

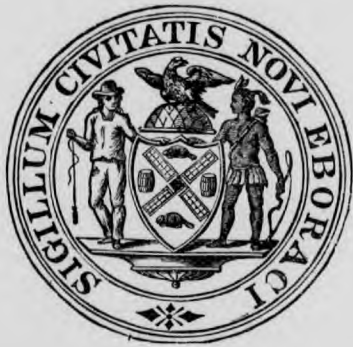
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POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 25th day of January, 1884.
Present—Commissioners French, Nichols, Mason, and Matthews.

Leaves of Absence Granted.

Sergeant John T. Gay, Twenty-fifth Precinct, sixty days, half pay.
Patrolman Charles Burch, Fifth Precinct, three days, without pay.
Thomas McCue, Fifth Precinct, five days, without pay.

The Chief Clerk submitted a report of the operations and transactions of the Police Department and force for the three months ending December 31, 1883, which was ordered to be signed by the President and Chief Clerk and forwarded to the Mayor.

Report of Board of Surgeons in case of Patrolman John J. Graham, Twenty-first Precinct, was referred to Commissioner Matthews.

Mask Ball Permits Granted.

Daniel Keil, at No. 152 Third avenue, January 24.
Rudolph G. Herberger, at Irving Hall, January 24.
Margaret Lowe, at No. 46 Avenue A, January 26.
H. E. Kauterowicz, at No. 35 East Fourth street, January 25.
Francis Ruppert, at Irving Hall, January 26.

A. Hasslinger, at No. 145 Essex street, February 5.
L. Butz, at No. 145 Essex street, February 9.
H. Stein, at No. 145 Essex street, February 19.
George Manuz, at No. 50 Orchard street, February 2.
William Saier, at No. 344 West Forty-fourth street, February 12.
Adolph Mylius, at No. 344 West Forty-fourth street, February 13.
William Sanders, at No. 136 Canal street March 11.

Application of John Moylan, Assistant Janitor, for increase of pay, was referred to the Treasurer for report.

Application of Captain Bennett, Thirty-third Precinct, for two additional Roundsmen, was referred to the President with power.

Application of ex-Patrolman Francis Denning, for sick pay deducted in December, 1883, was referred to the Treasurer's Bookkeeper for report.

The following applications for promotion were referred to the Superintendent to cite for examination:

Roundsmen Andrew J. Thomas, Fourth Precinct; Roundsmen Patrick McKinley, Thirtieth Precinct.

Application of Daniel M. Van Cott, for transfer of Patrolman William B. Finnegan, Twelfth Precinct, was referred to the Chief Clerk to answer.

Application of Benjamin Murphy, Chief of Police, Jersey City, for copy of Pension Law, was referred to the Chief Clerk to furnish.

Application of Mrs. Myers, and other cleaners of Central Department, for increase of pay, was denied.

Communication from the Comptroller, relative to error in requisition, was referred to the Treasurer.

Communication from L. Smecher (transmitted from Mayor's office), inviting the Mayor to call at No. 14 Stanton street, was referred the Superintendent.

Communication from J. Schmed, (transmitted from Mayor's office), complaining of annoyances by boys at the school, First avenue and Ninth street, was referred to the Superintendent.

On report of the Treasurer's Bookkeeper, it was Resolved, That the iron safe in Twenty-second Precinct Station-house be and is hereby ordered to be sold at public auction at said Station-house, said safe being unserviceable.

Resolved, That the bill of Samuel E. Warren (\$41.50), for engraving and medal for Patrolman Dennis O'Hara, be and is hereby ordered to be paid by the Treasurer—all aye.

On report of Captain Brogan, Fifteenth Precinct, it was Resolved, That honorable mention be and is hereby made in the records of the Department of the meritorious conduct of Patrolman James Taggart, Fifteenth Precinct, who at the risk of his life, saved Hugh McManus from being killed by falling, at No. 48 East Thirteenth street, at 8.30 P. M., January 15, 1884, and that this resolution be suitably engrossed and presented to said officer.

Transfers.

Roundsmen Augustus Luersson, from Thirty-second Precinct to Twenty-Sixth Precinct.

William McDewitt, from Twenty-sixth Precinct to Thirty-third Precinct.

Patrolman John J. Fitzpatrick, from Twenty-first Precinct to Twelfth Precinct.

William J. Foster, from Sixth Precinct to Twenty-ninth Precinct.

Thomas Murphy, from Seventeenth Precinct to Steamboat Squad.

Henry C. Gibson, from Tenth Precinct to Steamboat Squad.

Edward J. Costa, from Twenty-first Precinct to Nineteenth Precinct.

Patrick F. Gargan, from First Precinct to Twelfth Precinct.

Thomas J. White, from Eighth Precinct to Twenty-eighth Precinct.

James W. Barry, from Twenty-seventh Precinct to Nineteenth Precinct.

John F. Landseadale, from Sixth Precinct to Tenth Precinct.

Emanuel Mayer, from Eighth Precinct to Eleventh Precinct.

Napoleon B. Remley, from Twenty-first Precinct to Twenty-third Precinct.

John Madigan, from Eighteenth Precinct to Thirty-third Precinct.

George C. Liebers, from Eighth Precinct to Twenty-seventh Precinct.

Israel W. Miller, from Thirty-second Precinct to Sanitary Company.

Appointments—Patrolmen.

Precinct.		Precinct.	
Charles Sheridan.....	8	Judson Vermilya.....	18
Thomas Donohue.....	8	Edward Rothschild.....	18
John F. Hegeman.....	8	John F. Mitchell.....	21
Thomas Lyon.....	8	James H. Cochrane.....	21
John J. Farrell.....	8	John McLaughlin.....	21
Lawrence J. Lynch.....	6	John E. Leonard.....	23
James J. O'Meara.....	12	James F. McParlan.....	2
Thomas Walsh.....	12	Albert A. Jones.....	2
Thomas D. Sherman.....	12		

Re-appointment—Patrolman—all voting aye.

Thomas F. Glascott, Sixth Precinct.

Judgments—Fines Imposed.

Patrolman Michael Gray, Fifth Precinct, one day's pay.

Reprimands.

Precinct.		Precinct.	
Patrolman Richard H. Taylor.....	4	Patrolman George W. Wood.....	13
“ Max Meiers.....	13	“ Kerin J. Larkin.....	13
“ John Boothney.....	13	“ Eugene D. Grosjean.....	14

Complaint Dismissed.

Patrolman John H. Repper, Tenth Precinct.

Retired Officer.

Patrolman Thomas Black, Sanitary Co., \$600 per year—all aye.
“ Peter M. Henchy, Twenty-seventh Precinct, \$600 per year—all aye.
Adjourned.

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

At a meeting of the Board of Docks held January 16, 1884.

Present—The full Board.

The minutes of the meetings held January 2d and 3d instant were read and approved.

The following communications were received, read, and on motion laid on the table to await action as stated, to wit:

From Comptroller of the City:

1. Requesting an estimate of the amount of Dock Bonds which will be required for all purposes of the Dock Department during the year 1884. Referred to the President.

2. Requesting information as to the amount of dredging yet to be done by the Union Dredging Company under the terms of the agreement of May 9, 1881. Secretary instructed to acknowledge the receipt of communication and to state in reply, that the Engineer-in-Chief has been already directed by the Board to prepare an estimate of the same, and as soon as the information is obtained it will be transmitted to them as requested.

From Department of Public Charities and Correction—In reference to repairs required to be made to the docks at Hart's Island, and also as to dredging required thereto. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to examine and report.

From Department of Street Cleaning—Requesting that dredging be made at the dumping board at Thirty-seventh street, North river. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to examine and report.

From Police Department—Requesting information as to when the Department will build the pier for their use as provided by chapter 189 of the Laws of 1883. Referred to Commissioner Voorhis, and Secretary directed to advise the Police Department that the Engineer-in-Chief has been directed to proceed with all dispatch in the matter, and that Commissioner Voorhis will be pleased to confer with them in relation thereto.

From New Haven Steamboat Company—In reference to sinking of a schooner in front of the slip between Piers 25 and 26. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to examine and report.

From Pennsylvania Railroad Company—Requesting permission to extend platform between Piers, old 1 and 2, North river to the established bulkhead line. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to examine and report.

From Engineer-in-Chief—Reporting as to assignment to special duty of the employees under his charge.

The following communications were received, read, and,

On motion, ordered to be placed on file, action being taken where necessary, as stated, to wit:

From his Honor Mayor Edson—Requesting that a list of employees be sent to the Secretary of the Municipal Service Examining Board. Secretary directed to send list of employees as requested.

