladders, life ropes, belts, etc., essential to the proper equipment of a life-saving corps.

HENRY D. PURROY.

Which was received, and recommendation adopted.

## Promotion.

Private Joseph M. Davis, of Engine Co. No. 25, to be Assistant Engineer of Steamer, same company, at \$1,100 per annum, from 10th instant.

## Communications

From—Chairman Committee on Apparatus—Forwarding, with recommendation, requisitions for articles required, for rental of telephones and for repairs to apparatus, estimated cost \$205, \$630, and \$150 respectively. Ordered.

Superintendent of Telegraph—Requisition for rental of telephones. Referred to Chairman Committee on Apparatus and Telegraph.

Foreman Engine Co. No. 51—Report of damage to grate bars. Laid over, with directions.

Chief of Department—Recommending alterations to plans for new quarters of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 9. Referred to Chairman Committee on Repairs and Supplies.

Same—Report relative to surplus apparatus now in Department, in compliance with directions of 3d instant. Referred to Chairman Committee on Repairs and Supplies.

Private Michael J. Reilly of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 8—Requesting transfer. Transfer to Engine Co. No. 10, ordered, from 10th instant.

Chief Ninth Battalion—Reporting strap on seal of horse broken. Referred to Property Record Clerk.

Foreman Engine Co. No. 6—Applying for a third-class engine. Filed.

Private Dennis Meehan, of Engine Co. No. 32—Applying for promotion to rank of Assistant Engineer of Steamer. Referred to Examining Board for Engineers.

Inspector of Combustibles—Report of operations for year 1882. Filed with directions to compile.

Inspector of Buildings—Report of operations for month of November, 1882. Filed.

Same—Preferring charge of neglect of duty against Examiner John Hughes. Laid over, with directions to notify to appear before the Board on 8th instant.

Superintendent of Telegraph—Applications of Western Union Telegraph Co. for permission to replace poles on Broadway south of Rector street, and to place wires on Department poles in One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, with recommendation. Approved.

Same—Report of compliance with directions in the matter of replacing pole in Liberty street. Filed.

Chief of Battalion in charge Repair Shops—Reporting suspension from pay and duty of John C. Wieland, wheelwright, from 4th instant. Confirmed.

Department of Public Charities and Correction—Relative to providing proper docking facilities at the Islands, and recommending that the owners of ferry-boats be requested to provide movable side rails. Referred to Commissioner Van Cott.

N. Y. Association for Improving Condition of the Poor—Reporting unsafe building. Referred to Inspector of Buildings.

M. Feigel & Bro.—Relative to hatchways found open at Nos. 541-545 West Twenty-first street. Referred to Inspector of Combustibles for report.

Mertz & Schaefer—Requesting copy of report of Assistant Chief of Department relative to test of anapryne. Filed.

J. G. Stewart, Jr., Manager—Invitation to witness exhibition of Shaw fire-escape ladder. Filed.

Thomas Dubois—Inviting attention to patent ladder. Filed.

Thomas Kearns—Claim against a member of the uniformed force. Filed, with directions to notify.



## Appointments.

James Barry, as blacksmith's helper, in Repair Shops, at \$1.90 per day,  
Andrew Dalton, as stoker, Engine Co. No. 51, at \$2 per day,  
Patrick O'Connell, as stoker, Engine Co. No. 51, at \$2 per day,  
—from 8th instant.  
The minutes of meetings held 27th, 28th, 29th, and 30th ultimo, and 2d and 3d instant, were read and approved.  
On motion, ordered that the Attorney be notified that the Department declines to assume responsibility for rent of office No. 120 Broadway, from and after the 1st instant.

## Bills

audited and transmitted to the Comptroller for payment—

## For the Year 1882—Schedule No. 77.

Banta, John, apparatus, supplies, etc.	\$40 00	Gutta Percha and Rubber Mfg. Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	\$241 88
Bowns, H. E., " "	1,555 79	Harlem Gas-light Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	286 20
Breder, Edward S., " "	17 00	Hunter, Keller & Co., new houses for companies	78 05
Central Gas-light Co., " "	50 19	Ilseley, Doubleday & Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	28 40
Clapp & Jones Mfg. Co., " "	151 50	Mahoney Bros., new houses for companies	4,750 48
Coolidge, George H., " "	350 00	Mehrbach, Sol., apparatus, supplies, etc.	600 00
Corporation of Trinity Church, apparatus, supplies, etc.	135 00	McCabe, John, apparatus, supplies, etc.	15 50
Dahlman, Isaac H., apparatus, supplies, etc.	930 00	McClave, E. W., & Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	86 28
Dahlman, Isaac H., apparatus, supplies, etc.	900 00	Moonan, John, apparatus, supplies, etc.	290 81
Dobbs, Edwin, apparatus, supplies, etc.	40 00	National Stove Co., " "	43 20
Dorn, Charles W., apparatus, supplies, etc.	22 20	N. Y. Gas-light Co., " "	243 00
Dudley, Henry, apparatus, supplies, etc.	40 00	Oakley, Henry A., " "	30 00
Duffey, Philip, apparatus, supplies, etc.	25 00	Patterson, H. T., & Co., " "	45 94
Dumabaut, Edward G., apparatus, supplies, etc.	79 13	Pearce & Jones, " "	100 00
Dunham, Thomas C., apparatus, supplies, etc.	81 45	Poillon, C. & K., " "	20 94
Findley, William L., apparatus, supplies, etc.	7 15	Shea, Joseph, " "	35 00
Flint, George C. & Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	275 00	Swett, Moses, " "	70 86
Fuller, A. P., apparatus, supplies, etc.	28 55	Tallman, D., ag't, " "	25 00
		Tillotson, L. G., & Co., " "	24 33
		Von Gerichten, Theodore " "	37 00
			\$12,660 33

On motion, adjourned.

CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Assistant Secretary.

JANUARY 8, 1883.

Present—President John J. Gorman, Commissioners Cornelius Van Cott and Henry D. Purroy, Charge of neglect of duty preferred by Inspector of Buildings against Examiner John Hughes was heard. Accused found guilty and sentenced to be reprimanded in orders.

## Transfers

—to take effect 10th instant.  
Fireman William Wogan, Engine Co. No. 9 to Engine Co. No. 4.  
Private Michael H. Dynan, Engine Co. No. 4 to Engine Co. No. 9.

## Resolutions.

Resolved, That William J. Sauer, messenger in Bureau of Inspection of Buildings, be and is hereby promoted to be a clerk in this Department, at a salary of \$900 per annum, to take effect from the 1st instant, and assigned to the Bureau of Inspection of Buildings for duty. Adopted.  
On motion, adjourned.

CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Assistant Secretary.

JANUARY 10, 1883.

Present—President John J. Gorman and Commissioner Cornelius Van Cott.  
Affidavit relative to publication of advertisement inviting proposals was read and filed, and approved form of contract submitted.

## Proposal for Furnishing Forage

was received, as follows:	
No. 1. From John Moonan—	
300,000 pounds of hay, at 95 cents.	\$2,850 00
55,000 pounds of straw, at 80 cents.	440 00
2,500 bags of oats, at \$1.40.	3,500 00
1,800 bags of feed, at 80 cents.	1,440 00
Total.	\$8,230 00

Referred to the Comptroller for action upon sureties, and security deposit of \$250 transmitted to Finance Department.  
On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, February 8, 1883.

In accordance with section 110, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the Department of Public Works makes the following report of its transactions during the week ending February 3, 1883:

## Public Moneys Received and Deposited in the City Treasury.

For Croton water rents.	\$9,308 67
For penalties on water rents.	196 65
For tapping Croton pipes.	49 00
For sewer permits.	260 00
For removing obstructions.	15 50
Restoring and repaving "Special Fund"	294 00
Total.	\$10,123 82

## Permits Issued.

9 permits to tap Croton pipes.  
37 permits to open streets.  
8 permits to make sewer connections.  
14 permits to repair sewer connections.  
79 permits to place building material on streets.

## Obstructions Removed.

Four loads of boxes, from West Broadway and Reade street.  
Two carts, from Twenty-ninth street and East river.  
Two oil barrels, from No. 2288 Third avenue.  
Four packing boxes, from No. 2286 Third avenue.  
Seven pieces dry goods, from southeast corner One Hundred and Twenty-first street and Third avenue.  
Telegraph pole, from No. 110 Spring street.  
Double truck, from Pike Slip.  
Single truck, from Pike Slip.  
Two wagons, from No. 264 and 266 West Twenty-second street.  
Booth, from Burling Slip.  
Three hand or push carts, from Theatre alley.

