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APPROVED PAPERS.

Ordinances and Resolutions passed by the Common Council during the week ending Oct. 11, 1884.

Resolved, That Joseph A. Becker be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, to date from the expiration of his present term of office, October 5, 1884.

Resolved, That Theodore E. Tomlinson, Jr., be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Theodore E. Tomlinson, Jr., whose term of office has expired.

Resolved, That George Elliott and Dennis Noonan be and they are hereby respectively reappointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, to date from the expiration of their present terms of office, October 9, 1884.

Resolved, That G. A. Leffson be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of G. A. Leffson, who was recently appointed but failed to qualify.

Resolved, That Israel M. Schampain be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, whose term of office expires October 13, 1884.

Resolved, That Samuel Ballenburgh be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, whose term of office expired October 4, 1884.

Resolved, That Joseph Spitzer be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of William C. Demarest, whose term of office has expired.

Resolved, That Edward M. Burghard be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Edward M. Burghard, who was recently appointed but failed to qualify.

Resolved, That Charles E. Simms, Jr., be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, whose term of office expired October 5, 1884.

Resolved, That Emil Frenkel be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Morris H. Brown, who was recently appointed, but failed to qualify.

Resolved, That Frederick W. Burnside be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, whose term of office expired October 5, 1884.

Resolved, That William F. Chambers be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of William F. Chambers, whose term of office expired October 5, 1884.

Resolved, That James W. Harrington be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, whose term of office expired October 5, 1884.

Resolved, That William Phair be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, whose term of office expires October 5, 1884.

Resolved, That George E. Sherwood be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, whose term of office expires October 4, 1884.

Resolved, That Daniel B. Murphy be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Daniel B. Murphy, whose term of office will expire October 5, 1884.

Resolved, That Joseph Herzfeld be and the same hereby is appointed Commissioner of Deeds to succeed himself, his term having expired the 9th September, 1884.

Resolved, That the name of William J. Lippman, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be corrected so as to read William J. Lippman.

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place respectively of those whose names appear opposite, and whose terms of office expire at the time stated:

	Term Expires.
Bernard J. Byrne, in place of Bernard J. Byrne	September 9, 1884.
Henry C. Bertrand	" 15, "
Charles P. Chipp	" 9, "
Asa D. Dickinson	" 9, "
Rudolph Frank	" 9, "
Joseph Herzfeld	" 9, "
Joshua Kantrowitz	" 9, "
Louis Leubuscher	" 9, "
Charles Merritt	" 9, "
John T. Cumings	" 14, "
John J. Davis	" 9, "
Henry Frohwitter	" 9, "
Edward W. Hoeberg	" 15, "
Albert C. Lorey	" 9, "
Charles R. Logan	" 9, "
John E. Lowry	" 9, "
H. Edward Olley	" 29, "
Hyman Rosenschein	" 9, "
John C. Sweeny	" 9, "
Edgar A. Simmons	" 9, "
Arthur Phillips	" 9, "
Charles Goldzier	" 9, "
Charles F. W. Koehler	" 15, "
Philip H. Fett	" 9, "
Isidore J. Schwarzkopf	" 14, "
James W. McElhinney	" 9, "
M. Warley Platzek	" 9, "
Charles J. McGinnis	" 15, "
Hermann Schroeter	" 9, "
Joseph J. Marr	" 9, "
David M. Neuberger	" 9, "
John H. Rogan	" 9, "
Joseph T. Balsar	" 9, "
Stillman R. Walker	" 9, "
Jacob P. Berg	" 9, "
Edward A. Radigan	" 9, "
William W. Falconer	" 9, "
David McGonigal	" 14, "
George Perault	" 9, "
Henry B. Henze	" 9, "
Thomas J. McLaughlin	" 9, "
Henry F. Repper	" 9, "

	Term Expires.
Edward C. O'Brien, in place of Patrick McCabe	September 9, 1884.
Theodore E. Tomlinson, Jr.	" 15, "
John Braden	" 15, "
John J. Lenton	" 29, "
John J. McCoy	" 9, "
Henry Freunde	" 20, "
Lyman Rindskopf	" 9, "
William E. Stewart	" 14, "
John Torney	" 29, "
Maurice Rapp	" 9, "
William D. Udell	" 9, "
George W. Palmer	" 9, "
Wm. V. I. Mercer	" 15, "
John M. Stewart	" 9, "
Patrick McCabe	" 9, "
Theodore E. Tomlinson, Jr.	" 15, "
Nathan Magen	" 15, "
John Mahon	" 29, "
John B. Smyth	" 9, "
Charles Smith	" 20, "
Lyman Rindskopf	" 9, "
William E. Stewart	" 14, "
John Torney	" 29, "
Maurice Rapp	" 9, "
William D. Udell	" 9, "
George W. Palmer	" 9, "
W. V. I. Mercer	" 15, "
Charles J. White	" 9, "

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds, in place of those whose names appear opposite, and who have failed to qualify:

James W. Hawes, in place of	James W. Hawes.
Christopher C. McAdam, in place of	Christopher C. McAdam.
Charles B. Jessup	Joseph Lerchesi.
Jacob W. Mack	E. R. Harper.
Siegmund Loewenstein	James C. Reid.
Patrick Moore	Patrick Moore.
Morris H. Brown	Morris H. Brown.

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds, in place of those whose names appear opposite:

Gardiner S. Hawes, in place of Louis M. Picot, deceased.

Martin N. O'Donnell, in place of Solomon W. Ashheim, deceased.