From Department of Public Charities and Correction—Enclosing resolution in reference to the transportation of fire engines between Ward's and Randall's islands in case of fire. Secretary directed to advise that this Board will meet the Commissioners of Charities and Correction and confer with them at any time that suits their convenience.

From CITY RECORD—Requesting official notice as to the hours that the offices of the Department are open for the transaction of public business. Secretary directed to furnish the information desired.

From Assembly Committee on Commerce and Navigation—In reference to bill setting apart Piers 20 and 21, East river, for use of vessels in the fruit trade, and that a hearing would be had on the 15th inst. in respect thereto. Secretary stating that, by direction of the Commissioners, he had replied thereto by telegraph, and requested an adjournment until the Board could obtain a copy of the bill and examine the provisions of the same, his action was approved.

From Drake, Dwight & Co.—Requesting permission to place earth under water at Second avenue, Harlem river, to support Croton water pipes. Secretary stating that, by direction of the Commissioners, he had granted a permit therefor, the work to be done under the supervision and direction of the Engineer-in-Chief, his action was approved.

From Compagnie Générale Transatlantique—Requesting permission to take up and relay pavement, to repair the water-main opposite to Pier, new 42, North river. Secretary stating that, by direction of the Commissioners, he had granted a permit therefor, the work to be done under the supervision and direction of the Engineer-in-Chief, his action was approved.

From New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company—Requesting permission to repair Pier 51, East river. Permission granted, the work to be done under the supervision and direction of the Engineer-in-Chief.

From Engineer-in-Chief:

1st. Reporting the completion of the dredging at Thirty-sixth street, North river, under contract No. 198.

2d. Reporting in reference to the dredging at Forty-sixth and Forty-seventh streets, North river, and that the owner of the bulkhead north of Forty-seventh street had not done the work as directed. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to have the dredging done thereat at a cost not to exceed \$1,000, and Secretary directed to advise Messrs. Darrow & Co., of the action taken by the Board in respect thereto.

3d. Reporting amount of work done during the week ending January 12, 1884.

4th. Reporting in reference to plans and specifications for shed on Pier, new 37, North river. Specifications approved by the Board, and Secretary directed to file the same with the Engineer-in-Chief.

5th. Report on Secretary's Order, No. 3181, as to repairs made to Pier, new 56, North river, and the cost of making the same. Treasurer directed to make out bill therefor and collect the same.

6th. Report on Secretary's Order, No. 3428, that he had repaired the deck of the west half of Pier 19, East river, in conjunction with the agent of the owners of the east half.

7th. Report on Secretary's Order, 3381, that the repairs to the Pier at One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, Harlem river, had been made under his supervision.

8th. Report on Secretary's Order, No. 3414, that he had superintended the erection of a derick on the bulkhead south of Thirty-first street, East river.

9th. Report on Secretary's Order, No. 3429, that he had removed the gangway bridge at the Pier at One Hundred and Seventeenth street, Harlem river, and put the same in condition for use by the public for commercial purposes.

10th. Report on Secretary's Order, No. 3026, in reference to Pier 4, East river.

11th. Report on Secretary's Order, No. 3399, in reference to plans and specifications for repairing the Pier at Twenty-fifth street, East river.

From Edward Abeel, Dock Master—Reporting as to damage done to Piers 27, 28 and 40 East river, by floating ice on January 13th instant. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to examine and report.

From Edward Gilon, Dock Master—Reporting that the outer end of the Pier at Fifty-fifth street, North river, had been run into and damaged on the night of January 6th instant. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to examine and report thereon, and to fence off the end of the pier from public use until the same is made safe.

A communication from his Honor Mayor Edson, requesting that the Department send a representative to attend conferences to be held at the Mayor's office during the session of the Legislature, was received, read, and ordered to be placed on file, and,

On motion, the President of the Board, Commissioner Stark, was delegated as the representative of the Board to attend the conferences.

A report from the Engineer-in-Chief, on Secretary's Order No. 3255, as to amount of dredging required between Piers 58 and 60, East river, was received, read, and laid over for consideration, and,

On motion, the communication from Lawrence & Co., requesting that the Department dredg

the slip between Delancey and Rivington streets, East river, without expense to them, was taken from the table and ordered to be placed on file, and the Secretary directed to advise that the Board cannot lawfully grant their request, as the expenditure of public moneys for such purpose would be unauthorized and improper.

President Stark, to whom was referred the application of J. N. Briggs for permission to place coal pockets on the bulkhead south of Thirty-first street, East river, reported thereon orally and recommended that the application be denied.

On motion of Commissioner Voorhis, the report was received and the recommendation adopted; and it being stated that Mr. Briggs had erected the coal pockets on the bulkhead without permission, the Secretary was directed to notify Dock Master Kenney to serve notice on Mr. Briggs to remove the same within ten days after service of the notice, or the penalty for violation of the rules would be enforced.

Commissioner Laimbeer moved that the Secretary be directed to make a complaint before a Police Justice against Mr. Briggs for the violation of the rules.

On motion of Commissioner Voorhis, the motion made by Commissioner Laimbeer was laid on the table until the expiration of the time specified in the notice to remove the same.

Commissioner Voorhis reported orally on the application of William Hall's sons for permission to build a bulkhead between One Hundred and Fifth and One Hundred and Sixth streets, Harlem river, in favor of granting the same and offered the following resolution in relation thereto.

Resolved, That permission be and hereby is given to Messrs. Thomas R. A. Hall and William H. Hall, lessees from Morris Tuska, alleged owners of land under water between One Hundred and Fifth and One Hundred and Sixth streets, East or Harlem river and of the upland adjacent thereto, to construct and maintain, provided the same is commenced and completed within the next twelve months, a retaining structure of solid pile work with a platform about twenty feet wide, supported on piles in front thereof, on the west side of Harlem river, from the north side of One Hundred and Fifth street to the south side of One Hundred and Sixth street, the outer or river face of said platform to be located on the bulkhead line as at present established for said river, the entire structure to be built under the supervision and direction of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department, and in accordance with the specifications submitted thereto as amended by the Engineer-in-Chief, and which are hereby approved; also provided that the said lessees and owner file in this Department, within ten days after the adoption hereof, an agreement in writing that they or he will change or remove the said structure whenever the bulkhead line for Harlem river shall be changed by the proper authorities so as to require the same to be done.

Commissioner Laimbeer moved to amend the resolution by making the exterior line of the bulkhead to be on a line of the westerly or inside line of the present Pier foot of One Hundred and Sixth street, say about one hundred and fifty feet westerly from the easterly exterior of said pier, in order to keep for the use of the public the present pier with a berth on each side.

On motion of President Stark the matter was laid over for further consideration.

Commissioner Laimbeer offered the following preamble and resolutions:

Whereas, There is a division of opinion in this Board upon the construction of the law as set forth in chapter 249, section 4, Laws of 1875, and

Whereas, On the 6th day of December, 1883, this Board adopted a resolution granting permission to Mess. G. F. & E. C. Swift, to erect and maintain during the pleasure of this Board, a shed on the pier at the foot of East One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, Harlem river, now, therefore,

Resolved, That the Counsel to the Corporation is respectfully asked to inform this Board whether the resolution passed December 6, 1883, is in accord with the law, and if this Department has the right, under the law, to permit any construction upon piers and bulkheads other than what may be properly termed sheds, and whether in his opinion the structure to be erected under the plans submitted thereto, can be placed upon any pier or bulkhead without violation of the law.

Resolved, That the Counsel to the Corporation be requested to give an opinion as to the right of the Department to authorize the construction of piers or bulkheads on the Harlem river waterfront on or within the lines established by the Harbor Commissioners of 1857, which was,

On motion of President Stark, laid on the table for consideration.

Commissioner Voorhis, to whom was referred the communication from F. P. Eastman, requesting the Department to make a deduction in the price for the use of the dumping board at Twenty-fifth street, East river, reported thereon, orally, that he had fixed the rate at \$4 per day for the use of the same, during the pleasure of the Board.

On motion, the report was received, the communication from Mr. Eastman ordered to be placed on file, and the action of Commissioner Voorhis, in relation thereto, approved.

Commissioner Voorhis, the Treasurer of the Board, presented in duplicate the monthly report or balance sheet, for the month of December, 1883, which was received and read, and the Secretary was directed to transmit the original to the Comptroller and place the duplicate on file.

