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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Report for the Quarter ending March 31, 1875.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, April 27, 1875.

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

SIR—In accordance with section 27 of the Charter I have the honor to submit herewith a report of the transactions of the Department of Public Works for the quarter ending March 31, 1875, consisting of the reports of the several Bureaus in the Department, and of Statements "A" and "B," showing the condition of the several appropriations set apart for the use of the Department, and the expenditures made under the same.

Very respectfully,

FITZ JOHN PORTER,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Appendix "A,"

Showing Titles of "Appropriations;" Amounts Appropriated for 1875; Expenditures, first Three Months in 1875; Balances, April 1, 1875; Amounts Drawn on Liabilities of 1874; and the Titles and Conditions of the "Trust Funds."

TITLES OF APPROPRIATIONS.	Appropriations, 1875.	Expenditures, 1875.	Balances, April 1, 1875.	Amounts drawn on Liabilities of 1874.
Aqueduct, Repairs and Maintenance of.....	\$120,000 00	\$35,088 09	\$84,911 91	\$17,443 96
Boulevard, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	70,000 00	5,537 82	64,462 18	2,912 00
Contingencies—Department of Public Works.....	2,500 00	442 81	2,057 19	527 11
Flagging Sidewalks and Fencing Vacant Lots in front of City Property.....	1,000 00	.....	1,000 00	.....
Free Floating Baths.....	10,000 00	315 00	9,685 00	108 90
Lamps and Gas.....	650,000 00	126,341 93	523,658 07	45,480 89
Lamps and Gas—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	100,000 00	19,248 90	80,751 10	9,882 93
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs.....	50,000 00	6,877 54	43,122 46	14,364 23
Public Drinking Hydrants.....	5,000 00	.....	5,000 00	42 03
Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues.....	2,500 00	106 00	2,394 00	.....
Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	80,000 00	18,337 13	61,662 87	6,097 12
Repairing and keeping in order Wooden and Concrete Pavements.....	50,000 00	.....	50,000 00	88 50
Roads and Avenues and Sprinkling.....	20,000 00	801 00	19,199 00	4,578 20
Salaries—Department of Public Works.....	150,000 00	38,134 98	111,865 02	.....
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning.....	75,000 00	11,307 50	63,692 50	9,525 25
Street Improvements—for Street Signs, etc.....	2,500 00	.....	2,500 00	.....
Streets—Repaving, and Repairs to Stone Pavements.....	100,000 00	.....	100,000 00	180 10
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....	92,500 00	24,193 42	68,306 58	6,393 24
Wells and Pumps—Repairing and Cleaning.....	1,000 00	.....	1,000 00	149 86
Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.....	137,500 00	33,746 48	103,753 52	20,197 19
Paving Ways at West Washington Market.....	15,000 00	.....	15,000 00	.....
Paving, Janitor of Police Court.....	1,500 00	250 00	1,250 00	250 00
Printing, Stationery, etc., for County.....	.....	.....	.....	8,438 15
Cleaning Buildings, etc., for County.....	.....	.....	.....	1,425 10
Heating Buildings, etc., for County.....	.....	.....	.....	4,940 30
Repairs to Buildings, etc., for County.....	.....	.....	.....	1,212 28
Totals.....	\$1,736,000 00	\$320,728 60	\$1,415,271 40	\$154,237 34

TRUST ACCOUNTS.	Authorized under Statute.	Amounts to Credit, January and since.	Expenditures, January 1 to April 1, 1875.	Amount to Credit, as Authorized by Board of Apportionment.
Additional Alterations of Aqueduct, Ninety-third to One Hundred and Thirtieth street.....	\$3,600,000 00	\$336,025 25	\$43,342 16	\$292,683 09
Boulevard, Roads, etc., Assessment Fund.....	.....	.....	339,668 65	.....
Changing Grades—Ninth avenue, etc.....	25,000 00	25,000 00	.....	25,000 00
Changing Grades—Chambers and other streets.....	20,000 00	20,000 00	.....	20,000 00
Croton Water Works—Extension High-service—Carmansville.....	290,000 00	27,612 54	.....	27,612 54
Croton Water Works—Extension Storage Reservoirs.....	190,000 00	311 27	.....	311 27
Croton Water Fund.....	1,100,000 00	586,580 16	15,780 04	570,800 12
Croton Water—main Fund.....	3,750,000 00	461,313 81	37,432 87	423,880 94
Meter Stock.....	1,000,000 00	300,000 00	.....	300,000 00
Pavement Repair Stock.....	50,000 00	50,000 00	.....	50,000 00
Sewer Repair Stock.....	250,000 00	60,963 65	10,274 49	50,689 16
Street Improvement Fund.....	.....	.....	377,650 58	.....
Water Stock of 1870—(Improvement of Lower Reservoir).....	500,000 00	85 63	.....	85 63

C. T. McCLENACHAN,
First Book-keeper.

Appendix "B,"

Being an Account in Detail of all Requisitions drawn on the Comptroller, for the Quarter ending March 31, 1875.