Resolved, That Michael K. McCartin be and is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Michael K. McCartin, whose term of office expires on the 5th day of October, 1884.

Resolved, That George Hatzel be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 6, 1884.

Resolved, That Wednesday, the 29th day of October, 1884, at 11 o'clock A. M., and the Chamber of the Board of Aldermen be and are hereby designated as the time and place when and where the application of The Broadway Surface Railroad Company to the Common Council of the City of New York for its consent and permission for the construction, maintenance and operation of the street surface railroad proposed to be constructed by said company, as mentioned in its petition for such consent, dated October 3, 1884, will first be considered and that public notice be given by the Clerk of this Board by publishing the same daily for fourteen days, in two papers published in this city, to be designated therefor by his Honor the Mayor, according to the provisions of chapter 252 of the Laws of 1884, said publishing to be at the expense of the petitioner.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 6, 1884.

Approved by the Mayor, October 7, 1884, and the "World" and "Evening Post" were designated as such papers.

Resolved, That the ordinance approved September 15, 1884, entitled "An ordinance requiring owners of express wagons in the City of New York to give bonds for the safe and prompt delivery of all articles entrusted to them for that purpose," be and is hereby amended by striking out from the first line in section 1, the words "an express wagon" and inserting in lieu thereof, the words "one or more express wagons," so that said section when so amended, shall read as follows:

Section 1. Every owner of one or more express wagons, residing or doing business as an expressman in the City of New York, whether non-licensed, or who may hereafter be licensed as an expressman, shall give a bond in the penal sum of one hundred dollars, with two good and sufficient sureties, who shall be owners of real estate in this city, and shall be competent to justify, as real estate owners, in double the amount of the sum mentioned above, over and above their just debts and liabilities, conditioned for the safe and prompt delivery of all goods, wares or merchandise, and every other article or thing which shall be entrusted to the owner or driver of any and every such express wagon for delivery at any place within the corporate limits of the City of New York.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 6, 1884.

Approved by the Mayor, October 7, 1884.

Resolved That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby requested to include in the list of streets to be paved in the year 1885, as provided in chapter 476, Laws of 1875, Burling slip, from Pearl to South street, with Belgian pavement.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 6, 1884.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, October 7, 1884, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby requested to include Jersey street in the list of streets to be repaved next year, as provided in chapter 476, Laws of 1875.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 6, 1884.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, October 7, 1884, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That William street, from Duane street to North William street, be repaved with trap-block pavement, in accordance with the provisions of section 321 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and as certified to and recommended by the Commissioner of Public Works in the communication received from him at this meeting.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 6, 1884.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, October 10, 1884, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, the same became adopted.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk of the Common Council.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

MEETINGS, SEPTEMBER 22 TO 27, 1884.

Communications Received.

From Penitentiary. List of prisoners received during week ending September 20, 1884: Males, 57; females, 6. On file.

List of 26 prisoners to be discharged from September 28 to October 4, 1884. Transmitted to Prison Association.

From Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island. History of 14 patients received during week ending September 20, 1884. On file.

From New York City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. History of 7 patients received during week ending September 20, 1884. On file.

From City Prison. Amount of fines received during week ending September 20, 1884, \$188. On file.

Proposals.

Resolved, That the proposal of Brainerd Shaler to furnish 1000 pounds offal leather, at 14 98-100 cents per pound; 300 sides sole leather at 19 24-100 cents per pound, be accepted they being the lowest bidders and the sureties having been approved by the Comptroller. Sureties: Herman Hyland No. 128 East Eighty-fourth street, James Stewart, No. 123 West Eleventh street.

Appointments.

September 22. Julia Kelly, Attendant, Lunatic Asylum. Salary \$192 per annum.
22. John R. Leslie, Patrick McCormack, John Kane, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane. Salary \$240 per annum.
26. Cornelius Drew, Night Orderly, Bellevue Hospital. Salary \$144 per annum.
27. Patrick Gordon, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane. Salary \$240 per annum.
27. Robert E. Cleary, Assistant Storekeeper, Blackwell's Island. Salary \$1,000 per annum.

Reappointed.

September 22. Edward Farrelly, William Potter, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane. Salary, \$240 per annum.

Resignations.

September 24. Lizzie Murphy, Nurse, Randall's Island Hospital.
24. W. J. Purcell, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane.

Relieved from Duty.

September 27. Elizabeth Kelly, Attendant, Lunatic Asylum.
27. Lawrence Crowley, Arthur J. Emmet, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane.

Dismissed.

September 26. Luke McIlvaine, Orderly, Homeopathic Hospital.

G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

Minutes of Stated Meeting of the Aqueduct Commissioners, held at their office, No. 78 Tribune Building, Wednesday, October 1, 1884, at 3 o'clock P. M.

Commissioners present—The Mayor, The Comptroller, Commissioners James C. Spencer and William Dowd.

Also, E. Henry Lacombe, Esq., Counsel to the Corporation; Chief Engineer Church, Executive Engineer Feteley, Engineer of Construction Craven, and Assistant Engineer Birdsall, of the Department of Public Works.

The minutes of the stated meeting of September 24, and the adjourned meeting of September 25, were read and approved.

The Committee of Finance and Audit reported the examination and audit of bills included in Vouchers Nos. 353 to 360, inclusive, which, on motion of the Mayor, were approved and ordered to be certified to the Comptroller for payment.