Commissioner Voorhis also presented his report of receipts for the week ending January 15 instant, which was received, read, and ordered to be placed on file, and the Secretary directed to enter the same in full on the minutes, as follows:

DATE.	FROM WHOM.	FOR WHAT.	AMOUNT.	TOTAL.	DATE DEPOSITED.
1884.					1884.
Jan. 9	Geo. Y. Gaden & Co.	1 qrs. rent, l. u. w., south of 126th street, H. R.	\$100 00		
" 9	John Campbell	50 filling-in tickets, at 15c.	7 50		
" 11	Jas. McCarty	100 " " at 15c.	15 00		
" 12	Frank Paul	Use of diving apparatus	5 00		
" 14	Michael Finin	50 filling-in tickets, at 15c.	7 50		
" 14	Chas. H. Thompson	Wharfage Dist. No. 1, to 12th Jan.	170 24		
" 14	Geo. W. Vanmaker	" " 2, to 12th "	444 69		
" 14	Edward Abcel	" " 3, to 12th "	280 98		
" 14	John M. Smith	" " 4, to 12th "	379 80		
" 14	Bernard Kenney	" " 5, to 12th "	80 68		
" 14	Edward Gilon	" " 6, to 12th "	281 74		
" 14	Robert Hall	" " 7, to 12th "	17 70		
" 14	Theo. S. Croft	" " 8, to 12th "	4 01		
" 14	John Callan	" " 9, to 12th "	32 30		
" 14	Bernard Farrell	30 filling-in tickets, at 15c.	4 50		
			\$1,831 64	\$1,831 64	Jan. 15

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN R. VOORHIS, Treasurer.

The following requisitions were read, and,
On motion, approved:

Register No.		
4514.	For services of tug, per hour.	Estimated cost, \$5 00
4515.	For repairs, pile driver No. 3.	" 40 00
4516.	For four eight-inch double blocks for derrick "City of New York"	" 20 00
4517.	For labor and material to repair two snatch blocks.	" 5 00
4518.	For two barrels kerosene oil	" 15 00
4519.	For tracing cloth, stationery, etc., office of Engineer-in-Chief.	" 22 00

On motion, the Board adjourned.

JOHN T. CUMING, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, January 15, 1884.

In accordance with the provisions of section 51 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882 (New York Consolidation Act), the Department of Public Works makes the following report of its transactions for the week ending January 12, 1884:

Public Moneys Received and Deposited in the City Treasury.

For Croton water rents.	\$13,864 36
For penalties on water rents.	180 15
For tapping Croton pipes.	17 00
For sewer permits.	300 00

For vault permits	1,181 25
For redemption of obstructions seized.	22 50
For restoring and repaving—Special Fund	176 00
Total	\$15,741 26

Permits Issued.

- 6 permits to tap Croton pipes.
- 36 permits to open streets.
- 8 permits to make sewer connections.
- 5 permits to repair sewer connections.
- 1 permit to construct street vaults.
- 38 permits to place building material on streets.
- 5 permits—special.

Public Lamps.

- 6 old lamps relighted.
- 3 lamps discontinued.
- 6 lamp-posts removed.
- 3 lamp-posts straightened.
- 3 columns released.

Report of Photometrical Examinations of Illuminating Gas, for the week ending January 12, 1884, made at the Photometrical Rooms of the Department of Public Works.

DATE.	TIME.	Thermometer.	Barometer.	GAS COMPANY.	BURNER.	Pressure as Delivered to Burner.	Consumption of Gas, Rate per hour.	Consumption of Candle, Grs. per hour.	ILLUMINATING POWER.
									Observed. Corrected.
Jan. 7	4 P.M.	68.	30.63	Manhattan	Empire 5 ft.	.91	5.00	120.0	19.53 19.53
" 8	2 P.M.	71.	30.26	"	"	.90	5.00	114.0	19.78 18.79
" 9	4:30 P.M.	77.	29.37	"	"	.90	5.00	121.8	18.62 18.90
" 10	4 P.M.	76.	30.10	"	"	.92	5.00	118.2	18.90 18.62
" 11	2 P.M.	78.	29.91	"	"	.90	5.00	121.2	18.40 18.58
" 12	4 P.M.	72.	30.00	"	"	.91	5.00	123.0	18.20 18.65
									Average. 18.84
Jan. 7	5:30 P.M.	67.	30.71	Harlem	"	.79	5.00	120.0	19.02 19.02
" 8	6:30 P.M.	73.	30.24	"	"	.78	5.00	120.0	19.35 19.36
" 9	6 P.M.	76.	29.45	"	"	.77	5.00	123.0	19.10 19.58
" 10	5:30 P.M.	68.	30.16	"	"	.77	5.00	117.6	19.84 19.44
" 11	6 P.M.	67.	29.97	"	"	.77	5.00	121.2	19.42 19.61
" 12	5:30 P.M.	74.	30.03	"	"	.77	5.00	118.2	19.70 19.40
									Average. 19.40
Jan. 7	3 P.M.	68.	30.63	New York	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.90	5.00	120.0	21.14 21.14
" 8	4 P.M.	72.	30.26	"	"	.89	5.00	122.4	22.04 22.48
" 9	2 P.M.	76.	29.37	"	"	.90	5.00	124.8	19.82 20.61
" 10	3 P.M.	76.	30.10	"	"	.89	5.00	123.0	21.70 22.24
" 11	4 P.M.	78.	29.91	"	"	.87	5.00	121.2	21.70 21.91
" 12	2 P.M.	70.	30.00	"	"	.89	5.00	120.0	22.48 22.48
									Average. 21.81
Jan. 7	1 P.M.	67.	30.63	N. Y. Mutual	"	.98	5.00	120.0	27.34 27.34
" 8	2:30 P.M.	71.	30.26	"	"	.94	5.00	124.2	25.66 27.59
" 9	4 P.M.	76.	29.37	"	"	.95	5.00	120.0	27.30 27.30
" 10	1 P.M.	72.	30.10	"	"	.97	5.00	114.0	28.30 26.88
" 11	2:30 P.M.	78.	29.91	"	"	.93	5.00	126.0	23.50 24.67
" 12	3 P.M.	70.	30.00	"	"	.95	5.00	126.0	25.94 27.24
									Average. 26.83
Jan. 7	2 P.M.	68.	30.63	Municipal	"	.88	5.00	126.0	26.52 27.84
" 8	3 P.M.	71.	30.26	"	"	.89	5.00	123.0	27.02 27.69
" 9	3 P.M.	76.	29.37	"	"	.88	5.00	121.8	27.36 27.77
" 10	2 P.M.	75.	30.10	"	"	.88	5.00	114.0	29.80 28.31
" 11	3 P.M.	78.	29.91	"	"	.89	5.00	116.4	28.84 27.97
" 12	2:30 P.M.	70.	30.00	"	"	.88	5.00	121.2	27.40 27.67
									Average. 27.87
Jan. 7	6 P.M.	69.	30.71	Metropolitan	" No. 6.	.68	5.00	120.0	21.18 21.18
" 8	6 P.M.	71.	30.24	"	"	.68	5.00	121.2	20.48 20.68
" 9	5:30 P.M.	74.	29.45	"	"	.68	5.00	119.8	20.58 20.37
" 10	6 P.M.	70.	30.16	"	"	.68	5.00	123.0	20.04 20.54
" 11	5:30 P.M.	66.	29.97	"	"	.68	5.00	120.0	21.04 21.04
" 12	6 P.M.	76.	30.03	"	"	.68	5.00	121.2	20.68 20.88
									Average. 20.78

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

Obstructions Removed.

- Single truck, from 348 Bowery.
- 3 push carts, from Theatre alley.
- 2 double trucks, from Greenwich and Christopher street.
- 2 tables, from 69 East Twelfth street.
- 2 wagons, from 207 West Thirty-first street.
- Double truck, etc., from 356 West Forty-sixth street.
- 22 packing boxes, from Reade street and West Broadway.
- 3 large boxes, from 152 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.
- Sign, from 2238 Third avenue.
- 17 boxes, from West Broadway and Reade streets.
- Sign, from 275 Grand street.
- Sign, from 277 Grand street.
- 2 single trucks, from Burling slip.
- 3 double trucks, from Burling slip.
- Business wagon, from Burling slip.
- Sleigh, from Burling slip.
- 6 farmer's wagons, from Gansevoort market.

Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.

- 40 receiving-basins and culverts cleaned.
- 15 lineal feet of sewer cleaned.
- 3 lineal feet of spur-pipe laid.

4 lineal feet of new curb set.
2 lineal feet of culvert rebuilt.
5 receiving-basins repaired.
1 new basin head and cover put on.
3 manholes repaired.
16 new manhole covers put on.
2 manhole heads reset.
5 cubic yards of earth excavated and refilled.
8 square yards of pavement relaid.
20 square feet of flagging relaid.
112 cart-loads of dirt removed.

Statement of Laboring Force Employed in the Department of Public Works during the Week ending January 12, 1884.