Aqueduct Repairs and Maintenance, 1874—	
Pay-roll—Engineers, Laborers, etc.....	\$12,171 56
Trucking pipe.....	1,390 00
Castings.....	692 32
Wrought Bands, etc.....	866 20
Wood.....	120 00
Salt.....	53 00
Supplies.....	41 08
Coke.....	17 50
Taxes.....	147 65
Traveling expenses of Engineers, etc.....	1,183 44
Lumber.....	260 00
Tools, etc.....	131 49
Repairing pavement, etc.....	138 00
Miscellaneous Expenses.....	231 72
Total.....	\$17,443 96
Aqueduct Repairs and Maintenance, 1875—	
Pay-rolls—Engineers, Laborers, etc.....	\$20,789 67
Taxes.....	3,792 26
Tools.....	106 61
Iron and steel.....	22 43
Wrought bands, etc.....	3,468 22
Stop-cocks.....	1,125 66
Castings, etc.....	1,385 72
Oils and paints.....	437 75
Lumber.....	59 71
Coal.....	1,752 75
Repairing sewer.....	849 91
Horsekeeping, etc.....	310 00
Miscellaneous.....	389 04
Trucking pipe.....	420 00
Traveling expenses.....	178 36
Total.....	35,088 09
Boulevard, etc., Maintenance of, 1874—	
Pay-rolls—Engineers, Laborers, etc.....	\$1,707 90
Lumber.....	17 38
Broken stone.....	753 47
Tools.....	68 18
Paints, oils, etc.....	300 95
Supplies.....	3 25
Repairing pipe.....	17 12
Iron.....	30 38
Repairing sprinklers.....	13 37
Total.....	2,912 00
Boulevard, etc., Maintenance of, 1875—	
Pay-rolls—Engineers, Laborers, etc.....	\$5,516 45
Tools.....	21 37
Total.....	5,537 82
Contingencies—Department of Public Works, 1874—	
Traveling expenses.....	\$494 71
Expressage.....	32 40
Total.....	527 11
Contingencies—Department of Public Works, 1875—	
Boring apparatus.....	\$110 00
Incidental expenses.....	100 00
Expressage.....	112 80
Traveling expenses.....	120 01
Total.....	442 81
Free Floating Baths, 1874—	
Pay-roll—Watchman.....	\$93 00
Repairing.....	15 90
Total.....	108 90
Free Floating Baths, 1875—	
Pay-roll—Watching.....	315 00
Heating Buildings and Offices formerly belonging to the County—	
New Court-house.....	\$2,712 00
Brown Stone Buildings.....	160 00
Register's office.....	520 80
County Jail.....	1,547 50
Total.....	4,940 30
Lamps and Gas, 1874—	
Pay-rolls—Lighters and Painters.....	\$245 00
Lamps.....	324 00
Lamp Globes.....	112 50
" Carting.....	48 75
New York Mutual Gas-light Company—Streets.....	1,700 42
New York.....	8,466 52
Manhattan.....	18,197 33
Harlem.....	13,723 55
Lighting First District Police Court.....	63 03
" Second " " ".....	9 35
" Third " " ".....	46 48
" Fourth " " ".....	72 36
" Fifth " " ".....	9 00
" Second " Civil ".....	2 20
" Third " " ".....	3 58
" Fifth " " ".....	3 02
" Eighth " " ".....	3 85
" Ninth " " ".....	2 70
" Washington Market.....	244 47
" Catharine.....	26 89
" Fulton.....	250 80
" Gouverneur.....	5 22
" Essex.....	84 70
" Centre.....	124 57
" Clinton.....	166 65
" Union.....	23 10
" Tompkins.....	113 85
" Jefferson.....	62 70
" City Hall.....	342 65

Lamps and Gas, 1874—Continued.

Lighting New Court-house	\$780 99
South Gate-house	10 50
Office Engineer of Boulevard	2 70
Aqueduct	8 10
Corporation Attorney	43 72
Receiver of Taxes	148 22
Marine Court	4 67
Department of Buildings	2 75