The Committee also reported their action upon the request of the Chief Engineer, of September 24, for authority to order two transits for underground work, and a cross-section rod and pole, and stated that the authority to purchase the same from Heller & Brightly, of Philadelphia, had been given by the Committee.

The Committee also reported a request from the Chief Engineer for authority to erect, at Tarrytown, a measuring string-piece of timber, at a cost of not exceeding \$100, and recommended that such authority be given; and on motion of the Mayor, the Chief Engineer was authorized to erect said string-piece in the manner described in his communication to the Committee of Finance and Audit, dated September 30, 1884, the cost of the same not to exceed \$100.

A communication was received from the Commissioner of Public Works, dated October 1, 1884, formally transmitting forms of contract, specifications and bond for the construction of the new Aqueduct in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, as required by section 25, chapter 490, Laws of 1883, for certification by the Aqueduct Commissioners, in accordance with said section of said act.

The approval of the Counsel to the Corporation, as to the "form" of said contract, specifications and bond, being required by said section of said act, and he being then present, and having previously examined said forms, the same were submitted to him for his certificate of approval.

He recommended that Clause "R," on the 24th page of the said forms be stricken out entirely; and that Clause "T," page 25 of said forms be amended in the manner thereon indicated by him, from the 28th to the 34th lines of said page.

On motion of Commissioner Spencer, these recommendations were approved unanimously; and the said forms, as so modified, were then adopted by the affirmative vote of the Mayor, the Comptroller, and Commissioners Spencer and Dowd; and the Secretary was directed to prepare triplicate copies thereof for certification by the Commissioners and the Counsel to the Corporation.

On motion of Commissioner Dowd, the filling of the blanks in the said forms to adapt them to Sections A and B of the new Aqueduct was then taken up.

Commissioner Dowd moved that the blank in the twelfth line on page 25 be filled with the word "ninety," making that sentence read—"Upon each such estimate being made, the parties of the first part will pay to the parties of the second part ninety per cent of such estimated value"—which motion was carried by the affirmative vote of the Mayor, the Comptroller, and Commissioners Spencer and Dowd.

Commissioner Dowd then moved that the blank amount of the security provided for on page 29 of said forms, be filled in as follows, viz.:

"That the amount of the security to be given upon the contract for section A, of the new Aqueduct, shall be one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars; and upon the contract for section B thereof, one hundred and thirty-five thousand dollars, with not less than two satisfactory sureties, who shall be householders, or resident freeholders, of the State of New York."

This motion was adopted by the affirmative vote of the Mayor, the Comptroller, and Commissioners Spencer and Dowd.

The Chief Engineer and Secretary then presented the forms of proposals for the instruction and guidance of the contractors, which forms were, on motion of the Mayor, referred to the Special Committee on Forms, appointed September 24, with the request that said Committee report thereon to the Commissioners on Friday next, the 3d instant, at 3 o'clock P. M.

Chief Engineer Church presented a communication, dated October 1, 1884, in relation to the additional Rodman and Chainman asked for on the 3d September, and recommending that Robert E. Morris, now Rodman and Chainman, but who has been performing the duty of a Leveler and Transmitter, be promoted to the position of Transmitter.

On motion of Commissioner Spencer, this recommendation was approved, and the Chief Engineer directed to send Mr. Morris before the City Civil Service Board for examination for the position of Transmitter in the Engineer Corps of this Commission.

The Chief Engineer then requested that Alfred de la Cornilliere also be sent before said Board for examination for the position of Mechanical Draftsman in the Engineer Department of this Commission.

On motion of the Mayor, this request was referred to the Committee of Finance and Audit for consideration and report.

The Commissioners then adjourned, to meet at 3:30 o'clock P. M., on Friday next the 3d instant.

JAMES W. McCULLOH, Secretary.

BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSION.

NEW YORK, October 6, 1884.

A meeting of the Armory Board was held at the office of his Honor the Mayor, City Hall, this date.

Present, Mayor Edson, General Shaler, Deputy Commissioner Hamlin, Department Public Works.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

An application from Col. William Seward, Commanding Ninth Regiment, for an armory for said regiment, to be located at Eighty-third and Eighty-fourth streets and Eighth avenue, was received and referred to the Secretary for examination and report.

An application from Captain L. Wendel, Commanding First Battery, for armory accommodations for said Battery, was received and referred to the Secretary for examination and report.

A communication was received from the Secretary of the Sinking Fund Commission, notifying this Board of the action of the Sinking Fund Commission, at their meeting September 23, with reference to the recommendations of this Board for an armory for the Twelfth Regiment to be located at Sixty-first and Sixty-second streets and Ninth avenue, which was placed on file.

Adjourned, subject to the call of the President.

(Signed)

ALEXANDER SHALER, Secretary.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY

OF THE

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK.

Latitude 40° 45' 58" N. Longitude 73° 57' 58" W. Height of Instruments above the Ground, 53 feet; above the Sea, 97 feet.

ABSTRACT OF REGISTERS FROM SELF-RECORDING INSTRUMENTS,

For the Week ending October 4, 1884.

Barometer.

DATE.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	MEAN FOR THE DAY.	MAXIMUM.	MINIMUM.
SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.
Sunday, 28	29.898	29.784	29.714	29.793	29.950	0 A. M. 29.688 11 P. M.
Monday, 29	29.796	29.872	29.994	29.887	30.000	12 P. M. 29.710 0 A. M.
Tuesday, 30	30.086	30.070	30.050	30.069	30.104	9 A. M. 30.000 0 A. M.
Wednesday, 1	30.064	30.050	30.082	30.066	30.116	12 P. M. 30.042 0 A. M.
Thursday, 2	30.226	30.252	30.248	30.242	30.282	9 A. M. 30.116 0 A. M.
Friday, 3	30.266	30.198	30.100	30.182	30.298	9 A. M. 30.068 12 P. M.
Saturday, 4	29.986	29.814	29.786	29.862	30.068	0 A. M. 29.752 12 P. M.