NATURE OF WORK.	MECHANICS.	LABORERS.	TEAMS.	CARTS.
Maintenance of Aqueduct and Reservoirs.....	24	112	9	4
In Pipe Yard, foot of East Twenty-fourth street.....	3	15	2	..
Laying and repairing pipes, etc.....	11	74	..	9
Repairing pavements.....	13	2
Repairing and cleaning sewers.....	4	31	..	16
Maintenance and construction of boulevards and aves.	8	52	25	3
Repairing streets.....	1	31	9	2
Total.....	64	317	45	34
Increase over previous week.....
Decrease from previous week.....	..	8

Suspended on Account of Suspension or Completion of Work.

Bernard Mooney, Inspector on Sewers.
James McClelland, Inspector on Sewers.
Arthur Flynn, Inspector on Sewers.
W. E. Pallister, Inspector on Regulating, etc.
W. F. Thompson, Inspector on Regulating, etc.
James J. Fitzgerald, Inspector on Regulating, etc.
George W. Nash, Inspector on Regulating, etc.
Hugh Corrigan, Inspector on Regulating, etc.

Requisitions on the Comptroller.

The total amount of requisitions drawn by the Department on the Comptroller during the week is \$109,592.88.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Appointments by the Mayor.

To be a Board of Examiners for all positions in Schedule B of the regulations prescribed by the Mayor for admission to the Civil Service of the City of New York:

CHARLES S. FAIRCHILD,
J. SEAVER PAGE, and
A. R. MACDONOUGH.

To be a Board of Examiners for all positions in Schedule C of the regulations prescribed by the Mayor for admission to the Civil Service of the City of New York, except positions as nurses, attendants, and orderlies in the city asylums and hospitals:

DAN. B. SMITH,
ARTHUR H. DUNDON, and
JAMES MOIR.

To be a Board of Examiners for positions as nurses, orderlies, and attendants in the city asylums and hospitals:

THOMAS H. BURCHARD, M. D.,
F. TILDEN BROWN, M. D., and
T. H. MANLEY, M. D.

WM. E. LUCAS,
Secretary.

NEW YORK, January 8, 1884.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Examiners for all positions in Schedule B, as specified in the regulations prescribed by the Mayor of the City of New York for the admission of persons into the Civil Service of said city, has this day been organized by the election of Augustus R. Macdonough as Chairman, and that blanks for applicants for positions included in said Schedule B can be obtained on and after January 15, 1884, from the Secretary of the Municipal Service Examining Board, No. 6 City Hall.

A. R. MACDONOUGH,
CHAS. S. FAIRCHILD,
J. SEAVER PAGE,
Board of Examiners.

NEW YORK, January 16, 1884.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Examiners for all positions in Schedule C, except nurses, etc., as specified in the regulations prescribed by the Mayor of the City of New York for the admission of persons into the Civil Service of said city, has been organized by the election of Arthur H. Dundon as Chairman, and that blanks for applicants for positions included in said Schedule C can be obtained on and after this date from the Secretary of the Municipal Service Examining Board, No. 6 City Hall.

ARTHUR H. DUNDON,
DAN. B. SMITH,
JAMES MOIR,
Board of Examiners.

NEW YORK, January 8, 1884.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Examiners for all positions as nurses, attendants and orderlies for the city hospitals and asylums in the Department of Public Charities and Correction, as specified in the regulations prescribed by the Mayor for the admission of persons into the Civil Service of the City of New York, has been organized by the election of Thomas H. Burchard, M. D., as Chairman and F. Tilden Brown M. D., as Recording Officer, and that blanks for applicants for positions as nurses, attendants and

orderlies as aforesaid can be obtained on and after January 15, 1884, from the Secretary of the Municipal Service Examining Board, No. 6 City Hall.

THOMAS H. BURCHARD, M. D.,
F. TILDEN BROWN, M. D.,
THOMAS H. MANLEY, M. D.,
Board of Examiners.

Appointment by the Mayor.

January 18, 1884—Ehrman S. Nadal, Secretary of the Boards of Examiners, Municipal Service, City of New York.

WM. E. LUCAS,
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; together with the heads of Departments and Courts.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.

No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
FRANKLIN EDSON, Mayor; WILLIAM E. LUCAS, Secretary; AUGUSTUS WALSH, Chief Clerk.

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE A. McDERMOTT, First Marshal.

Permit Bureau Office.

No. 13½ City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HENRY WOLTMAN, Registrar.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

No. 1 County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEO. EDWIN HILL, ANDREW B. MARTIN.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

Room 78, Tribune Building, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
THE MAYOR, President; JAMES W. McCULLOH, Secretary; BENJAMIN S. CHURCH, Chief Engineer.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.

No. 8 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM P. KIRK, President Board of Aldermen.
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

City Library.

No. 12 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HUBERT O. THOMPSON, Commissioner; FREDERICK H. HAMLIN, Deputy Commissioner.

Bureau of Chief Engineer.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ISAAC NEWTON, Chief Engineer.

Bureau of Water Register.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN H. CHAMBERS, Register.

Bureau of Street Improvements.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE A. JEREMIAH, Superintendent.

Engineer in Charge of Sewers.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
STEPHENSON TOWLE, Engineer-in-Charge.

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS H. McAVOY, Superintendent.

Bureau of Water Purveyor.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
DAVID L. SMITH, Water Purveyor.

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
STEPHEN McCORMICK, Superintendent.

Bureau of Streets.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES J. MOONEY, Superintendent.

Bureau of Incumbrances.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL, Superintendent.

Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.

MARTIN J. KEENE, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

Nos. 19 and 20 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
S. HASTINGS GRANT, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.

Auditing Bureau.

No. 19 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WM. J. LYON, Auditor of Accounts.
DAVID E. AUSTEN, Assistant Auditor.

Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents.

No. 5 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ARTEMAS S. CADY, Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenues and of Markets.

No. 6 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
FRANCIS TOMES, Collector of the City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets.

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

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

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

Office of the City Paymaster.

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

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

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

Office of the Public Administrator.

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

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

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

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.

No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 8.30 A. M. to 3.30 P. M.
H. H. PORTER, President; GEORGE F. BRITTON, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

No. 36 Union Square, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
SALEM H. WALES, President; EDWARD P. BARKER, Secretary.

Civil and Topographical Office.

Arsenal, 64th street and 5th avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.
146th street and 3d avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
LUCIUS J. N. STARK, President; JOHN T. CUMING, Secretary.

Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. daily, except Saturdays; on Saturdays as follows: from September 15 to June 15, from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.; from June 15 to September 15, from 9 A. M. to 12 M.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS

Staats Zeitung Building, Tryon Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Saturdays, 3 P. M.
THOMAS B. ASTEN, President; FLOYD T. SMITH, Secretary.

Office Bureau Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.
Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES S. BEARDSLEY, Attorney; WILLIAM COMERFORD, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

31 and 32 Park Row, "World" Building, Rooms 8 and 9, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES S. COLEMAN, Commissioner; A. H. ROGERS, Deputy Commissioner; M. J. MORRISON, Chief Clerk.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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

BOARD OF EXCISE.

Corner Bond street and Bowery, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
NICHOLAS HAUGHTON, President; BENJAMIN F. HASKIN, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Office hours for all except where otherwise noted from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, to 3 P. M.

Headquarters.

Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.
CORNELIUS VAN COTT, President; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

Bureau of Chief of Department.

ELI BATES, Chief of Department.
Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.
PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

Bureau of Fire Marshal.

GEORGE H. SHELDON, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

WM. P. ESTERBROOK, Inspector of Buildings.

Attorney to Department.

WM. L. FINDLEY, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent of Telegraph, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.
Central Office Fire Alarm Telegraph open at all hours.

Repair Shops.

Nos. 128 and 130 West Third street.
JOHN MCCABE, Chief of Battalion-in-Charge, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Hospital Stables.

99th street, between 9th and 10th avenues.
JOSEPH SHEA, Superintendent of Horses.
Open at all hours.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

No. 301 Mott street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ALEXANDER SHALER, President; EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN REILLY, Register; J. FAIRFAX McLAUGHLIN, Deputy Register.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

No. 17 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE CAULFIELD, Commissioner; JAMES E. CONNER, Deputy Commissioner.

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
PATRICK KEENAN, County Clerk; H. S. BEATTIE, Deputy County Clerk.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

Second floor, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
PETER B. OLNEY, District Attorney; HUGH DONNELLY, Chief Clerk.

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

And Bureau of Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.
No. 2 City Hall, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays, on which days 8 A. M. to 3 P. M.
THOMAS COSTIGAN, Supervisor; R. P. H. ABELL, Book-keeper.

CORONERS' OFFICE.

