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REPORT

OF THE

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,

FOR THE QUARTER ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1874.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 19, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, January 20, 1875.

Hon. WILLIAM H. WICKHAM,
Mayor of the City of New York:

SIR—In compliance with section 27 of the Charter, I have the honor to submit herewith a report of the transactions of this Department for the quarter ending December 31, 1874, consisting of the reports of the various Bureaus in the Department, and statements "A" and "B," exhibiting the amounts appropriated for the use of the Department, the expenditures incurred under the several appropriations, and the balances remaining unexpended.

The Charter provides for the publication of the quarterly reports of the Department in the CITY RECORD only, and that they be brief and confined to facts and figures.

It has been the custom of the Department to publish in book or pamphlet form, and distribute among the tax-payers, an annual report, in which all questions of public interest within the sphere of the duties of the Department are fully treated, accompanied by statements of expenditures, work performed, and all other valuable information obtainable from the records of the Department. This is undoubtedly the best method of preserving the records of the Department, and conveying to the tax-payers in an intelligent and attractive form such information as they most desire to obtain; especially since a report which covers a period of only three months cannot give an adequate or correct idea of the operations of the Department.

In pursuance of this practice and the reasons therefor, all comments on the operations of the Department is reserved for the annual report for the year ending April 30th next.

Very respectfully,

GEO. M. VAN NORT,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
CHIEF ENGINEER'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, 6th January, 1875.

GEO. M. VAN NORT, Esq.,
Commissioner of Public Works:

SIR—I have the honor to report that during the quarter ending the 31st December, there has been expended in this Bureau, for work done and materials furnished, and for which bills have been transmitted, as follows:

For account of Aqueduct—Repairs and Maintenance.....	\$38,027 19
For account of additional alterations of Aqueduct, between Ninety-third and One Hundred and Thirteenth streets.....	128,322 48
For account of Croton Water Fund.....	3,830 07
For account of Croton Water Main Fund.....	43,529 68
For account of Repairs and Renewal of Pipes and Stop-cocks.....	11,783 32
For account of Croton Water Works Extension—High Service, Carmansville.....	4,378 45
For account of Contingencies—Department of Public Works.....	64 96

Total..... \$229,936 15

During the month of November the continual dry weather again reduced the flow of the Croton river below the daily consumption of Croton water in the City, and necessitated again opening the gates of the Reservoir, at Boyd's Corners. During that month about 600,000,000 gallons was drawn from that Reservoir.

A small laboring force has been employed in perfecting the basin and channels for the passage of the water through and around the Reservoir Dam, and in clearing up and putting in proper order the land below this Reservoir belonging to the City.

A contract has been made with Dooly & Curran, to build a highway on the east side of this Reservoir, to replace the one now overflowed. They have commenced work, and it is expected that the road will be completed in the spring.

A contract has also been entered into with Belden & Denison, for the building of a new Storage Reservoir, on the middle branch of the Croton river, in the Town of South East, Putnam County. The work of building the dam has been commenced. The contract provides that the whole work shall be completed in December, 1876.

The Aqueduct and Reservoirs have been maintained in good order, being at all times under careful watch, and every indication of weakness or defect immediately repaired.

On the 11th December, the water was turned off from the Aqueduct, below Manhattanville, in order to make connection with the new line of pipes laid, to take the place of the Aqueduct, between Ninety-third and One Hundred and Thirteenth streets. The connection was made, and the water turned through the new line on the morning of the 13th, since which time the force engaged on this work have been actively employed in removing the old Aqueduct, in the Tenth avenue, south of One Hundred and Thirteenth street.

A wrought-iron pipe, ten inches in diameter, and seven hundred and fifty feet in length, carefully put together and securely boxed, has been laid under Harlem river, between Second and Lincoln avenues. The water was turned through this pipe on the 10th November, and it has proved a complete success, accomplishing all that we anticipated. Through this pipe those inhabitants of the new district, residing on Third avenue, south of One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, have been supplied with the Croton water.

We have also connected the Forty-second street branch of the west 48-inch main with the several mains on the east and west, and with the Distributing Reservoir, at Forty-second street and Fifth avenue.

A Croton main has been extended from the High Service Reservoir, at Carmansville, southward through the Boulevard and Broadway to Fortieth street, and through Fortieth street to Madison avenue, and the several connections and stop-cocks necessary to change the circulation of the water, from the low to the high service, are now being made.

During the past three months pipes have been laid, for the distribution of the Croton water, as follows:

48-inch pipe.....	3,583 feet.
36 ".....	43 "
30 ".....	1,086 "
20 ".....	89 "
12 ".....	6,911 "
10 ".....	754 "
6 ".....	12,214 "
4 ".....	980 "

Twenty-five new hydrants have been placed.

Very respectfully, yours,

EDWARD H. TRACY,
Chief Engineer.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
BUREAU OF WATER PURVEYOR,
December 31, 1874.

GEORGE M. VAN NORT, Esq.,
Commissioner of Public Works:

SIR—The following is the report of the transactions of this Bureau for the months of October, November, and December of this year:

TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENTS UNDER CONTRACTS, COMPLETED.

First avenue, from Sixty-first to Ninety-second street.
Eleventh avenue, from Fifty-second to Fifty-ninth street.
Thirteenth avenue, between Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth streets, half the block.
Third street, from Goerk street to Pier foot of Third street.
Thirty-first street, from Fourth to Lexington avenue.
Thirty-sixth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.
Fifty-second street, from Fourth to Fifth avenue.
Fifty-sixth street, from First avenue to East river.
Eighty-first street, from Second to Fourth avenue.
Eighty-eighth street, from Third to Fourth avenue.

GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENTS UNDER CONTRACTS, COMPLETED.

Twenty-fourth street, between Eleventh avenue and North river.
Eighty-fourth street, between Avenue A and Fifth avenue, except between Third and Fourth avenues.
Eighty-fifth street, between Avenue A and Fifth avenue.
Worth street, and the streets intersecting for one block on either side, between Centre and Chatham streets.

NEW CONTRACTS FOR PAVEMENTS.

A list of new contracts under ordinances, will be found in the report of Contract Clerk.

REPAIRS TO PAVEMENTS.

The appropriations for repairs to the pavements of this City for the past year are about exhausted, and this cause, as well as the setting in of cold weather, has necessitated the stoppage of the work and the discharge of the force.

The wooden pavements are in very poor order, and I anticipate that the appropriation for the next year (\$50,000) will be greatly inadequate for the repairs that will be found necessary at the breaking up of the winter. The wooden pavements of this City appear to be giving away at all places, and in a short time, if the streets where they are laid are to be kept in a passable condition, will have to be entirely replaced.

CROTON PIPES LAID AND REPAIRS TO PIPES, STOP-COCKS, ETC.

The work of laying Croton-mains has been prosecuted with the usual force (about 800 men) until the close of this month, when the force was reduced to 250 men. The Chief Engineer's report contains the amount of pipes laid.

The repairs to Croton pipes, stop-cocks, etc., have been made with the usual force of three companies.

VAULT PERMITS.

Number of permits issued.....	32
Moneys received.....	\$8,026 94

Respectfully, yours,

W. H. LOCKWOOD,
Water Purveyor.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
BUREAU OF WATER RENTS,
December 31, 1874.

GEORGE M. VAN NORT, Esq.,
Commissioner of Department of Public Works:

SIR—I submit the following statement of moneys received for water rents, extra rents, penalties, and taps, for the three months ending December 31, 1874:

	Rents, Extra Rents, and Penalties.	Taps.	TOTAL.
For the month of October.....	\$113,951 45	\$614 50	
" " November.....	64,674 48	431 50	
" " December.....	83,034 10	470 50	
	\$261,660 03	\$1,516 50	\$263,176 53

I remain respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

H. N. SHERWOOD,
Water Register.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
BUREAU OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS,
ROOM NO. 11, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, December 31, 1874.

Hon. GEO. M. VAN NORT,
Commissioner of Public Works:

SIR—I have the honor to transmit you herewith a report of the transactions of this Bureau for the months of October, November, and December, 1874, showing statements of the amount of work done, of the amounts drawn, and of contracts completed during this period.

For new contracts entered into during this time, I beg to refer to Contract Clerk's report.

Respectfully,

RICHARD GIBBS,
Superintendent of Street Improvements.

Statement showing amount of work done during the months of October, November, and December, 1874.

Earth excavated, cubic yards.....	2,282
Rock " ".....	27,042
Filling furnished, " ".....	79,801
Curb and gutter stones set, running feet.....	27,151 ¹⁰ / ₁₂
" " reset, " ".....	3,829
Gutter stones set, running feet.....	275
Flagging laid, square feet.....	194,787 ¹⁴ / ₁₀₀
" " relaid, " ".....	9,835 ⁸² / ₁₀₀
Board fence, running feet.....	745 ¹ / ₂

RICHARD GIBBS,
Superintendent of Street Improvements.

Statement showing the amounts drawn during the months of October, November, and December, 1874.

Street regulating, grading, etc.....	\$165,749 49
Contingencies—Department of Public Works.....	62 50
Total.....	\$165,811 99

RICHARD GIBBS,
Superintendent of Street Improvements.

Statement showing List of Contracts completed since October 1, 1874.

DATE.	WORK.	CONTRACTOR.
Oct. 5	Curbing, guttering, and flagging Third street, from Goerck street to East river.....	Thomas Gearty.
" 6	Regulating and grading One Hundredth street, from Eighth avenue to Boulevard.....	Henry Wagner.
" 7	Regulating and grading One Hundred and Eighth street, from Fifth avenue to East river.....	Mills & Ambrose.
" 12	Curbing, guttering, and flagging Eleventh street, from Avenue D to East river, and east side of Avenue D, from Eleventh to Thirtieth street.....	Terrence Smith.
" 27	Regulating and grading One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, from Fifth to Eighth avenue.....	John T. Doyle.
" 31	Regulating and grading Seventy-sixth street, from Fifth avenue to East river.....	J. S. Masterson.
" 31	Flagging Fifty-first street, from Tenth avenue to Hudson river....	Thomas Gearty.
" 31	Regulating and grading Eightieth street, from Eighth avenue to River Drive.....	H. H. Brown.
Nov. 18	Regulating and grading Seventy-third street, from Eighth avenue to Hudson river.....	Wm. B. Finley.
Dec. 10	Regulating and grading Eighth avenue, from Fifty-ninth to Seventy-seventh street.....	James Slattery.
" 10	Regulating and grading Eighth avenue, from Eighty-first to One Hundredth street.....	J. B. Devlin.
" 10	Regulating and grading Sixty-seventh street, from Fourth to Fifth avenue.....	Charles H. Reilly.
" 19	Regulating and grading Sixtieth street, from First avenue to Avenue A.....	Michael Gavin.

SPECIAL CONTRACTS UNDER \$1,000.

Oct. 8	Flagging south side of St. Mark's place.....	Augustus Meyers.
Nov. 10	Flagging Tenth avenue, from Fifty-second to Fifty-third street....	T. & J. D. Crimmins.
Dec. 5	Flagging north side of Forty-third street, from First to Second avenue.....	" "
" 5	Flagging south side of Thirty-fourth street, from First avenue to East river.....	" "
" 5	Flagging south side of One Hundred and Twenty-first street, from First avenue to Avenue A.....	S. D. Seaman.
" 5	Flagging Fifty-fourth street, from Fourth to Fifth avenue.....	James Slattery.
" 5	Regulating and grading Edgar street, from Church to Greenwich street.....	" "

RICHARD GIBBS,
Superintendent of Street Improvements.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
BUREAU OF LAMPS AND GAS,
NEW YORK, December 31, 1874.

GEO. M. VAN NORT, Esq.,
Commissioner of Public Works:

SIR—In compliance with your directions, I submit the following report of the transactions of the business of the Bureau of Lamps and Gas for the three months ending this date.

In Exhibit "A" will be found an abstract of all vouchers certified by me during the quarter. In Exhibit "B" will be found a statement showing the amounts paid for gas to the various public markets, offices, etc., and for resetting, repairing and lighting the public lamps, etc., for the first, second, third, and fourth quarters of the year, and the sum total of each for the whole year. In Exhibit "C" will be found a summary of the appropriation for lamps and gas for 1874, showing an expenditure during the quarter of one hundred and eighty-seven thousand two hundred and nine dollars and twenty-four cents (\$187,209.24), and for the year of four hundred and seventy-one thousand seven hundred and eighty-seven dollars and seventeen cents (\$471,787.17); leaving a balance standing to the credit of the appropriation of one hundred and seventy-three thousand two hundred

and sixteen dollars and thirty-three cents (\$173,216.33), with liabilities against the same of one hundred and sixty-six thousand three hundred and sixty-four dollars and thirty four cents (\$166,364.34), thus leaving an available balance of six thousand eight hundred and fifty-one dollars and ninety-nine cents. The principal part of the liabilities, as will be seen, is chargeable to the account of lighting the public lamps in the district of the Metropolitan Gas-light Company during the year 1874, and have accrued from the fact that said Company has failed to send their bills to this Department during the whole of the year, consequently vouchers for the same could not be made out. In the absence of the bills, the amount of liabilities is estimated on the prices bid by said Company in their proposal of February 7, last. The balance of the liabilities is for lighting the public lamps during the month of December, and supply of gas to the county jail from May 1 to December 31. Vouchers for the latter account have not been made out because there is a doubt whether the same should be paid through this Bureau; and as the question has been referred by you to the Corporation Counsel, his opinion may be daily expected.

There would have been a deficiency in the above-mentioned appropriation of about ten thousand dollars had it not been for the deductions of over twenty-three thousand dollars from the bills of one of the gas companies and the discontinuance of the lighting of one hundred and eighty-seven lamps situated on the Sixth and Seventh avenues, Avenue St. Nicholas, and the Boulevard centre-piece on October 1, and the removal of one hundred and seventy-eight extra lamps during the month of January.

The amount set apart by the Board of Apportionment for lamps and gas for the year 1875 is the same as for 1874, although the requirements of the public service would necessarily demand a larger sum in consequence of the natural increase of the public lamps in new streets in the upper sections of the city, and the increased amount required for gas to the public buildings formerly under the County. I would also call attention to the fact that the prices fixed in the new contracts for lighting the public lamps for the ensuing four months are in excess of the prices paid during the year just passed : and if the prices to be paid for the eight months commencing May 1 should be the same as were paid during the year 1874, the increase for lighting public lamps during the year 1875 will amount to over twenty-seven thousand dollars, as the following statement will show :

GAS COMPANY.		Number of lamps burning Decem- ber 31, 1874.	New rates for four months, ending April 30, 1875.	Amount for four months at new rates.	Eight months, end- ing December 31, 1875, at old rates.	Amount for eight months at old rates.	Total for year 1875, at new and old rates.	Amount for one year, at old rates.	Increase over old rates.
New York Gas Co. . . .	3,010	\$12 00	4 mos.	\$36,120 00	33 00	\$66,220 00	\$102,340 00	\$99,330 00	\$3,010 00
Manhattan Gas Co. . .	6,561	12 00	"	78,732 00	33 00	144,342 00	223,074 00	216,514 00	6,561 00
Metropolitan Gas Co.	3,488	15 00	"	52,320 00	33 00	76,736 00	129,056 00	115,104 00	13,952 00
Harlem Gas Co.	4,025	13 95	"	56,148 75	39 00	104,650 00	166,798 75	159,975 00	3,823 75
N. Y. Mutual Gas Co.	583	12 66 2/3	"	7,384 66	35 00	13,603 28	20,987 94	20,405 00	582 94
	17,667			\$230,705 41		\$405,551 28	\$636,256 69	\$608,327 00	\$27,929 69

It will therefore be seen by the foregoing statement that a probable deficiency will arise in the appropriation for Lamps and Gas for 1875, and there are but two ways to avoid the same. Either a large reduction must be made by the gas companies in the price of lighting, or a discontinuance of a large number of the public lamps must take place; while those temporarily discontinued during the past year must continue to remain unlighted during the next. It is to be hoped and expected, however, that a reduction in the price will be effected for the eight months commencing first of May next.

In Exhibit "D" will be found a summary of the appropriation for Lamps and Gas, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, showing an expenditure during the quarter of twenty-nine thousand five hundred and two dollars and thirty-one cents (\$29,502.31), and for the year of one hundred and eight thousand nine hundred and seventy-five dollars and fifteen cents (\$108,975.15), leaving a balance standing to the credit of the appropriation of fifteen thousand and twenty-four dollars and eighty-five cents (\$15,024.85), against which there are liabilities for lighting the public lamps during the month of December of nine thousand eight hundred and eighty-two dollars and ninety-three cents (\$9,882.93), leaving a balance of five thousand one hundred and forty-one dollars and ninety-two cents (\$5,141.92). The same difficulty will occur in regard to the appropriation for these Wards for 1875 as was mentioned in the preceding. It will be seen that the total amount to be expended for lighting the public lamps in these Wards during the year 1874 is one hundred and eighteen thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight dollars, notwithstanding that the lighting of forty-eight lamps has been discontinued during the early part of the year, and no new lamps have been erected. It is imperatively necessary that the repairing and repainting of the tin frames of the lanterns and the painting of the lamp-posts should take place during the ensuing spring. Many of the lanterns and lamp-posts are in a very bad condition, and are rapidly being destroyed by rust. A few hundred dollars expended on this work will save as many thousands in the future, inasmuch as the longer the delay the more costly the work will be when done; many of the posts are so thick with rust that the same will require scraping before paint can be applied thereto, thereby causing an additional expense for labor. The amount set apart by the Board of Apportionment for these Wards for the year 1875 is one hundred thousand dollars, twenty-four thousand less than the sum appropriated for 1874. It will, therefore, readily be seen that a deficiency must necessarily occur in the appropriation for the coming year with the number of lamps burning at this date; hence the erection of any new lamps must be prevented, notwithstanding the frequent and urgent applications of citizens for light on several thoroughfares.