Mean for the week..... 30.016 inches.

Maximum " at 9 A. M., October 2..... 30.282 "

Minimum " at 11 P. M., September 28..... 29.688 "

Range "594 "

Thermometers.

DATE.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	MEAN.	MAXIMUM.	MINIMUM.	MAXIMUM.
SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Time.
Sunday, 28	68	65	81	73	76.0	70.3	82
Monday, 29	70	68	80	71	74	70	82
Tuesday, 30	66	66	70	67	69.0	66.6	73
Wednesday, 1	66	66	72	67	72	73.6	80
Thursday, 2	64	58	56	56	58.6	56.6	73
Friday, 3	57	56	58	57	59	58.0	60
Saturday, 4	61	60	79	71	72.0	67.3	80

Mean for the week..... 68.8 degrees.

Maximum for the week, at 3 P. M., Sept. 28th..... 82. " at 3 P. M., Sept. 28th..... 74. "

Minimum " at 1 A. M., Oct. 3d..... 56. " at 1 A. M., Oct. 3d..... 56. "

Range " 26. " 18. "

Wind.

DATE.	DIRECTION.	VELOCITY IN MILES.	FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.
SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.
Sunday, 28....	WSW	SW	SSW
Monday, 29....	WNW	NNW	NW
Tuesday, 30....	ENE	SE	E
Wednesday, 1....	WNW	N	NNW
Thursday, 2....	NNE	NNE	NNE
Friday, 3....	ESE	ESE	NW
Saturday, 4....	W	W	W

Distance traveled during the week..... 938 miles.

Maximum force " 9 pounds.

Hygrometer.

Clouds.

Rain and Snow.

DATE.	FORCE OF VAPOR.	RELATIVE HUMIDITY.	CLEAR, OVERCAST, 10.	DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES.
SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Time of Beginning.
Sunday, 28	.577	.703	.730	84
Monday, 29	.658	.637	.679	90
Tuesday, 30	.599	.622	.648	84
Wednesday, 1	.639	.600	.731	100
Thursday, 2	.403	.449	.449	67
Friday, 3	.436	.452	.520	93
Saturday, 4	.505	.651	.691	94

Total amount of water for the week..... .45 inches.

Duration of rain..... 22 hours, 45 minutes.

DANIEL DRAPER, Ph. D., Director.

having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and the contract will be readvertised and relet as provided by law.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, October 13, 1884.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, Oct. 7, 1884.

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

At City Prison—John Sullivan; aged 64 years; 5 feet 9 inches high; blue eyes, gray hair, sandy moustache.
At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—James McCormack; aged 40 years; 5 feet 7½ inches high; dark hair; gray eyes. Had on when admitted black coat, brown striped pants, white shirt and drawers, derby hat.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Annie Smith; aged 54 years; committed September 13, for 3 months.
John Newman; aged 35 years; committed September 17, for 3 months.

Thomas Bostwick; aged 58 years; committed July 8, for 3 months.
Maggie Smith; aged 37 years, committed September 11, for 1 month.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Louisa Hoffman; aged 64 years; 5 feet high; brown eyes and hair; admitted September 16, 1884.
Mary O'Brien; aged 34 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; brown eyes and hair.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Harris Scovrick; aged 34 years; 5 feet high; blue eyes; brown hair. Had on when admitted black alpaca coat, brown mixed pants, slippers, straw hat.

Ellen Sullivan; aged 34 years; 5 feet high; blue eyes, black hair. Had on when admitted black skirt and sacque, gaiters, black straw hat.

Emil Sunstetter; aged 27 years; 5 feet high; hazel eyes, dark hair. Had on when admitted black coat, blue flannel pants and vest, gaiters, black derby hat.

Bridget White, alias Halsey; aged 60 years; 4 feet 10 inches high; blue eyes, gray hair.

George Bosch; aged 54 years; 5 feet 2 inches high; gray eyes and hair. Had on when admitted black coat and vest, white overalls, black shoes, derby hat.

Bridget Rogers; aged 56 years; 4 feet 10 inches high; brown eyes, gray hair.

Pasquale Marino; aged 41 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; brown eyes, black hair. Had on when admitted black flannel coat, black vest, brown pants, slippers, black hat.

At Branch Lunatic Asylum, Hart's Island—Eugenie Flanagan; aged 54 years.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

G. F. BRITTON,
Secretary.

SUPREME COURT.

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 Courtland avenue, although not yet named by proper authority, extending from the northerly side of East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by said Department.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 7th day of November, 1884, 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 improvements 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 thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue, known as Courtland avenue, extending from the northerly side of East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by said Department.

Beginning at a point in the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, distant 1,450½ feet westerly from the intersection of the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street with the westerly side of Brook avenue, and running—

1. Thence westerly along the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street for 60 feet.

2. Thence deflecting to the left 93° 15' southerly for 1,208½ feet.

3. Thence deflecting to the left 93° 15' easterly for 60 feet.

4. Thence deflecting to the left 86° 38' 10" northerly for 1,925½ feet, to the point of beginning.

Dated New York, October 11th, 1884.