Nos. 13 and 15 Chatham street, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Sundays and Holidays, 8 A. M. to 12.30 P. M.
PHILIP MERKLE, FERDINAND LEVY, BERNARD F. MARTIN and WILLIAM H. KENNEDY, Coroners; JOHN T. TOAL, Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

SUPREME COURT.

Second floor, New County Court-house, 10½ A. M. to 3 P. M.
General Term, Room No. 9.
Special Term, Room No. 10.
Chambers, Room No. 11.
Circuit, Part I., Room No. 12.
Circuit, Part II., Room No. 13.
Circuit, Part III., Room No. 14.
Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 15.
NOAH DAVIS, Chief Justice; PATRICK KEENAN, Clerk.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.
General Term, Room No. 35.
Special Term, Room No. 33.
Chambers, Room No. 33, 10 A. M.
Part I., Room No. 34.
Part II., Room No. 35.
Part III., Room No. 36.
Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 30.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 32.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 31, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN SEDGWICK, Chief Judge; THOMAS BOESE, Chief Clerk.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.
Assignment Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 22, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
General Term, Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Special Term, Room No. 21, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Chambers, Room No. 21, 10.30 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Part I., Room No. 25, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Part II., Room No. 26, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Part III., Room No. 27, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES P. DALY, Chief Justice; NATHANIEL JARVIS, Jr., Chief Clerk.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

No. 32 Chambers street. Parts I. and II. Court opens at 11 o'clock A. M.
FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder; HENRY A. GILDER-SLEEVE and RUFUS B. COWING, Judges of the said Court.
Terms, first Monday each month.
JOHN SPARKS, Clerk. Office, Room No. 11, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

CITY COURT.—CITY HALL.

General Term, Room No. 20.
Trial Term, Part I., Room No. 20.
Part II., Room No. 19.
Part III., Room No. 15.
Special Term, Chambers, Room No. 21, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 10, City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
DAVID McADAM, Chief Justice; JOHN REID, Clerk.

OYER AND TERMINER COURT.

New County Court-house, second floor, southeast corner, Room No. 13. Court opens at 10½ o'clock A. M.
Clerk's Office, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, second floor, northwest corner, Room No. 11, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

At Tombs, corner Franklin and Centre streets, Daily at 10.30 A. M., excepting Saturday.
Clerk's Office, Tombs.

DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.

First District—First, Second, Third, and Fifth Wards, southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
MICHAEL NORTON, Justice.

Second District—Fourth, Sixth, and Fourteenth Wards, corner of Pearl and Centre streets, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES M. CLANCY, Justice.

Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards, southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE W. PARKER, Justice.

Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards, No. 30 First street, cor Second avenue. Court opens, 9 A. M. daily; continues to close of business.
ALFRED STECKLER, Justice.

Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh, and Thirteenth Wards, No. 134 Clinton street.
JOHN H. MCCARTHY, Justice.

Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards, No. 61 Union Place, Fourth avenue, southwest corner of Eighteenth street. Court opens 9 A. M. daily; continues to close of business.
WILLIAM H. KELLY, Justice.

Seventh District—Nineteenth and Twenty-second Wards, No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court open every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues to the close of business.
AMBROSE MONELL, Justice.

Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards, southwest corner of Twenty-second street and Seventh avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. and continues to close of business. Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each court day.
FREDERICK G. GENEY, Justice.

Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, No. 225 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.
HENRY P. MCGOWN, Justice.

Tenth District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, corner of College avenue and Kingsbridge road.
JAMES R. ANGELL, Justice.

POLICE COURTS.

Judges—MAURICE J. POWER, J. HENRY FORD, JACOB PATTERSON, JR., JAMES T. KILBERTH, BANKSON T. MORGAN, HENRY MURRAY, SOLON B. SMITH, ANDREW J. WHITE, CHARLES WELDE, DANIEL O'REILLY, PATRICK G. DUFFY.

GEORGE W. CREGIER, Secretary.
Office of Secretary, Fifth District Police Court, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue.

First District—Tombs, Centre street.

Second District—Jefferson Market.

Third District—No. 69 Essex street.

Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue.

Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue.

Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
117 AND 119 DUANE STREET.

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 202.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING A CRIB-WORK BULKHEAD AT THE FOOT OF SEVENTY-THIRD STREET, EAST RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND building a crib-work bulkhead at foot of Seventy-third street, East river, including the proper grading of its approach, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1884,

at which time and place the estimates will be publicly opened by the head of said Department. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Any person making an estimate for the work, shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to said Board, at said office, on or before the day and hour above named, which envelope shall be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates.

The bidder to whom the award is made shall give security for the faithful performance of the contract, in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance, in the sum of six hundred dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the nature, quantities and extent of the work, is as follows:

	Feet R.M., measured in the work.
1. Yellow Pine Timber, 12"x12".....	6,672
" " " " 10"x12".....	11,400
" " " " 6"x12".....	432
" " " " 5"x10".....	700
Total.....	19,204

NOTE.—The above quantities are exclusive of extra lengths required for scarfs, laps, etc., and of waste.

2. Piles—Yellow Pine, about..... 62
(It is expected that these piles will have to be not more than 22 feet long to meet the requirements of the specification for driving. Piles 22 feet or less in length will be furnished by the Department according to the terms of the specification.)

3. Oak Fender Piles..... 6
4. White or Yellow Pine Mooring Posts..... 2
5. Half-round Oak Fenders..... 25
6. Crib Logs, 16 to 35 feet long..... 142

7. Wrought Iron Dock Spikes— $\frac{3}{4}$ "x 29", $\frac{3}{4}$ "x22", $\frac{3}{4}$ "x20", $\frac{3}{4}$ "x18", $\frac{3}{4}$ "x16", $\frac{3}{4}$ "x14", $\frac{3}{4}$ "x12", and $\frac{3}{4}$ "x10" square, and $\frac{3}{4}$ "x12" and $\frac{3}{4}$ "x15" round, about..... 5,500 pounds.

8. $1\frac{1}{2}$ ", $1\frac{1}{4}$ ", and 1" Wrought Iron Screw-bolts and Wrought Iron Washers, about..... 466 "

9. Wrought Iron Armature Plates and Corner Bands, about..... 666 "

10. Cast-iron Washers, about..... 70 "

11. Rubble Wall, containing about..... 47 cubic yards.

12. Crib Stone, about..... 220 "

13. Rip-rap Stone..... 280 "

14. Gravel..... 120 "

15. Materials for painting and oiling or tarring.

16. Labor of every description, including the labor of removing the existing dumping-board according to the terms of the specifications, the labor of excavating, filling and grading for an approach, according to the terms of specifications, and the labor of laying up about 47 cubic yards of rubble retaining wall.

N. B.—As all the above-mentioned quantities, though stated with as much accuracy as is possible, in advance, are approximate only, bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become part of every estimate received:

1. Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal examination of the location of the proposed work, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the foregoing Engineer's estimate, and shall not, at any

time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the above statement of quantities, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.

2. Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Department of Docks, and in substantial accordance with the specifications of the contract. No extra compensation beyond the amount payable for the work before mentioned, which shall be actually performed at the price therefor, to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and the entire work is to be fully completed on or before the first day of May, 1884, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed, and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

All the old material taken from the said existing structure, to be removed under this contract, will be relinquished to the contractor, and bidders must estimate the value of such material when considering the price for which they will do the work under the contract.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price for the whole of the work to be done, in conformity with the approved form of agreement and the specifications therein set forth, by which price the bids will be tested. This price is to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder.

Bidders will distinctly write out, both in words and in figures, the amount of their estimates for doing this work.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at this office with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days from the date of the service of a notice to that effect; and in case of failure or neglect so to do, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and the contract will be re-advertised and relet, and so on until it be accepted and executed.

Bidders are required to state in their estimates their names and places of residence; the names of all persons interested with them therein; and if no other person be so interested, the estimate shall distinctly state the fact; also that the estimate is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and that it is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and also that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof, or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof; which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation of the City of New York any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled on its completion, and that which said Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount, in each case, to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work to be done by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be subject to approval by the Comptroller of the City of New York, after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instructions of the Engineer-in-Chief.

No estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation, upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The right to decline all the estimates is reserved, if deemed for the interest of the Corporation of the City of New York.

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the Department, a copy of which, together with the form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department.

LUCIUS J. N. STARK,
WILLIAM LAIMBEER,
JOHN R. VOORHIS,

Commissioners of the Department of Docks.
Dated New York, January 28, 1884.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
Nos. 117 AND 119 DUANE STREET.