Total for 1874 \$45,480 89

Lamps and Gas, 1875—

Pay-rolls—Lighters of Markets and Painters	\$478 00
Lighting Streets—Metropolitan Gas-light Co.	26,277 38
New York Mutual Gas-light Co.	3,714 84
Harlem	30,234 43
New York	18,146 94
Manhattan	39,675 00
First District Police Court	127 05
Second " " "	7 98
Third " " "	124 30
Fourth " " "	155 66
Fifth " " "	31 50
Second " Civil " "	4 12
Third " " "	9 07
Fifth " " "	9 62
Sixth " " "	1 10
Eighth " " "	8 25
Ninth " " "	11 50
Centre Market	299 75
Essex	163 35
Clinton	344 58
Union	48 95
Tompkins	236 22
Jefferson	145 48
Gouverneur Market	8 24
Washington	502 97
Catharine	58 02
Fulton	505 99
Department of Buildings	4 67
Rivington street Yard	2 20
City Hall	617 64
New Court-house	874 50
Brown Stone Building	1,186 88
Marine Court	5 22
South Gate-house	7 20
Office Engineer of Boulevard	3 30
Aqueduct	16 50
Receiver of Taxes	332 47
Corporation Attorney	94 86
Lamps	938 00
Reflecting lamps	416 75
Lamp irons	50 00
Lettering lamps	12 00
Putty and paint	17 50
Glass	360 00
Cartage	71 75

Total 126,341 93

Lamps and Gas—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, 1874—

Lighting Streets—Westchester County Gas-light Co.	\$5,999 60
Suburban	3,883 33

Total 9,882 93

Lamps and Gas—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, 1875—

Lighting Streets—Westchester County Gas-light Co.	\$11,500 87
Suburban	7,748 03

Total 19,248 90

Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books, 1874—

Tax Commissioners	\$621 08
Commissioners of Accounts	11 00
Board of Apportionment	1,146 75
Aldermen	782 55
Assistant Aldermen	1,225 00
Common Council	6 00
Corporation Counsel	240 35
Attorney	166 69
Fire Department	530 65
Department of Health	1,740 68
Buildings	576 38
Finance	945 74
Public Works	2,686 64
Parks	338 82
Charities and Correction	653 91
Third District Civil Court	230 70
Fourth " " "	137 77
Fifth " " "	50 34
Sixth " " "	18 80
Eighth " " "	43 96
Ninth " " "	59 60
Third " Police " "	6 00
Fourth " " "	24 50
Sixth " " "	47 58

Total 12,293 49

Printing, Stationery and Blank Books, 1875—

First District Civil Court	\$293 51
Second " " "	656 07
Third " " "	335 27
Fourth " " "	33 50
Fifth " " "	60 30
Sixth " " "	76 00
Seventh " " "	448 56
Ninth " " "	52 03
Tenth " " "	60 00
First " Police " "	240 01
Second " " "	175 54
Third " " "	132 00
Fourth " " "	111 90
Fifth " " "	14 70
Department of Finance	2,971 12
Health	2,344 26
Public Works	2,986 83
Parks	257 38
Charities and Correction	4,776 96
Buildings	2,178 65
Fire Department	1,477 98
Tax Commissioners' office	1,180 98
District Attorney's	1,104 73
Mayor's	3,192 20
Marshal's	82 35
Surrogate's	959 06
Public Administrator's	40 75
Register's	262 68
County Clerk's	182 50
Commissioners of Accounts	28 98
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Board of Aldermen	1,947 89
Police Justices	7 00

Printing, Stationery and Blank Books, 1875—Continued.

Common Council	\$1,060 40
Corporation Council	937 90
Attorney	93 25
Court of Special Sessions	70 25
General	170 13
Common Pleas	396 55
Supreme Court	513 60
Superior Court	278 38
Marine Court	1,274 88

Total \$33,747 48

Printing, Stationery, Law and Blank Books for County Offices, 1874—

Surrogate's office	\$284 10
Register's	458 25
County Clerk's office	3,624 39
District Attorney's office	500 17
First District Police Court	599 00
Supreme Court	768 70
Superior	462 75
Marine	165 45
Court of Common Pleas	815 91
General Sessions	344 93
Board of Supervisors	219 00
Common Council	195 50

Total 8,438 15

Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs, 1874—

Pay-rolls—Painters	\$195 00
Tompkins Market	408 49
Washington	907 35
Fulton	2,043 35
Jefferson	59 97
Centre	404 64
Union	182 80
City Hall	3,801 53
New Court-house	281 05
Brown-stone Building	1,253 89
202 West Thirty-first street	649 00
Board of Excise	267 25
First District Civil Court	298 07
Second " " "	24 45
Third " " "	13 49
Fourth " " "	18 00
Fifth " " "	55 01
Sixth " " "	5 10
Seventh " " "	11 37
Eighth " " "	15 77
Ninth " " "	123 40
First " Police Court	142 19
Second " " "	10 03
Third " " "	23 13
Fourth " " "	13 95
Fifth " " "	178 48