In Exhibit "E" will be found a summary of the lamp account, showing the number of new lamps fitted up and lighted, old lamps relighted, and lamps discontinued by each gas company during the quarter, with the total number lighted by each company on December 31, together with a recapitulation of the same for the whole year, by which it will be seen that two hundred and thirty-three new lamps have been lighted, two hundred and seventy-two old lamps relighted, and seven hundred and fourteen lamps discontinued during the year; and that the total number of lamps burning on December 31, 1874, was twenty thousand one hundred and twenty-two.

The following statement will show the number of new lamp-posts fitted up, lamp-posts reset, posts straightened, etc., during the year :

GAS COMPANY.	New Lamp- posts fitted up.	Lamp - posts reset.	Lamp - posts removed.	Lamp - posts s raightened.	Stand - pipes refitted.	Columns replaced.	Columns refitted.	Lamp - posts raised.
New York Gas Co.....	3	124	39	237	57	72	8	..
Manhattan Gas Co.....	37	34	175	92	143	59	8	..
Metropolitan Gas Co.....	142	89	137	54	..	..	..	..
Harlem Gas Co.....	137	190	218	23	83	..	..	6
New York Mutual Gas Co....	..	10	6	14	..	11	..	..
Westchester County Gas Co....	..	24	..	..	..	..	..	..
Suburban Gas Co.....	...	6	..	..	..	..	..	..
Totals.....	319	477	578	420	283	148	16	6

The following statement will show the average number of lamps burning and the number of new lamps lighted by each Gas Company, during the years 1871, 1872, 1873, and 1874 :

GAS COMPANY.	Average number of Lamps burning in 1871.	Average number of Lamps burning in 1872.	Average number of Lamps burning in 1873.	Average number of Lamps burning in 1874.	New Lamps lighted in 1871.	New Lamps lighted in 1872.	New Lamps lighted in 1873.	New Lamps lighted in 1874.
New York Gas-light Co.....	3,207	3,042	3,025	3,008	13	14	5	28
Manhattan Gas-light Co.....	7,020	6,870	6,758	6,546	112	17	11	33
Metropolitan Gas-light Co.....	3,828	3,935	4,002	3,582	164	174	147	142
Harlem Gas-light Co.....	4,093	4,040	4,097	4,024	128	300	304	102
New York Mutual Gas-light Co.....	....	....	....	440	....	....	....	....
*Westchester County Gas-light Co.....	....	....	....	1,593	....	....	....	....
†Suburban Gas-light Co.....	....	....	....	924	....	....	....	....
Totals.....	18,148	17,888	17,882	20,047	417	505	527	305

* Twenty-third Ward, by annexation.
† Twenty-fourth Ward, "

EXHIBIT "D."

Summary of the Appropriation for Lamps and Gas, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, for year 1874, showing the Balance against which no Vouchers have been drawn, with the Amount of Liabilities against the Appropriation.

Amount of the Appropriation for Lamps and Gas, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	\$124,000 00
Amount expended to September 30, 1874.....	\$79,472 84
Amount expended during the quarter ending December 31, 1874.....	29,502 31
Total Amount expended to December 31, 1874.....	108,975 15
Balance to credit of Appropriation against which no vouchers have been drawn.....	15,024 85
Liabilities—	
Westchester County Gas-light Co.—Lighting Public Lamps, month of December, 1874.....	\$5,999 60
Suburban Gas-light Co.—Lighting Public Lamps, month of December, 1874.....	3,883 33
Total Liabilities.....	9,882 93
Balance available.....	\$5,141 92

EXHIBIT "E."

Summary of the Lamp Account, showing the Number of New Lamps lighted, Old Lamps relighted, and Number discontinued by each Gas Company during the quarter ending December 31, 1874, with the Total Number lighted by each Company on said date.

New York Gas-light Co.—	
Number of lamps burning, September 30, 1874.....	3,010
Number of new lamps lighted during quarter ending December 31, 1874.....	0
Number of old lamps relighted.....	5
Less lamps discontinued during quarter ending December 31, 1874.....	3,015
	5
	3,010
Manhattan Gas-light Co.—	
Number of lamps burning, September 30, 1874.....	6,554
Number of new lamps lighted during quarter ending December 31, 1874.....	7
Number of old lamps relighted.....	1
Less lamps discontinued during quarter ending December 31, 1873.....	6,562
	1
	6,561
Metropolitan Gas-light Co.—	
Number of lamps burning, September 30, 1874.....	3,463
Number of new lamps lighted during quarter ending December 31, 1874.....	39
Number of old lamps relighted.....	36
Less lamps discontinued during quarter ending December 31, 1874.....	3,538
	50
	3,488
Harlem Gas-light Co.—	
Number of lamps burning, September 30, 1874.....	4,089
Number of new lamps lighted during quarter ending December 31, 1874.....	25
Number of old lamps relighted.....	97
Less lamps discontinued during quarter ending December 31, 1874.....	4,211
	186
	4,025
New York Mutual Gas-light Co.—	
Number of lamps burning, September 30, 1874.....	586
Number of new lamps lighted during quarter ending December 31, 1874.....	0
Number of old lamps relighted.....	0
Less lamps discontinued during quarter ending December 31, 1874.....	586
	3
	583
Westchester County Gas-light Co.—	
Number of lamps burning, September 30, 1874.....	1,500
Number of new lamps lighted during quarter ending December 31, 1874.....	0
Number of old lamps relighted.....	24
Less lamps discontinued during quarter ending December 31, 1874.....	1,524
	1
	1,523
Suburban Gas-light Co.—	
Number of lamps burning, September 30, 1874.....	932
Number of new lamps lighted during quarter ending December 31, 1874.....	0
Number of old lamps relighted.....	0
Lamps discontinued during quarter ending December 31, 1874.....	932
	0
	932
Total number of lamps burning, December 31, 1874.....	20,122
Summary for year 1874.	
Number of lamps burning, December 31, 1873.....	20,331
Number of new lamps lighted during year 1874.....	233
Number of old lamps relighted during year 1874.....	272
Number of lamps discontinued.....	20,836
	714
Total lamps burning, December 31, 1874.....	20,122

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
BUREAU OF STREETS,
NEW YORK, January 14, 1875.

Hon. GEORGE M. VAN NORT,
Commissioner of Public Works:

SIR—In compliance with your request, I herewith submit a report of the operations of this Bureau for the three months ending December 31, 1874.

Under a law passed at the last session of the Legislature the Eighth Avenue Railroad Company have extended their tracks through Eighth avenue and Macomb's Dam road to the Harlem river. The rail-tracks detract considerably from the availability of the avenue and road as a pleasure-drive, especially since the company are making no repairs between the tracks, and that space is gradually wearing down below the level of the road surface, preventing proper surface drainage. I have found it necessary in several places at street-crossings to fill in between the tracks to render travel across the avenue safe and convenient.

On all the other roads under the care of this Bureau the usual repairs have been made, and the Eighth avenue, Macomb's Dam road, Tenth avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-second to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth streets, One Hundred and Twenty-fourth and One Hundred and Thirty-second streets, from Sixth avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas, have been sprinkled daily, except when rendered unnecessary by rain-fall or frost.

The following is a Statement of the Expenditures of the Bureau, and the condition of the Appropriation assigned to it:

Amount appropriated for "Roads and Avenues and Sprinkling" for 1874.....	\$25,000 00
Expenditures, January 1 to September 30, 1874.....	13,935 73
Balance unexpended October 1, 1874.....	\$11,064 27
Vouchers drawn since October 1, 1874:	
Pay-roll for September.....	\$1,692 00
J. B. Butler, for gravel.....	279 32
Pay-roll for October.....	1,966 00
J. Robertson, repairing bridge.....	125 00
J. A. Bouker, for gravel.....	267 22
Pay-roll for November.....	1,466 00
A. J. Hopper, for sand filling.....	600 00
	6,395 54
Balance unexpended.....	\$4,668 73
Liabilities:	
C. E. Mackney, repairing tools.....	\$154 70
William McDonald, filling.....	800 00
Pay-roll for December.....	1,170 50
P. Dunnican and A. J. Hopper, for gravel.....	1,500 00
	3,625 20
Net balance unexpended.....	\$1,043 53

Respectfully submitted.

E. G. GILMORE,
Superintendent of Streets.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
BUREAU OF REPAIRS AND SUPPLIES,
SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, CITY HALL, ROOM 18,
NEW YORK, January 5, 1875.

GEORGE M. VAN NORT, Esq.,
Commissioner of Public Works:

SIR—In accordance with the requirements of chapter 335, Laws of 1873, section 110, and in compliance with your instructions, I herewith submit the following report of the business of this Bureau performed for the three months ending December 31, 1874:

The following contracts have been made:

For furnishing all the materials and do all the carpenter work necessary for, and to put a new roof on Tompkins Market. Contract dated November 2, 1874.

Joseph C. Brady, Contractor.
Philip Smith and Robert Boyd, Sureties.
Amount, \$21,600.

For furnishing all the materials and do all the slating and necessary roof-work for a new roof to be put on Tompkins Market building. Contract dated December 4, 1874.

Phillip A. Dugan and George Hart, Contractors.
Edward L. Carey and John Jennings, Sureties.
Amount, \$4,250.

For furnishing all the materials and doing all the plastering of the ceiling of drill-room in, and other parts of Tompkins Market. Contract dated December 14, 1874.

John M. Christie, Contractor.
James Riley and P. F. Maginn, Sureties.
Amount, \$3,440.

The work on the above contracts are progressing.

The statements marked "A," "B," and "C," hereto annexed, shows the number and amount of certified vouchers drawn during the three months; also where the same has been charged; also shows the condition of the appropriations for 1874.

Respectfully,

A. J. CAMPBELL,
Superintendent of Repairs and Supplies.

EXHIBIT "A."

Showing the Number and Amount of Vouchers drawn on account of the Appropriations therein named, from October 1 to December 31, 1874, inclusive, from the Appropriations of 1873 and 1874.

TITLE OF APPROPRIATIONS.	No. of Voucher.	Amount.
Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.....	39	\$7,843 69
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs.....	38	9,904 56
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....	73	19,185 92
Free Floating Baths.....	7	2,042 82
Printing, Stationery, Law, and Blank Books—County.....	31	10,322 26
Cleaning and Supplies of Offices and Buildings—County.....	27	10,086 28
Repairs to Buildings and Offices—County.....	29	3,773 25
Heating Buildings and Offices—County.....	9	4,202 01
Contingencies—Department of Public Works.....	6	158 90
Salaries—City Courts (Police Courts).....	1	500 00
Printing, engraving, and furnishing Bonds, City of New York.....	1	2,190 20
Flagging Sidewalks and Fencing Vacant Lots, etc.....	1	62 00
Total.....	262	\$70,271 89

EXHIBIT "B."

Showing the Amount of Expenditures for which Certified Vouchers have been drawn on account of the several Appropriations therein named, and also showing the Courts, Departments, etc., to which the same has been charged, from October 1, 1874, to December 31, 1874, both inclusive.

NAMES OF COURTS, DEPARTMENTS, ETC.	Printing, Stationery, and Blank-books.	Public Buildings, Construction and Repairs.	Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.	Free Floating Baths.	Printing, Stationery, Law and Blank Books for County Offices.	Cleaning and Supplies of Offices and Buildings formerly belonging to the County.	Repairs to Buildings and Offices formerly belonging to the County.	Heating Buildings and Offices formerly belonging to the County.	Contingencies, Department of Public Works.	Salaries, City Courts (Police Courts).	Flagging Sidewalks, and Fencing Vacant Lots, etc.	Printing, Engraving, and Furnishing Bonds, City of New York.	TOTALS.
1st District Police Court.....	\$101 63	\$75 36	\$125 92	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$62 00	.....	\$302 91
2d do do do.....	.....	914 74	284 80	.....	\$127 50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,389 04
3d do do do.....	.....	836 53	288 75	.....	203 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,328 28
4th do do do.....	.....	199 22	297 90	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$500 00	.....	.....	997 12
5th do do do.....	.....	140 08	1,199 56	.....	163 50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,503 14
6th do do do.....	.....	.....	51 90	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	51 90
1st do do Civil.....	119 53	.....	31 35	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	150 88
2d do do do.....	.....	4 50	151 74	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	156 24
3d do do do.....	.....	5 24	81 05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	86 29
4th do do do.....	137 77	.....	125 49	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	253 26
5th do do do.....	24 84	.....	133 20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	158 04
6th do do do.....	.....	.....	129 50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	129 50
7th do do do.....	153 26	.....	86 50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	239 76
8th do do do.....	.....	.....	103 28	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	103 28
9th do do do.....	89 94	20 18	925 47	.....	40 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,075 59
10th do do do.....	62 55	.....	121 65	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	134 20
Board of Police Justices.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	27 20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	27 20
Catharine Market.....	.....	1,278 88	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,278 88
Union do.....	.....	24 80	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	24 80
Fulton do.....	.....	843 68	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	843 68
Essex do.....	.....	29 09	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	29 09
Centre do.....	.....	29 80	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	29 80
Tompkins do.....	.....	4,195 52	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,195 52
Mayor's Office.....	66 50	.....	3 06	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	69 56
Department of Public Works.....	482 88	.....	83 87	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$68 00	.....	.....	.....	634 75
Chief Clerk's Office.....	52 63	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	52 63
Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.....	14 82	98 66	4 50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	90 90	.....	.....	.....	208 88
do do Pay-rolls.....	.....	236 25	6,652 00	.....	.....	\$7,618 18	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,506 43
do Lamps and Gas.....	.....	.....	18 30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18 30
do Street Improvements.....	616 08	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	616 08
do Chief Engineer.....	70 87	.....	18 50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	89 37
do Water Register.....	.....	.....	18 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18 00
do Water Purveyor.....	332 28	.....	11 25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	343 53
do Streets and Roads.....	90 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	90 00
City Hall.....	.....	881 86	1,607 52	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,489 38
CITY RECORD.....	.....	.....	21 00	.....	8 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	21 00
Clerk of Common Council.....	10 14	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18 14
Board of Aldermen.....	1,179 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,179 00
do Assistant Aldermen.....	1,741 50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,741 50
Department of Finance.....	1,416 18	19 74	67 85	.....	106 50	.....	\$436 63	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$2,190 20	4,437 10
Counsel to the Corporation.....	15 25	.....	57 10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	72 35
Corporation Attorney.....	.....	.....	184 73	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	184 73
Public Administrator.....	.....	.....	45 50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	45 50
Department of Public Charities and Correction.....	135 50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	135 50
Fire Department.....	417 02	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	417 02
Department of Public Parks.....	495 32	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	495 32
do Taxes and Assessments.....	21 20	4 88	17 70	.....	85 18	314 71	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	443 67
do Buildings.....	.....	.....	111 60	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	111 60
Commissioners of Accounts.....	11 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11 00
Pipe-yard, Twenty-fourth street.....	.....	.....	59 15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	59 15
Free Floating Baths.....	.....	.....	.....	\$2,042 82	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,042 82
New Court-house.....	.....	.....	223 07	.....	704 80	198 02	.....	\$2,818 76	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,944 65
Board of Estimate and Apportionment.....	76 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	76 00
County Clerk's Office.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,671 94	73 50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,731 82
Court of Common Pleas.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	766 87	354 81	267 70	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,389 38
do General Sessions.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	217 12	.....	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	217 62
District Attorney's Office.....	.....	.....	5,793 41	.....	703 07	301 55	322 99	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,121 02
Register's Office.....	.....	.....	10 50	.....	751 80	.....	533 50	39 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,334 89
Superior Court.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	729 23	64 05	9 53	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	802 81
Surrogate's Office.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	284 10	.....	16 63	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	300 73
Brown-stone Building.....	.....	65 46	25 55	.....	.....	.....	82 75	1,123 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,296 76
Twelfth Regiment Armory.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,638 83	408 98	155 45	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,049 79
Supreme Court.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	21 98	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	25 67
Sheriff's Office.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,100 77	343 36	98 06	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,548 19
Marine Court.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	600 56	17 00	43 78	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	661 34
Commissioner of Jurors.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	80 47	221 25	.....	.....	.....	.....	309 42
County Jail.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	52 75	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	52 75
Sixty-ninth Regiment Armory.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	738 10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	738 10
Ninety-sixth Regiment Armory.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	319 52	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	319 52
Arsenal, corner Elm and White streets.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	182 18	111 77	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	293 95
Court of Special Sessions.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3 10	48 13	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	51 23
do Oyer and Terminer.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Grand Totals.....	\$7,843 69	\$9,904 56	\$19,185 92	\$2,042 82	\$10,322 26	\$10,086 28	\$3,773 25	\$4,202 01	\$158 90	\$500 00	\$62 00	\$2,190 20	\$70,271 89

EXHIBIT "C."