E. HENRY LACOMBE,
Counsel to the Corporation,
Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that part of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street (although not yet named by proper authority) extending from the southerly line of the Southern Boulevard to its intersection with the west line of Austin place, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by said Department.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-

house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the seventeenth day of October, 1884, 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 improvements 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 thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, extending from the southerly line of the Southern Boulevard to its intersection with the west line of Austin place, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by said Department, viz:—

Beginning at a point in the southerly line of the Southern Boulevard, distant 6½ feet westerly of that tangent point in the Southern Boulevard which lies opposite the previously opened portion of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street.

1. Thence running westerly along the southerly line of the Southern Boulevard for 81½ feet;

2. Thence running southeasterly on a line lying easterly of the radius of the preceding course, drawn through its western extremity and forming an angle of 7° 04' 31" with said radius for 518½ feet;

3. Thence deflecting 89° 34' 46" to the left northeasterly for 80½ feet;

4. Thence deflecting to the left 92° 25' 14" northeasterly for 505½ feet to the point of beginning.

Dated New York, 12th September, 1884.

E. HENRY LACOMBE,
Counsel to the Corporation,
Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that part of Buncy street, (although not yet named by proper authority), commencing at East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, and extending to the Long Island Sound, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by said Department.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 17th day of October, 1884, 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 improvements 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, belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue, known as Buncy street, commencing at East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street and extending to the Long Island Sound, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by said Department of Public Parks, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:—

To obtain the point of beginning, run 91.48 feet easterly from the southerly line of the Southern Boulevard, which lies opposite East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, as already opened; thence deflect to the right 102° 41' 57" southerly for 382.16 feet, this second course, being the prolongation of the southerly side of Buncy street, will terminate at the northeastern corner of said Buncy street, and will be the point of beginning.

1. Thence deflecting 144° 26' 50" to the right from the above described eastern side of Buncy street northeasterly for 137.59 feet;

2. Thence deflecting to the left 144° 26' 50" southerly for 2,624.92 feet;

3. Thence deflecting to the left 119° 21' 28" northeasterly for 91.79 feet;

4. Thence deflecting to the left 60° 38' 32" northerly for 2,467.99 feet to the point of beginning.

Dated New York, September 12, 1884.

E. HENRY LACOMBE,
Counsel to the Corporation,
Tryon Row, New York City.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
Room 78, TRIBUNE BUILDING,
NEW YORK, October 3, 1884.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR CONSTRUCTING Sections A and B of the New Croton Aqueduct in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York will be received at this office until WEDNESDAY, October 29, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and will be publicly opened and read by the Aqueduct Commissioners, and the award of the contract will be made by said Commissioners as soon thereafter as practicable. The portion of the New Aqueduct for which bids are hereby invited is in Tunnel, and is divided into two sections, viz:—

Section A: Extending from a point near the High Bridge northward a distance of about 11,850 feet, and having a diameter of 36 inches.

Section B: Extending from the end of Section A northward a distance of about 12,300 feet, and having two working shafts.

Bidders can bid for either one or for both of the above sections; but each section must be bid for, and will be awarded, separately. Any bidder for both sections who will not accept an award for one section only must so state in his bid.

Each bid must be inclosed in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the name of the person or persons making the same and the section for which it is made. Each bid must state the name and place of residence of the person making the same, and the name of all persons interested in the same, and also state that it is made without any connection with any other person making another bid for the same work, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; that no member of the Aqueduct Commission or of the Common Council, nor of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, or any person in the employ of the Aqueduct Commissioners, is directly or indirectly interested in the bid, or in the work to which it relates.

Each bid must be verified by the oath of the party making the same, that the several matters therein stated are true, and must be accompanied by a certified check on a National or State Bank of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller of the City of New York, for an amount not less than five per cent. of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check must be delivered to the Aqueduct Commissioners, or to their secretary, for delivery to the Comptroller. All deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned by the Comptroller to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall neglect or refuse to execute the contract within ten days after notice that it has been awarded to him, 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, pursuant to the provisions of section 490 of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

The amount of security required in the contract for Section A is one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars, and for Section B one hundred and thirty-five thousand dollars, with not less than two satisfactory sureties, who must be householders or resident freeholders of the State of New York.

THE AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS RESERVE THE RIGHT TO REJECT ANY AND ALL BIDS IF THEY DEEM IT FOR THE BEST INTEREST OF THE CITY SO TO DO.

Blank forms of bid or proposal, and proper envelopes for their inclosure, forms of the contract, specifications and all other information required, can be obtained at the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners, Room 78, Tribune Building, New York.

By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners,
JAMES W. McCULLOCH,
Secretary.

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

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING,
CITY OF NEW YORK, 100 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK, Oct. 10, 1884.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the following articles, the property of the Department of Street Cleaning, will be sold at public auction, at the stables of this Department, Seventeenth street and Avenue C, by Wm. Kennedy, Auctioneer, on Friday, the 24th day of October, 1884, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon:

2 Horses, known as Nos. 47 and 68.
Scows, known as Nos. 3, 11, 17 and 19, which can be seen at the Dock Foot of Seventeenth street, East river, on the day before the sale.
Scow No. 6—At Ward's Bay, Astoria.
Scow No. 10, 4—At Gowanus, East river.
About 2,000 lbs. of Scrap Iron.
" 2,000 " Rope.
" 500 " Horse Shoes.
" 700 " Composition Metal Pipe.
One old Atlas.