Total 11,386 76

Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs, 1875—

Pay-rolls—Painters	\$146 50
First District Police Court	73 62
Second " " "	58 33
Third " " "	41 43
Fourth " " "	87 30
Fifth " " "	28 04
Second " Civil Court	151 91
Fourth " " "	87 94
Fifth " " "	132 04
City Hall	1,615 59
New Court-house	3,185 98
Brown-stone Building	225 46
County Jail	333 43
Register's office	96 37
Coroners' " "	105 99
Fulton Market	34 66
Union	13 35
Catharine	38 20
Jefferson	31 60
Centre	48 86
Tompkins	340 94

Total 6,877 54

Public Drinking Hydrants, 1874—

Repairing hydrants	42 23
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Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues, 1874—

Incidental expenses	6 00
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Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues, 1875—

Incidental expenses	100 00
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Repairing, etc., Wooden and Concrete Pavements, 1874—

Pay-roll—Laborers	88 50
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Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc., 1874—

Pay-rolls—Laborers, etc.	\$5,093 37
Repairing Pipe	68 80
Wagon, etc.	244 47
Harness	97 90
Horseshoeing, etc.	124 75
Stop-cock chamber	279 75
Traveling expenses	63 08
Hydrant plugs	125 00

Total 6,097 12

Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc., 1875—

Pay rolls—Laborers, etc.	\$11,286 50
Salt	26 50
Potter's clay	16 00
Fire-hydrants	2,216 94
Tools	889 42
Stop-cocks	900 00
Coal	92 50
Horse feed	334 35
Supplies	44 84
Hydrant-boxes	1,000 00
Paint	216 98
Tapping cocks	500 00
Lumber	150 06
Bolts and locks	54 04
Wood plugs	460 00
Coke	70 00
Meter counters	79 00

Total 18,337 13

Repairs to Buildings and Offices formerly belonging to County—

New Court-house	\$591 53
Brown Stone Building	475 37
District Attorney's office	20 00
Arsenal—Elm and White streets	20 70
County Jail	50 41
Court of Common Pleas	41 00
Special Sessions	11 85
Marine Court	1 42

Total 1,212 28

Roads and Avenues, and Sprinkling, 1874—		
Pay-rolls—Laborers, etc.	\$1,173 50	
Sharpening tools.	154 70	
Filling.	1,750 00	
Gravel.	1,500 00	
Total.		\$4,578 20
Roads and Avenues, and Sprinkling, 1875—		
Pay-roll—Laborers, etc.		801 00
Salaries—Department of Public Works, 1875—		
Officers and Clerks—Pay-rolls.		38,134 98
Salaries—City Courts (Police Courts), 1874—		
Janitor's services.		250 00
Salaries—City Courts, (Police Courts), 1875—		
Janitor's services.		250 00
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning, 1874—		
Pay-roll—Cleaners, etc.	\$1,125 25	
Cleaning basins.	8,400 00	
Total.		9,525 25
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning, 1875—		
Pay-rolls—Cleaners, etc.	\$2,075 50	
Cleaning basins, etc.	7,200 00	
“ sewers.	2,032 00	
Total.		11,307 50
Streets—Repaving, and Repairs to Stone Pavements, 1874—		
Pay-roll—Laborers, etc.	\$129 50	
Repairing tools.	50 60	
Total.		180 10
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices, 1874—		
Pay-roll—Cleaners.	\$2,451 20	
Corporation Counsel.	69 00	
“ Attorney.	127 25	
Public Administrator.	82 00	
City Hall.	1,386 25	
Brown-stone Building.	4 85	
Tax Commissioner's office.	77 80	
Receiver of Taxes' office.	39 00	
Mayor's office.	996 32	
Department of Finance.	77 16	
Marine Court.	2 50	
Court of Special Sessions.	40 00	
“ General “	7 25	
First District Civil Court.	289 16	
Second “ “ “	32 40	
Third “ “ “	90 05	
Fourth “ “ “	18 00	
Fifth “ “ “	15 60	
Sixth “ “ “	10 80	
Seventh “ “ “	35 36	
Eighth “ “ “	21 00	
Ninth “ “ “	16 17	
Tenth “ “ “	146 34	
First “ Police “	39 00	
Second “ “ “	118 59	
Third “ “ “	43 60	
Fourth “ “ “	83 21	
Fifth “ “ “	18 61	
Sixth “ “ “	54 76	
Total.		6,393 24
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices, 1875—		
Pay-rolls—Cleaners, etc.	\$11,044 16	
City Hall.	1,144 35	
New Court-house.	4,611 11	
Brown-stone Building.	341 80	
Department of Public Works.	304 12	
“ Buildings.	152 90	
“ Finance.	36 05	
Board of Assessors.	23 00	
“ Excise.	27 87	
“ Supervisors.	46 50	
First District Civil Court.	179 08	
Second “ “ “	136 30	
Third “ “ “	30 50	
Fourth “ “ “	238 90	
Fifth “ “ “	63 90	
Eighth “ “ “	69 66	
Ninth “ “ “	5 50	
Tenth “ “ “	53 50	
First “ Police “	177 48	
Second “ “ “	6 19	
Third “ “ “	40 10	
Fourth “ “ “	157 85	
Fifth “ “ “	6 66	
Sixth “ “ “	33 00	
Court of Common Pleas.	512 65	
“ General Sessions.	33 00	
“ Special “	89 00	
“ Oyer and Terminer.	21 10	
Supreme Court.	79 78	
Superior “	412 50	
Marine “	656 91	
Corporation Attorney.	65 75	
District “	13 85	
County Clerk's office.	203 66	
Mayor's “	1,968 25	
Surrogate's “	169 47	
Marshal's “	95 00	
Register's “	48 00	
Tax Commissioner's office.	5 50	
Public Administrator.	111 58	
Rivington Street Yard.	69 00	
Common Council.	650 12	
County Jail.	24 02	
Fulton Market.	31 80	
Total.		24,193 42
Cleaning and Supplies of Offices and Buildings, formerly belonging to County, 1874—		
Pay-roll—Cleaners.	\$2,977 29	
New Court-house.	1,293 75	
County Clerk.	211 40	
“ Jail.	51 00	
Tax Commissioners.	39 00	
District Attorney.	39 00	
Grand Jury Room.	39 00	
Court of General Sessions.	39 00	
“ Special “	78 00	
“ Oyer and Terminer.	42 10	
Supreme Court.	395 33	
Superior “	2 50	
Marine “	195 00	
Total.		5,402 32