## Public Lamps.

2 new lamps lighted.  
3 lamp-posts reset.  
2 columns refitted.  
3 columns releaded.

## Report of Photometrical Examinations of Illuminating Gas, for the week ending February 3, 1883, made at the Photometrical Rooms of the Department of Public Works.

DATE.	TIME.	Thermometer.	Barometer.	GAS COMPANY.	BURNER.	Pressure as Delivered to Burner.	Consumption of Gas, Rate per hour.	Consumption of Gas, Rate per hour.	ILLUMINATING POWER.	
									Observed.	Corrected.
Jan. 29	3:30 P.M.	71.	30.06	Manhattan	Empire 5 ft.	IN.	CU. FT.	120.0	18.16	18.16
" 30	2 P.M.	75.	30.23	"	"	.89	5.00	120.0	18.86	18.86
" 31	3:30 P.M.	76.	29.90	"	"	.88	5.00	124.2	18.36	19.00
Feb. 1	2 P.M.	76.	30.35	"	"	.89	5.00	121.2	18.90	19.09
" 2	3 P.M.	71.	30.73	"	"	.89	5.00	120.0	18.74	18.74
" 3	2 P.M.	70.	30.28	"	"	.89	5.00	123.0	16.94	17.35
									Average.	18.53
Jan. 29	5:30 P.M.	68.	30.30	Harlem	"	.76	5.00	110.0	19.30	19.30
" 30	5 P.M.	68.	30.27	"	"	.75	5.00	114.0	20.60	19.57
" 31	9:30 A.M.	72.	29.88	"	"	.75	5.00	120.0	19.30	19.30
Feb. 1	3 P.M.	70.	30.34	"	"	.73	5.00	120.0	19.17	19.17
" 2	5:30 P.M.	64.	30.75	"	"	.75	5.00	126.0	18.41	19.33
" 3	5 P.M.	64.	30.30	"	"	.75	5.00	114.0	20.45	19.42
									Average.	19.35
Jan. 29	9:30 A.M.	61.	30.06	New York	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.87	5.00	123.0	22.08	22.63
" 30	3:30 P.M.	76.	30.23	"	"	.87	5.00	120.0	23.72	23.72
" 31	2 P.M.	78.	29.90	"	"	.86	5.00	120.0	25.52	25.52
Feb. 1	3 P.M.	77.	30.35	"	"	.86	5.00	118.8	25.12	24.87
" 2	1 P.M.	70.	30.73	"	"	.87	5.00	121.8	23.02	23.36
" 3	3 P.M.	72.	30.28	"	"	.86	5.00	121.2	26.50	26.76
									Average.	24.47
Jan. 29	3 P.M.	70.	30.06	N. Y. Mutual.	"	.90	5.00	119.4	26.94	26.80
" 30	2:30 P.M.	76.	30.23	"	"	.89	5.00	117.0	30.52	29.75
" 31	3 P.M.	74.	29.90	"	"	.88	5.00	124.2	26.80	27.74
Feb. 1	2:30 P.M.	76.	30.35	"	"	.88	5.00	120.0	27.90	27.90
" 2	2:30 P.M.	71.	30.73	"	"	.90	5.00	118.8	26.54	26.27
" 3	2:30 P.M.	70.	30.28	"	"	.90	5.00	118.8	26.66	26.39
									Average.	27.47
Jan. 29	10 A.M.	62.	30.06	Municipal	"	.87	5.00	117.0	28.80	28.08
" 30	3 P.M.	76.	30.23	"	"	.89	5.00	120.0	31.06	31.06
" 31	2:30 P.M.	77.	29.90	"	"	.85	5.00	120.0	29.60	29.60
Feb. 1	3:30 P.M.	77.	30.35	"	"	.86	5.00	121.2	28.84	29.13
" 2	2 P.M.	71.	30.73	"	"	.87	5.00	122.4	29.22	29.80
" 3	3:30 P.M.	72.	30.28	"	"	.87	5.00	115.8	29.08	28.06
									Average.	29.29
Jan. 29	5 P.M.	68.	30.30	Metropolitan	" No. 6	.70	5.00	116.4	22.80	22.11
" 30	5:30 P.M.	69.	30.27	"	"	.69	5.00	120.0	20.72	20.72
" 31	9 A.M.	71.	29.88	"	"	.68	5.00	118.2	20.98	20.67
Feb. 1	3:30 P.M.	70.	30.34	"	"	.68	5.00	121.2	20.74	20.94
" 2	5 P.M.	63.	30.75	"	"	.68	5.00	115.2	21.88	21.00
" 3	5:30 P.M.	64.	30.30	"	"	.68	5.00	121.2	21.28	21.49
									Average.	21.15

E. G. LOVE, PH. D., Gas Examiner.

## Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.

45 receiving-basins and culverts cleaned.  
25 lineal feet of sewer rebuilt.  
600 lineal feet of sewer cleaned.  
3 lineal feet of spur pipe laid.  
7 manholes repaired.  
11 new manhole heads and covers put on.  
128 new manhole covers put on.  
715 cubic yards of earth excavated and removed.  
47 square yards of pavement relaid.  
127 loads of dirt removed.

## Contracts Entered Into.

DATE.	NATURE AND LOCATION OF WORK.	CONTRACTOR.	SURETIES.
Jan. 15	Flagging east side of Madison avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-fifth to One Hundred and Twenty-sixth streets.	Patrick Larney, 325 E. 38th st.	
" 15	Fencing vacant lots at Nos. 357 and 359 Cherry street.	Patrick Larney, 325 E. 38th st.	
" 16	Furnishing, delivering, and laying a 48-inch cast-iron conduit pipe, from Woodlawn station to the reservoir at Williamsbridge.	James Baird, 310 E. 57th st.	John Davidson, 116 E. 56th st. Mat. Baird, 306 E. 57th st.
" 17	Fencing vacant lots at Nos. 349 and 351 West Eleventh street.	Patrick Larney, 325 E. 38th st.	
" 17	Flagging east side of Eighth avenue, from north curb of One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street to One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.	Patrick Larney, 325 E. 38th st.	
" 17	Hauling and laying a 48-inch cast iron conduit pipe, from Midland avenue to Station 522, between Tuckahoe and Bronxville, Westchester Co.	Frank Stollmeyer, 11 E. 79th st.	David Babcock, 32 Broadway. Henry Stollmeyer, 11 E. 77th st. Patrick Sheehy, 251 E. 83d st. Francis M. Bixby, 50 E. 57th st.
" 19	Sewer in One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, between Seventh avenue and summit west of Seventh avenue.	J. S. Masterson, 127th st. & 7th av.	Patrick Sheehy, 251 E. 83d st. Francis M. Bixby, 50 E. 57th st. C. R. Parfitt, 807 Lexington ave. M. Baird, 306 E. 57th st.
" 19	Sewer in One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, between Fifth and Seventh avenue, etc.	J. S. Masterson, 127th st. & 7th av.	
" 20	Alteration and improvement to sewer in Fifth avenue, between Fifty-ninth and Sixtieth streets.	James Baird, 310 E. 57th st.	



*Statement of Laboring Force Employed in the Department of Public Works during the Week ending February 3, 1883.*

NATURE OF WORK.	MECHANICS.	LABORERS.	TEAMS.	CARTS.
Maintenance of Aqueduct and Reservoirs.....	7	87	6	4
In Pipe Yard, foot of East Twenty-fourth street.....	2	16	..	..
Laying and repairing pipes, etc.....	10	67	..	8
Repairing pavements.....	11	22	..	..
Repairing and cleaning sewers.....	3	31	..	16
Maintenance and construction of boulevards and aves.	2	39	7	2
Repairing streets.....	..	14	6	1
Total.....	35	276	19	31
Increase over previous week.....	..	1	..	..
Decrease from previous week.....	1	..	..	1

*Appointments.*

Alexander Brandon, Jr., Clerk.  
 Henry Marshall, Inspector Regulating, etc., vice W. T. McManus, deceased.  
 James Dillon, Inspector on Waste of Water.  
 John Murphy, Inspector on Waste of Water.  
 A. C. Dozeville, Inspector on Waste of Water.  
 E. C. Brady, Inspector on Waste of Water.  
 James Degnan, Inspector on Waste of Water.  
 John Robinson, Inspector on Supplying Water to Shipping.  
 Charles Booth, Inspector of Meters.  
 Thomas McGrath, Inspector on Pavement Repairs.  
 P. H. Kedney, Inspector on Aqueduct Repairs, etc.