TERMS OF SALE.

The purchase-money to be paid in bankable funds at the time of sale or the articles to be sold, and tested. The purchaser is required to remove their articles from the stables within twenty-four hours after the sale. Information in relation to the articles to be sold may be obtained from the Superintendent of the Stables, at the stables, Seventeenth street and Avenue C.

A. H. ROGERS,
Deputy Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, NOV. 1, 1884.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO property-owners of the City of New York that, by the new Act of the Legislature of 1884, among other matters relating to Croton water rates and affecting all properties liable for Croton water charges, is embraced the following, in "Title 2, Duties and Powers of the Department of Public Works as to Procuring and Constructing Water-works."

§ 350. The Commissioner of Public Works shall, from time to time, establish scales of rents. * * * * * Such rents shall be collected from the owners or occupants of all such buildings, respectively, which shall be situated upon lots adjoining any street or avenue in said city in which the distributing water-pipes are or may be laid, and from which they can be supplied with water, said rents shall become a charge and lien upon such houses and lots, respectively, as provided by law.

It becomes my duty to state that on and after the first day of April, 1885, all extra charges, such as steam-engines, bakeries, barbers, bathing-tubs, boarding-houses, boarding-schools, buildings, purveyors, horses, horse-troughs, hotels, porter-houses, taverns, etc., printing offices, stone cutting or dressing, slaughter-houses, dyeing, water-closets and urinals, laundries, restaurants, soda fountains, extra families, oyster and shell houses, water by meter, meat markets, meat and meat setting and all other purposes for which the use of Croton water is chargeable according to law, are liens, and unless paid on or before the 30th day of April next must be returned to the Clerk of Afters, with the amount due on each lot.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, by the School Trustees of the Twenty-third Ward, on Monday, the 13th day of October, 1884, for alterations and repairs of drainage, etc., at Grammar School-house No. 26, on West Thirtieth street, near Sixth avenue.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blanks for proposals, and all necessary information may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand, corner of Elm street, third floor.

The party submitting a proposal, and the parties proposing to become sureties, must each write his name, place of residence, and place of business on said proposal.

Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, are required in all cases.

No proposal will be considered from persons whose character or antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful.

The Trustees reserve the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted.

THOMAS MAHER,
JOHN H. ITTIER,
LEROY CLARK,
JAMES J. THOMSON,
GEORGE A. JONES,
Board of School Trustees, Twentieth Ward.
Dated, New York, September 29, 1884.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, October 1, 1884.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS Department with the following articles:

230,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as Best Sweet Timothy.
43,000 pounds good, clean Rye Straw.
2,300 bags clean No. 1 White Oats, 80 pounds to the bag.

1,300 bags first quality Bran, 40 pounds to the bag.

—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, October 15, 1884, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

Proposals must include all the items, specifying the price per cwt. for hay and straw, and per bag for oats and bran.

All of the articles are to be delivered at the various houses of the department below Fifty-ninth street, in such quantities and at such times as may be directed.

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 for day and hour above named, 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 work, 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 therein stated are true, and that 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 certificate in writing, of the holder 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 the same day or before, be bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, in the sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000); 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 the completion of the contract, and the sum he is 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 to which the bid or estimate is made. 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, and that he is not indebted to the Corporation 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 and be 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 one hundred and fifty dollars (\$150). Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-book, and no estimate can be deposited in said book 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 to execute the contract 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.

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 in default of such security, 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 articles, may be seen and forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Department.

CORNELIUS VAN COTT,
HENRY D. PURROV,
RICHARD CROKER,
Fire Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, October 1, 1884.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS Department with the following articles:

120,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as Best Sweet Timothy.
22,000 pounds good, clean Rye Straw.
1,200 bags clean No. 1 White Oats, 80 pounds to the bag.

700 bags first quality Bran, 40 pounds to the bag.

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Proposals must include all the items, specifying the price per cwt. for hay and straw, and per bag for oats and bran.

All of the articles are to be delivered at the various houses of the Department above Fifty-ninth street, in such quantities and at such times as may be directed.

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 and 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 on 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, 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 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 his or her part award become bound as sureties for his faithful performance, in the sum of one thousand five hundred dollars (\$1,500); 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 estimate 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 on good faith and with the intention of securing the good faith and 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 the estimate, in full dollars. 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-book, and no estimate can be deposited in the Estimate-book 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 five days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded, neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to him, or his or her bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract within the time aforesaid, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be reawarded 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 articles, may be seen and forms and proposals may be obtained at the office of the Department.

CORNELIUS VAN COTT,
HENRY D. PURROY,
RICHARD CROKER,
Fire Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 & 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, NOV. 21, 1883.

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

By order of
CORNELIUS VAN COTT, President.
HENRY D. PURROY,
RICHARD CROKER,
Commissioners
CARL JUSSEN,
Secretary

JURORS.

NOTICE IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, JUNE 1, 1883.

APPLICATIONS FOR EXEMPTIONS WILL BE heard here, from 3 o'clock to 5 o'clock P. M., on all hitherto liable 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 name, correct name, residence, etc., etc. No attention paid to letters.

Persons "enrolled" as liable must serve when called or pay their fines. No more 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

ELECTION NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, PURSUANT to the provisions of section 183 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," that at the General Election to be held in this State on the Tuesday succeeding the first Monday of November, 1884, the following municipal officers are to be chosen in the City and County of New York, viz:

A Mayor, in the place of Franklin Edson.
A Comptroller, pursuant to section 1 of chapter 73 of the Laws of 1882.
A President of the Board of Aldermen, pursuant to section 1 of chapter 74 of the Laws of 1884.