Showing the conditions of the Appropriations for the year 1874, on the 31st day of December, 1874.

Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books—

Balance, October 1, 1874.....	\$1,183 73
Additional appropriation.....	24,368 39
Amount of vouchers transmitted, from October 1 to December 31, 1874, inclusive..	\$25,552 12
Balance, December 31, 1874.....	6,856 94

Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs—

Balance, October 1, 1874.....	\$34,859 77
Additional appropriation.....	30,000 00
Amount of vouchers transmitted, from October 1 to December 31, 1874, inclusive..	\$64,859 77
Balance, December 31, 1874.....	9,871 06

Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices—

Balance, October 1, 1874.....	\$21,372 71
Additional appropriation.....	5,000 00
Amount of vouchers transmitted, from October 1 to December 31, 1874, inclusive..	\$26,372 71
Balance, December 31, 1874.....	19,184 67

Free Floating Baths—

Balance, October 1, 1874.....	\$3,504 94
Amount of vouchers transmitted, from October 1 to December 31, 1874, inclusive..	2,042 82
Balance, December 31, 1874.....	\$1,462 12

Printing, Stationery, Law, and Blank Books for County Offices, etc.—

Balance, October 1, 1874.....	\$19,536 92
Amount of vouchers transmitted, from October 1 to December 31, 1874, inclusive..	10,346 91
Balance, December 31, 1874.....	\$9,190 01

Repairs to Buildings and Offices formerly belonging to the County—

Balance, October 1, 1874.....	\$5,112 52
Amount appropriated since.....	239 00
Amount of vouchers transmitted, from October 1 to December 31, 1874, inclusive..	\$5,351 52
Balance, December 31, 1874.....	3,773 25

Cleaning and Supplies of Offices and Buildings formerly belonging to the County—

Balance, October 1, 1874.....	\$16,067 50
Amount of vouchers transmitted, from October 1 to December 31, 1874, inclusive..	10,056 28
Balance, December 31, 1874.....	\$6,011 22

Heating Buildings and Offices formerly belonging to the County—

Balance, October 1, 1874.....	\$4,021 27
Amount appropriated since.....	5,000 00
Amount of vouchers transmitted, from October 1 to December 31, 1874, inclusive..	\$9,021 27
Balance, December 31, 1874.....	4,202 01

BUREAU OF INCUMBRANCES,
NEW YORK, January 1, 1875.

Hon. GEORGE M. VAN NORT,
Commissioner of Public Works:

SIR—I have the honor to make the following report of the operations of the Bureau of Incumbrances for the months of October, November, and December, 1874.

There were received at this Bureau 266 complaints of obstructions and incumbrances on the streets and sidewalks. Notices were duly made out and served upon the offending parties, and, in a number of instances, the obstructions complained of were removed. Other cases that should have been removed by this Bureau, and which required the expenditure of money, have been delayed from week to week in anticipation that the Comptroller would acknowledge your requisition, drawn upon him in July last, and advance the money to defray such expenses as directed by ordinance.

There were issued 172 permits to builders, to temporarily place building materials upon the streets, for the erection or repair of buildings.

There were also issued 30 notices to repair sidewalks, which were in a broken or dangerous condition. These notices are generally served upon the owners of property, who invariably consider it to their interest to comply with the requirements of your notice, and not suffer the penalties imposed by law and ordinance.

There were 9 permits issued to cut down dangerous and rotten trees. These permits are issued

only upon the consent of an Alderman, and Assistant Alderman, and owner of the property in front of which the tree or trees is standing.

485 notices to remove smooth vault covers from the sidewalks, were served upon persons in various parts of the City. The complaints were received from the Police Department, and notices served from this Department as required by ordinance.

Complaints against obstructions on West street, North river, and on South street, East river, were made to this Department early in December last. The officers of this Bureau made a survey and report at the request of Mayor Vance. Action was subsequently taken by the Department of Docks in reference to the obstructions on the bulkheads on West and South streets, and, at the present time, said Department is investigating the rights of parties claiming authority to obstruct the bulkheads, (or streets adjoining thereto).

This Bureau, on the 24th day of December, issued notices to persons obstructing or incumbering West and South streets, to remove therefrom within ten days after service of such notice. The notices were duly served on the 26th day of December last.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

E. B. SHAFER,

Superintendent of Incumbrances.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
BUREAU OF SEWERS,
NEW YORK, January 6, 1875.

Hon. GEORGE M. VAN NORT,
Commissioner of Public Works:

SIR—In compliance with your instructions, I beg leave to submit a report of the transactions of this Bureau, for the quarter ending December 31, 1874.

Following is a report of the receipts and expenditures, the contracts entered into, and the work done.

RECEIPTS.

I.—The number of permits granted, for making connections with sewers, was two hundred and thirty-one, and the amount received from the same source and credited to the General Fund.....	\$3,454 34
II.—The amount received from the sale of sewer pipe, and charged to contractors.....	\$3,328 55
The amount furnished for the construction of Boulevard sewers.....	847 95
Credited to Street Improvement Fund.....	\$4,176 50
The amount of Surveyors' fees assessable on property benefited, and charged on assessment lists to be credited to the Street Improvement Fund.....	\$50,292 00

EXPENDITURES.

I.—*Street Improvement Fund.*—This fund is applied to the payment of all contracts for the construction of new sewers, drains, receiving-basins, and culverts; for the material used, and the expenses of engineers, surveyors, inspectors, or other persons employed in the construction of the same; the various expenditures under it forming no part of the expenses of the City, which is reimbursed by the collection of assessments imposed upon the property benefited by the improvements.

Vouchers were transmitted to the Commissioner of Public Works, amounting to..... \$302,033 11

Expenditures—

Sewers, drains, culverts, and receiving-basins.....	\$271,450 14
Pay-roll—Engineer, Assistants, etc.....	15,161 74
Inspectors on Sewers.....	7,452 00
William Nelson, Jr., labor, lumber, etc.....	7,111 93
Sundries.....	857 30
	\$302,033 11

II.—*Sewers, Repairing and Cleaning.*—The expenditures under this head are for the repairing and cleaning of sewers and their appurtenances, which are done by days' work, with the exception of the receiving-basins and culverts, which are cleaned by contract.

During the period referred to 3,663 receiving-basins were cleaned.

Unexpended balance, September 30, 1874..... \$24,803 50

Expenditures—

Foster & Holland, contractors, cleaning receiving-basins and culverts.....	\$19,200 00
Thomas & John D. Crimmins, cleaning sewers.....	824 00
Pay-roll, mechanics and laborers.....	4,423 25
	\$24,447 25
Unexpended balance, December 31, 1874.....	356 25
	\$24,803 50

III.—*Sewer Repair Stock.*—This fund is applied to the payment of the rebuilding of the whole or a portion of any existing sewer, or in making material repairs to the same, for which purpose bonds are issued on the City, not exceeding in any one year the sum of \$100,000.

Unexpended balance, September 30, 1874..... \$27,577 28

Expenditures—

Thomas & John D. Crimmins, repairing sewers.....	\$23,789 00
Unexpended balance, December 31, 1874.....	3,788 28
	\$27,577 28

CONTRACTS ENTERED INTO DURING THE QUARTER ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1874.

Sewers.

Thirteenth avenue, between Gansevoort and Bloomfield streets, with branches in Bloomfield and Bogart streets.

South, Catharine, and Water streets, between present sewers in Catharine and Market streets. Sixty-eighth street, between Third and Fourth avenues, with branches in Lexington and Third avenues.

Fourth avenue, between Ninetieth and Ninety-first streets, with branch in Ninety-first street. Eighth avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-first and One Hundred and Thirty-third streets, with branches in One Hundred and Twenty-second, One Hundred and Twenty-third, One Hundred and Twenty-sixth, One Hundred and Thirtieth, One Hundred and Thirty-first, and One Hundred and Thirty-third streets.

Eleventh avenue, between Fifty-ninth and Sixtieth streets, and in Sixtieth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

Spring street, between Broadway and Crosby street. West side of Hudson street, between Vandam and Charlton streets.

East side of Hudson street, between Spring and Vandam streets. West side of Hudson street, between Charlton and King streets.

West side of Hudson street, between Spring and Vandam streets. East side of Hudson street, between Charlton and King streets.

Washington street, between West Tenth and Charles streets. Greenwich street, between Charlton and King streets.

Greenwich street, between King and Houston streets. Greenwich street, between Clarkson and Leroy streets.

Basins.

Cherry street, between New Chambers and Roosevelt streets.

West side of Tenth avenue, between Twenty-fifth and Twenty-sixth streets. Northeast corner of Thirty-third street and First avenue.

Southeast corner of Thirty-third street and First avenue.

Southwest corner of One Hundred and Eleventh street and Avenue St. Nicholas. Southwest corner of One Hundred and Twelfth street and Avenue St. Nicholas.

Southwest corner of One Hundred and Seventeenth street and Sixth avenue. North side of Twentieth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

Northwest corner of Stuyvesant street and Second avenue.

During the quarter referred to 9,851 lineal feet of sewers, 3,824 lineal feet of drains, 891 lineal feet of culvert, and 39 receiving-basins were built, making the total length of sewerage in the City 1,789,822 lineal feet (338 98-100 miles), and 4,113 receiving-basins.

Respectfully,

STEVENSON TOWLE,

Engineer in Charge of Sewers.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
BUREAU OF CONSTRUCTION OF ROADS AND AVENUES,
ROOM NO. 18½ CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, January 8, 1875.

Hon. GEORGE M. VAN NORT,

Commissioner of Public Works:

SIR—Agreeably to your instructions of December 31, 1874, herewith I respectfully submit the following report of the operation and progress of the work under the charge of this Bureau, for the quarter ending December 30, 1874.

There have been transmitted from this Bureau pay-rolls and bills for work done and materials furnished, as follows:

For construction of Boulevard sewers, 12 E.....	\$40,165 84
" " " 13 B.....	19,868 94
" " " 14 B.....	22,847 23
" " " 1 D.....	27,409 53
" " " Avenue St. Nicholas sewers, 11 R.....	21,482 30
" " " One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street sewers.....	593 61
" " " Tenth avenue, One Hundred and Tenth to Manhattan street.....	15,866 79
For the construction of Tenth avenue, One Hundred and Fifty-fifth to One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street.....	3,394 47
For the construction of One Hundred and Tenth street, First avenue to Riverside Drive.....	15,553 98
For the construction of One Hundred and Tenth street superstructure, First avenue to Riverside Drive.....	37,555 74
For the construction of Avenue A, Fifty-seventh to Eighty-sixth street.....	35,300 79
" " " Avenue A, superstructure, Fifty-seventh to Eighty-sixth street.....	19,021 81
" " " Seventy-second street, Avenue A to Fifth avenue.....	2,314 48
" " " Seventy-second street superstructure, Avenue A to Fifth avenue.....	33,043 63
" " " One Hundred and Sixteenth street, Avenue A to Sixth avenue.....	9,832 41
For the construction of One Hundred and Sixteenth street superstructure, Avenue A to Sixth avenue.....	14,684 58
For the construction of New avenue, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, One Hundred and Ninety-fourth to One Hundred and Tenth street.....	27,484 89
For the construction of New avenue, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, One Hundred and Fourteenth street to Avenue St. Nicholas.....	7,131 61
For the construction of Manhattan street.....	1,033 97
For the construction of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, Ninth avenue to Hudson river.....	35,213 27
For the construction of Seventy-second street, Eighth avenue to Hudson river.....	2,284 50
For the construction of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, Seventh avenue to Boulevard.....	36,313 01
For the construction of Ninth avenue, One Hundred and Twenty-third to One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street.....	1,185 81
For the construction of One Hundred and Twenty-second street, Tenth avenue to Riverside Drive.....	9,345 88
For the construction of First avenue, Eighty-sixth to One Hundred and Sixteenth street.....	465 17
For the construction of First avenue superstructure, Eighty-sixth to One Hundred and Sixteenth street.....	16,201 68
Boulevard, planting.....	243 37
Avenue St. Nicholas, planting.....	436 17
Maintenance of Roads and Avenues.....	26,277 12

The principal quantities of work done upon the several improvements are approximately as follows:

SEWERS ON THE BOULEVARD.

3,885 lineal feet of earth trench excavated.
1,249 " " rock " "
4,604 " " brick sewer built.
16 manholes built.
10 receiving-basins built.
574 cubic yards of sand furnished and delivered.
2,307 barrels of cement furnished and delivered.
1,367,860 bricks furnished and delivered.
312 lineal feet of pipe furnished.

SEWERS ON AVENUE ST. NICHOLAS.

546 lineal feet of earth trench excavated.
879 " " rock " "
279 " " brick sewer built.
882 " " vitrified pipe laid.
3 manholes built.
6 receiving basins built.
48 cubic yards of sand furnished and delivered.
296 barrels of cement furnished and delivered.
543 lineal feet of vitrified pipe furnished.

TENTH AVENUE, FROM ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH TO ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-FOURTH STREET.

65 cubic yards of broken stone of trap-rock furnished and delivered.
1,610 square yards of roadway completed.

MANHATTAN STREET, FROM TWELFTH AVENUE TO AVENUE ST. NICHOLAS.

450 lineal feet of curb furnished.
1,107 lineal feet of curb set.
4,560 square feet of flagging laid.

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH STREET, FROM NINTH AVENUE TO THE HUDSON RIVER.

1,644 square yards of Telford pavement laid.
1,126 cubic yards of broken stone of trap-rock furnished and delivered.
596 lineal feet of curb set.
2,504 square feet of flagging laid.
3,206 square yards of roadway completed.

SEWERS ON ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH STREET, WEST OF TENTH AVENUE.

442 lineal feet of earth trench excavated.
136 " " rock " "
578 " " pipe laid.

EASTERN BOULEVARD—ONE HUNDRED AND TENTH STREET, FROM FIRST AVENUE TO RIVERSIDE DRIVE.

950 cubic yards of earth excavation.
3,600 " " rock " "
3,877 cubic yards of broken stone of trap-rock furnished and delivered.
6,900 square yards of Telford pavement laid.
2,580 lineal feet of curb set and reset.
3,694 " " curb furnished and delivered.

783 cubic yards of gravel furnished.
16,020 square feet of flagging laid and relaid.
34,757 " " furnished and delivered.
12,676 square yards of roadway completed.

TENTH AVENUE, FROM ONE HUNDRED AND TENTH TO MANHATTAN STREET.

4,443 cubic yards of earth excavation.
3,715 " rock " "
3,240 " filling and refilling.

SEVENTY-SECOND STREET, FROM AVENUE A TO FIFTH AVENUE.

154 lineal feet of curb furnished.
2,832 " " set and reset.
7,428 square feet of flagging furnished.
13,672 " " laid and relaid.
3,455 cubic yards of broken stone of trap-rock furnished.
577 " gravel furnished.
5,797 square yards of Telford pavement laid.
11,594 " roadway finished.

AVENUE A, FROM FIFTY-SEVENTH TO EIGHTY-SIXTH STREET.

12,496 cubic yards of earth excavation.
2,992 " rock " "
529 " filling.
1,114 lineal feet of curb furnished.
2,362 " " set and reset.
7,804 square feet of flagging furnished.
4,196 " " laid.
2,408 cubic yards of Telford stone broken.
7,262 square yards of Telford pavement laid.
1,880 cubic yards of broken stone of trap-rock furnished.
586 " gravel furnished.
5,792 square yards of roadway completed.

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTEENTH STREET, FROM AVENUE A TO SIXTH AVENUE.

1,061 cubic yards of earth excavation.
1,700 " rock " "
10,763 cubic yards of filling furnished from sources outside the line of the street.
4,380 lineal feet of curb furnished and delivered.
157 " " set.
15,450 square feet of flagging furnished and delivered.
556 " " relaid.
600 square yards of Telford pavement laid.
1,004 cubic yards of broken stone of trap-rock furnished and delivered.
74 " retaining wall built.
2,566 square yards of roadway completed.

FIRST AVENUE, FROM EIGHTY-SIXTH TO ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTEENTH STREET.

5,300 cubic yards of earth excavation.
2,782 lineal feet of curb reset.
500 cubic yards of filling.
9,940 square yards of Telford pavement laid.
1,378 cubic yards of broken stone of trap-rock furnished and delivered.

WORK DONE UNDER SPECIAL ORDINANCE OF THE COMMON COUNCIL.