Wells and Pumps—Repairing and Cleaning, 1874—		
Repairing pumps, etc.		\$149 86
Additional Alterations of Aqueduct, Ninety-third to One Hundred and Thirteenth street—		
Pay-rolls—Engineers, Laborers, etc.	\$33,047 54	
Lumber.	398 78	
Sand.	772 47	
Tools.	581 72	
Coal.	96 75	
Stone for Gate-house.	8,225 84	
Steel.	219 06	
Total.		43,342 16
Croton Water Fund—		
Pay-rolls—Engineers, etc.	\$2,369 50	
“ Laborers, etc.	1,117 24	
Horse-keeping, etc.	434 99	
Constructing Road at Boyd's Corners.	6,103 80	
“ Reservoir at South East.	5,544 00	
Traveling expenses.	16 58	
Taxes.	86 90	
Steel.	22 03	
Legal services.	85 00	
Total.		15,780 04
Croton Water-main Fund—		
Pay-rolls—Engineers, Laborers, etc.	\$24,863 69	
Repairing wagon, etc.	210 50	
Horse-keeping.	136 00	
Coal.	86 50	
Trucking pipe.	1,156 25	
Ice.	59 29	
Repairing and removing gas-mains.	6,770 69	
Stop-cock chambers.	1,601 08	
Sand.	350 00	
Traveling expenses.	93 62	
Stone blocks.	1,260 00	
Setting glass.	39 00	
Powder and fuse.	806 25	
Total.		37,432 87
Sewer Repair Stock—		
Repairing sewers.	\$9,441 24	
Repairing man-holes.	833 25	
Total.		10,274 49
STREET IMPROVEMENT FUND.		
Sewers and Drains—		
Broadway, between Thirty-second and Fifty-ninth streets. Ira G. Lane, contractor.	\$2,905 70	
Attorney street, between Grand and Broome streets. Terence Smith, contractor.	704 10	
Cannon street, between Grand and Broome streets. Michael Gavin, contractor.	54 00	
Greenwich street, between Clarkson and Leroy streets. T. & J. D. Crimmins, contractors.	823 25	
Greenwich street, between West Houston and King streets. T. & J. D. Crimmins, contractors.	849 95	
Greenwich streets, between Charlton and King streets. T. & J. D. Crimmins, contractors.	867 75	
Hudson street, between Charlton and King streets. T. & J. D. Crimmins, contractors.	1,833 40	
Hudson street, between Spring and Vandam streets. T. & J. D. Crimmins, contractors.	1,757 75	
Laight street, between Varick and Hudson streets. Terence Smith, contractor.	960 00	
Lewis street, between Houston and Sixth streets. Edward C. Sheehy, contractor.	1,429 20	
Sheriff street, between Grand and Broome streets. Michael Gavin, contractor.	742 80	
Spring street, between Broadway and Crosby street. T. & J. D. Crimmins, contractors.	507 30	
Washington street, between West Tenth and Charles streets. T. & J. D. Crimmins, contractors.	792 00	
Fifty-third street, between First avenue and East river. Devlin & McKim, contractors.	4,358 90	
Fifty-sixth street, between Eleventh avenue and Hudson river. P. F. Maginn, contractor.	82 20	
Sixty-sixth street, between Tenth avenue and Boulevard. C. P. Devlin, contractor.	1,194 20	
Sixty-seventh street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues. R. & J. Cunningham, contractors.	160 00	
Eighty-third and Eighty-fourth streets, between Eighth and Ninth avenues. Ira G. Lane, contractor.	6,605 10	
Ninety-second, Ninety-third, and Ninety-fourth streets, between Fourth and Fifth avenues. J. H. McCarthy, contractor.	619 80	
One Hundred and Twenty-third street, between Sixth avenue and Mount Morris square. Devlin, McKim & Lutz, contractors.	65 00	
Madison and New avenues, between One Hundred and Twenty-first and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth streets. Devlin, McKim & Lutz, contractors.	216 40	
Fourth avenue, between Ninetieth and Ninety-first streets. Alexander Lutz, contractor.	2,453 78	
Fifth avenue, between Fortieth and Forty-first streets. Patrick Haggerty, contractor.	28 20	
Eighth avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-first and One Hundred and Twenty-third streets. Patrick Mulholland, contractor.	6,699 00	
Ninth avenue, between Sixty-fifth and Seventy-fifth streets. Devlin & McKim, contractors.	10,810 80	
Tenth avenue, between One Hundred and Tenth and Lawrence streets. Patrick Farley, contractor.	117 20	
Eleventh avenue, between Fifty-ninth and Sixtieth streets. Patrick Mulholland, contractor.	1,792 00	
Inwood & Dykman streets, between Hudson and Harlem rivers. Edward Bradburn, contractor.	4,762 85	
Between Sixty-second and Sixty-eighth streets, and between Eighth and Ninth avenues. P. F. Maginn, contractor.	100 00	
Between One Hundred and Tenth and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, and between Fifth and Eighth avenues. Edward Bradburn, contractor.	14,717 82	
Total.		\$69,010 45
Basins—		
Northwest corner of Stuyvesant street and Second avenue. John Bennett, contractor.	\$410 00	
North side of Twentieth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues. John Bennett, contractor.	359 00	
Southwest corner of Sixth avenue and One Hundred and Seventeenth street. John Bennett, contractor.	386 00	
Southwest corner of One Hundred and Eleventh street and St. Nicholas avenue. John Bennett, contractor.	362 00	
Southwest corner of One Hundred and Twelfth street and St. Nicholas avenue. John Bennett, contractor.	350 00	
Northwest corner of One Hundred and Sixteenth street and St. Nicholas avenue. T. & J. D. Crimmins, contractors.	443 40	
Northeast corner of Thirty-third street and First avenue. T. & J. D. Crimmins, contractors.	323 00	