*Suspended on Account of Suspension of Work.*

Charles Conley, Inspector on Sewers.

*Requisitions on the Comptroller.*

The total amount of requisitions drawn by the Department on the Comptroller during the week, is \$65,167.75.

FRED. H. HAMLIN, Deputy Commissioner of Public Works.

**APPROVED PAPERS.**

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Mr. Bosswick to erect and retain a storm-door at the Thirty-eighth street entrance to his premises, at the northeast corner of Broadway and Thirty-eighth street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 30, 1883.  
 Approved by the Mayor, February 12, 1883.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and Boulevard lamps placed thereon and lighted in the Riverside Drive, from Eighty-sixth to One Hundred and Tenth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 30, 1883.  
 Approved by the Mayor, February 12, 1883.

Resolved, That the attention of the Commissioner of Public Works is hereby called to the condition of the pavement and curb in West street, from Hoboken street to West Eleventh street, and that this official be directed to arrange for the repavement of this street as soon as the state of the weather will permit, and that the same be done in manner to correspond with that part of the river front now being paved, under the direction of the Dock Department; and, furthermore, if such repavement shall not be practicable, by reason of the insufficiency of the appropriation for repaving, the Board of Apportionment shall make provision, by transfer or otherwise, for such repavement.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 30, 1883.  
 Approved by the Mayor, February 12, 1883.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Max D. Stern to erect a storm-door in front of premises No. 2 Front street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 6, 1883.  
 Approved by the Mayor, February 12, 1883.

Resolved, That section 244 of article 24 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, in force January 1, 1881, be and the same is hereby repealed, rescinded and annulled.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 6, 1883.  
 Approved by the Mayor, February 12, 1883.

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of section 91, article XVI., chapter 335, Laws of 1873, power and authority is hereby given to the Board of Police to do the necessary excavation, piling and construction of the foundation walls, up to and including the water table, for the erection on the lot and premises known as the "Franklin Market," in Old Slip, of a station-house, lodging-house, and prison, for the use of the police of the First Police Precinct; the said work to be performed, and the material therefor to be supplied, under the direction of the Board of Police, and without advertising for proposals for estimates or competing bids, or contracting therefor; and be it further

Resolved, That the said Board of Police be and is hereby authorized and directed to cause the old buildings, walls, and other materials now on the lot and premises known as "Franklin Market," in Old Slip, to be removed, the work to be done by contract, as provided in said section 91, article XVI., chapter 335, Laws of 1873.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 6, 1883.  
 Approved by the Mayor, February 12, 1883.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York, being the Board of Supervisors of the County of New York, as now constituted, do hereby allow and fix the compensation of Alexander V. Davidson, Sheriff of the City and County of New York, during the years 1883, 1884, and 1885, for the support and maintenance of such persons as may be confined in the common jail of said city and county, upon any writ or process in any civil action or proceeding in the nature of a civil action, if such person or persons shall make oath that they are unable to support themselves during their imprisonment, the sum of seventy-five cents per day for each person during the time such person shall be actually confined in such jail; such compensation to be in full for such support and maintenance, except for furnishing the light, fuel, repairs to building and fixtures, rent of building, whitewashing the interior of the building, furnishing of and repairs to bedsteads and bedding, chamber and other furniture, cooking, table and eating utensils, and the wages of the necessary cooks and cleaners; and such sheriff shall be allowed, in addition to the per diem allowance for each person as aforesaid, such sums of money as may be required to be expended for light, fuel, whitewashing, bedsteads, bedding, chamber and other furniture, cooking, table, and eating utensils necessary repairs and the wages of the necessary cooks and cleaners, in and about said jail; and such sheriff shall attach to his bills, for such support and maintenance, vouchers for each and every of such sums of money so expended by him. The support and maintenance of persons confined in the county jail to include such medicine and medical supplies as may be ordered by the physician to the county jail, during the illness of any such person so confined in said jail.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 6, 1883.  
 Approved by the Mayor, February 12, 1883.

**EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.**

*Appointments by the Mayor.*

February 16—Richard B. Kimball, Inspector of Common Schools for the Fifth School District in place of E. H. Kimball, deceased.  
 February 17—Elmer A. Allen, Inspector of Common Schools for the Eighth School District in place of T. E. Willson, resigned.

**NEW YORK AND BROOKLYN BRIDGE.**

THE TRUSTEES OF THE NEW YORK AND BROOKLYN BRIDGE,  
 OFFICE, 21 WATER STREET,  
 BROOKLYN, February 20, 1883.

Hon. FRANKLIN EDSON,  
 Mayor of the City of New York;  
 Hon. SETH LOW,  
 Mayor of the City of Brooklyn:

GENTLEMEN—I have the honor to inform you that the following work has been done during the week upon the bridge, viz.:  
 19 over floor stays were connected.  
 700 knee braces were put in place.  
 30 promenade diagonals put in place.  
 4 holding down stays were put in the New York tower.  
 10,740 rivets were driven.  
 The bottom plank for the roadways is all down on the land span in New York, and about two-thirds down on the Brooklyn land span.  
 About half of the promenade planking is in place on the New York land span.  
 All of the over floor stays are in place and connected in New York, and all but twenty in Brooklyn.  
 The weather has been unfavorable for work. Painting on the bridge has been resumed.  
 I am, yours respectfully,  
 WM. C. KINGSLEY,  
 Acting President.

**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.  
 FRANKLIN EDSON, Mayor; S. HASTINGS GRANT, Secretary and Chief Clerk.  
*Mayor's Marshal's Office.*  
 No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 GEORGE A. McDERMOTT, First Marshal.  
*Permit Bureau Office.*  
 No. 13½ City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 HENRY WOLTMAN, Registrar.

**COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.**

No. 1 County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 WM. PITT SHEARMAN, JOHN W. BARROW.

**LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.**

*Office of Clerk of Common Council.*  
 No. 8 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 JOHN REILLY, President Board of Aldermen.  
 FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.  
*City Library.*  
 No. 12 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.**

*Commissioner's Office.*  
 No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 HUBERT O. THOMPSON, Commissioner; FREDERICK H. HAMLIN, Deputy Commissioner.  
*Bureau of Water Register.*  
 No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 JOHN H. CHAMBERS, Register.  
*Bureau of Incumbrances.*  
 No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL, Superintendent.  
*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.  
 JAMES J. MOONEY, Superintendent.  
*Engineer in Charge of Sewers.*  
 No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 STEPHENSON TOWLE, Engineer-in-Charge.  
*Bureau of Chief Engineer.*  
 No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 ISAAC NEWTON, Chief Engineer.  
*Bureau of Street Improvements.*  
 No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 GEORGE A. JEREMIAH, Superintendent.  
*Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.*  
 No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 THOMAS H. McAVOY, Superintendent.  
*Bureau of Water Purveyor.*  
 No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 DANIEL O'REILLY, Water Purveyor.  
*Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.*  
 MARTIN J. KEESSE, City Hall.

**FINANCE DEPARTMENT.**

*Comptroller's Office.*  
 Nos. 19 and 20 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 ALLAN CAMPBELL, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.  
*Auditing Bureau.*  
 No. 19 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 DANIEL JACKSON, Auditor of Accounts.  
*Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents.*  
 No. 5 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 ARTEMAS CADY, Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.

**Bureau for the Collection of City Revenues and of Markets.**

No. 6 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 THOMAS F. DeVOR, Collector of City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets.

**Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.**

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

**Bureau of the City Chamberlain.**

No. 18 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 J. NELSON TAPPAN, City Chamberlain.

**Office of the City Paymaster.**

Room 1, New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 MOOR FALLS, City Paymaster.

**LAW DEPARTMENT.**

*Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.*  
 Staats Zeitung Building, third floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
 Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 GEORGE P. ANDREWS, Counsel to the Corporation;  
 ANDREW T. CAMPBELL, Chief Clerk.

*Office of the Public Administrator.*

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

*Office of the Corporation Attorney.*

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

**POLICE DEPARTMENT.**

*Central Office.*  
 No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 STEPHEN B. FRENCH, President; SETH C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk; JOHN J. O'BRIEN, Chief Bureau of Elections.

**DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.**

*Central Office.*  
 No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 8:30 A. M. to 5:30 P. M.  
 H. H. PORTER, President; GEORGE F. BRITTON, Secretary.