Twenty-four Aldermen, one of whom shall be elected in the territory embraced in each Assembly District as the same existed on the first day of January, 1882.

A Justice, to hold the court in the Eleventh Judicial District, pursuant to section 1281 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as amended by section 3 of chapter 286 of the Laws of 1884.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY,
Clerk of the Common Council.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 301 MOTT STREET,
NEW YORK, October 2, 1884.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the following articles, the property of the Health Department, will be sold at public auction, at the store of the Department of Street Cleaning, Seventeenth street and Avenue C, by Wm. Kennelly, Auctioneer, on Friday, the 24th day of October, 1884, at 11:30 o'clock in the forenoon:

Three 2-horse Sprinkling Trucks.
Two 1-horse Sprinkling Carts.
Two 1-horse Carts.
One 1-horse Buggy with Top.
Three 1-horse Cart Harnesses.
Three 1-horse Ambulance Harnesses.
One 1-horse Buggy Harness.
Fifty Coal Oil Barrels, more or less.

TERMS OF SALE.

The purchase-money to be paid in bankable funds at the time of sale, or the articles will be resold.
Purchasers will be required to remove their articles from the stables within twenty-four hours after the sale. Information in relation to the articles to be sold may be obtained from the Superintendent of the Stables, at Seventeenth street and Avenue C.

(Signed.) EMMONS CLARK,
Secretary.

THE CITY RECORD.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
306 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, October 8, 1884.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT two horses, the property of this Department, will be sold at public auction, on Wednesday, October 23, 1884, at 10 o'clock A. M., by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, at their stables, No. 110 East Thirtieth street.

By order of the Board.
S. C. HAWLEY,
Chief Clerk.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
October 11, 1884.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 997 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons owners of property affected by the assessment list for the opening of One Hundred and Forty-second street, from Eighth avenue to Harlem river, which was confirmed by the Supreme Court, September 12, 1884, and entered on the 6th day of October, 1884, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 998 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

Section 998 of the said act provides that, "if any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect, and receive, in addition to the amount of the assessment, interest 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 assessment is payable to the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before December 14, 1884, will be exempt from interest as herein provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

S. HASTINGS GRANT,
Comptroller.

CORPORATION SALE OF PUBLIC SCHOOL PROPERTY.

THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING Fund of the City of New York will sell at public auction, on Thursday, the thirteenth day of November, 1884, at noon, at the Exchange Sales Rooms, No. 112 Broadway, the two lots of ground known as Nos. 135 and 137 Mulberry street, west side, with the building thereon, being about fifty feet front and rear by about one hundred feet deep, between Hudson and Grand streets, in the Fourteenth Ward. This property is sold pursuant to sections 170, 186 and 206 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, which provide for the sale of any land or lands and the buildings thereon, owned by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York occupied or reserved for school purposes, and no longer required therefor, and the appropriation of the money received in payment to the Board of Education for the purpose of purchasing property or erecting school buildings for new public schools.

TERMS OF SALE.

The auctioneer's fee and ten per cent. of the purchase money to be paid at the time of sale, and the balance cash within thirty days thereafter on delivery of full covenant warranty deed.

S. HASTINGS GRANT,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, October 10, 1884.

PROPOSALS FOR \$3,000,000 THREE PER CENT. STOCKS AND BONDS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Comptroller of the City of New York, at his office, until Monday, the 20th day of October, 1884, at 2 o'clock P. M., when they will be publicly opened in the presence of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, or such of them as shall attend, as provided by law, for the whole or any part of the following stocks and bonds of the City of New York, which will be issued as Registered Stocks and Bonds and run for various periods, as stated, payable semi-annually, on the first day of May and November in each year, except as noted, to wit:

1. CONSOLIDATED STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, as provided by section 132 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, also to be denominated "Armory Bonds," pursuant to section 3 of chapter 61 of the Laws of 1884, "for the purchase of land and the erection and furnishing of Armories for the several organizations of the First Division of the National Guard of the State of New York, including accommodations for Division and Brigade Headquarters," for the sum of \$1,000,000.

Said stock will be redeemable in ten, fifteen, or twenty years, from August 15, 1884, at the option of bidders, the term to be stated in the proposals.

2. CONSOLIDATED STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, as provided by section 132 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, also to be denominated "School-house Bonds," pursuant to chapter 438 of the Laws of 1884, "for the purchase of new school sites, for the erection of new school buildings, and for fitting up and furnishing the same for the use of the common schools of the City of New York," for the sum of \$500,000.

Said stock will be redeemable in five, ten, fifteen, or twenty years, from August 15, 1884, at the option of bidders, the term to be stated in the proposals.

3. ADDITIONAL CROTON WATER STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, authorized by section 144, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, for the sum of \$500,000.

Said stock will be redeemable in ten, fifteen, or twenty years, from November 1, 1884, at the option of bidders, the term to be stated in the proposals.

4. DOCK BONDS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, authorized by section 143, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, redeemable November 1, 1914, for the sum of \$500,000.

5. ADDITIONAL WATER STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, authorized by section 34 of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, entitled "An act to provide new reservoirs, dams, and a new aqueduct, with the appurtenances thereto, for the purpose of supplying the City of New York with an increased supply of pure and wholesome water," for the sum of \$250,000.