Basins—Continued.

Southeast corner of Thirty-third street and First avenue. T. & J. D. Crimmins, contractors.	\$323 00
West side of Tenth avenue, between Twenty-fifth and Twenty-sixth streets. T. & J. D. Crimmins, contractors.	424 00
Cherry street, between New Chambers and Roosevelt streets. T. & J. D. Crimmins, contractors.	600 00
Total	\$3,980 40

Paving—

Second avenue, between Sixty-third and Sixty-sixth streets. John W. Pettigrew, contractor.	\$385 70
Eleventh avenue, between Fifty-second and Fifty-ninth streets. Denis McGrath, contractor.	5,166 22
Thirty-sixth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues. William A. Cumming, contractor.	4,792 48
Fifty-fourth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues. John W. Pettigrew, contractor.	273 40
Sixty-fifth street, between Third and Fifth avenues. John B. Devlin, contractor.	566 50
Sixty-eighth street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues. Dennis Cotterell, contractor.	274 00
Total	11,458 30

Flagging—

Thirty-fourth street, south side, between First avenue and East river. T. & J. D. Crimmins, contractors.	\$721 55
Forty-third street, south side, between First and Second avenues. T. & J. D. Crimmins, contractors.	486 57
Total	1,208 12

Regulating, Grading, etc.—

Broadway, between Thirty-second and Fifty-ninth streets. Joseph Tracy, contractor.	\$43,497 40
Edgar street, between Church and Greenwich streets. James Slatery, contractor.	122 90
Worth street, between Broadway and Chatham street. Owen Gearty, contractor.	7,845 26
Sixty-seventh street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues. Charles H. Reilly, contractor.	2,624 26
Sixty-eighth street, between Third avenue and East river. John Gillespie, contractor.	1,050 56
Seventy-fifth street, between Fifth avenue and East river. Patrick Farley, contractor.	14,163 78
Seventy-seventh street, between First avenue and East river. Herman Poyle, contractor.	3,603 60
Eighty-second street, between Eighth avenue and Boulevard. Henry Tone (administrator), contractor.	7,056 00
Eighty-sixth street, between Eighth avenue and River Drive. Richard H. Treacy, contractor.	20,426 75
Eighty-seventh street, between Eighth and Tenth avenues. L. W. Johnson, contractor.	10,360 00
Eighty-eighth street, between Eighth and Tenth avenues. David Babcock, contractor.	5,621 00
Ninetieth street, between Eighth and Tenth avenues. Abram Dowdney, contractor.	9,009 00
Ninety-sixth street, between Second and Third avenues. M. J. Bannon, contractor.	2,730 00
Ninety-sixth street, between Eighth avenue and Boulevard. John T. Doyle, contractor.	7,678 84
Ninety-seventh street, between Fifth avenue and Harlem river. Patrick Farley, contractor.	9,320 50
One Hundred and First street, between Ninth avenue and Boulevard. Henry Wagner, contractor.	1,554 00
One Hundred and Eighth street, between Fifth avenue and East river. Mills & Ambrose, contractors.	44,573 15
Fourth avenue, between One Hundred and Sixteenth and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth streets. H. H. Brown, contractor.	27,265 04