**FIRE DEPARTMENT.**

*Headquarters.*  
 Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.  
 JOHN J. GORMAN, President; CARL JUSSSEN, Secretary.  
*Bureau of Chief of Department.*  
 ELI BATES, Chief of Department.  
*Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.*  
 PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.  
*Bureau of Fire Marshal.*  
 GEORGE H. SHELTON, Fire Marshal.  
*Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.*  
 WM. P. ESTERBROOK, Inspector of Buildings.  
 Office hours, Headquarters and Bureaus, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 3 P. M.  
*Attorney to Department.*  
 WM. L. FINDLEY, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street and No. 120 Broadway.

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

*Repair Shops.*  
 Nos. 128 and 130 West Third street.  
 JOHN MCCABE, Chief of Battalion-in-Charge, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
*Hospital Stables.*  
 99th street, between 9th and 10th avenues (temporary).  
 JAMES SHEA, Superintendent of Horses.

**HEALTH DEPARTMENT.**

No. 301 Mott street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 CHARLES F. CHANDLER, President; EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.**

No. 36 Union Square, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 EDWARD P. BARKER, Secretary.  
*Civil and Topographical Office.*  
 Arsenal, 64th street and 5th avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
*Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.*  
 146th street and 3d avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

**DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.**

Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 WILLIAM LAIMEER, President; JOHN T. CUMING, Secretary.

**DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.**  
 Staats Zeitung Building, Tryon Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 THOMAS B. ASTEN, President; J. C. REED, Secretary.

*Office Bureau Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.*  
 No.

**DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.**

51 Chambers street, Rooms 10, 11 and 12, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 JAMES S. COLEMAN, Commissioner; M. J. MORRISON, Chief Clerk.

**BOARD OF ASSESSORS.**

Office, City Hall, Room No. 11½, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 JOHN R. LYBECKER, Chairman; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

**BOARD OF EXCISE.**

Corner Bond street and Bowery, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 WILLIAM P. MITCHELL, President; JOSEPH S. MICHAELS, Chief Clerk.

**SHERIFF'S OFFICE.**

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

**REGISTER'S OFFICE.**

East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Register; J. FAIRFAX McLAUGHLIN, Deputy Register.

**DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.**

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,  
 STAATZ ZEITUNG BUILDING,  
 NEW YORK, January 8, 1883.

**IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 9, CHAPTER 302, Laws of 1880,** it is hereby advertised that the books of "The Annual Record of the Assessed Valuations of Real and Personal Estate" of the City and County of New York, for the year 1883, are now open for examination and correction from the second Monday of January, 1883, until the first day of May, 1883.  
 All persons believing themselves aggrieved must make



application to the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments, at this office, during the period said books are open, in order to obtain the relief provided by law.

Applications for correction of assessed valuations on personal estate must be made by the person assessed, to the said Commissioners, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M. at this office during the same period.

THOMAS B. ASTEN,  
GEORGE B. VANDERPOEL,  
EDWARD C. DONNELLY,  
Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.

## THE CITY RECORD.

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## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, February 21, 1883.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until Wednesday, March 7, 1883, at 12 o'clock A. M., at which hour and place they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department, and read, for the following:

- No. 1. SEWER in Broadway (east side), between Thirty-second and Thirty-third streets.
- No. 2. ALTERATION AND IMPROVEMENT TO SEWER in Bank street, between West street and Hudson river.
- No. 3. SEWER in Chambers street, between Chatham and Centre streets.
- No. 4. SEWER in Front street, between Jackson street and Gouverneur Slip.
- No. 5. ALTERATION AND IMPROVEMENT TO SEWER in Fifty-sixth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.
- No. 6. SEWER in Seventy-seventh street, between Ninth avenue and summit, west of Ninth avenue.
- No. 7. SEWERS in Ninetieth street, north and south sides, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.
- No. 8. SEWER in Ninety-first street, between Fifth and Madison avenues.
- No. 9. SEWER in One Hundred and Eleventh street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.
- No. 10. REGULATING AND GRADING One Hundred and Eleventh street, from the west curb of Sixth avenue to the east curb of Eighth avenue, and setting curb stones and flagging sidewalks thereon.
- No. 11. FLAGGING sidewalks, four feet wide, on Ninety-eighth street, from the west curb of Ninth avenue to the east curb of the Boulevard.

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

The consent last above mentioned must be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as 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 national banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall neglect or refuse, 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 be 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.

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 for sewers at the office of the Engineer in Charge of Sewers, Room 8, and for Regulating, Grading, etc., Room 5, No. 31 Chambers street.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS  
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,  
NEW YORK, February 14, 1883.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

## SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS

Department with  
FIFTEEN THOUSAND (15,000) FEET OF HOSE will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, February 28, 1883, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The hose to be of seamless patent improved carbolized steam fire engine rubber-lined hose, made of best Gulf cotton and best Para rubber, Maltese Cross brand; to be not less than four (4) ply, with five (5) ply and capped ends; of two and one-half (2½) inches internal diameter; in lengths of fifty (50) feet each, with New York Fire

Department standard couplings attached. Each and every length of the hose with the couplings attached is to be capable of resisting a pressure test of three hundred (300) pounds to the square inch without twisting or turning more than one revolution, or elongating more than thirty-six (36) inches, or increasing in exterior diameter more than one-fourth (¼) of an inch at any point, and is to weigh not more than seventy-five (75) pounds including the couplings.

The contractor will be required to give a guarantee that the hose with every length, part and parcel thereof, shall and will, well and sufficiently bear and stand for and during the full end and term of three (3) years from the time the same shall be put in use, a pressure test of three hundred (300) pounds to the square inch, and the wear and tear of use by the Fire Department, its officers, agents, and servants; it being agreed that such wear and tear shall be understood to include all damage to the hose or couplings caused by being run over by vehicles or stepped upon by horses, and all other damage, except that which may be caused by fire or acids. And should any part, parcel, or length of hose or couplings which shall be delivered fail to well and sufficiently bear and stand, for and during the full end and term of three years from the time the same shall be put in use, a pressure test of three hundred (300) pounds to the square inch, and such wear and tear of use by the Fire Department, its officers, agents, and servants, then, and in every such case, the same shall be replaced, length for length with hose, and piece for piece with couplings, by the contractor, upon the demand in writing and without expense to said Fire Department.

All of the hose is to be delivered at the Repair Shops of the Fire Department, Nos. 130 and 132 West Third street, on or before the sixtieth 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, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at twenty-five (\$25) dollars per day.

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

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 articles shall present the same in a sealed envelope, to said Board, at said office, on or before the day and hour above named, which envelope shall be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the kind of hose 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 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.

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 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, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of eight thousand dollars (\$8,000); 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 security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made, and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of four hundred dollars (\$400). 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 neglect or refuse 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 be retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

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

JOHN J. GORMAN,  
CORNELIUS VAN COTT,  
HENRY D. PURROY,  
Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS  
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,  
NEW YORK, February 14, 1883.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

## SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS

Department with Five Hook and Ladder Trucks will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, 28th instant, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

Three of the Hook and Ladder Trucks are to be of the regulation size, and the remaining two are to be of a lighter pattern, similar to the truck now in use by Engine

Co. No. 50 of this Department. All to be as per specifications.

Bidders will state the price per truck of each of the two sizes, as well as the gross amount of the proposal.

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

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, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at twenty-five (\$25) dollars per day.

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

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

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

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 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, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, in the sum of six thousand five hundred dollars (\$6,500); 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 security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the national banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of three hundred and twenty-five dollars (\$325). 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 neglect or refuse, 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 be retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

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

JOHN J. GORMAN,  
CORNELIUS VAN COTT,  
HENRY D. PURROY,  
Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS  
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,  
NEW YORK, February 14, 1883.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

## SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS

Department with  
EIGHT 4-WHEEL HOSE TENDERS will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., 28th instant, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

Three of the tenders are to be "crane neck," and to weigh not more than two thousand three hundred (2,300) pounds each; the remaining five are to be of a pattern similar to that now in use by Engine Co. No. 1 of this Department, all to be as per drawings and specifications.

Bidders will state the price per tender of each of the two sizes, as well as the gross amount of the proposal.

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

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, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at twenty-five (\$25) dollars per day.