FOR THE INFORMATION OF THE PUBLIC,
and especially of those using the Wharf Property of the City of New York, the following extracts from the rules and regulations established for the guidance of the Dock Masters appointed by the Board governing this Department, and to be observed by them in the performance of their duties, are hereby promulgated and published:

Resolved, For the proper supervision of the waterfront of the city, the care of the wharf property located thereon placed in the charge of this Department, the rendering of necessary facilities for the prompt berthing of vessels thereat, and the collection of the wharfage accruing therefrom, that the water-front of the City of New York be and hereby is arranged and divided into nine districts, and that for each of the said districts there shall be appointed, designated, or assigned, from time to time, at the pleasure of the Board, a suitable and competent person to be known and entitled as "Dock Master," who shall perform such duties and render such services in relation to the supervision, regulation, and occupation of the wharf property and water-front in their respective districts, as the laws of the United States and of the State of New York, the ordinances of the City of New York, and the by-laws of this Board, and its rules, or orders, shall or may require, prescribe, or direct.

The several districts so made and created, and the Dock Masters assigned thereto, are as follows, to wit:
District No. 1.—Embracing all that portion of the East river, extending from Castle Garden, on the Battery, to and including Pier 21, East river.
Charles H. Thompson, Dock Master; office, 33 Coenties Slip.

District No. 2.—All that portion of the North river extending from Castle Garden, to and including Pier old 42, North river.
George W. Wanmaker, Dock Master; office, foot of Duane street, N. R.

District No. 3.—From east side Pier 21, East river, to and including Pier 55, East river.
Edward Abel, Dock Master; office, 262 South street.

District No. 4.—From north side Pier, old 42, North river, to and including pier at foot of West Twenty-third street, North river.
John M. Smith, Dock Master; office, Pier, new 43, N. R.

District No. 5.—From north side Pier 55, East river, to north side of Thirty-fourth street, East river.
Bernard Kenney, Dock Master; office, foot of East Sixteenth street, E. R.

District No. 6.—From north side Pier at Twenty-third street, North river, to and including Pier at foot Fifty-ninth street, North river.
Edward Gilon, Dock Master; office, Pier, new 57, N. R.

District No. 7.—From north side of Thirty-fourth street, East river, to south side of Ninety-second street, East river.
Robert Hall, Dockmaster; office, 646 First avenue.

District No. 8.—From north side of Pier at Fifty-ninth street, North river, to Yonkers and Spuyten Duyvil Creek, from North river to Kingsbridge.
Theodore S. Croft, Dockmaster; office, foot of West Seventy-ninth street, N. R.

District No. 9.—From south side Ninety-second street, East river, to and including Bronx river, and also Harlem river, from East river to Kingsbridge.
John Callan, Dockmaster; office, foot of East One Hundred and Fourth street, Harlem river.

Resolved, That until otherwise ordered by this Board the following rules and instructions are issued for the guidance and observance of the several Dock Masters of the Department:

Each Dock Master shall promptly designate and assign in the order in which application is made, suitable and convenient berths, so far as practicable, within the limits of his district, for the use of such vessel and water craft as may require the same for the reception or discharge of passengers, merchandise, etc., therefrom or for the necessary repair or the safety of any vessel or water craft.

It shall be the duty of each Dock Master to require and enforce the due observance of and compliance with such of the national and State laws, city ordinances, and the rules, regulations and orders of the Department of Docks as appertain to the use, care, and custody of the wharf property of and about the City of New York, promptly reporting to the Board all violations and evasions of such laws, ordinances, rules, regulations and orders.

Each Dock Master is expressly prohibited, under penalty of immediate dismissal from his position, from receiving or demanding, directly or indirectly, any fee, gratuity, compensation, or article of value of any nature or kind, for the assignment of a berth to a vessel at any pier, slip, or wharf property whatsoever, or for the performance of or the omission to perform any of the duties required of or pertaining to the position of Dock Master of this Department.

Any person or persons having any cause of complaint against the Dock Masters for any failure or omission in the performance of the duties as required by the above rules, are requested to promptly communicate the same to this Board, at their offices, Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street.

By order of the Board,

LUCIUS J. N. STARK,
WILLIAM LAIMBEER,
JOHN R. VOORHIS,

Commissioners of the Department of Docks.
JOHN T. CUMING, Secretary.
New York, December 1, 1883.

ASSESSMENT COMMISSION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT A MEETING of the Commissioners under the act, chapter 550 of the Laws of 1880, entitled "An act relating to certain assessments for local improvements in the City of New York," passed June 9, 1880, will be held at their office, No. 27 Chambers street, on Tuesday, January 29, 1884, at 2 o'clock P. M.

DANIEL LORD, JR.,

JOHN KELLY,

ALLAN CAMPBELL,

Commissioners under the Act.

JAMES J. MARTIN, Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, January 28, 1884.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN iron safe, the property of this Department, will be sold at public auction, at the Station-house of the Twenty-second Precinct, Nos. 349 and 351 West Forty-seventh street, on Saturday, February 9, 1884, at ten o'clock A. M. by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers.

By order of the Board.

S. C. HAWLEY,

Chief Clerk.

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

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

JOHN F. HARRIOT,

Property Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

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

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 817 OF THE City Consolidation Act of 1882, it is hereby advertised that the books of "The Annual Record of the Assessed Valuations of Real and Personal Estate" of the City and County of New York, for the year 1884, are open for examination and correction from the second Monday of January, 1884, until the first day of May, 1884.

All persons believing themselves aggrieved must make application to the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments, at this office, during the period said books are open, in order to obtain the relief provided by law.

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

THOMAS B. ASTEN,
EDWARD D. DONNELLY,
THOMAS L. FEINER,

Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, January 25, 1884.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING A Water Tower, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, February 13, 1884, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

Any person making an estimate for the work shall present the same in a sealed envelope, to said Board, at said office, on or before the day and hour above named, which envelope shall be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates.

For information as to the description of apparatus to be furnished bidders are referred to the specifications which form part of these proposals.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at twenty-five (\$25) dollars per day.

The Fire Department reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000); and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made, and prior to the signing of the contract.

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

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the national banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of one hundred dollars (\$100). Such check or money must not be enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but, if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

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

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

Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, January 25, 1884.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS Department with

SEVEN (7) WHEEL HOSE TENDERS

will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, February 13, 1884, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The tenders are to be similar to that now in use by Engine Co. No. 24 of this Department, and as per drawings and specifications.

Bidders will state the price per tender as well as the gross amount of the proposal.

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

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at twenty-five (\$25) dollars per day.

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

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

Any person making an estimate for the work shall present the same in a sealed envelope, to said Board, at said office, on or before the day and hour above named, which envelope shall be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation and a statement of the work to which it relates.

The Fire Department reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, in the sum of three thousand five hundred dollars (\$3,500); and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of one hundred and seventy-five dollars (\$175). Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk, and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

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

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

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, JANUARY 25, 1884.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS

Department with new boilers to the steam fire engines known as the Fourth, Fifth, and Ninth Battalion engines (being numbers 161, 192, and 516 respectively of the Amoskeag Manufacturing Company), and for making repairs to said engines, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, February 13, 1884, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The boilers to be M. R. Clapp's Circulating Tubular Boiler, patented 1878, and as per specifications.

The engines to be delivered at the Repair Shops of the Fire Department in complete working order, with a guarantee that the material and workmanship are of the best character, and to replace, at the expense of the contractor, such parts, if any, as may fail, if such failure is properly attributable to defective material or inferior workmanship. Said engines shall have a full and complete trial of their working powers at New York, under the superintendence of a competent engineer.

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

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at twenty-five (\$25) dollars per day.

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

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

Any person making an estimate for the work shall present the same in a sealed envelope, to said Board, at said office, on or before the day and hour above named, which envelope shall be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates.

The Fire Department reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, in the sum of two thousand and four hundred dollars (\$2,400); and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of one hundred and twenty dollars (\$120). Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

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

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

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, JANUARY 25, 1884.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS

Department with Six (6) Steam Fire Engines, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, February 13, 1884, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The engines are each to conform to the following specifications:

The engines to be what are known as Fourth (4th) Size Single Pump and Cylinder Crane Neck Steam Fire Engines, and are each to weigh not more than six thousand (6,000) pounds and not less than five thousand five hundred (5,500) pounds when fully equipped with and carrying all the tools, implements, and appurtenances called for in these specifications, and with the boiler and coil filled with water to the second gauge cock.

The boilers to be vertical, 32 inches in diameter and 62 inches high, to be made of best steel boiler plate, having copper smoke flues and hanging tubes of lap-welded iron; each hanging tube having circulating strips.

To be of sufficient strength to bear twice the pressure ever required in doing fire duty and to have ample steaming capacity to keep up a full head of steam while doing the heaviest work. To be covered with Russia iron, properly banded with brass bands, nickel plated.