NEW AVENUE, BETWEEN EIGHTH AND NINTH AVENUES, FROM ONE HUNDREDTH TO MANHATTAN STREET.

4,900 cubic yards of earth excavation.
2,390 " rock " "
20,915 " embankment.
2,030 " retaining wall built.
17 lineal feet of stone culvert built.

ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SECOND STREET, BETWEEN TENTH AVENUE AND RIVERSIDE DRIVE.

3,080 cubic yards of earth excavation.
1,700 " rock " "
500 " Telford stone prepared.

NINTH AVENUE, BETWEEN ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-THIRD AND ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SIXTH STREETS.

2,100 cubic yards of filling furnished.

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIFTH STREET, FROM SEVENTH AVENUE TO THE BOULEVARD.

760 cubic yards of rock excavation.
1,900 lineal feet of curb set.
8,056 square feet of flagging laid.
3,700 cubic yards of broken stone of trap-rock furnished.
1,000 " gravel furnished.
7,000 square yards of Telford pavement laid.
5,600 " roadway completed.

SEVENTY-SECOND STREET, FROM EAST SIDE OF EIGHTH AVENUE TO THE HUDSON RIVER.

145 cubic yards of earth excavation.
165 " rock " "
150 " broken stone of trap-rock furnished.
400 square yards of roadway completed.

MAINTENANCE OF THE BOULEVARD, ROADS, AND AVENUES, NORTH OF FIFTY-NINTH STREET.

	Square Yards.	Miles.
The area and length of roadway being maintained October 1, 1874, were.....	676,431	15,690
To which has been added during the quarter—		
On Tenth avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth to One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street.....	1,610	0.33
On One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from Ninth avenue to Hudson river..	3,373	1.00
On One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, from Seventh avenue to the Boulevard.....	5,600	1.69
On One Hundred and Tenth street, from First avenue to Riverside Drive....	12,676	1.00
On Avenue A, from Fifty-seventh to Eighty-sixth street.....	5,792	1.00
On One Hundred and Sixteenth street, from Avenue A to Sixth avenue....	2,566	1.00
On Seventy-second street, from Avenue A to Fifth avenue.....	11,594	1.00
On Seventy-second street, from east side of Eighth avenue to Hudson river..	400	1.00
Total length completed December 31, 1874.....	720,042	17,000
" " completed January 1, 1874.....	627,331	14,111
Completed during 1874.....	92,711	3,889

3,773 cubic yards of gravel furnished.
442 " broken stone of trap-rock furnished.

PLANTING ON THE BOULEVARD AND AVENUE ST. NICHOLAS.

160 American elm-trees planted on the Boulevard.
95 sugar-maple-trees planted on the Avenue St. Nicholas.

FORCE.

The force employed upon all the works under the direction of this Bureau, on October 1, 1874, was 1,748 men and teams. The present force is 1,641 men and teams.

Respectfully,

M. A. KELLOGG,
Engineer-in-Chief,
Bur. Cons. Roads and Avenues.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
CONTRACT CLERK'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, January 6, 1875.

GEO. M. VAN NORT, Esq.,
Commissioner of Public Works:

SIR—Herewith please find report of transactions of this office for the quarter ending December 31, 1874.

Very respectfully,

WILLIAM H. BARKER,
Contract Clerk.

Contracts made during the Three Months ending December 31, 1874.

Date.	NATURE AND LOCATION OF WORK.	CONTRACTORS.	SURETIES.	Estimated Cost.
SEWERS.				
Oct. 16	13th ave., between Gansevoort and Bloomfield sts.....	P. Mulholland, 1332 3d ave.....	Henry Stollmeyer, 22 East 75th st..... John Mulholland, 73d st., bet. 1st & 2d aves. Theodore F. Tone, 130th st., North river..	\$5,112 70
Dec. 10	4th ave., between 90th and 91st sts., with branch in 91st st.....	A. Lutz, 322 East 121st st.....	A. P. Arnold, 170 East 93d st..... David Babcock, 16 Broadway.....	2,158 00
" 10	68th st., between 3d and 4th aves., with branches.....	F. Stollmeyer, 22 East 75th st.....	H. Stollmeyer, 22 East 75th st..... T. Gearty, 811 Lexington ave.....	4,086 00
" 11	South Catharine and Water sts., between present sewers in Catharine and Market sts.....	J. Garry, 314 East 37th st.....	H. Reilly, 638 2d ave..... O. T. Marshall, 333 East 22d st.....	2,679 00
" 12	11th ave., between 59th and 60th sts., with branches.....	P. Mulholland, 1332 3d ave.....	John Hogan, 145 East 78th st..... E. C. Sheehy, 1503 3d ave.....	3,630 00
" 12	8th ave., between 121st and 133d sts., with branches.....	P. Mulholland, 1332 3d ave.....	John Hogan, 145 East 78th st.....	37,086 90
				\$54,752 60
REGULATING AND GRADING, ETC.				
Dec. 15	76th st., from 8th ave. to the Boulevard.....	John Slattery, 788 4th ave.....	James Slattery, 207 West 57th st..... Thomas Maher, 232 West 32d st.....	\$36,466 00
" 15	131st st., from 10th ave. to the Boulevard.....	John T. Doyle, 129th st. and Broadway	Thomas Tone, 7th ave. and 23d st..... Theodore F. Tone, 130th st., North river..	3,598 00
Oct. 20	Flagging 51st st., between 10th and 11th aves., and on north side 51st st., from 11th ave. to Hudson river	Thomas Gearty, 811 Lexington ave.....	Mathew Murray, 24 West 54th st..... Thomas Sanderson, 309 East 60th st.....	2,572 00
				\$42,636 00
PAVING.				
Oct. 1	13th or Exterior ave., between 23d and 24th sts.....	William A. Cumming, 5 Dey st.....	J. Cunningham, 746 Lexington ave..... R. Cunningham, 746 Lexington ave.....	\$1,585 00
" 1	Bank st., between West st. and 13th ave.....	William A. Cumming, 5 Dey st.....	J. Cunningham, 746 Lexington ave..... R. Cunningham, 746 Lexington ave.....	2,868 00
" 1	31st st., between 4th and Lexington aves.....	William A. Cumming, 5 Dey st.....	J. Cunningham, 746 Lexington ave..... R. Cunningham, 746 Lexington ave.....	3,065 00
" 1	76th st., between 1st ave. and East river.....	William A. Cumming, 5 Dey st.....	J. Cunningham, 746 Lexington ave..... R. Cunningham, 746 Lexington ave.....	5,322 00
" 1	88th st., between 3d and 4th aves..	William A. Cumming, 5 Dey st.....	J. Cunningham, 746 Lexington ave..... R. Cunningham, 746 Lexington ave.....	6,414 00
" 28	36th st., from 10th to 11th ave.....	William A. Cumming, 5 Dey st.....	J. Cunningham, 746 Lexington ave..... R. Cunningham, 746 Lexington ave.....	1,747 50
Dec. 12	66th st., from 3d ave. to Avenue A.	D. McGrath, 256 5th ave..... Weehawken, N. J.....	John W. Pettigrew, 628 11th ave..... John W. Buckhorn, 628 11th ave.....	9,898 50
" 12	Centre portion of 2d ave., between 42d and 61st sts.....	D. McGrath, 256 5th ave..... Weehawken, N. J.....	John W. Pettigrew, 256 5th ave..... John W. Buckhorn, 628 11th ave.....	7,175 00
" 23	West 11th st., between 6th and 7th aves.....	J. Everard, 307 and 309 E. 40th st.	W. Andrews, 444 West 26th st..... John Nesbit, 457 2d ave.....	6,431 50
" 26	21st st., from 10th to 13th or Exterior ave.....	P. F. Maginn, 559 W. 57th st.....	M. Groh, 9th ave. and 60th st.... M. Tracy, 338 West 59th st.....	8,045 00
Oct. 28	24th st., from 11th ave. to North river.....	M. Shannon, Jersey City, N. J.....	M. Barrod, 406 East 58th st..... P. F. Maginn, 559 West 57th st.....	3,865 50
				\$56,417 00

Special Contracts amounting less than \$1,000 each, for which competitive bids were received.

Oct. 1	Flagging both sides of 10th ave., between 52d and 58th sts.....	T. & J. D. Crimmins, 1037 3d ave.....	\$625 46
Nov. 13	Flagging 54th st., from 4th to 5th ave.....	James Slattery, 57th st. and 7th ave.....	472 29
" 13	Regulating, grading, etc., Edgar st., from Church to Greenwich st....	James Slattery, 57th st. and 7th ave.....	119 20
" 13	Flagging north side 43d st., from 1st to 2d ave.....	T. & J. D. Crimmins, 1037 3d ave.....	678 96
" 13	Flagging south side 34th st., between 1st ave. and East river.....	T. & J. D. Crimmins, 1037 3d ave.....	591 36
" 13	Flagging south side 121st st., between 1st ave. and Avenue A.....	S. D. Seaman, 127th st. and 2d ave.....	670 50
Dec. 9	Curb, gutter, and flag north side 56th st., from 6th to 7th ave.....	James Slattery, 57th st. and 7th ave.....	701 60
			\$3,859 37

Miscellaneous Contracts.

DATE.	NATURE AND LOCATION OF WORK.	CONTRACTORS.	SURETIES.	Estimated Cost.
Nov. 2	For carpenter work and materials for construction of a roof on Tompkins Market.	Joseph C. Brady, 117 East 113th st.	Philip Smith, 206 East 51st st. Robert Boyd, 350 East 82d st.	\$21,600 00
" 16	For constructing a public highway on east side of Storage Reservoir, at Boyd's Corners, Putnam Co., N. Y.	Richard Dooley, of New Rochelle, and Pat'k F. Curran, of New York.	John Patten, 172 Greenwich st. Joseph Slevin, 10 Jay st.	14,932 50
" 17	For building a Storage Reservoir on the middle branch of the Croton river, in the Town of South East, Putnam County.	James J. Belden & Henry C. Denison, of Syracuse.	Charles G. Cornell, 226 East 12th st. Jacob Sharp, 320 West 23d st.	339,375 00
Dec. 4	For slating and other work necessary for the construction of a roof on Tompkins Market.	R. A. Dugan & George Hart, 419 Pearl st.	E. L. Carey, 58 Cherry st. John Jennings, 148 East 64th st.	4,250 00
" 15	For plastering and materials necessary for a new ceiling in drill-room of Tompkins Market.	J. McChristie, 142d st. and Alexander ave.	P. F. Maginn, 550 West 57th st. J. Riley, 344 East 118th st.	3,440 00
" 23	For furnishing and lighting with gas, etc., all that part of the City bounded on the north by the centre line of Grand st., from the East river to the centre line of Sullivan st.; thence through the centre line of Sullivan st. to the centre of Canal st.; on the west by the Hudson river; and on the south and east by the East river.	New York Gas-light Co.	Samuel Sloan, 21 West 17th st. Moses Taylor, 122 5th ave.	36,652 50
" 23	For furnishing and lighting with gas, etc., all that part of the City bounded on the north by the centre line of 34th st., from the east to the Hudson river; on the south by a line running from the East river through the centre line of Grand st. to the centre of Sullivan st.; thence southerly through Sullivan st. to the centre of Canal street; thence westerly through the centre of Canal st. to the Hudson river; on the east by the East river; and on the west by the Hudson river.	Manhattan Gas-light Co.	John J. Cisco, 136 5th ave. Moses Taylor, 122 5th ave.	79,246 00
" 23	For furnishing and lighting with gas, etc., in that part of the district bounded on the south by the centre of 34th st., on the west by the Hudson river, on the north by the centre of 79th street, on the east by the East river, in which gas-pipes are laid, as shown on a map annexed to contract, and signed by the Chief Engineer of the New York Mutual Gas-light Company.	New York Mutual Gas-light Co.	John P. Kennedy, 10 East 47th st. C. K. Garrison, 40 Park ave.	7,496 66
" 31	For furnishing and lighting with gas, etc., in that part of the district bounded on the south by the centre of 34th st., on the west by the Hudson river, on the north by the centre of 79th st., on the east by the East river (save and excepted that portion of the district to be lighted by the New York Mutual Gas-light Company, where they now have mains laid), designated by red lines on map annexed to contract.	Metropolitan Gas-light Co.	Augustus Schell, 45 West 33d st. Samuel Willets, 24 Lafayette place.	52,201 00
" 23	For furnishing and lighting with gas, etc., in the district bounded on the south by the centre of 79th st., on the west by the North river, on the north by Spuyten Duyvil Creek and Harlem river, and on the east by the Harlem and East rivers.	Harlem Gas-light Co.	B. Wakeman, 10 West 36th st. J. H. Browning, 7 East 43th st.	57,479 00
				\$616,672 66

RECAPITULATION.

	Estimated Cost.
6 Sewer contracts.	\$54,752 60
3 Regulating, grading, etc., contracts.	42,636 00
11 Paving contracts.	56,417 00
7 Special contracts, amounting to less than \$1,000 each.	3,859 37
10 Miscellaneous contracts.	616,672 66
37 Contracts.	\$774,337 63

Contracts Finished during the Quarter ending December 31, 1874.

DATE.	NATURE AND LOCATION OF WORK.	COST.
SEWERS, RECEIVING-BASINS, ETC.		
December 8	Sewers in Lewis street, between Houston and Sixth streets.	\$1,820 60
do 8	Sewers in Tompkins street, between Broome and Delancey streets.	846 00
November 17	Outlet sewer in Manhattan street, to and through One Hundred and Thirtieth street to Hudson river; and sewers in New avenue, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, etc.	108,294 75
do 19	Sewers in Ninety-fifth and Ninety-eighth streets, between First and Third avenues; and in First avenue, between Ninety-fifth and One Hundredth streets.	60,883 67
do 19	Outlet sewer in Seventeenth street, from Hudson river to and through Eleventh avenue and Twenty-third street to near Tenth avenue; and Seventeenth street, from Eleventh avenue to and through Tenth avenue to Fourteenth street.	254,044 64
do 27	Sewers in One Hundred and Fifty-second street, between Boulevard and Tenth avenue.	17,540 38
December 4	Sewers in Lexington avenue, between Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets.	3,649 80
do 8	Sewers in Fifty-sixth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.	19,863 00
do 18	Sewers in Attorney street, between Grand and Broome streets.	991 70
do 18	Sewers in Thirtieth avenue, between Gansevoort and Bloomfield streets.	6,427 74
do 18	Sewers in One Hundred and Thirtieth street, between Third and Fourth avenues.	8,490 76
do 18	Sewers in Avenue B, between Eighty-sixth and Eighty-seventh streets, with branches.	5,821 17
do 19	Sewers in Spring street, between Broadway and Crosby street.	533 30
do 31	Sewers in Greenwich street, between Clarkson and Leroy streets.	805 25
do 31	Sewers on west side Hudson street, between Spring and Vandam streets.	958 25
do 31	Sewers on west side Hudson street, between Charlton and King streets.	972 60
do 18	Underground drains between One Hundred and Tenth and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth streets, and between Fifth and Eighth avenues.	53,978 25
do 19	Receiving-basin on the southeast corner Twenty-third street and First avenue.	340 00
do 19	Receiving-basin on northwest corner One Hundred and Sixteenth street and St. Nicholas avenue.	466 40
do 19	Receiving-basin on northeast corner Thirty-third street and First avenue.	340 00
do 31	Receiving-basin on west side Tenth avenue, between Twenty-fifth and Twenty-sixth streets.	446 00
do 31	Receiving-basin on northwest corner Stuyvesant street and Second avenue.	431 00
do 31	Receiving-basin on southwest corner One Hundred and Seventeenth street and Sixth avenue.	406 00

Contracts Finished during the Quarter ending December 31, 1874—(Continued).