Said stock will be redeemable at the pleasure of the Comptroller, on and after the first day of October, 1913, and payable, if not sooner redeemed, on the first day of October, 1933, bearing interest at the rate of Three per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, upon the first day of April and October of each year, and will be issued Free from City and County Taxation, under a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted September 3, 1883, pursuant to the provisions of said act of 1883.

6. ASSESSMENT BONDS OF THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, authorized by section 144 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, redeemable on November 1, 1899, for the sum of \$250,000.

7. CONSOLIDATED STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, as provided by sections 132 and 134 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and authorized by chapter 447 of the Laws of 1884, for the purpose of enlarging the building now erected upon a portion of the Central Park east of the old Receiving Reservoir and now in possession and occupation of the Metropolitan Museum of Art," for the sum of \$250,000.

Said stock will be redeemable on the first day of November, 1904.

All of the above described stocks and bonds will be

EXEMPT FROM TAXATION

by the City and County of New York, but not from taxation for State purposes, as authorized by an ordinance of the Common Council, approved by the Mayor, October 2, 1880, and directed by resolutions of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, as provided by section 137 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

CONDITIONS.

Section 146, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, provides that "The Comptroller, with the approval of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, shall determine what, if any, part of said proposals shall be accepted, and upon the payment into the City Treasury of the amounts due by the persons whose proposals are accepted, and upon the certificate thereof shall be issued to them as authorized by law," and also "that no proposals for bonds or stocks shall be accepted for less than the par value of the same."

Those persons whose bids are accepted will be required to deposit with the City Chamberlain the amount of the stocks or bonds awarded to them at their par value, together with the premium thereon, within three days after notice of such acceptance.

Proposals will be received for any of said stocks and bonds in sums of One Thousand Dollars, or multiples thereof, stating the amount and kind of securities the bidders prefer.

The proposals should be inclosed in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Proposals for Stocks and Bonds of the City of New York," and each proposal should also be inclosed in a second envelope, addressed to the Comptroller of the City of New York.

S. HASTINGS GRANT,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, October 8, 1884.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,
AND OF WATER RENTS,
AND OF CROTON WATER RENTS,
No. 32 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, October 1, 1884.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE assessment rolls of Real Estate, Personal Property, and Bank Stock in the City and County of New York, for the year 1884, and the warrants for the collection of taxes have been delivered to the undersigned, and that the taxes on said assessments are payable at his office. In case of payment on or before the 1st day of November next, the person so paying shall be entitled to the benefits mentioned in section 842 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, viz: a reduction of interest at the rate of seven per centum between the 1st day of such payment and the first day of December next.

MARTIN T. MCMAHON,
Receiver of Taxes.

SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION OF THE RIGHT, TITLE AND INTEREST OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, IN AND TO CERTAIN REAL ESTATE, IN THE TWELFTH WARD.

ALL THE RIGHT, TITLE AND INTEREST OF the Corporation of the City of New York in and to certain lots, pieces and parcels of land, situate in the Twelfth Ward of said City, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, at the office of the Comptroller, at noon, on Monday, the 3d day of November, 1884, by order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, as follows, to wit:

Four lots of ground designated by the Ward Numbers 21, 22, 23, and 24, in Block No. 302 of the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

TERMS OF SALE.

Cash for the amount bid and the auctioneer's fee, with the expenses attending the sale and preparation of the deed, to be paid by the purchaser at the time and place of sale.

S. HASTINGS GRANT,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, September 27, 1884.

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

September 15, 1884.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LANDS AND TENEMENTS for unpaid taxes of 1880, and Croton water rents of 1879, under the direction of S. HASTINGS GRANT, Comptroller of the City of New York. The undersigned hereby gives public notice, pursuant to the provisions of Section 926 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882,

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 year 1880, 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 year 1879, and are now remaining due and unpaid, are required to pay the same to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at his office, in the Finance Department, in the Court-house, with the interest thereon at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum, 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 Court-house, in the City Hall Park, in the city of New York, on Monday, December 23, 1884, 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 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.

S. HASTINGS GRANT,
Comptroller.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, September 17, 1884.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LANDS AND TENEMENTS FOR UNPAID ASSESSMENTS.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS AND
ARREARS OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS
AND OF WATER RENTS,
OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR OF ASSESSMENTS
AND CLERK OF ARREARS,
August 20, 1884.

UNDER THE DIRECTION OF S. HASTINGS GRANT, Comptroller of the City of New York, the undersigned hereby gives public notice, pursuant to the provisions of Section 926 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, that the respective owners of all the lands and tenements on which assessments have been laid and confirmed during the year 1879 and prior thereto, and which such assessments are now due and unpaid and have remained due and unpaid since the confirmation of said assessments, are required to pay the amount of the assessments so due and remaining unpaid to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at his office in the Finance Department, in the Court-house, in the City of New York, together with the interest thereon, at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum, to the time of payment, 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 Court-house, in the City Hall Park, in the City of New York, Monday, November 24, 1884, 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 the assessment so due and unpaid, and the interest thereon as aforesaid to the time of the sale, together with the charges of this notice and advertisement, and that such sale will be continued from time to time until all the lands and tenements advertised for sale shall be sold.

And notice is hereby further given that a detailed statement of the assessments, the ownership of the property assessed, and on which the assessments are due and unpaid, is published in a pamphlet, and that copies of the pamphlet are deposited in the office of the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears in the Finance Department, and will be delivered to any person applying for the same.

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

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S. HASTINGS GRANT,
Comptroller.