To be in all respects as to form and construction exactly similar to that now on Engine No. 10 of this Department being M. R. Clapp's Circulating Tubular Boiler Patent of 1878.

The main pump to be vertical, double acting, made entirely of composition, with cylinder 3 1/2 inches diameter, and having a stroke of six (6) inches; to have two (2) discharge gates and an automatic relief valve.

The steam cylinder to be 9 1/2 inches in diameter and having a stroke of six (6) inches; and to be fitted to a bed plate containing the steam passages.

The engines to be delivered at the Repair Shops of the Fire Department, Nos. 130 and 132 West Third street, as follows:

Two in one hundred and twenty (120), two in one hundred and fifty (150), and the last two in one hundred and eighty (180) days after the execution of the contract, in complete working order, with a guarantee that the material and workmanship are of the best character, and that the contractor will replace, at his own expense, such parts, if any, as may fail, provided that such failure is properly attributable to defective material or inferior workmanship.

Each of such engines is to have a full and thorough trial of working powers, in the City of New York, under a competent engineer, before its acceptance.

Bidders will state the price per engine as well as the gross amount of the proposal.

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

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at twenty-five (\$25) dollars per day.

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

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

Any person making an estimate for the work shall present the same in a sealed envelope, to said Board, at said office, on or before the day and hour above named, which envelope shall be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates.

The Fire Department reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, in the sum of twelve thousand dollars (\$12,000); and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made, and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of six hundred dollars (\$600). Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk, and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 31 CHAMBERS ST.,
NEW YORK, November 19, 1883.

TO THE PUBLIC.

AT 9:30 P. M. ON THURSDAY THE 15TH

instant, the aqueduct had to be shut off to repair a large leak that could not be repaired in the usual manner from the exterior. This leak had suddenly developed in the section south of Yonkers, where smaller fissures had previously occurred.

The examination showed fissures aggregating 2,000 feet in length. The repairs were finished and water was again turned on by 4 P. M., on Saturday, the 17th instant.

While the flow through the aqueduct was interrupted the supply in the Central Park reservoir was drawn down five feet.

This loss of supply in the city reservoirs, occurring now, as winter is approaching, makes it necessary to take extra precautions against waste of water. Being aware of the temptation to leave faucets open in cold weather to prevent freezing in the pipes, I specially protest against that practice, and appeal to all citizens to abstain from wasteful use of water in any manner whatever. The present condition of the supply and the possibility of a recurrence of similar leaks in the aqueduct make it my duty to give this public notice that I shall hereinafter resort to the peremptory measure of shutting off the water in all places where persistent waste is discovered.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, NOV. 1, 1883.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO

property-owners of the City of New York that, by the New York City Consolidated Act of 1882, among other matters relating to Croton water rates and affecting all properties liable for Croton water charges, is embraced the following, in "Title 2, Duties and Powers of the Department of Public Works as to Procuring and Distributing Water":

§ 350. The Commissioner of Public Works shall, from time to time, establish scales of rents. * * * * *

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

It becomes my duty to state that on and after the first day of April, 1884, all extra charges, such as steam-engines, bakeries, barbers, bathing-tubs, boarding-houses, boarding-schools, building purposes, horses, horse-troughs, hotels, porter-houses, taverns, etc., printing offices, stone cutting or dressing, slaughter-houses, dyeing, water-closets and urinals, laundries, restaurants, soda fountains, extra families, oyster and coffee saloons, water by meter measurement, meters and meter setting, and all other purposes for which the use of Croton water is chargeable according to law, are liens, and unless paid on or before the 30th day of April next must be returned to the Clerk of Arrears, with the amount due on each lot.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, DRY GOODS, HARDWARE, LEATHER AND FINDINGS, AND CROCKERY.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES.

20,000 pounds Oolong Tea.
20,000 fresh Eggs; all to be candled.
2,000 pounds fine Maracaibo Coffee (roasted).
50 boxes Candles.
50 Raisins.
50 dozen Sea Foam.
50 Canned Tomatoes, 3 lbs.
20 pounds prime Manila Indigo.
5 half chests Young Hyson Tea.
5 fine Oolong Tea.
25 barrels prime Russia Turnips.
250 " " Carrots.
50 " " Red Onions.
25 gross Matches.

DRY GOODS

200 pounds W. B. Linen Thread.
200 " " D. B. " "
100 " " Cotton Cord.
25 dozen Fine Combs.
25 Plantation Combs.
100 packs Pins.
100 pieces Oiled Muslin.
100 gross Thimbles, No. 5 and 9.
200 Rubber Blankets.
50 dozen No. 30 W. S. Cotton.
30 " " B. S. Cotton.
1 gross Hat and Coat Hooks.

LEATHER AND FINDINGS.

500 sides good damaged Sole Leather.
500 " Waxed Kip Leather.
500 " Upper Leather.
500 pounds Offal Leather.
10 dozen Shoe Ink.
25 pounds Shoe Eye-lets.
100 bunches Leather Laces.
50 gross Shoe Binding.
500 pounds 1/2 Shoe Nails.
250 " " "
2 dozen Welt Trimmers.
2 " Heel Shavers.

HARDWARE, ETC.

5 bundles Wire, No. 10.
5 " " No. 12.
5 " " No. 14.
2 " Annealed Wire, No. 19.
6 dozen Padlocks.
6 " Closet Locks.
6 " Drawer Locks.
6 " Rim Locks.
250 pounds Ash Cord.
6 dozen 6" Paint Brushes.
6 " Stove " "
10 " Dust " "
2 " Kalsomine " "
2 " St-nail " "
10 " Whitewash " "
1 " Varnish " "
3 coils Manila Rope, 2, 2 1/2 and 3 in. (cir.).

CROCKERY

100 Male Urinals.
50 Wash Basins.
10 gross Bowls.
5 " Cups.
5 " Saucers.
5 " Mugs.
1 " Chambers.

—or any single article thereof, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., of Friday, February 1, 1884. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Dry Goods, Hardware, Leather and Findings, and Crockery," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

The Board of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, as provided in SECTION 64, CHAPTER 410, LAWS OF 1882.

No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioners.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, in the penal amount of fifty (50) per cent. of the estimated amount of the contract.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

Dated New York, January 21, 1884.

HENRY H. PORTER,

THOMAS S. BRENNAN,

JACOB H. H.

Commissioners of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, January 24, 1884.

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

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Theresa Zimmermann; aged 55 years; 5 feet 2½ inches high; gray eyes and hair.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Ann Moore; aged 73 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; gray eyes and hair. Had on when admitted, brown plaid wrapper, gray knit shawl, black clip hat, buttoned gaiters.

John Lewis; aged 34 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; brown eyes and hair. Had on when admitted, dark coat and vest, brown pants, gaiters.

Daniel McGillcuddy; aged 35 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; blue eyes, brown hair. Had on when admitted, brown overcoat, mixed pants, blue vest, blue jumper, brogan shoe, black hat.

Bridget Noonan; aged 35 years; 5 feet 2 inches high; gray eyes, black hair.

John Smith; aged 28 years; 5 feet 10 inches high; gray eyes; brown hair. Had on when admitted, dark overcoat and sack coat, brown pants, laced shoes, black cloth cap.

Mary Mahoney; aged 30 years; 4 feet 11 inches high; blue eyes; gray hair.

Anna Bubhaber; aged 58 years; 5 feet high; black eyes; gray hair.

Catharine Costello; aged 55 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; gray eyes and hair. Had on when admitted, black dress, light calico sacque, brown shawl, gaiters, black hat.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order,

G. F. BRITTON,

Secretary.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors, for examination by all persons interested, viz.:

No. 1. Paving Lexington avenue, from Seventy-fourth to Seventy-ninth street.

No. 2. Paving One Hundred and Seventh street, from First to Third avenue.

No. 3. Regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

The limit embraced by such assessments includes all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

No. 1. Both sides of Lexington avenue, from Seventy-fourth to Seventy-ninth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Seventh street, from First to Third avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 11½ City Hall, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 23d February ensuing.

JOHN R. LYDECKER,

JOHN W. JACOBUS,

HENRY A. GUMBLETON,

Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,

No. 11½ CITY HALL,

NEW YORK, January 19, 1884.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors, for examination by all persons interested, viz.:

No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging One Hundred and Nineteenth street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

No. 2. Regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging One Hundred and Eighteenth street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

No. 3. Paving One Hundred and Eleventh street, from Fourth to Madison avenue.

No. 4. Flagging Ninth avenue, from Seventy-second to Seventy-third street.

No. 5. Basin on the southwest corner of One Hundred and Twenty-first street and Lexington avenue.

No. 6. Basins in Twenty-sixth street, between First avenue and East river.