DATE.	NATURE AND LOCATION OF WORK.	COST.
SEWERS, RECEIVING-BASINS, ETC.—(Continued).		
December 31	Receiving-basin on southwest corner One Hundred and Eleventh street and Avenue St. Nicholas.	\$381 00
do 31	Receiving-basin on southwest corner One Hundred and Twelfth street and Avenue St. Nicholas.	368 00
do 31	Receiving-basin in Cherry street, between New Chambers and Roosevelt streets.	630 00
do 31	Sewer in Fortieth street, between First and Second avenues.	12,492 50
		\$562,782 76
REGULATING, GRADING, ETC.		
November 12	Regulating, grading, etc., Eighty-sixth street, from Eighth avenue to the Public Drive.	\$69,882 42
do 17	Regulating, grading, etc., Eightieth street, from Eighth avenue to the Riverside Drive, except between Eighth and Ninth avenues.	32,027 47
do 27	Regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, from Fifth to Eighth avenue.	9,427 52
December 4	Regulating, grading, etc., One Hundredth street, from Eighth avenue to the Boulevard.	17,266 05
do 31	Regulating, grading, etc., Sixty-seventh street, from Fourth to Fifth avenue.	3,222 48
November 27	Curb, gutter, and flag north side Eleventh street, from Avenue D to the East river, etc.	905 57
do 27	Curb, gutter, and flag Third street, from Goerck street to the East river.	2,139 68
October 8	Flagging Fifty-sixth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.	1,840 53
November 27	Flagging south side St. Mark's Place, commencing at Second avenue and running east one hundred and twenty-five feet.	197 82
do 27	Flagging west side Tenth avenue, between Fifty-second and Fifty-third streets.	554 79
do 27	Flagging Fifty-first street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues; and north side Fifty-first street, from Eleventh avenue to Hudson river.	1,061 04
December 19	Flagging south side One Hundred and Twenty-first street, between First avenue and Avenue A.	736 69
do 31	Flagging south side Thirty-fourth street, between First avenue and East river.	734 54
do 31	Regulating, grading, etc., Edgar street, from Church to Greenwich street.	155 55
do 4	Fencing vacant lots on Fifty-seventh street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.	386 28
		\$140,538 43
PAVING.		
October 8	Paving Forty-third street, between Madison avenue and the Grand Central Depot.	\$1,353 95
do 8	Paving Second avenue, from Sixty-sixth to Eighty-sixth street.	75,213 59
do 8	Paving Fifty-seventh street, from Second to Lexington avenue.	11,804 88
November 6	Paving One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Eleventh avenue or Boulevard to Hudson River Railroad.	5,450 60
do 6	Paving Eighty-fifth street, from Avenue A to Fifth avenue.	32,736 30
do 17	Paving First avenue, from Sixty-first to Ninety-second street.	141,686 22
December 4	Paving Twenty-fourth street, from Eleventh avenue to the North river.	4,293 53
do 4	Paving Thirtieth, or Exterior avenue, between Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth streets (half the block).	2,095 53
do 4	Paving Bank street, between West street and Thirtieth avenue.	2,993 47
do 4	Paving Eighty-fourth street, from Avenue A to Third avenue, and from Fourth to Fifth avenue.	23,345 38
do 4	Paving Thirty-first street, between Fourth and Lexington avenues.	2,108 54
do 4	Paving Fifty-second street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues.	5,965 13
do 4	Paving Eleventh street, from one hundred feet east of Avenue D to East river.	3,135 54
do 4	Paving Seventy-first street, from Eighth avenue to the Boulevard.	15,081 52
do 4	Paving Eighty-first street, between Second and Fourth avenues.	12,412 62
do 19	Paving Fifty-sixth street, between First avenue and East river.	6,227 50
do 19	Paving Third street, from Goerck street to the pier foot of Third street.	4,261 02
do 19	Paving Eighty-eighth street, from Third to Fourth avenue.	6,678 56
do 31	Paving Eleventh avenue, from Fifty-second to Fifty-ninth street.	21,404 18
		\$378,248 15

RECAPITULATION.

27 Sewer and Receiving-basin Contracts.	\$562,782 76
15 Regulating, Grading, etc., Contracts.	140,538 43
19 Paving Contracts.	378,248 15
61 Contracts.	\$1,081,569 34

APPENDIX "A."

Showing Titles of "Appropriations," Amounts Appropriated for 1874 and Transfers; Expenditures, first Nine Months, 1874; Expenditures, Fourth Quarter, 1874; Total Expenditures, 1874; Balances, December 31, 1874; Amounts drawn, Fourth Quarter, on Liabilities of 1873; and the Titles and Condition of the "Trust Funds."

[THE BALANCES ARE OF REQUISITIONS DRAWN ON THE COMPTROLLER, EXCLUSIVE OF LIABILITIES.]

TITLES OF APPROPRIATIONS.	Appropriations and Transfers, 1874.	Expenditures, first Nine Months, 1874.	Expenditures, Fourth Quarter, 1874.	Total Expenditures, 1874.	Balances, December 31, 1874, exclusive of Liabilities.
Aqueduct—Repairs and Maintenance.	\$125,000 00	\$61,683 31	\$45,701 89	\$107,385 20	\$17,614 80
Boulevard, Roads, and Avenues, Maintenance of.	75,000 00	44,772 46	26,277 12	71,049 58	3,950 42
Contingencies—Department of Public Works.	5,000 00	960 76	558 86	1,519 62	3,480 38
Flagging Sidewalks and Fencing Vacant Lots in front of City property.	2,000 00	1,016 26	62 00	1,078 26	921 74
Free Floating Baths.	9,000 00	5,481 88	2,040 10	7,521 98	1,478 02
Lamps and Gas—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.	645,000 00	243,492 08	224,902 02	468,394 10	176,605 90
Paving at West Washington Market.	124,000 00	79,472 84	29,502 31	108,975 15	15,024 85
Paving the Ways at Washington Market.	2,000 00	2,000 00	.....	2,000 00	.....
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs.	15,000 00	.....	.....	.....	15,000 00
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs—Tompkins' Market.	50,000 00	15,024 57	9,382 68	24,407 25	25,592 75
Public Drinking-hydrants and Urinals.	30,000 00	.....	.....	.....	30,000 00
Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues.	5,000 00	3,490 02	1,466 89	4,956 91	43 09
Repairing and Keeping in Order Wooden and Concrete Pavements.	2,500 00	262 93	.....	262 93	2,237 07
Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.	50,000 00	39,364 71	10,186 53	49,551 24	448 76
Roads and Avenues, and Sprinkling.	85,000 00	54,785 19	22,270 95	77,056 14	7,943 86
Salaries—Department of Public Works.	25,000 00	13,933 23	6,395 54	20,328 77	4,671 23
Salaries—Janitor of Police Court.	155,000 00	112,090 93	38,688 98	150,779 91	4,220 09
Salaries—Repairing and Cleaning.	1,250 00	.....	1,250 00	1,250 00	.....
Streets—Improvements for Streets, Signs, etc.	75,000 00	50,196 50	14,922 00	65,118 50	9,881 50
Street—Repaving and Repairs to Stone Pavements.	2,500 00	50 00	.....	50 00	2,450 00
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.	100,000 00	79,072 76	19,369 85	98,442 61	1,557 39
Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books (City).	55,000 00	28,626 04	19,185 92	47,811 96	7,188 04
Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books (County).	99,918 38	71,952 81	7,166 63	79,119 44	20,798 94
Printing Stocks (City of New York).	24,000 00	4,204 47	8,906 64	13,111 11	10,888 89
Cleaning and Supplies of Offices, formerly of County.	2,215 20	.....	2,190 20	2,190 20	25 00
County.	50,000 00	33,932 50	9,685 43	43,617 93	6,382 07
Heating said Offices, formerly of County.	17,000 00	7,078 73	3,367 51	11,346 24	5,653 76
Repairs to Offices, formerly of County.	10,230 00	4,369 82	4,290 91	8,660 73	1,578 27
Wells and Pumps—Repairing and Cleaning.	1,500 00	459 78	290 13	749 91	750 09
Totals.	\$1,843,122 58	\$958,674 58	\$508,061 09	\$1,466,735 67	\$376,386 91

AMOUNTS DRAWN FOURTH QUARTER ON LIABILITIES OF 1873.

Public Buildings, Construction and Repairs.	\$146 01
Lamps and Gas.	1,801 25
Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.	1,111 98
Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books (for 1872 and 1873).	550 00
	\$3,609 24

TRUST FUNDS.

TITLES.	Authorized.	Credits, 1st January, 1874, and since.	Credits, 1st October, 1874, and since.	Expendi- tures, 4th Quarter, 1874.	Credits, 31st Decem- ber, 1874.
Additional Alterations of Aqueduct—Ninety-third to One Hundred and Thirteenth street..	\$3,646,000 00	\$765,565 45	\$511,309 26	\$129,284 01	\$382,025 25
Boulevard, Roads, etc.—Assessment Fund.....	25,000 00	25,000 00	25,000 00	*466,687 20	25,000 00
Changing Grades, etc.—Ninth Avenue, etc.....	20,000 00	20,000 00	20,000 00	20,000 00	20,000 00
Croton Water Works—Extension—High-service, Carmansville.....	290,000 00	31,990 99	31,990 99	4,378 45	27,612 54
Croton Water Works—Extension, Storage Reser- voirs.....	190,000 00	311 27	311 27	.....	311 27
Croton Water Fund.....	1,100,000 00	599,192 86	590,709 63	4,129 47	586,580 16
Croton Water Main Fund.....	2,600,000 00	1,132,628 68	320,046 95	109,153 29	211,793 66
Meter Stock.....	1,000,000 00	300,000 00	300,000 00	.....	300,000 00
Pavement Repair Stock.....	50,000 00	50,000 00	50,000 00	.....	50,000 00
Sewer Repair Stock.....	200,000 00	74,153 88	29,638 35	18,674 70	10,963 65
Street Improvement Fund.....	.....	.....	.....	†787,657 81	.....
Water Stock of 1870—Improvement of Lower Reservoir.....	500,000 00	14,926 84	85 63	.....	85 63

* Less deductions, 1 per cent.

† Less deductions, \$363.85.

C. T. McCLENACHAN,
First Book-keeper.

APPENDIX "B,"

Being a Detailed Statement of Amounts drawn by Requisition of the Department of Public Works, on
the several Appropriations and Trust Accounts, for the Quarter ending December 31, 1874.

STREET IMPROVEMENT FUND.

Paving—

Bank street, between West street and Thirteenth avenue. W. A. Cumming, contractor.....	\$2,665 09
Third street, between Goerck street and pier opposite. Owen Gearty, contractor.....	3,820 39
Eleventh street, between east of Avenue D and East river. Matthew Baird, contractor.....	2,816 22
Twenty-fourth street, between Eleventh avenue and North river. Michael Shannon, contractor.....	3,928 98
Thirty-first street, between Fourth and Lexington avenues. W. A. Cumming, contractor.....	2,821 02
Forty-third street, between Madison avenue and Grand Central Depot. W. A. Cumming, contractor.....	1,217 34
Fifty-second street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues. W. A. Cumming, contractor.....	5,392 64
Fifty-sixth street, between First avenue and East river. W. A. Cumming, contractor.....	5,704 02
Fifty-seventh street, between Second and Lexington avenues. W. A. Cumming, contractor.....	2,774 77
Fifty-ninth street, between First and Second avenues. John W. Pettigrew, contractor.....	208 20
Sixty-third street, between Fourth and Lexington avenues. W. A. Cumming, contractor.....	138 60
Sixty-ninth street, between Third and Fifth avenues. Christopher Keyes, contractor.....	567 40
Seventy-first street, between Eighth avenue and Boulevard. Christopher Keyes, contractor.....	4,780 66
Seventy-fourth street, between Third and Fifth avenues. John W. Pettigrew, contractor.....	579 60
Seventy-seventh street, between Third and Madison avenues. Murphy & Kearney, contractors.....	440 36
Eighty-first street, between Second and Fourth avenues. John B. Devlin, contractor.....	5,313 14
Eighty-fourth street, between Avenue A and Fifth avenue. John B. Devlin, contractor.....	21,481 45
Eighty-fifth street, between Avenue A and Fifth avenue. John B. Devlin, contractor.....	11,517 43
Eighty-sixth street, between Third and Fifth avenues. Edward Bradburn, contractor.....	1,173 20
Eighty-eighth street, between Third and Fourth avenues. W. A. Cumming, contractor.....	6,046 65
One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, between Hudson and Harlem rivers. Joseph Tracy, contractor.....	5,850 40
One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, between Eleventh avenue and Hudson river. W. A. Cumming, contractor.....	4,968 88
First avenue, between Sixty-first and Ninety-second streets. John W. Pettigrew, contractor.....	68,168 86
Second avenue, between Sixty-sixth and Eighty-sixth streets. W. A. Cumming, contractor.....	32,230 48
Eleventh avenue, between Fifty-second and Fifty-ninth streets. Dennis McGrath, contractor.....	14,469 30
Thirteenth avenue, between Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth streets. W. A. Cumming, contractor.....	1,950 40
Total paving.....	\$211,025 48

Regulating, Grading, etc.—

Broadway, between Thirty-second and Fifty-ninth streets. Joseph Tracy, contractor.....	\$32,552 14
Worth street, between Broadway and Chatham streets. Owen Gearty, contractor.....	18,165 01
Forty-third street, between First avenue and East river. Timothy Boyle, contractor.....	1,084 47
Sixty-seventh street, between Eighth avenue and Hudson river. R. & J. Cunningham, contractors.....	14,137 00
Sixty-eighth street, between Eighth avenue and Hudson river. Charles Miner, contractor.....	19,423 71
Sixty-eighth street, between Third avenue and East river. John Gillespie, contractor.....	1,078 00
Sixty-ninth street, between Third avenue and East river. Patrick H. Lydon, contractor.....	1,050 00
Seventy-third street, between Eighth avenue and Hudson river. William B. Finlay, contractor.....	12,958 40
Eightieth street, between Eighth avenue and River Drive. H. H. Brown, contractor.....	11,993 72
Eighty-eighth street, between Eighth and Tenth avenues. David Babcock, contractor.....	11,242 00
Ninety-sixth street, between Second and Fifth avenues. M. J. Bannon, contractor.....	5,600 00
Ninety-seventh street, between Fifth avenue and Harlem river. Patrick Farley, contractor.....	6,252 75

One Hundredth street, between Eighth avenue and Boulevard. Henry Wagner, contractor.....	6,662 69
One Hundred and Eighth street, between Fifth avenue and East river. Mills & Ambrose, contractors.....	13,826 50
One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, between Fifth and Eighth avenues. John T. Doyle, contractor.....	6,170 35
One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, between Eighth avenue and Harlem river. E. J. Quirk, contractor.....	52,955 33
Madison avenue, between Eighty-sixth and Ninety-ninth streets. Terrence Maguire, contractor.....	8,404 41
Fourth avenue, between One Hundred and Sixteenth and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth streets. H. H. Brown, contractor.....	5,646 20
Eighth avenue, between Eighty-first and One Hundredth streets. John B. Devlin, contractor.....	12,472 04
Eighth avenue, between One Hundredth and One Hundred and Twenty-second streets. Slattery & White, contractors.....	7,359 00
Ninth avenue, between Eighty-third and Ninety-second streets. George A. Treacy, contractor.....	15,750 00
Tenth avenue, between Eighty-second and Ninety-third streets. Abraham Dowdney, contractor.....	3,850 00
Total regulating, grading, etc.....	269,233 72

Flagging—

South side of St. Mark's place, between No. 48 and Second avenue. Augustus Meyers, contractor.....	\$191 10
South side of Thirty-fourth street, between Lexington and Fourth avenues. Thomas Gearty, contractor.....	1,150 80
Fifty-first street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues. Thomas Gearty, contractor.....	995 22
Fifty-sixth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues. Michael Cronin, contractor.....	1,710 60
South side of One Hundred and Twenty-first street, between First avenue and Avenue A. S. D. Seaman, contractor.....	704 86
West side of Tenth avenue, between Fifty-second and Fifty-third streets. T. & J. D. Crimmins, contractors.....	541 86
Total flagging.....	5,294 44

Sewers—

Broadway, between Thirty-second and Fifty-ninth streets. Ira G. Lane, contractor.....	\$6,224 23
Cannon street, between Broome and Delancey streets. Edward C. Sheehy, contractor.....	818 10
Elm street, between Broome and Grand streets. M. H. Grossmayer, contractor.....	76 00
Madison street, between Gouverneur and Scammel streets. T. & J. D. Crimmins, contractors.....	946 80
Manhattan street to Hudson river, Abraham Dowdney, contractor. Thomas street, between Church street and West Broadway. Frank Stollmeyer, contractor.....	31,142 78
95 20	
Tompkins street, between Broome and Delancey streets. Samuel Meigs, contractor.....	690 00
Twelfth street, between Fourth avenue and Broadway. T. & J. D. Crimmins, contractors.....	858 00
Fortieth street, between First and Second avenues. Michael Smith, contractor.....	3,162 05
Fifty-third street, between First avenue and East river. Devlin & McKim, contractors.....	1,344 00
Fifty-first and Fifty-sixth streets, between Ninth avenue and Hudson river. P. F. Maginn, contractor.....	1,252 80
Fifty-sixth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues. R. J. Howe, contractor.....	6,174 50
Sixty-sixth street, between Boulevard and Tenth avenue. Charles P. Devlin, contractor.....	1,660 40
Seventy-fifth street, between First and Second avenues. Michael Smith, contractor.....	120 80
Eighty-third and Eighty-fourth streets, between Eighth and Ninth avenues. Ira G. Lane, contractor.....	5,430 60
Ninety-fifth and Ninety-eighth streets, between First and Third avenues. Frank Stollmeyer, contractor.....	15,906 93
One Hundred and Sixth street, between Fifth avenue and Harlem river. Abraham Dowdney, contractor.....	7,254 71
One Hundred and Eighth street, between Boulevard and Hudson river. Abraham Dowdney, contractor.....	2,863 00
One Hundred and Tenth street, between Fifth avenue and Harlem river. William Baird, contractor.....	34,466 07
One Hundred and Thirteenth street, between Third avenue and Harlem river. Smith & Noonan, contractors.....	2,783 95
One Hundred and Thirtieth street, between Third and Fourth avenues. Bartholomew Noonan, contractor.....	1,353 83
One Hundred and Fifty-second street, between Boulevard and Tenth avenue. John Mulholland, contractor.....	6,378 55
Avenue B, between Eighty-sixth and Eighty-seventh streets. Patrick Mulholland, contractor.....	3,783 73
Lexington avenue, between Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets. John H. McCabe, contractor.....	3,105 40
First avenue, between Third and Sixth streets. John Mulholland, contractor.....	293 60
Sixth and Seventh avenues, between Thirty-first and Thirty-second streets. Isaac Lunney, contractor.....	123 80
Seventh avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-first and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh streets. J. H. McCaulay, contractor.....	1,732 00
Ninth avenue, between Fifty-fifth and Fifty-seventh streets. Thos. Matthews, contractor.....	762 20
Ninth avenue, between Sixty-fifth and Seventy-fifth streets. Devlin & McKim, contractors.....	13,188 70
Thirteenth avenue, between Gansevoort and Bloomfield streets. Patrick Mulholland, contractor.....	5,502 54
Total sewers.....	159,495 27