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

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

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

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 connection with any 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, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of four thousand dollars (\$4,000); 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 security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of two hundred dollars (\$200). 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 neglect or refuse, 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 be retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

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

JOHN J. GORMAN,  
CORNELIUS VAN COTT,  
HENRY D. PURROY,  
Fire Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS  
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,  
NEW YORK, February 14, 1883.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS Department with four (4) Steam Fire Engines will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, 28th instant, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

Two of the engines are each to have a boiler thirty (30) inches in diameter, with one steam cylinder at least eight (8) inches in diameter and seven (7) inches stroke, and a single plunger vertical pump not less than five (5) inches in diameter; each engine to weigh not more than four thousand seven hundred (4,700) pounds when fully equipped with and carrying all the tools, implements and appurtenances called for in the specifications, forming part of the contract herein referred to, and with the boiler and coil filled with water to the second gauge cock. They are each to have an air-pump of the latest improved pattern. Two of the engines are each to have a boiler no less than thirty-two and one-half (32½) inches in diameter with two (2) steam cylinders, at least six and three-quarter (6¾) inches in diameter, and eight (8) inches stroke, and two (2) plunger vertical pumps, not less than four (4) inches in diameter; each engine to weigh not more than six thousand three hundred (6,300) pounds when fully equipped with and carrying all the tools, implements and appurtenances called for in the specifications forming part of the contract herein referred to, and with the boiler and coil filled with water to the second gauge cock.

The boilers of all the engines are to be what is known as the Latta boiler with Ahren's improvements, made of the best materials, of sufficient strength to bear twice the pressure ever required in fire duty, and they must have ample steaming capacity to keep up a full head of steam while doing the heaviest work. They are to be covered with Russia iron jackets, and surmounted with brass domes.

The steam cylinders and pumps are to be placed perpendicular to the boiler, and the steam cylinders are to be cased in German silver.

The forcing pumps are to be double acting, made entirely of composition, and so constructed that they can be taken apart and put together again should repairs be required. They are to have two discharge gates and a circulating or churn valve for the purpose of feeding the boiler when the streams are cut off. They are also to be fitted with a Prunty relief valve.

The engines are to be made complete of the best materials in the most workmanlike manner with all recent improvements, improved safety valves without scale, two nickel-plated steam gauges, one nickel-plated water pressure gauge, one glass water gauge, eight gauge cocks, two blow cocks for steam—one up and one down, one surface blow cock, and attachment for thaw hose, one signal whistle, one variable exhaust nozzle and steam jet, one large copper air chamber with ornament, twenty-two (22) feet of rubber suction hose to be carried in brackets around the engine ready for immediate service, copper suction strainer, a full set of discharge pipes, five (5) nozzles of various sizes, foot brake, number plate, which together with the glass in the lamp is to be engraved with the number; also all the tools and wrenches, etc., to work the engines, oil cans, fire shovel, poker, and a box for tools.

The engines are to be handsomely finished and painted with gold striping and ornamental work. The wheels are to be what is known as Archibald, of the latest improved pattern.

The fuel-box on the back of the boiler must be large







No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that, if the contract be awarded under that proposal, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties in the estimated amount of fifteen hundred dollars for its faithful performance, which consent must be verified by the justification of each of the persons signing the same for double the amount of surety required. The sufficiency of such security to be approved by the Comptroller.

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

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to decline any and all proposals, if deemed to be for the public interest, and to accept an offer for the whole bid, or for any single article included in the proposal, and no proposal will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Blank forms of proposals and specifications, which are to be strictly complied with, can be obtained on application at the office of the Department, and all information furnished.

HENRY H. PORTER,  
THOMAS S. BRENNAN,  
JACOB HESS,  
Commissioners of the Department of  
Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, February 16, 1883.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE FOLLOWING condemned wagons will be sold at Public Auction, to the highest bidder for cash, on Friday, March 2, 1883, by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, at Nos. 110 and 112 East Thirtieth street at their sale, beginning at 10 o'clock, A. M.:

- 1 Carryalls.
- 2 Buggy Wagons.
- 3 Top Grocery Wagons.
- 4 No Top Grocery Wagons.

By order of Board of Commissioners,  
JOHN E. FLAGLER,  
General Storekeeper.

### SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Second street, between Eighth avenue and Riverside avenue, in the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on Thursday, the twenty-second day of March, 1883, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of One Hundred and Second street between Eighth avenue and Riverside avenue in the City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Eighth avenue, distant two hundred and one foot ten inches (201' 10") northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and First street, thence westerly and parallel with said street three hundred and seventy (370') feet to the easterly line of New avenue; thence northerly along said line sixty (60') feet; thence easterly three hundred and seventy (370') feet to the westerly line of Eighth avenue; thence southerly along said line sixty (60') feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the westerly line of New avenue, distant two hundred and one foot ten inches (201' 10") northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and First street, thence westerly and parallel with said street three hundred and fifty (350') feet to the easterly line of Ninth avenue; thence northerly along said line sixty (60') feet; thence easterly three hundred and fifty (350') feet to the westerly line of New avenue; thence southerly along said line sixty (60') feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the westerly line of Ninth avenue, distant two hundred and one foot ten inches (201' 10") northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and First street, thence westerly and parallel with said street three hundred and twenty-five (325') feet to the easterly line of the Boulevard; thence northerly along said line sixty (60') feet; thence easterly three hundred and twenty-five (325') feet to the westerly line of Ninth avenue; thence southerly along said line sixty (60') feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the westerly line of Tenth avenue, distant two hundred and one foot ten inches (201' 10") northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and First street, thence westerly and parallel with said street three hundred and twenty-five (325') feet to the easterly line of the Boulevard; thence northerly along said line sixty (60') feet; thence easterly three hundred and twenty-five (325') feet to the westerly line of Tenth avenue; thence southerly along said line sixty (60') feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the westerly line of West End avenue, distant two hundred and one foot ten inches (201' 10") northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and First street, thence westerly and parallel with said street three hundred and twenty-five (325') feet to the easterly line of West End avenue; thence northerly along said line sixty (60') feet; thence easterly three hundred and twenty-five (325') feet to the westerly line of West End avenue; thence southerly along said line sixty (60') feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the westerly line of West End avenue, distant two hundred and one foot ten inches (201' 10") northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and First street, thence westerly and parallel with said street three hundred and twenty-five (325') feet to the easterly line of West End avenue; thence northerly along said line sixty (60') feet; thence easterly three hundred and twenty-five (325') feet to the westerly line of West End avenue; thence southerly along said line sixty (60') feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be sixty (60') feet wide between the lines of Eighth avenue and Riverside avenue.

Dated, New York, February 24, 1883.  
GEORGE P. ANDREWS,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
Tryon Row, New York.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of Pleasant avenue, from One Hundred and Fourteenth street to One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, in the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on Friday, the second day of March, 1883, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of Pleasant avenue, from One Hundred and Fourteenth street to One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, in the City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Fourteenth street, distant six hundred and thirteen (613') feet easterly from the easterly line of First avenue, thence northerly and parallel with said avenue two hundred and one foot ten inches (201' 10") to the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifteenth street; thence easterly and along said line one hundred (100') feet; thence southerly two hundred and one foot ten inches (201' 10") to the northerly line of One Hundred and Fourteenth street; thence westerly and along said line one hundred (100') feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifteenth street, distant six hundred and thirteen (613') feet easterly from the easterly line of First avenue, thence northerly and parallel with said avenue two hundred and one foot ten inches (201' 10") to the southerly line of One Hundred and Sixteenth street; thence easterly and along said line one hundred (100') feet; thence southerly two hundred and one foot ten inches (201' 10") to the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifteenth street; thence westerly and along said line one hundred (100') feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Sixteenth street, distant six hundred and thirteen (613') feet easterly from the easterly line of First avenue, thence northerly and parallel with said avenue two hundred and one foot ten inches (201' 10") to the southerly line of One Hundred and Seventeenth street; thence easterly and along said line one hundred (100') feet; thence southerly two hundred and one foot ten inches (201' 10") to the northerly line of One Hundred and Sixteenth street; thence westerly and along said line one hundred (100') feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Seventeenth street, distant six hundred and thirteen (613') feet easterly from the easterly line of First avenue, thence northerly and parallel with said avenue two hundred and one foot ten inches (201' 10") to the southerly line of One Hundred and Eighteenth street; thence easterly and along said line one hundred (100') feet; thence southerly two hundred and one foot ten inches (201' 10") to the northerly line of One Hundred and Seventeenth street; thence westerly and along said line one hundred (100') feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Eighteenth street, distant six hundred and thirteen (613') feet easterly from the easterly line of First avenue, thence northerly and parallel with said avenue two hundred and one foot ten inches (201' 10") to the southerly line of One Hundred and Nineteenth street; thence easterly and along said line one hundred (100') feet; thence southerly two hundred and one foot ten inches (201' 10") to the northerly line of One Hundred and Eighteenth street; thence westerly and along said line one hundred (100') feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, distant six hundred and thirteen (613') feet easterly from the easterly line of First avenue, thence northerly and parallel with said avenue two hundred and one foot ten inches (201' 10") to the southerly line of One Hundred and Twentieth street; thence easterly and along said line one hundred (100') feet; thence southerly two hundred and one foot ten inches (201' 10") to the northerly line of One Hundred and Nineteenth street; thence westerly and along said line one hundred (100') feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Twentieth street, distant six hundred and thirteen (613') feet easterly from the easterly line of First avenue, thence northerly and parallel with said avenue two hundred and one foot ten inches (201' 10") to the southerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-first street; thence easterly and along said line one hundred (100') feet; thence southerly two hundred and one foot ten inches (201' 10") to the northerly line of One Hundred and Twentieth street; thence westerly and along said line one hundred (100') feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-first street, distant six hundred and thirteen (613') feet easterly from the easterly line of First avenue, thence northerly and parallel with said avenue two hundred and one foot ten inches (201' 10") to the southerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-second street; thence easterly and along said line one hundred (100') feet; thence southerly two hundred and one foot ten inches (201' 10") to the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-first street; thence westerly and along said line one hundred (100') feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-second street, distant six hundred and thirteen (613') feet easterly from the easterly line of First avenue, thence northerly and parallel with said avenue two hundred and one foot ten inches (201' 10") to the southerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-third street; thence easterly and along said line one hundred (100') feet; thence southerly two hundred and one foot ten inches (201' 10") to the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-second street; thence westerly and along said line one hundred (100') feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-third street, distant six hundred and thirteen (613') feet easterly from the easterly line of First avenue, thence northerly and parallel with said avenue two hundred and one foot ten inches (201' 10") to the southerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street; thence easterly and along said line one hundred (100') feet; thence southerly two hundred and one foot ten inches (201' 10") to the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-third street; thence westerly and along said line one hundred (100') feet to the point or place of beginning.