No. 7. Basins on the southeast and southwest corners of One Hundred and Forty-second, One Hundred and Forty-third and One Hundred and Forty-fourth streets and Eighth avenue.

No. 8. Flagging south side of One Hundred and Sixth street, from Lexington to Fourth avenue.

No. 9. Flagging Ninth avenue, from Sixty-fourth to Seventy-first street.

No. 10. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, One Hundred and Sixteenth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

No. 11. Paving Ninety-seventh street, with granite blocks, from First to Second avenue.

No. 12. Paving One Hundred and Eleventh street, from First avenue to Avenue A, with granite.

No. 13. Paving One Hundred and Ninth street, from First to Second avenue, with granite pavement.

No. 14. Paving Forty-third street, from Second to Third avenue, with granite pavement.

No. 15. Regulating, grading, setting curb, and flagging Fourth avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-third to One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street.

No. 16. Regulating, grading, etc., Sixty-second street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.

No. 17. Fencing vacant lots, east side of Lexington avenue, between Eighty-ninth and Ninetieth streets, north side of Eighty-ninth and south side of Ninetieth street, between Lexington and Third avenues.

No. 18. Sewer in Seventy-seventh street, between Ninth avenue and summit west of Ninth avenue.

No. 19. Sewer in One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, between Eighth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.

No. 20. Sewer in Front street, between Jackson street and Gouverneur slip.

No. 21. Sewers in One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, between Fifth and Seventh avenues, and between summit west of Seventh and Eighth avenues.

The limit embraced by such assessments includes all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

1. Both sides of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

2. Both sides of One Hundred and Eighteenth street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

3. Both sides of One Hundred and Eleventh street, from Fourth to Madison avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 4. Both sides of Ninth avenue, from Seventy-second to Seventy-third street.

No. 5. Block bounded by One Hundred and Twentieth and One Hundred and Twenty-first streets, Fourth and Lexington avenues.

No. 6. Both sides of Twenty-sixth street, between First avenue and East river.

No. 7. Blocks bounded by One Hundred and Forty-first and One Hundred and Forty-fifth streets, Seventh avenue and new avenue west of Eighth avenue.

No. 8. South side of One Hundred and Sixth street, from Lexington to Fourth avenue.

No. 9. Both sides of Ninth avenue, from Sixty-fourth to Seventy-first street.

No. 10. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixteenth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 11. Both sides of Ninety-seventh street, from First to Second avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 12. Both sides of One Hundred and Eleventh street, from First avenue to Pleasant avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 13. Both sides of One Hundred and Ninth street, from First to Second avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 14. Both sides of Forty-third street, from Second to Third avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 15. Both sides of Fourth avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-third to One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 16. Both sides of Sixty-second street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.

No. 17. East side of Lexington avenue, between Eighty-ninth and Ninetieth streets, north side of Eighty-ninth street and south side of Ninetieth street, between Lexington and Third avenues.

No. 18. Both sides of Seventy-seventh street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

No. 19. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, between Eighth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.

No. 20. Sewer in Front street, between Jackson street and Gouverneur slip.

No. 21. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, between Fifth and Eighth avenues.

All persons who are interested in the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 11½ City Hall, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 18th February ensuing.

JOHN R. LYDECKER,

JOHN W. JACOBUS,

HENRY A. GUMBLETON,

Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,

No. 11½ CITY HALL,

NEW YORK, Jan. 15, 1884.

JURORS.

NOTICE IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,

NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,

NEW YORK, June 1, 1883.

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

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

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

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

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

GEORGE CAULFIELD,

Commissioner of Jurors,

Room 17, New County Court-house.

SUPREME COURT.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of the costs, charges, and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the first day of February, 1884, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated, New York, January 18, 1884.

PATRICK DALY,

ISAAC T. BROWN,

ROWLAND M. STOVER,

Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, between Avenue St. Nicholas and Tenth avenue, in the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of the costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the first day of February, 1884, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated, New York, January 16, 1884.

GEORGE W. McLEAN,

THOMAS DUNLAP,

MANSFIELD COMPTON,

Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made at the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 8th day of February, 1884, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvements hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue, known as One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, extending from Willis avenue to Brook avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point, the intersection of the southern line of East One Hundred and Forty-seventh street with the western line of Brook avenue on the western line of Brook avenue, distant 2,327½ feet northerly from the northern line of East One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, measured along said western line of Brook avenue—

1. Thence northeasterly along said western line of Brook avenue 160 feet.

2. Thence deflecting to the left 90° westerly for 387½ feet.

3. Thence deflecting to the right 5° 25' 30" northwesterly for 457½ feet.

4. Thence deflecting to the left 90° southwesterly for 60 feet.

5. Thence deflecting to the left 90° southeasterly for 460½ feet.

6. Thence deflecting to the left 5° 25' 20" northeasterly for 390½ feet to the point of beginning.

Dated New York, January 12, 1884.

GEORGE P. ANDREWS,

Counsel to the Corporation,

Troy Row, New York.

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

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 73 William street (third floor), in the said city, on or before the 14th day of January, 1884, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 14th day of January, 1884, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2½ o'clock p. m.

Second.—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 16th day of January, 1884.

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid, are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded northerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Fourth and One Hundred and Fifth streets, easterly by the westerly side of the Boulevard, southerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Fourth and One Hundred and Third streets, and westerly by the easterly side of Riverside avenue, excepting therefrom all the land lying in the streets or avenues within said area.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City

of New York, on the first day of February, 1884, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, December 5, 1883.

ISAAC T. BROWN,

ROWLAND M. STOVER,

PATRICK DALY,

Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LANDS AND TENEMENTS FOR UNPAID ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING, WIDENING, EXTENDING AND STRAIGHTENING ROADS, STREETS, AVENUES, PARKS AND PUBLIC PLACES.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS AND ARREARS OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS
AND OF WATER RENTS,
OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR OF ASSESSMENTS
AND CLERK OF ARREARS,
January 24, 1884.

UNDER THE DIRECTION OF S. HASTINGS GRANT, Comptroller of the City of New York, the undersigned hereby gives Public Notice, pursuant to the provisions of Section 926 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, that the respective owners of all the lands and tenements on which assessments have been laid and confirmed during the year 1879 and prior thereto, for opening, widening, extending, and straightening roads, streets, avenues, parks, and public places, upon which such assessments are now due and unpaid and have remained due and unpaid since the confirmation of said assessments, are required to pay the amount of the assessments so due and remaining unpaid to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at his office in the Finance Department, in the New Court-house, in the City of New York, together with the interest thereon, at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum, to the time of payment, with the charges of this notice and advertisement.

And if default shall be made in such payment, such lands and tenements will be sold at public auction, at the New Court-house, in the City Hall Park in the City of New York, Monday, May 5, 1884, at 12 o'clock noon, for the lowest term of years at which any person shall offer to take the same in consideration of advancing the amount of the assessment so due and unpaid, and the interest thereon as aforesaid to the time of the sale, together with the charges of this notice and advertisement, and all other costs and charges accrued thereon, and that such sale will be continued from time to time until all the lands and tenements advertised for sale shall be sold.

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

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

SALE OF LEASE OF PART OF ESSEX MARKET BUILDING.

THE LEASE OF THE SOUTHERLY HALF OF the lower floor of the ESSEX MARKET Building, Grand street, for the term of TEN YEARS from May 1, 1884, to be used for market purposes only, will be sold at public auction, on the highest bidder, at 12 o'clock m., on Tuesday, January 29, 1884, at the office of the Comptroller of the City of New York.

TERMS OF SALE.

The highest bidder will be required to pay the auctioneer's fee and deposit with the Comptroller, at the time and place of sale, twenty-five per cent. of the amount of the annual rent bid, to be credited on account of the first quarter's rent, or forfeited to the city if the bidder refuses to execute the lease when notified that it is ready for execution. He will also be required to give a bond in double the amount of the annual rent bid, with two sufficient sureties to be approved by the Comptroller, conditioned for the payment of the rent quarterly in advance and for the performance and fulfillment of the covenants and terms of the lease, a form of which lease and bond may be seen at the Office of the Bureau for the Collection of City Revenues and of Markets, Finance Department.

No bid will be accepted from, nor will the lease be awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter as surety or otherwise upon any obligation to the Corporation; nor will any such person be received as surety on the lease.

Possession will be given, if desired, at any time after the 20th day of February, rent to be paid pro rata for the time the premises are taken before the first day of May, 1884.

All alterations and repairs of the premises are to be made at the sole cost and expense of the lessee, and be subject to the approval of the Comptroller before being so made; and the lessee will be required to pay for the cleaning and lighting of the said premises, and to be subject to the market regulations.