Curb, Gutter, and Flagging—

Third street, between Goerck street and pier. Thomas Gearty, contractor.....	\$1,961 24
Eleventh street, between Dry Dock and East river. Thomas Conklin, contractor.....	2,098 77
Eleventh street, between Avenue D and East river. Terrence Smith, contractor.....	739 93
One Hundred and Ninth street, between Third avenue and Harlem river. Farley & Stuart, contractors.....	1,954 00
West side, Third avenue, between Sixty-sixth and Sixty-ninth streets. Michael Cronin, contractor.....	1,424 52
Total curb, gutter, and flagging.....	8,178 46

Fencing Vacant Lots—

Fifty-seventh street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues. Matthew Kome & Co., contractors.....	343 36
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Underground Drains—

Inwood and Dyckman streets, between Hudson and Harlem rivers. Edward Bradburn, contractor.....	\$2,946 65
Seventy-seventh to Eighty-eighth street, between Ninth avenue and Hudson river. Edward Bradburn, contractor.....	280 00
Seventy-fourth and Ninety-second streets, between Eighth and Tenth avenues. James Everard, contractor.....	190 00
Ninety-second to One Hundred and Sixth street, between Third avenue and Harlem river. Jones & McQuade, contractors.....	77,379 13
One Hundred and Tenth to One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, between Fifth and Eighth avenues. Edward Bradburn, contractor.....	9,501 14
One Hundred and Seventy-third to One Hundred and Eighty-third street, between Kingsbridge road and Harlem river. Felix Armstrong, contractor.....	6,465 73
Total drains.....	\$96,762 65

Receiving-basins—

Northeast corner Tenth street and Broadway. T. & J. D. Crimmins, contractors.....	351 00
Inspector of Paving.....	\$1,897 00
Regulating, Grading, etc.....	6,540 00
Sewers.....	5,748 00
Engineers of Sewers.....	11,435 91
Miscellaneous sewer expenses.....	1,042 30
Surveyors' fees.....	10,310 22
Total Street Improvement Fund.....	\$787,657 81

RECAPITULATION.

Appropriation—

1. Aqueduct—Repairs and Maintenance.....	\$45,701 89
2. Boulevard, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	26,277 12
3. Contingencies—Department of Public Works.....	558 86
4. Flagging and Fencing in front of City Property.....	62 04
5. Free Floating Baths.....	2,040 10
6. Lamps and Gas (for 1873).....	1,861 25
7. " (for 1874).....	224,902 02
8. " Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	29,502 31
9. Printing, etc., Bonds and Certificates of Stock, New York City.....	2,190 20
10. Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs (for 1873).....	146 01
11. " " (for 1874).....	9,382 68
12. Public Drinking Hydrants and Urinals.....	1,466 89
13. Repairing and Keeping Wooden and Concrete Pavements.....	10,186 53
14. " and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc. (1873).....	1,111 98
15. " " (1874).....	22,270 95
16. Roads and Avenues, and Sprinkling.....	6,395 54
17. Salaries—Department of Public Works.....	38,688 98
18. " City Courts (Police Courts).....	1,250 00
19. Sewers, Repairing and Cleaning.....	14,922 00
20. Streets, Repaving and Repairs, Stone Pavements.....	19,369 85
21. Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....	19,185 92
22. Wells and Pumps, Repairing and Cleaning.....	290 13
23. Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books (1872 and 1873).....	550 00
24. " " (1874).....	7,166 63
25. " " Law and Blank Books for County Offices.....	8,906 64
26. Cleaning and Supplies of Offices, etc., formerly of County.....	9,685 43
27. Heating Offices, etc., formerly of County.....	3,367 51
28. Repairs to " " ".....	4,290 91
Total Appropriations.....	\$511,730 33

Funds and Trust Accounts—

1. Additional Alterations of Aqueduct, Ninety-third to One Hundred and Thirteenth street.....	\$129,284 01
2. Assessment Funds, etc., as follows:—	
Boulevard sewers, 13 B.....	\$20,234 75
" " 14 B.....	23,068 45
" " 1 D.....	27,841 18
" " 12 E.....	40,589 62
" planting.....	243 37
Avenue St. Nicholas, planting.....	436 17
" sewers, 11 R.....	21,785 33
Manhattan street.....	1,639 27
Seventy-second street.....	1,826 76
Ninety-sixth street.....	18 53
One Hundred and Tenth street.....	15,458 35
One Hundred and Sixteenth street.....	9,915 08
One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.....	3,143 49
One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, sewers.....	597 65
Seventy-second street, superstructure.....	34,227 47
One Hundred and Tenth street, superstructure.....	39,562 99
One Hundred and Sixteenth street, ".....	14,751 68
One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, ".....	35,533 86
Avenue A, superstructure.....	19,102 67
First avenue, ".....	16,201 68
First avenue.....	465 17
Avenue A.....	35,358 39
Tenth avenue, One Hundred and Tenth to Manhattan street.....	15,929 99
Tenth avenue, One Hundred and Fifty-fifth to One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street.....	3,628 00
Telford Pavement, etc.—	381,559 90
Seventy-second street (Eighth avenue to Hudson river).....	\$2,284 50
One Hundred and Twenty-second street.....	9,370 26
One Hundred and Forty-fifth street.....	37,517 40
Ninth avenue.....	1,203 19
New avenue, One Hundredth to One Hundred and Tenth street.....	21,380 34
New avenue, One Hundred and Tenth to One Hundred and Fourteenth street.....	6,240 00
New avenue, One Hundred and Fourteenth street to Avenue St. Nicholas.....	7,131 61
Croton Water Works Extension, High Service, Carmansville.....	85,127 30
Croton Water Fund.....	4,378 45
Croton Water Main Fund.....	4,129 47
Sewer Repair Stock.....	109,153 29
Street Improvement Fund.....	18,674 70
Total Funds and Trust Accounts.....	\$1,519,964 93
Total Appropriations.....	511,730 33
Grand Total.....	\$2,031,695 26

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT,
CITY OF NEW YORK,
MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,
Wednesday, Feb. 3, 1875, 12 o'clock, M.
The Board met pursuant to the following call:
OFFICE OF THE MAYORALTY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, February 1, 1875.

In pursuance of the authority contained in the 112th section of chapter 335, being an act entitled "An Act to reorganize the local government of the City of New York," passed April 30, 1873; and section 1 of chapter 779, being an act entitled "An Act in relation to raising money by taxation in the County of New York, for county purposes," passed June 14, 1873; and chapter 304, being an act entitled "An Act to consolidate the government of the City and County of New York, and further to regulate the same," passed April 30, 1874; and chapter 303, being an act entitled "An Act in relation to the Estimates and Apportionment for the support of the government of the County of New York," passed April 30, 1874; and chapter 308, being an act entitled "An Act in relation to the Estimates and Apportionment for the support of the government of the City of New York," passed May 1, 1874,—a meeting is hereby called of the Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, constituting a Board of Estimate and Apportionment, to be held at the office of the Mayor, on Wednesday, February 3, 1875, for the purpose of authorizing the issue of "Sewer Repair Stock of the City of New York," fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) as per requisition of the Department of Public Works of January 30, 1875, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the Board.

W. H. WICKHAM,
Mayor.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Room 19, City Hall,
NEW YORK, January 30, 1875.

Hon. WM. H. WICKHAM,
Mayor, and Chairman

Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

SIR—In pursuance of chapter 220 of Laws of 1871, providing for the rebuilding and repairing of sewers in the City of New York, and authorizing and requiring the Comptroller of said City to raise from time to time the amount of money necessary for the purposes specified, not exceeding in any one year the sum of \$100,000, the Commissioner of Public Works, on the 22d May, 1871, called for \$100,000, which was approved by the Board of Apportionment on the 1st June succeeding. Subsequently, on the 19th May, 1873, another \$100,000 was called for and authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 23d August, 1873, of which sum less than \$3,000 remain to credit; it now becomes necessary that a further sum should be called for, and the request is accordingly hereby made for \$50,000 to meet anticipated expenses in continuing the work provided for by law.

Respectfully,

GEO. M. VAN NORT,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Resolved, That in pursuance of the authority conferred upon the Board of Estimate and Apportionment by provisions of section 112 of chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized to issue, from time to time, as may be required, and at such rates of interest as he may determine, not exceeding seven per cent. per annum, "Sewer Repair Stock of the City of New York," as authorized by chapter 220, Laws of 1871, fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000).

INDORSED:

Admission of a copy of the within, as served upon us this day, February 1, 1875.

W. H. WICKHAM, Mayor.

ANDREW H. GREEN, Comptroller.

SAMUEL A. LEWIS, President of the Board of Aldermen.

JOHN WHEELER, President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments.

Present—The following members, viz.:
W. H. Wickham, the Mayor of the City of New York; Andrew H. Green, the Comptroller of the City of New York; Samuel A. Lewis, the President of the Board of Aldermen; John Wheeler, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments.

The minutes of the meeting held January 21, 1875, were read and approved.
The Comptroller offered for adoption the following resolution:

Resolved, That the following transfers of appropriations are hereby made, the unexpended amounts thereof being in excess of the amounts required for the purposes and objects thereof, to certain other appropriations, the amounts thereof being insufficient, to wit:

From the appropriations—	
New York Infant Asylum.....	\$6,498 55
Roman Catholic House of the Good Shepherd.....	4,480 64
New York Juvenile Asylum.....	4,650 68
New York Society for the Relief of the Ruptured and Crippled.....	1,368 92
Total.....	\$16,998 79

To the appropriations—	
Hebrew Benevolent Society.....	\$345 67
Union Home and School, etc.....	345 74
Children's Fold.....	1,037 28
New York Catholic Protectory.....	9,467 73
P. E. House of Mercy.....	1,265 52
Nursery and Child's Hospital.....	4,536 85
Total.....	\$16,998 79

The President of the Board of Aldermen moved that the resolution be laid over.

The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman), the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—3.

Negative—The Comptroller of the City of New York—1.

The Comptroller called up, and offered for adoption, the following resolution, laid over at meeting of January 19, 1875:

Resolved, That it is not deemed expedient by this Board to authorize any further transfers of appropriations for years previous to the year 1874, inasmuch as a large amount of taxes levied on personal property, or uncollectable by reason of erroneous assessments, etc., or, in other words, there are no means from which to pay said appropriations.

The President of the Board of Aldermen moved that the resolution be laid over.

The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman), the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—3.

Negative—The Comptroller of the City of New York—1.

The Chairman presented a communication from the Department of Public Works.

Which was referred to the Comptroller, to report upon at meeting to be held to-morrow, February 4, 1875.

The Chairman presented a communication from the Department of Public Parks, asking for a transfer.

Which was referred to the Comptroller, to report upon at meeting to be held to-morrow, February 4, 1875.

The Chairman presented a communication from the Health Department, asking for a transfer.

Which was referred to the Comptroller, to report upon at meeting to be held to-morrow, February 4, 1875.

The Chairman presented the following communication:

REGISTER'S OFFICE—HALL OF RECORDS,
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK,
January 20, 1875.

To the Honorable Board of Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—I have the honor to state, that in November, 1872, a requisition was made by the then Register to the Board of Supervisors for two draughtsmen, to copy and construct maps, for the purpose of substituting old and defective maps in use at this office.

At a regular meeting of the said Board of Supervisors, November 26, 1872, and on the report of the Committee on County Officers, the Register was authorized to appoint two draughtsmen, at a salary not exceeding \$150 each per month. In consequence of this action of the Board, the Register appointed two draughtsmen at a monthly salary of \$140 and \$110 respectively, and there were copied and reconstructed since the 1st of December, 1872, until the 31st of December last year, 113 maps, many of them of large size, and difficult to execute. The salary of the two draughtsmen was paid, on the certificate of the Register, by the Comptroller, up to the 31st of December, 1874, when the Register received information from the Comptroller's Office, that no further payment for copying maps would be made, no appropriation existing for such purpose.

I now beg leave to state, that the work was done to the great satisfaction of the members of the Bar, and in the interest of the public in general; that, according to a very minute report of the custodian of maps, over 100 duplicates are absolutely necessary for the proper transaction of business, the originals being in a defective condition; and I therefore respectfully request that the work be continued, as before, in this office, and under the special care and supervision of the Register; and that your Honorable Board provide for and appropriate the sum of five thousand dollars necessary for the purpose set forth.

Very respectfully, yours,

P. H. JONES,
Register.

Which was laid over.

The Chairman presented a communication from the Department of Public Charities and Correction, asking for a transfer.

Which was referred to the Comptroller to report upon at meeting to be held to-morrow, February 4, 1875.

The Chairman moved that when the Board adjourn, it do so to meet to-morrow, February 4, 1875, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Which was agreed to.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

JOHN WHEELER,
Secretary.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
CITY HALL,
Thursday, February 4, 1875,
11 o'clock A. M.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Present—All the members, viz.:

William H. Wickham, the Mayor of the City of New York; Andrew H. Green, the Comptroller of the City of New York; Samuel A. Lewis, the President of the Board of Aldermen; John Wheeler, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments.

The minutes of the meeting held February 3, 1875, were read and approved.

The Comptroller called up and offered for adoption the following resolution, laid over at meeting of February 3, 1875:

Resolved, That the following transfers of appropriations are hereby made, the unexpended amounts thereof being in excess of the amounts required for the purposes and objects thereof, to certain other appropriations, the amounts thereof being insufficient, to wit:

From the appropriations—	
New York Infant Asylum.....	\$6,498 55
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Nursery and Child's Hospital.....	4,536 85
Total.....	\$16,998 79

The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman), the Comptroller of the City of New York, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The following communication from the Health Department was referred to the Comptroller, at last meeting, to report upon at meeting of to-day:

HEALTH DEPARTMENT
No. 301 MOTT STREET,
NEW YORK, February 2, 1875.

To the Honorable the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—At a meeting of the Board of Health held on the 2d day of February, 1875, the following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, The sum of \$8,000.16 was transferred by request of this Board, during the year 1874, from the Health Fund for Contingencies, etc., to the Health Fund for Removal of Night-soil, Dead Animals, etc., and was not used or required for the latter purpose by reason of a reduction in the cost of removing night-soil, dead animals, etc., but is now needed to pay contingent expenses of this Department for the year 1874; therefore

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby respectfully requested to retransfer the sum of \$8,000.16 from the Health Fund for 1874, for the Removal of Night-soil and Dead Animals, etc., to the Health Fund for Contingencies, etc., for said year.

A true copy.

EMMONS CLARK,
Secretary.

The Comptroller submitted the following report:

Removing Night-soil, Offal, etc., of 1874—Balance February 4, 1875, \$8,000.16.

And offered for adoption the following resolution:

Resolved, That the sum of eight thousand dollars and sixteen cents (\$8,000.16), is hereby transferred from the appropriation for "Removing Night-soil, Offal, and Dead Animals," for 1874, the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to the appropriation for "Health Fund," for 1874, the same being insufficient.

The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman), the Comptroller of the City of New York, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The following communication from the Department of Public Parks was referred to the Comptroller at last meeting, to report upon at meeting of to-day:

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
No. 36 UNION SQUARE (EAST),
February 3, 1875.

Hon. WM. H. WICKHAM,
Mayor:

SIR—The appropriation for the "Maintenance and Government of Public Places, Streets, Roads, etc., in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards," for the year 1874, is not quite sufficient to meet the actual expenditures on that account. The pay-roll of the persons employed during the month of December last, has, on that account, not been sent to the Finance Department. The deficiency amounts to only \$126.05. There is a surplus unexpended of the appropriation given to this Department for "Celebration of Independence Day" of last year, of about \$230.

I am directed by the Board of this Department, to request that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment will to-day, transfer from the latter to the former account, sufficient to meet the deficiency.

I remain, sir,

Yours, very respectfully,
HENRY G. STEBBINS,
President D. P. P.

The Comptroller submitted the following report:

Independence Day, Celebration of, of 1874—Balance February 4, 1875, \$230.40.