Dated, NEW YORK, January 30, 1883.  
GEORGE P. ANDREWS,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
Tryon Row, New York.

In the matter of the Application of the Department of Public Works for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Twentieth street from Eighth avenue to Ninth avenue, in 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 the Commissioners, at their office, No. 73 William street, third floor, in the said city, on or before the 13th day of March, 1883, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 13th day of March, 1883, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 2 o'clock P. M.

office, No. 73 William street, 3d floor, in the said city, on or before the 13th day of March, 1883, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 13th day of March, 1883, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 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 15th day of March, 1883.

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, lying and being within the following described area: Beginning at a point in the easterly line or side of Ninth avenue, distant 100 feet and 11 inches northerly from the intersection of the northerly line or side of One Hundred and Twentieth street with the easterly line or side of Ninth avenue; running thence easterly through the centre of the blocks between One Hundred and Twentieth and One Hundred and Twenty-first streets to the westerly line or side of Eighth avenue; thence southerly, along the westerly line or side of Eighth avenue, to a point 100 feet and 11 inches southerly from the intersection of the southerly line or side of One Hundred and Twentieth street with the westerly line or side of Eighth avenue; thence westerly, through the centre of the blocks between One Hundred and Twentieth and One Hundred and Nineteenth streets, to the easterly line or side of Ninth avenue; thence northerly, along the easterly line or side of Ninth avenue, to the point or place of beginning, excepting therefrom all the lands within the lines of One Hundred and Twentieth street.

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 in the County Court-house at the City Hall in the City of New York, on the 30th day of March, 1883, 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, January 31, 1883.  
GEORGE W. MCLEAN,  
NATHANIEL JARVIS,  
FRANCIS BLESSING,  
Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, from Seventh avenue to New avenue, west of Eighth avenue, in 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 land 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 the Commissioners, at their office, No. 73 William street, third floor, in the said city, on or before the 13th day of March, 1883, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 13th day of March, 1883, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 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 15th day of March, 1883.

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land lying and being within the following described area: Beginning at a point in the easterly line or side of New avenue, distant 100 feet 6 1/2 inches northerly from the intersection of the northerly line or side of One Hundred and Forty-fourth street with the easterly line or side of New avenue; running thence easterly through the centre of the blocks between One Hundred and Forty-fourth and One Hundred and Forty-fifth streets, to the westerly line or side of Seventh avenue; thence southerly along the westerly line or side of Seventh avenue, to a point distant 99 feet and 11 inches southerly from the intersection of the southerly line or side of One Hundred and Forty-fourth street with the westerly line or side of Seventh avenue; thence westerly through the centre of the blocks between One Hundred and Forty-fourth and One Hundred and Forty-third streets, to the easterly line or side of New avenue; thence northerly and along the easterly line or side of New avenue, to the point or place of beginning, excepting therefrom all the land within the lines of One Hundred and Forty-fourth street.

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 in the County Court-house at the City Hall in the City of New York, on the 30th day of March, 1883, 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, January 31, 1883.  
GEORGE W. MCLEAN,  
CECIL CAMPBELL HIGGINS,  
CHARLES PRICE,  
Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, from Eighth avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas, in 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 the Commissioners, at their office, No. 73 William street, third floor, in the said city, on or before the 13th day of March, 1883, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 13th day of March, 1883, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 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 15th day of March, 1883.

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land lying and being within the following described area: Beginning at a point in the easterly line or side of Avenue St. Nicholas, distant 99 feet and 11 inches northerly from the intersection of the northerly line or side of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street with the easterly line or side of Avenue St. Nicholas; thence easterly through the centre of the block between One Hundred and Twenty-ninth and One Hundred and Thirtieth streets, to the westerly line or side of Eighth avenue; thence southerly and along the westerly line or side of Eighth avenue, to a point distant 99 feet and 11 inches southerly from the intersection of the southerly line or

side of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street with the westerly line or side of Eighth avenue; thence westerly and through the centre of the block between One Hundred and Twenty-ninth and One Hundred and Twenty-eighth streets, to the easterly line or side of Avenue St. Nicholas; thence northerly and northerly along the easterly line or side of Avenue St. Nicholas, to the point or place of beginning, excepting therefrom all the land within the lines of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street.

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 in the County Court-house at the City Hall in the City of New York, on the 30th day of March, 1883, 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, January 31, 1883.  
GEORGE W. MCLEAN,  
DE WITT C. GRAHAM,  
CHARLES W. WEST,  
Commissioners.

ARTHUR 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 Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that part of a certain street or avenue known as Bailey avenue, although not yet named by proper authority, commencing at Sedgwick avenue, and running to its junction with the north line of Boston avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by said Department.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 23d day of February, 1883, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon, and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue, known as Bailey avenue, although not yet named by proper authority, from Sedgwick avenue to the north line of Boston avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the west side of Sedgwick avenue, 15,430 126-1000 feet northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, measured on a line at right angles to the same:

- (1) Thence northerly on the arc of a circle of 154 feet radius, whose radius through the initial point forms an angle of 88° 23' 47" to the west of a line parallel with the easterly line of Tenth avenue, and passing through said initial point for 115 82 100 feet to a point of reverse curve;
- (2) Thence to the right on the arc of a circle of 1,205 feet radius for 671 90-100 feet to a point of tangency;
- (3) Thence northerly on a tangent to the last described curve for 2,172 79-100 feet to a point of curve;
- (4) Thence to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the last described curve and of 25 feet radius for 41 587-1000 feet;
- (5) Thence to the right northerly on the prolongation of that radius of the last described curve which passes through the western extremity thereof for 6 feet;
- (6) Thence to the right on the arc of a circle of 35 137-1000 feet radius whose centre lies on the northerly prolongation of the last described curve for 44 309-1000 feet to a point of tangency;
- (7) Thence on a tangent to the last described curve for 245 536-1000 feet to a point of curve;
- (8) Thence to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the last described curve and of 2,040 feet radius for 385 101-1000 feet to a point of tangency;
- (9) Thence on a tangent to the last described curve northerly for 314 244-1000 feet;
- (10) Thence deflecting 100° 12' 27" to the right for 25 881-1000 feet;
- (11) Thence deflecting 83° 44' 29" to the left for 60 35-100 feet;
- (12) Thence deflecting 96° 15' 31" to the left for 11 677-1000 feet;
- (13) Thence deflecting 95° 54' 30" to the right for 265 211-1000 feet;
- (14) Thence deflecting 112° 00' 50" to the right for 64 718-1000 feet;
- (15) Thence deflecting 67° 59' 10" to the right for 344 443-1000 feet;
- (16) Thence deflecting 16° 06' 57" to the left for 253 534-1000 feet to a point of curve;
- (17) Thence to the right on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding curve of 2,100 feet radius southwesterly for 602 31-1000 feet to a point of tangency;
- (18) Thence on a tangent to the preceding curve southwesterly for 212 386-1000 feet to a point of curve;
- (19) Thence southeasterly to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the last described curve of 75 687-1000 feet radius for 100 348-1000 feet;
- (20) Thence southwesterly on the prolongation of that radius of the preceding curve, which passes through the eastern extremity thereof for 60 feet;
- (21) Thence to the right southwesterly on the arc of a circle of 12 feet radius whose centre lies in the prolongation southwesterly of the preceding curve for 24 394-1000 feet to a point of tangency;
- (22) Thence southwesterly on a tangent to the preceding curve for 1,155 80-100 feet to a point of curve;
- (23) Thence to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding curve of 1,145 feet radius for 505 8-100 feet;
- (24) Thence easterly on a line forming an angle of 13° 40' 38.6" to the right with the radius passing through the southern extremity of the preceding curve for 85 8-100 feet;
- (25) Thence to the right southerly on the arc of a circle of 1,220 feet radius, whose centre lies to the westward, and whose radius passing through the eastern extremity of the preceding curve forms an angle with said curve of 15° 54' 35.5" to the north thereof for 219 86-100 feet to a point of reverse curve;
- (26) Thence southerly to the left on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding curve of 1,018 feet radius for 62 12-100 feet to the point of beginning.

Said lots, pieces or parcels of land above described, are shown on certain maps, made by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks under authority of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and chapter 436 of the Laws of 1876, and filed in the Department of Public Parks, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York.

Dated, New York, January 17, 1883.  
GEORGE P. ANDREWS,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, from Eighth avenue to the Harlem river, in 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 the Commissioners, at their office, No. 73 William street, third floor, in the said city, on or before the 13th day of March, 1883, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 13th day of March, 1883, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 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 15th day of March, 1883.

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land lying and being within the following described area: Beginning at a point in the easterly line or side of Avenue St. Nicholas, distant 99 feet and 11 inches northerly from the intersection of the northerly line or side of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street with the easterly line or side of Avenue St. Nicholas; thence easterly through the centre of the block between One Hundred and Twenty-ninth and One Hundred and Thirtieth streets, to the westerly line or side of Eighth avenue; thence southerly and along the westerly line or side of Eighth avenue, to a point distant 99 feet and 11 inches southerly from the intersection of the southerly line or

side of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street with the westerly line or side of Eighth avenue; thence westerly and through the centre of the block between One Hundred and Twenty-ninth and One Hundred and Twenty-eighth streets, to the easterly line or side of Avenue St. Nicholas; thence northerly and northerly along the easterly line or side of Avenue St. Nicholas, to the point or place of beginning, excepting therefrom all the land within the lines of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street.

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 in the County Court-house at the City Hall in the City of New York, on the 30th day of March, 1883, 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, January 31, 1883.  
GEORGE W. MCLEAN,  
DE WITT C. GRAHAM,  
CHARLES W. WEST,  
Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, from Eighth avenue to the Harlem river, in 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 Charles Price, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 82 Nassau street (Room No. 24), in the said city, on or before the twenty-eighth day of February, 1883, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said twenty-eighth day of February, 1883, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 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 5th day of March, 1883.

Third. That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, lying and being on One Hundred and Forty-eighth street in the City of New York, between a point distant three hundred and fifty feet easterly from the Avenue St. Nicholas and the Harlem river, and extending on either side of said One Hundred and Forty-eighth street half the distance to the next street thereto.

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 in the New Court-house at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 9th day of March, 1883, 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, January 20, 1883.

CHARLES PRICE,  
T. J. CREAMER,  
EDMUND CONNELLY  
Commissioners.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Forty-second street, from Eighth avenue to the Harlem river, in 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 James F. Pierce, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 82 Nassau street (Room No. 24) in the said city, on or before the twenty-eighth day of February, 1883, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said twenty-eighth day of February, 1883, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 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 5th day of March, 1883.

Third. That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, lying and being in the City of New York, and which taken together are bounded, described and contained as follows: that is to say: Beginning at a point on the easterly line or side of Tenth avenue equidistant between the northerly line or side of One Hundred and Forty-second street, and the southerly line or side of One Hundred and Forty-third street, and running thence easterly and parallel with One Hundred and Forty-second street, to the established bulkhead line on the Harlem river; thence southerly along said bulkhead line, to a point where a line drawn at right angles to Fifth avenue, and equidistant between One Hundred and Forty-second and One Hundred and Forty-first streets, if produced, would intersect said bulkhead line; thence westerly and parallel with One Hundred and Forty-second street, to the easterly line or side of Tenth avenue, and thence northerly along the easterly line or side of Tenth avenue two hundred and fifty-nine feet and ten inches to the point or place of beginning.

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 in the New Court-house at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 9th day of March, 1883, 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, January 20, 1883.

JAMES F. PIERCE,  
HENRY M. GARVIN,  
PETER TRAINOR,  
Commissioners.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Forty-third street, from Eighth avenue to the Harlem river in 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 the office of the Commissioners, No. 82 Nassau street (Room No. 24) in the said city, on or before the 28th day of February, 1883, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 28th day of February, 1883, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 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 fifth day of March, 1883.

Third. That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, lying and being within the following described area: commencing at a point in the easterly line or side of the Public Drive, distant 99 feet and 11 inches northerly from the intersection of the northerly line or side of One Hundred and Forty-third street with the easterly line or side of the Public Drive, running thence easterly and parallel with One Hundred and Forty-third street, through the centre of the blocks, between One Hundred and Forty-third and One Hundred and Forty-fourth streets to the westerly side of the exterior street and Fifth avenue; thence southeasterly and southerly along the westerly side of the exterior street and Fifth avenue to a point 99 feet and 11 inches southerly from the intersection of the southerly side of One Hundred and Forty-third street with the westerly side of Fifth avenue; thence westerly and parallel with One Hundred and Forty-third street and through the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Forty-second and One Hundred and Forty-third streets to the easterly line or side of the Public Drive; thence northerly and along the easterly line or side of the Public Drive to the point or place of beginning, excepting therefrom all the lands embraced within the streets and avenues within said area.

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 in the New Court-house at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the ninth day of March, 1883, 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, January 20, 1883.

I. SCOTT,  
H. P. WHITNEY,  
J. MOORE,  
Commissioners.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, from First avenue to Second avenue, in 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. 73 William street (third floor), in the said city, on or before the 9th day of February, 1883, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 9th day of February, 1883, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 2 1/2 o'clock P. M.

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 sixteenth day of February, 1883.

Third. That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land lying and being within the following described bounds: beginning at a point in the westerly line of First avenue, distant 99 feet and 11 inches southerly from the southerly side of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, to the easterly line of Second avenue; thence northerly along the easterly line of Second avenue to and across One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, to a point in said easterly line of Second avenue, distant 99 feet and 11 inches north of the northerly side of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street; thence easterly through the centre of the block, to the westerly line of First avenue, and thence southerly along the westerly line of First avenue, to and across One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street to the point or place of beginning; excepting therefrom, all the land within the lines of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street.

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 in the Court-house at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the twenty-third day of February, 1883, 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, January 2, 1883.

NATHANIEL JARVIS,  
FRANCIS BLESSING,  
GEORGE W. MCLEAN,  
Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, from Eighth avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas, in 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. 73 William street (third floor), in the said city, on or before the 9th day of February, 1883, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 9th day of February, 1883, 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 16th day of February, 1883.

Third. That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, lying and being within the following described bounds, viz.: beginning at a point in the westerly side of Eighth avenue, distant ninety-nine feet and eleven inches south of the southerly side of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, running thence westerly through the centre of the block to the easterly side of Avenue St. Nicholas; thence northerly along the easterly side of Avenue St. Nicholas to and across One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street to a point in the easterly side of Avenue St. Nicholas, distant one hundred and one feet and one-fourth of an inch north of the northerly side of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street; thence easterly through the centre of the block to the westerly side of Eighth avenue; and thence southerly along the westerly side of Eighth avenue to and across One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street to the point or place of beginning; excepting therefrom all the land within the lines of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street.