Fifth avenue, between Ninetieth and One Hundred and Twentieth streets. James Everard, contractor.	19,636 40
Ninth avenue, between Eighty-third and Ninety-second streets. George A. Tracy, contractor.	24,695 00
Total	262,833 44

RECAPITULATION.

STREET IMPROVEMENT FUND.

Sewers and drains	\$69,010 45
Receiving basins	3,980 40
Paving	11,458 30
Flagging	1,208 12
Regulating, grading, etc.	262,833 44
Pay-rolls—Engineers of Sewers	10,979 77
“ Inspectors of Sewers	4,680 00
“ “ Regulating, Grading, etc.	5,036 50
Surveyors' fees	8,050 00
Miscellaneous expenses	413 00
Total Street Improvement Fund	\$377,650 58

STREET IMPROVEMENT FUND, TELFORD PAVEMENT, ETC.

Seventy-second street, Eighth avenue to Hudson river—	\$502 87
Surveying	
One Hundred and Twenty-second street, Tenth avenue to River Drive—	\$9,438 31
Pay-rolls—Engineers, Laborers, etc.	23 50
Stationery	20 65
Tools	8 45
Sand	49 75
Powder and fuse	24 40
Lumber	36 00
Stone-boats	
Total	9,610 06
One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, Seventh avenue and Boulevard—	\$2,143 12
Pay-rolls—Engineers, Laborers, etc.	5,677 79
Broken stone	20 25
Stationery	30 87
Lumber	3 63
Sand	
Total	7,875 66
New avenue, One Hundredth to One Hundred and Tenth street—	\$37,026 13
Pay-rolls—Engineers, Laborers, etc.	242 03
Tools	41 59
Lumber	19 50
Stationery	26 25
Rent of transit	18 00
Coal	22 50
Stone-boats	179 75
Powder and fuse	
Total	37,575 75

New avenue, One Hundred and Tenth to One Hundred and Fourteenth street—

Pay-rolls—Engineers, Laborers, etc.	\$79 73
Rent of transit	10 50
Filling	6,120 00
Total	\$6,210 23

New avenue, One Hundred and Fourteenth street to Avenue St. Nicholas—

Pay-rolls—Engineers, Laborers, etc.	\$1,648 99
Filling	4,842 00
Stationery	16 74
Tools	8 85
Rent of transit	26 25
Total	6,542 83

Ninth avenue, One Hundred and Twenty-third to One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street—

Pay-rolls—Engineers, Laborers, etc.	\$1,010 18
Lumber	6 00
Total	1,016 18

Twelfth avenue, One Hundred and Twenty-ninth to One Hundred and Thirtieth street—

Pay-rolls—Engineers and Laborers	1,119 42
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Avenue A, Fifty-seventh to Eighty-sixth street—

Pay-rolls—Engineers, Laborers, etc.	\$30,495 59
Tools	296 89
Steel	180 60
Stationery	46 75
Coal	56 00
Iron	30 49
Horse-keeping	20 00
Rent of transit	52 00
“ office	47 00
Sand	4 37
Powder and fuse	231 50
Stone-boats	162 00
Total	31,623 19

Avenue A Superstructure, Fifty-seventh to Eighty-sixth street—

Pay-rolls—Engineers, Laborers, etc.	\$4,184 64
Tools	24 27
Stationery	11 55
Coal	3 00
Horse-keeping	5 00
Iron and steel	52 78
Repairing sprinkler	11 82
“ lathe work	142 84
Rent of office	7 00
Cotton duck	6 45
Paint, etc.	34 16
Broken stone	2,350 11
Total	6,833 62

Avenue A, One Hundred and Sixteenth street to Harlem river—

Pay-rolls—Engineers, Laborers, etc.	\$2,058 14
Tools	986 00
Total	2,068 00

Avenue A Superstructure, One Hundred and Sixteenth street to Harlem river—

Pay-rolls—Engineers, Laborers, etc.	1,674 99
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Avenue St. Nicholas Sewers, 11 R—