And offered for adoption the following resolution:

Resolved, That the sum of one hundred and twenty-six dollars and five cents (\$126.05) is hereby transferred from the appropriation for "Independence Day, Celebration of," for 1874, the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to the appropriation for "Maintenance and Government of Public Places, Streets, Roads, etc., Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards," for 1874, the same being insufficient.

The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman), the Comptroller of the City of

New York, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The following communication from the Department of Charities and Correction was referred to the Comptroller at last meeting, to report upon at meeting of to-day:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
Corner of Third Avenue and Eleventh St.,
NEW YORK, January 20, 1875.

Hon. WM. H. WICKHAM,
Mayor, and Chairman

Board of Apportionment:

SIR—The Board of Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction respectfully represent that the Board of Apportionment, in July, 1874, made an appropriation of \$8,000 for building an elevator at Bellevue Hospital.

Of this amount a contract has been made with Copeland & Bacon, for building the machinery, for..... \$3,875 00
And with John Guy, for carpenter and mason work, for..... 963 00
In addition, there will be bills for work not included in the above contracts, for about..... 262 00
\$5,100 00

Leaving an unexpended balance of about..... \$2,900 00

In the year 1871, when the elevator was first proposed, it was the intention of the Department to erect in the Hospital, in addition to the steam-elevator, four hand-elevators, for the purpose of facilitating the distribution of food, clothing, etc.

Upon reference to the accompanying communication from Messrs. Renwick & Sands, it will be seen that the unexpended balance of the appropriation for last year will be adequate to construct these hand-elevators; and the Commissioners respectfully request that the sum of \$2,900 be transferred from the appropriation unexpended in 1874 to the appropriation for 1875, for that purpose.

Very respectfully,

ISAAC H. BAILEY,
President.

NEW YORK, January 15, 1875.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction:

GENTLEMEN—When it was first proposed, in 1871, to place the steam-elevator in Bellevue Hospital, it was the intention of your Honorable Body to erect four hand-elevators in the same buildings in the positions selected by the Warden.

The object of these being to facilitate the distribution of the provision among the wards. The specification herewith submitted is the copy of the original specification now in our office, on which bids were received at the time.

As the appropriation is sufficient to put in the hand-elevators, as well as the steam-hoist, I have, at the request of Commissioner Brennan, thought it advisable to draw your attention to this point, in the belief that the construction of the hand-elevators would be of great advantage to the working of the Hospital.

Very respectfully submitted,

By your obedient servant,
JAMES RENWICK,
Architect.

The Comptroller submitted the following report:

Public Charities and Correction of 1874—Balance, February 4, 1875..... \$133,712 17

And offered for adoption the following resolution: Resolved, That the sum of twenty-nine hundred dollars (\$2,900) is hereby transferred from the appropriation for "Public Charities and Correction" for 1874, for the purpose of constructing elevators at Bellevue Hospital, the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to the same title of appropriation and for the same purposes, for 1875.

Which was laid over.

The Comptroller presented the following communication from the Department of Public Parks:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
36 UNION SQUARE (EAST),
NEW YORK, October 24, 1874.

Hon. ANDREW H. GREEN, Comptroller:

SIR—The following resolution was adopted on the 23d instant by the Board governing this Department:

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks of the City of New York hereby make requisition upon the Comptroller of the City of New York for the sum of two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000) for the construction of a Museum of Art and a Museum of Natural History, as provided by chapter 290 of the Laws of 1871—one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) of said sum to be credited to the special account of the Museum of Art, and the remaining one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) to be credited to the special account of the Museum of Natural History.

Respectfully,
WM. IRWIN,
Secretary D. P. P.

The Secretary moved to suspend the rule adopted by the Board at meeting of June 23, 1874, relating to calls of meetings, in order to act upon the resolution now to be proposed by the Comptroller for the issue of "Museum of Art and Natural History Stock."

Which was agreed to.

Whereupon, the Comptroller offered for adoption the following resolution:

Resolved, That in pursuance of the authority conferred upon the Board of Estimate and Apportionment by the provisions of section 112, of chapter 335, of the Laws of 1873, the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized to issue from time to time as may be required, and at such rates of interest as he may determine, not exceeding seven per cent. per annum, Museum of Art and Natural

History Stock, as authorized by chapter 290, Laws of 1871, and in pursuance of a requisition of the Department of Public Parks, dated October 24, 1874, one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000).

The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman), the Comptroller of the City of New York, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The Comptroller presented the following report on communication from the Department of Public Works, of January 30, 1875, referred to him at meeting of February 3, 1875:

Sewer Repair Stock, chapter 220, Laws of 1871 (amount to be raised in any one year not to exceed \$100,000);—amount raised in 1874, \$68,000; amount raised in 1875 to date, \$12,000. All requisitions paid that have been received, last being for month of December, 1874.

February 4, 1875.

And offered for adoption the following resolution:

Resolved, That in the opinion of this Board, no authority should be given for the further issue of Sewer Repair Stock—there being an appropriation of \$75,000 for "Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning," for 1875, provided by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, which amount is deemed sufficient for the purposes of sewers—repairing and cleaning.

Which was laid over.

The Comptroller offered for adoption the following resolution:

Resolved, That the President of the Board of Aldermen be and is hereby requested to report to this Board, the number and description of street improvements that have been authorized by ordinances of said Board since January 1, 1875; and also whether the same were petitioned for in each case by the owners of the property subject to assessment therefor, with the names of the petitioners; and, if not so petitioned for, designate such works as have been authorized without the application of the property-owners; and also what ordinances have heretofore been passed which have not yet been put in course of execution, and whether the same were applied for by a majority or any of the property-owners on the line of such improvements, and what would be the probable cost of executing the same.

The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman), the Comptroller of the City of New York, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The Comptroller offered preamble and resolution relating to opening streets, boulevards, and to street improvements, etc.

The Chairman ruled that the resolution was out of order.

Whereupon, the Comptroller appealed from the decision of the Chairman.

The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree to sustain the decision of the Chairman.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—2.

Negative—The Comptroller of the City of New York—1.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

JOHN WHEELER,
Secretary.

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.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office, No. 6, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
Mayor's Marshal, No. 7, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
Permit Bureau, No. 1, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
License Bureau, No. 1, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT

Clerk of the Common Council and of Board of Supervisors, No. 8, City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT

NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, OFFICE HOURS 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Comptroller's Office, second floor, west end.

1. Bureau for the collection of the revenue accruing from rents and interest on bonds and mortgages, and revenue arising from the use or sale of property belonging to or managed by the City, first floor, west end.
2. Bureau for the Collection of Taxes; Brown stone building, City Hall Park
3. Bureau for the Collection of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and Water Rents, first floor, west end.
4. Auditing Bureau, second floor, west end.
5. Bureau of Licenses, first floor, west end.
6. Bureau of Markets, first floor, west end.
7. Bureau for the reception of all moneys paid into the Treasury in the City, and for the payment of money on warrants drawn by the Comptroller and countersigned by the Mayor, at the Office of Chamberlain and County Treasurer, second floor, west end.
8. Bureau for the Collection of Assessments; Rotunda, south side.

LAW DEPARTMENT

Counsel to the Corporation, Staats Zeitung Building, third floor; 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Public Administrator, 115 and 117 Nassau street, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Corporation Attorney, 115 and 117 Nassau street, 8½ A. M. to 4½ P. M.
Attorney for the Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes, No. 51 Chambers street, second floor.
Attorney to the Department of Buildings, 2 Fourth avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, ALWAYS OPEN

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

CITY HALL, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Commissioners' Office, No. 19.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Commissioners' Office, No. 66 Third avenue, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

NOS. 127 AND 129 MERCER ST., 9 A. M. TO 4 P. M.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

No. 301 MOTT STREET.
Commissioners' Office, second floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Commissioners' Office, 36 Union Sq., 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Commissioners' Office, 345 and 343 Broadway, corner Leonard street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.
Commissioners' Office, Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; on Saturday, 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

Superintendent's Office, 2 Fourth avenue, 9 A. M.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, February 3, 1875.

PROPOSALS FOR SUGAR.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS above, will be received by the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, until 10 o'clock A. M. of the 16th day of February, 1875, at which time they will be publicly opened, for furnishing and delivering, at foot of East Twenty-sixth street, free of expense to the Department.

100,000 POUNDS SUGAR.

Samples of the above can be seen at this office. The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

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 fifty per cent. 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.

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserve the right to decline any and all proposals if deemed to be for the public interest, 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 defaulter, as security 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.

ISAAC H. BAILEY,
THOMAS S. BRENNAN,
TOWNSEND CUX,
Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,
No. 32 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, January 2, 1875.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BOOKS of Annual Record of the assessments upon the Real and Personal Estate of the City and County of New York, for the year 1875, will be open for inspection and revision, on and after Monday, January 11, 1875, and will remain open until the 30th day of April, 1875, inclusive, for the correction of errors and the equalization of the assessments of the aforesaid real and personal estate.

All persons believing themselves aggrieved must make application to the Commissioners during the period above mentioned, in order to obtain the relief provided by law.

By order of the Board, ALBERT STORER,
Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
127 AND 129 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, February 6, 1875.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS Department with the following articles, to wit:

80,000 lbs. of Hay of the quality and standard known as good sweet Timothy.

15,000 lbs. of good clean Straw,

600 bags of White Oats, 80 lbs. to the bag,

400 bags of fine Feed, 60 lbs. to the bag.

—All of which is to be delivered to the various company quarters from time to time, and in such quantities as the Department may require—will be received at these headquarters until 12 o'clock, noon, Friday, February 19, 1875, at which time the bids will be publicly opened and read.

Two responsible sureties, residents of this city, will be required, who must each justify in the amount of one thousand dollars.

Proposals must be indorsed, "Proposals for furnishing Forage."

Blank proposals and information will be furnished upon application to these headquarters.

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

JOSEPH L. PERLEY,

ROSWELL D. HATCH,

CORNELIUS VAN COTT,

Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
127 AND 129 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, February 6, 1875.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR BUILDING FOUR Aerial Ladders will be received at these Headquarters until 12 o'clock, noon, Friday February 19, 1875, at which time the bids will be publicly opened and read.

Two responsible sureties, residents of this city, will be required, who must each justify in the amount of two thousand dollars.

Proposals must be indorsed, "Proposals for building four Aerial Ladders."

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blank proposals and information furnished, upon application to these Headquarters.

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

JOSEPH L. PERLEY,
ROSWELL D. HATCH,
CORNELIUS VAN COTT,
Commissioners.

and all other costs and charges of said sale accrued thereon. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays.
Dated December 24, 1874.

CHARLES CLARK,
Collector of Assessment

Assessment for the Expense of Opening, Widening, and Straightening Third Avenue, in the Town of Morrisania.

(INTEREST FROM APRIL 1, 1874.)

SOUTH MELROSE.

STREET.	NO. OF VILLAGE MAP.	SIZE OF LOT.	NO. OF ASSESSMENT MAP.	SIDE OF STREET.	NAME.	AMOUNT.
Mott street.....	36	1,072.50	1	South....	John H. Smith.....	\$15 94
Benson street.....	114	1,354.50	13	do.....	do.....	22 97
Third avenue.....	118	2,162.50	26	West....	John Rogge.....	154 98
do.....	119 A	1,674.47	27	do.....	do.....	105 91
Benson street.....	120	3,770	25	North....	do.....	112 36
do.....	121	580	24	do.....	do.....	9 78
Third avenue.....	285 B	2,456.80	40	West....	Thomas Rae.....	112 91
do.....	732	5,150	68	do.....	do.....	207 49
do.....	736 A	3,152	62	do.....	John Reynolds.....	189 21
do.....	736 B	2,890	63	do.....	Patrick Keenan.....	146 69
Elton avenue.....	731 A	3,800	69	East....	Benj. Timms.....	85 04
Third avenue.....	731 C	1,562	18	West....	Hartung.....	80 99
do.....	731 D	1,687.50	19	do.....	Unknown.....	83 55

NORTH NEW YORK.

Third avenue.....	1	1,594.29	75		Daniel Malone.....	\$0 45
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MELROSE.

Third avenue.....	280 A	2,500	173	West....	John Pettigrew.....	\$103 74
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NORTH MELROSE.

Third avenue.....	5	396	181	West....	Wm. Hays.....	\$27 22
do.....	7	4,976	179	do.....	Caspar Werner.....	206 23
do.....	95	4,991.63	182	do.....	Town of Morrisania.....	194 73
do.....	Gore.	4,841	185	do.....	Town of Morrisania.....	207 07
do.....	do	6,060.90	308 A	East....	do.....	252 14
do.....	do	2,250	329 B	do.....	do.....	93 11
do.....	1 A	406.72	186	do.....	Sophia Malain.....	15 31
do.....	1 B	1,169.32	187	do.....	do.....	43 63
do.....	1 C	5,246.50	188	do.....	do.....	195 99
do.....	2 A	2,500	194	do.....	John Fogel.....	93 38
do.....	2 B	2,500	195	do.....	do.....	93 38
do.....	3 H	2,450.87	206	West....	Wm. Hoeland.....	101 19
do.....	3 I	2,467.08	207	do.....	do.....	101 19
do.....	6 D	1,875	211	do.....	John P. Schunard.....	87 59
do.....	6 E	1,869.87	212	do.....	do.....	86 25

EAST MELROSE.

Third avenue....	S P	23,000	261	East....	Public School No. 4.....	\$219 73
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BENSONIA.

Burk avenue.....	D E	6,864	263	East....	Est. of Mrs. Davis.....	\$58 68
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GROVE HILL.

163d street.....	234	2,000	298	North....	J. M. & E. C. Boyd.....	\$5 82
Third avenue.....	284	2,000	290	East....	do.....	24 75
do.....	285	2,000	291	do.....	do.....	24 75
do.....	286	2,000	292	do.....	do.....	24 75
do.....	287	2,000	293	do.....	do.....	24 75

MORRISANIA.

Third avenue.....	149 I	5,605	316	East....	George Horn.....	\$236 83
do.....	148 B	6,100.50	318	do.....	Wm. Rumble.....	252 88
do.....	142 G	2,500	336	do.....	Philip Bender.....	103 74
do.....	142 K	2,800	339	do.....	M. Schoeffler.....	135 51
do.....	142 L	2,450	340	do.....	do.....	116 92
168th street.....	51 F	1,439.62	384	North....	B. M. Chave.....	24 29
Third avenue.....	140 A	2,733.33	402	East....	do.....	106 74
do.....	140 B	2,733.33	403	do.....	do.....	106 74
do.....	140 C	2,966.66	404	do.....	do.....	114 16
do.....	140 D	2,500	405	do.....	do.....	95 40
Washington avenue.....	S pt 58 A	117.47	409	do.....	Ph. Schureman.....	2 76
do.....	N pt 58 A	110	409	do.....	do.....	2 55
Third avenue.....	63 I	2,500	422	West....	Wm. Turner.....	12 50
do.....	63 B	2,500	424	do.....	do.....	9 84
do.....	63 M	2,500	425	do.....	do.....	8 47
do.....	130 F	2,500	478	East....	Ph. Weyand.....	66 16
do.....	P S	20,000	507	do.....	Public School No. 3.....	551 42
do.....	96 A	2,913.50	508	do.....	Eliz. Franklin.....	88 72
do.....	96 B	2,918.70	509	do.....	do.....	103 19
do.....	96 C	3,900	510	do.....	do.....	141 08
do.....	96 D	2,442.50	511	do.....	do.....	88 77
do.....	96 E	2,446.37	512	do.....	do.....	89 77
do.....	96 F	2,450.12	513	do.....	do.....	90 75
do.....	96 G	2,453.87	514	do.....	do.....	91 73
do.....	96 H	476	514 B	do.....	do.....	2 13

Assessment for Laying out and opening Broadway and Franklin Avenue, Twenty-fourth Ward, in the Town of West Farms.

(CONFIRMED SEPTEMBER 7, 1870.)

STREET.	LAND MAP NO.	PLOT NO.	NAME OF OWNERS.	AMOUNT OF ASSESSMENT.
Franklin avenue.....	....	4	C. & A. Bathgate.....	\$88 00
Broadway.....	4	15	Unknown.....	183 95
Fairmount avenue.....	3	16	do.....	58 12
Woodruff avenue.....	48	23	do.....	73 49
do.....	76	31	do.....	27 58
Waverly street.....	108	32	do.....	16 56
Locust avenue.....	123	33	do.....	16 56
Waverly place.....	99	42	do.....	59 72
Broadway.....	97	44	do.....	183 77
Locust avenue.....	91	50	do.....	91 88

RYER FARM.

Locust avenue.....	6	51	Unknown.....	\$13 82
do.....	5	52	do.....	13 82
do.....	4	53	do.....	22 98
do.....	3	54	do.....	25 42
do.....	1	56	do.....	27 58
Broadway.....	95	57	do.....	27 58
Cedar street.....	178	67	do.....	4 62
do.....	179	68	do.....	5 54
do.....	180	69	do.....	5 54
do.....	181	70	do.....	6 46
do.....	182	71	do.....	6 46
do.....	183	72	do.....	7 37
do.....	184	73	do.....	7 37
do.....	185	74	do.....	8 28
do.....	186	75	do.....	9 20
do.....	187	76	do.....	11 03
do.....	189	79	do.....	11 03
do.....	191	80	do.....	11 96
do.....	192	81	do.....	11 96
do.....	194	83	do.....	13 82
do.....	195	84	do.....	13 82

EAST TREMONT.