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 in the County Court-house at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 23d day of February, 1883, 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, January 2, 1883.

GEORGE W. MCLEAN,  
DE WITT C. GRAHAM,  
C. W. WEST,  
Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

#### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
February 7, 1883.

#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 4 OF CHAPTER 33 of the Laws of 1881, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to property-owners that the following lists of assessments for local improvements in said city were confirmed by the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments on the 5th day of February, 1883, and on the same date, were entered in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents, viz.:

Front street sewer, between Broad street and Old Slip.

Mangin street sewer, between Broome and Delancey streets, etc.

Section 5 of the said act provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said record of titles of assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect, and receive legal interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," from 9 A. M. until 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before April 8, 1883, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
January 18, 1883.

#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 4 OF CHAPTER 33 of the Laws of 1881, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to property owners that the following lists of assessments for local improvements in said city were confirmed by the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments on the 6th day of January, 1883, and on the same date, were entered in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents, viz.:

Eighty-seventh street regulating, etc., between Tenth avenue and Boulevard.

Ninety-third street regulating, etc., between Boulevard and West End avenue.

Ninety-fourth street regulating, etc., between Eighth avenue and Boulevard.

Ninety-eighth street regulating, etc., between Third and Fourth avenues.

One Hundred and First street regulating, etc., between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

One Hundred and First street regulating, etc., between Second and Third avenues.

One Hundred and Fifth street regulating, etc., between Third and Fourth avenues.

Fifth avenue regulating, grading, etc., sidewalks, between Sixty-fifth and Sixty-sixth streets.

Forty-third street regulating, grading, etc., sidewalks, between Lexington and Fourth avenues.

One Hundred and Sixth street regulating, grading, etc., sidewalks, between Fourth and Madison avenues.

One Hundred and Nineteenth street flagging sidewalks, between Fourth and Sixth avenues.

Eighty-third street flagging sidewalks, between Eighth avenue and Boulevard.

First avenue flagging sidewalks (west side), between Forty-first and Forty-fourth streets.

One Hundred and Thirteenth street flagging sidewalks, between Fourth and Fifth avenues.

One Hundred and Seventeenth street flagging sidewalks, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

Mott avenue crosswalks, at East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street.

Seventy-sixth street regulating and paving, between Madison and Fifth avenues.

Tenth avenue paving, from Seventy-second to Seventy-fourth street.

Tenth avenue paving, from One Hundred and Fifty-first to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.

Twelfth avenue paving, from One Hundred and Thirtieth to One Hundred and Thirty-third street.

Seventy-fifth street paving, from First avenue to Avenue A.

Eighty-second street paving, from First to Second avenue.

Eighty-eighth street paving, from First avenue to Avenue A.

Ninety-fourth street paving, from Fourth to Madison avenue.

One Hundred and Thirteenth street paving, from Second to Third avenue.

One Hundred and Fifteenth street paving, from Third avenue to Avenue A.

One Hundred and Twenty-third street paving, from First to Pleasant avenue.

One Hundred and Thirty-third street paving, from Fourth to Sixth avenue.

Montgomery street sewer, between Cherry and Water streets.

Madison avenue sewer, between One Hundred and Nineteenth and One Hundred and Twenty-first streets, etc.

Fourth avenue sewer, east side, between One Hundred and Second and One Hundred and Third streets.

Seventy-eighth street sewer, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

Eighty-first street sewer, between Fourth and Madison avenues.

Eighty-third street sewer, between Riverside and West End avenues.

One Hundred and Sixth street sewer, between summit east of Tenth avenue and New avenue, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

One Hundred and Twelfth street sewer, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.

Eighty-sixth street basin, northeast corner of Madison avenue.

One Hundred and Sixth street basin, northwest corner Third avenue.

One Hundred and Eighth street basin, southwest corner Fourth avenue.

One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street basin, northeast corner Madison avenue.

One Hundred and Fifty-third street basin, northwest corner Ninth avenue.

Seventy-ninth street fencing, south side, between Lexington and Third avenues.

One Hundred and Eleventh street fencing, southwest corner of Lexington avenue.

One Hundred and Twenty-first street fencing, southeast corner of Lexington avenue.

One Hundred and Twenty-third street fencing, north side, between First and Second avenues.

One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street fencing, southeast corner of First avenue.

One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street fencing, southwest corner of Sixth avenue.

One Hundred and Thirty-second street fencing, south side, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, fencing (north side), east of Alexander's venue.

Boulevard, tree planting, from Fifty-ninth to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.

Section 5 of the said act provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect, and receive legal interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," from 9 A. M. until 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before March 19, 1883, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, AND OF ARREARS OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,  
AND OF CROTON WATER RENTS,  
OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR OF ASSESSMENTS  
AND CLERK OF ARREARS,  
November 15, 1882.

NOTICE OF THE SALE OF LANDS AND TENEMENTS for unpaid taxes of 1877, 1878, and 1879, and Croton-water rents of 1876, 1877, and 1878, under the direction of Allan Campbell, Comptroller of the City of New York.

The undersigned hereby gives public notice, pursuant to the provisions of the act entitled "An act for the collection of taxes, assessments, and Croton water rents in the City of New York, and to amend the several acts in relation thereto," passed April 8, 1871.

That the respective owners of all lands and tenements in the City of New York on which taxes have been laid and confirmed situated in the Wards Nos. 1 to 24 inclusive for the years 1877, 1878, and 1879, and now remaining due and unpaid; and also the respective owners of all lands and tenements in the City of New York, situated in the wards aforesaid, on which the regular Croton water rents have been laid for the years 1876, 1877, and 1878, and are now remaining due and unpaid, are required to pay the said taxes and Croton water rent so remaining due and unpaid to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at his office, in the Department of Finance, in the new Court-house, with the interest thereon at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum, as provided by chapter 33 of the Laws of 1881, from the time when the same became due to the time of payment, together with the charges of this notice and advertisement, and if default shall be made in such payment, such lands and tenements will be sold at public auction, at the new Court-house, in the City Hall Park, in the City of New York, on Monday, March 5, 1883, at 12 o'clock, noon, for the lowest term of years at which any person shall offer to take the same in consideration of advancing the amount of tax or Croton water rent, as the case may be, so due and unpaid, and the interest thereon, as aforesaid, to the time of sale, together with the charges of this notice and advertisement and all other costs and charges accrued thereon, and that such sale will be continued from time to time until all the lands and tenements so advertised for sale shall be sold.

Notice is hereby further given that a detailed statement of the taxes and the Croton water rents, the ownership of the property on which taxes and Croton water rents remain unpaid, is published in a pamphlet, and that copies of the said pamphlet are deposited in the office of the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, and will be delivered to any person applying for the same.

A. S. CADY,  
Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.

#### REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

THE ATTENTION OF LAWYERS, REAL Estate Owners, Monetary Institutions engaged in making loans upon real estate, and all who are interested in providing themselves with facilities for reducing the cost of examinations and searches, is invited to these Official Indices of Records, containing all recorded transfers of real estate in the City of New York from 1853 to 1882, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

Grants, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriffs' sales, in 61 volumes, full bound, price \$100 00  
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ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Comptroller

#### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
OFFICE OF THE PROPERTY CLERK (Room No. 39),  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, JANUARY 20, 1883.

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

C. A. ST. JOHN,  
Property Clerk.

#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
36 UNION SQUARE,  
NEW YORK, February 12, 1883.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A MAP OR plan showing a revised system of streets and avenues in the Highbridge District of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, will be on exhibition at the office of the Topographical Engineer, of the Department of Public Parks, at the Arsenal building, Central Park, from and after this date and until March 1, next, for the purpose of allowing persons interested to examine the same, and to file their objections thereto before said map or plan is finally acted upon by the Department of Public Parks.

By order,  
E. P. BARKER,  
Secretary.

#### JURORS.

NOTICE  
IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,  
NEW COURT-HOUSE,  
NEW YORK, SEPT. 15, 1881.

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

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

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

All good citizens will aid the course of justice, and secure reliable and respectable juries, and equalize their duty by serving promptly when summoned, allowing their clerks or subordinates to serve, reporting to me any attempt at bribery or evasion, and suggesting names for enrollment. Persons between sixty and seventy years of age, summer absentees, persons temporarily ill, and United States and District Court jurors are not exempt.

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

GEORGE CAULFIELD,  
Commissioner of Jurors,  
Room 17, New County Court-house.