Samuel street.....	26	118	Unknown.....	\$160 74
Cedar street.....	1274	...	do.....	4 62
Samuel street.....	23	136	do.....	36 75
do.....	24	137	do.....	160 74

EAST TREMONT—(Continued).

STREET.	LAND MAP NO.	PLOT NO.	NAME OF OWNERS.	AMOUNT OF ASSESSMENT.
Samuel street.....	20	139	Unknown.....	\$36 75
do.....	21	140	do.....	55 12
do.....	22	141	do.....	128 59
do.....	41	143	do.....	32 15
do.....	40	144	do.....	13 82
John street.....	17	145	do.....	4 62
do.....	16	146	do.....	36 75
do.....	15	147	do.....	55 12
Broadway.....	14	148	do.....	28 59
John street.....	44	150	do.....	32 15
do.....	45	151	do.....	13 82
do.....	7	152	do.....	4 62
do.....	6	153	do.....	9 20
do.....	5	154	do.....	5 54
do.....	4	155	do.....	1 85
Broadway.....	13	156	do.....	110 21
do.....	12	157	do.....	73 49
do.....	11	158	do.....	91 88
do.....	10	159	do.....	101 07
do.....	8	161	do.....	110 21
John street.....	63	163	do.....	16 56
do.....	62	164	do.....	18 39
do.....	61	166	do.....	22 98
do.....	60	168	do.....	27 52
do.....	59	170	do.....	38 75
do.....	58	172	do.....	45 94
Broadway.....	..	173a	John B. Haskin.....	106 18

SOUTH BELMONT.

Broadway.....	....	173b	John C. Kayser.....	29 94
do.....	114, 113	174, 175	F. Grote.....	63 32
do.....	11	176	do.....	18 60
Elm avenue.....	26	178	John C. Kayser.....	64 30
do.....	25	179	Unknown.....	32 15
do.....	24	180	do.....	18 39
do.....	23	181	do.....	9 20
do.....	32	182	do.....	13 82
do.....	31	183	do.....	18 39
do.....	30	184	John C. Kayser.....	32 15
do.....	29	185	do.....	64 30
Garden avenue.....	74	188	do.....	64 30
do.....	73	189	do.....	32 15
do.....	72	190	do.....	18 39
do.....	71	191	do.....	14 71
do.....	81	192	do.....	3 68
do.....	80	193	do.....	18 39
do.....	79	194	do.....	32 15
do.....	78	195	do.....	54 30
do.....	77	196	Bernard Quinn.....	73 49
do.....	107	202	do.....	73 49
do.....	108	203	F. Grote.....	68 90
do.....	109	204	do.....	68 90
do.....	110	205	do.....	41 18
Broadway.....	112	207	do.....	13 82

BELMONT.

Broadway.....	94	209	Unknown.....	\$42 28
do.....	93	210	David Dugdale.....	42 28
do.....	92	211	do.....	42 28
do.....	91	212	John C. Kayser.....	42 28
do.....	90	213	Unknown.....	42 28
do.....	89	214	do.....	42 28
do.....	88	215	do.....	128 59
do.....	137	224	John C. Kayser.....	128 59
do.....	136	225	S. F. Simpson.....	128 59
do.....	135	227	Unknown.....	128 59
do.....	134	228	do.....	128 59
do.....	133	230	do.....	128 59
do.....	131	232	O. Messing.....	45 94
do.....	143	232	do.....	21 14
do.....	1/2 of 144	233	do.....	21 14
do.....	1/2 of 144	233	Henry Bausch.....	42 28
do.....	145	234	S. T. Simpson.....	42 28
do.....	146	235	Unknown.....	42 28
do.....	147	236	do.....	42 28
do.....	148	237	do.....	42 28
do.....	149	238	do.....	42 28
do.....	150	239	Conrad.....	45 94
do.....	151	240	Unknown.....	45 94
do.....	152	241	Emily Wood.....	42 28
do.....	153	242	John C. Kayser.....	42 28
do.....	154	243	do.....	42 28
do.....	155	245	Unknown.....	101 07
do.....	156	250	John C. Kayser.....	101 07
do.....	157	252	do.....	101 07
do.....	158	253	Unknown.....	101 07
do.....	159	254	do.....	101 07
do.....	160	255	Edward Barnard.....	42 28
do.....	161	256	do.....	42 28
do.....	162	257	John C. Kayser.....	42 28
do.....	163	258	Jesse Lyon.....	42 28
do.....	164	259	Michael Dowling.....	45 94
do.....	165	260	Unknown.....	18 39
do.....	166	270	do.....	293 91
do.....	167	271	William Driscoll.....	22 48
do.....	168	271 A	James Pierson.....	101 07
do.....	169	274	do.....	45 94
do.....	170	275	do.....	128 59
do.....	171	276	Unknown.....	27 58
do.....	172	277	do.....	160 74
do.....	173	283	do.....	200 42
do.....	174	284	do.....	36 75
do.....	175	285	do.....	9 20
do.....	176	286	do.....	36 75
do.....	177	287	do.....	26 60
do.....	178	288	do.....	5 36

Assessment for Laying Out and Opening Central Avenue.

(CONFIRMED JULY 6, 1868.)

NAME.	COMMISSIONERS' MAP.	TOWN MAP.	ASSESSMENT.
C. Berrian	228	53	\$40 00
do	229	94	35 00
do	230	52	40 00
do	231	95	35 00
do	232	48	40 00
do	240	47	40 00
do	242	46	40 00
do	244	45	40 00
do	246	44	40 00
do	247	103	35 00
do	248	43	40 00
do	249	104	35 00
do	250	42	40 00
do	251	105	35 00
do	252	41	40 00
do	253	106	35 00
do	254	40	40 00
do	255	107	35 00
do	256	39	40 00
do	257	108	35 00
do	259	109	35 00
do	261	110	35 00
do	263	111	35 00
do	274	30	40 00
do	276	29	40 00
do	280	27	40 00
do	282	26	40 00
do	284	25	40 00
do	286	24	40 00
do	290	22	40 00
do	292	21	40 00
do	294	20	40 00
do	296	19	40 00
do	298	18	40 00
Unknown	188	73	60 00
do	189	74	35 00

Assessment for Laying Out and Opening Central Avenue—(Continued).

NAME.	COMMISSIONERS' MAP.	TOWN MAP.	ASSESSMENT.
Unknown	190	72	\$60 00
do	191	75	35 00
do	192	71	60 00
do	193	76	35 00
do	194	70	60 00
do	195	77	35 00
do	196	69	60 00
do	197	78	35 00
do	198	68	60 00
do	199	79	35 00
do	200	67	60 00
do	201	80	35 00
do	220	57	60 00
do	222	56	60 00
do	243	101	35 00
do	245	102	35 00
Charles Berrian	247	...	487 26
Charles Laird	223	91	35 00
do	225	92	35 00
Patrick Hays	308	13	60 00
do	309	134	35 00
do	310	12	60 00
do	311	135	35 00
Philip H. Berrian	304	15	60 00
do	305	132	45 00
do	306	14	60 00
do	307	133	45 00
Alexander Robertson	295	127	35 00
do	297	128	35 00
do	299	129	35 00
Charles Kean	272	31	60 00
do	273	116	35 00
David Cassidy	258	38	60 00
do	260	37	60 00
do	262	36	60 00
Daniel King	234	50	60 00
do	235	97	35 00
George Martin	224	55	60 00
do	226	54	60 00
William Gordon	227	84	35 00
William Ingall	209	85	35 00
do	211	85	35 00
Patrick McEvoy	206	59	60 00
do	218	58	60 00
Alexander Gordon	221	90	60 00
Benjamin Odell	288	23	60 00
Unknown	92	...	265 44
do	168	113	83 75
do	116	9	26 80
Emily Hannan	119	30	16 75
William Hockland	120	28	67 00
R. L. Anderton	127	17	33 50
Libenun Libenan	138	18	26 80
Van Roth	135	21	67 00
C. Berrian's Farm	150	54	13 40
Unknown	151	53	33 50

Assessment for Straightening Central Avenue.

(CONFIRMED MAY 16, 1870.)

NAME.	COMMISSIONERS' MAP.	TOWN MAP.	ASSESSMENT.
Mrs. McCreery	4	87	\$4 31
Unknown	9	1	30 66
do	10	1	22
Heirs of Dr. Anderson	18	6	84 99
William H. Racey	49	2	42 09
George Buchanan	50	1	25 20
George Hettrick	52	12	22 70
George Arcularius	53	...	316 81
Michael Burns	114	252	12 67
do	115	269	8 40
do	116	268	8 40
do	117	253	12 67
Michael Nagle	118	254	12 67
do	119	267	8 40
do	120	266	8 40
Rev. George R. Crook	121	255	12 67
do	122	256	12 67
do	123	265	8 40
George W. Archer	124	264	8 40
do	125	257	49 51
do	126	258	12 67
do	127	263	8 40
Heirs of William C. Higgins	132	282	35 80
Richard Goodfellow	174	...	61 31
Theodore M. Squires	175	107	1 03
do	176	47	2 06
do	177	46	8 40
do	178	45	8 40
do	179	44	8 40
do	180	44	9 73
do	181	41	11 64
do	182	42	14 00
do	183	43	8 70
Mary McLean	236	336	2 50
do	237	301	9 43
do	238	302	9 43
do	239	335	2 21
do	240	334	1 71
do	241	303	9 43
do	242	304	9 43
do	243	333	1 47
David Gaffney	263	320	6 78
Mrs. Fredrika Conrad	272	14	14 70
Emily Ulman	276	10	9 54
C. Waller	277	9	4 39
S. Tuck	278	8	25
R. L. Anderton	279	17	15 48
Unknown	279A	43	25
William Brummer	279B	29	7 33
William Hoeland	279C	28	14 44
Emily Hammon	279D	30	3 36
Isaac Kahn	281	27	14 70
Frederick Woolf	289	23	14 08
J. Mabie	290	22	4 50
H. Duplane	291	49	19 39
A. Meitzenheimer	298	51	14 70
do	301	53	8 77
do	302	54	3 21
Unknown	303	55	11
do	306	21	14 70
L. Libmann	308	24	19 72
A. Strumwold	309	19	17 54
Jacob Muller	311	3	14 70
George Roll	312	18	11 98
R. L. Anderton	313	16	78
do	318	...	132 62
Joseph Conrad	318A	...	297 99
William L. Fisher	321	...	328 04
Theodore M. Squires	324	115	16 50
Unknown	325	7D	16 50
Theodore M. Squires	328	7D	31 61
do	330	68A	24 76
do	331	86	9 43
do	332	85	31 84
David Sellig	333	D	22 19
Theodore M. Squires	337	86	24 76
do	338	84	1 18
do	339	87	9 43
Charles Heinzel	342	...	246 00
J. H. V. Cockroft	347	...	84 48
do	348	...	43 54
P. H. and C. E. Berrian	409	73	8 88
do	411	74	5 90
do	412	75	5 90
do	413	72	8 88
do	413	71	8 88
do	414	76	5 90

Assessment for Straightening Central Avenue—(Continued).

NAME.	COMMISSIONERS' MAP.	TOWN MAP.	ASSESSMENT.
P. H. and C. E. Berrian	415	77	\$5 00
do	416	70	8 88
do	417	69	8 88
do	418	78	5 90
do	419	79	5 90
do	420	68	8 88
do	421	67	8 88
do	422	80	5 90
William Ingall	430	84	5 90
do	431	85	5 90
James Wood	434	86	5 90
do	435	87	5 90
Patrick McEvoy	437	59	8 88
Owen McGinn	438	88	5 90
do	439	89	8 88
Patrick McEvoy	440	58	8 88
Charles Berrian	441	57	5 90
Alexander Gordon	442	91	5 90
Charles Laird	443	92	5 90
Charles Berrian	444	56	8 88
George Martin	445	55	8 88
Charles Laird	446	92	5 90
William Gordon	447	93	5 90
George Martin	448	54	8 88
P. H. Berrian and S. E. Timpson	449	53	8 88
do	450	94	5 90
do	451	95	5 90
do	452	52	8 88
John McCormick	453	51	8 88
do	454	96	5 90
David King	455	97	5 90
do	456	54	8 88
John Graham	457	49	8 88
do	458	98	5 90
John Lee	459	99	11 42
C. Lowerre, Jr.	460	48	8 88
do	461	47	8 88
John Lee	462	100	11 42
P. H. & C. E. Berrian	463	101	5 90
C. Lowerre, Jr.	464	46	8 88
do	465	45	8 88
P. H. & C. E. Berrian	466	102	5 90
do	467	103	5 90
C. Lowerre, Jr.	468	44	8 88
do	469	43	8 88
P. H. & C. E. Berrian	470	104	5 90
do	471	105	5 90
C. Lowerre, Jr.	472	42	8 88
do	473	41	8 88
P. H. & C. E. Berrian	474	106	5 90
do	475	107	5 90
C. Lowerre, Jr.	476	40	8 88
do	477	39	8 88
P. H. & C. E. Berrian	478	108	5 90
do	479	109	5 90
Pohle	480	30	8 88
do	481	31	8 88
P. H. & C. E. Berrian	482	110	5 90
do	483	111	5 90
Pohle	484	36	8 88
do	485	37	8 88
Charles Kean	493	116	5 90
do	494	117	5 90
Philip Rodenback	495	117	5 90
C. E. Berrian and S. E. Timpson	496	30	8 88
do	497	29	8 88
Philip Rodenback	498	118	5 90
Theodore Smulley	499	119	5 90
do	500	28	8 88
S. E. Timpson	501	27	8 88
William Kearney	502	122	5 90
do	503	121	5 90
S. E. Timpson	504	26	8 88
do	505	25	8 88
James Hannan	506	122	5 90
do	507	123	5 90
S. E. Timpson	508	24	8 88
John S. Jennings	510	124	5 90
George Thorn	511	125	5 90
S. E. Timpson	512	22	8 88
do	513	21	8 88
George Thorn	514	126	5 90
Alex. Robertson	515	127	5 90
S. E. Timpson	516	20	8 88
do	517	19	8 88
Alex. Robertson	518	128	5 90
do	519	129	5 90
S. E. Timpson	520	18	8 88
William Smulley	533	11	8 88
do	534	136	5 90
do	535	137	5 90
do	536	10	8 88
do	537	9	8 88
do	538	138	5 90
do	539	139	5 90
do	540	8	8 88
Charles Berrian	541	1	12 67
do	542	2	4 12
do	543	3	4 12
do	544	4	4 12
do	545	7	5 90
do	546	6	5 90
do	547	5	5 90
S. E. & C. E. Timpson	548	...	300 31
John B. Haskin and John Bussing	553	...	217 86
Dennis Valentine	557	...	50 54
John B. Haskin	558	...	197 01
do	559	...	59 02
Unknown	568	3	21 22
Henry W. Law	570	...	96 01

Assessment for Grading Willis Avenue, between One Hundred and Thirty eighth and One Hundred and Forty-seventh streets.

(CONFIRMED SEPTEMBER 17, 1872.)

NAME OF STREET.	SIDE.	NO. OF LOT.	SIZE.	NAME OF OWNER.	AMOUNT OF ASSESSMENT.
Willis Avenue—					
Between 138th and 139th streets..	West.. {	Block 2. 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, and 28	} 200x100	H. P. Whitney.....	\$1,280 00
Between 139th and 140th streets..	East....	Block 4. 3 and 4		50 x 100	Spellman & Griffin .....	312 00
Between 140th and 141st streets...	West	Block 8. 26	25 x 100	Mrs. Mulligan	152 00
do do ...	do	27 and 28	50 x 100	Mary L. Wallace.....	304 00
Between 142d and 143d streets....	East.....	Block 15. 49 and 50	50 x 100	T. Lawrence.....	288 00
do do ...	West....	Block 14. 21 and 22	50 x 100	Thomas Graham	288 00
do do	do	25	25 x 100	Estate of James Kelly.....	144 00
do do	do	27 and 28	50 x 100	do	288 00
Between 144th and 145th streets..	East.....	Block 19. 1, 2, 45 and 46	100 x 100	Andrew Duryea.....	544 00
do do ..	West	18, 19, 20 and 21	100 x 100	do	544 00
do do ..	do	22	25 x 100	Patrick Hartigan.....	136 00
Between 145th and 146th streets..	do	Block 21. 12 and 13	50 x 100	Andrew Duryea.....	264 00
do do ..	do	14, 15, and 16	75 x 100	Thomas Rae.....	396 00
do do ..	do	17 and 18	50 x 100	Theodore Schmidt.....	264 00
do do ..	do	Block 20. 1 and 39	50 x 100	Andrew Duryea	264 00