Pay-rolls—Engineers, Laborers, etc.	\$21,760 20
Tools	107 22
Lumber	320 99
Cement	166 70
Stationery	60 25
Coal	10 00
Iron	14 29
Horsekeeping	10 00
Rent	23 00
Sand	11 64
Rope	7 54
Pipe	1,024 05
Powder and Fuse	131 38
Steel	16 91
Stone-boats	9 00
Total	23,673 17

Avenue St. Nicholas Planting—

Trees	312 00
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Boulevard Planting—

Pay-roll—Engineers, Laborers, etc.	\$409 62
Trees	520 00
Total	929 62

Boulevard Sewers, 13 B—

Pay-rolls—Engineers, Laborers, etc.	\$22,266 86
Brick	4,189 67
Cement	1,046 85
Basin-heads	1,146 20
Lumber	252 06
Manhole heads and covers	207 67
Sand	152 99
Tools	123 66
Iron and steel	65 65
Stationery	48 80
Rent	20 00
Horsekeeping	9 00
Stone-boats	9 00
Coal	8 00
Rope	2 45
Total	29,548 86

Boulevard Sewers, 14 B—

Pay-rolls—Engineers, Laborers, etc.	\$19,105 28
Brick	1,186 46
Tools	29 50
Cement	690 00
Stationery	55 25
Lumber	41 86
Coal	27 00
Iron and steel	8 12
Basin-heads, etc.	386 32
Manhole heads and covers	46 15
Horsekeeping	10 00
Rent	22 00
Sand	39 14
Rope	3 33
Powder and fuse	108 75
Repairing pipe	9 60
Carriage bolts	14 58
Borax	11 00
Stone-boats	9 00
Total	21,803 34

Boulevard Sewers, 1 D—

Pay-rolls—Engineers, Laborers, etc.	\$15,410 04	
Brick	878 63	
Lumber	26 35	
Tools	16 38	
Repairing pipe	18 32	
Stationery	53 00	
Coal	8 00	
Iron	2 00	
Basin-heads	541 87	
Manhole heads and covers	415 35	
Horse-keeping	8 00	
Rent	20 00	
Sand	9 11	
Rope	3 33	
Powder and fuse	228 50	
Cement	59 40	
Total		\$17,698 28

Boulevard Sewers, 12 E—

Pay-rolls—Laborers, Engineers, etc.	\$31,039 83	
Brick	1,662 48	
Lumber	329 53	
Tools	94 31	
Cement	629 55	
Stationery	91 00	
Coal	52 00	
Iron	24 91	
Basin-heads	646 10	
Manhole heads and covers	46 15	
Horse-keeping	16 00	
Rent	36 00	
Sand	65 89	
Rope	19 50	
Powder and fuse	255 25	
Steel	105 90	
Stone-boats	9 00	
Total		35,123 40

First avenue, Eighty-sixth to One Hundred and Sixteenth street—

Pay-rolls—Laborers, Engineers, etc.	\$48 63	
Tools	2 88	
Total		51 51

First avenue Superstructure, Eighty-sixth to One Hundred and Sixteenth street—

Pay-rolls—Engineers, Laborers, etc.	\$4,281 83	
Tools	26 55	
Broken stone	1,936 54	
Stationery	19 00	
Lumber	2 66	
Coal	5 00	
Horse-keeping	6 00	
Rent	13 00	
Iron	17 23	
Total		6,307 81

Tenth avenue, One Hundred and Tenth to Manhattan street—

Pay-rolls—Engineers, Laborers, etc.	\$9,206 17	
Tools	51 50	
Stationery	36 00	
Coal	52 00	
Horse-keeping	8 00	
Rent of transit	63 00	
“ office	16 00	
Powder and fuse	166 37	
Stone-boats	22 50	
Total		9,621 54

Tenth avenue, One Hundred and Fifty-fifth to One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street—

Pay-rolls—Engineers and Laborers	136 77	
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Manhattan street—

Pay-rolls—Engineers, Laborers, etc.	\$152 90	
Surveying	535 29	
Tools	4 79	
Total		692 98

Seventy-second street, Avenue A to Fifth avenue—

Pay-rolls—Engineers, Laborers, etc.	\$155 27	
Coal	2 00	
Horse-keeping	4 00	
Rent of transit	18 00	
Total		179 27

Seventy-second street Superstructure—

Pay-rolls—Engineers, Laborers, etc.	\$501 92	
Coal	120 00	
Stationery	9 00	
Repairing sprinklers	7 88	
Rent	6 00	
Cotton duck	3 00	
Paints	17 08	
Sand	75	
Total		665 63

One Hundred and Tenth street—

Pay-rolls—Engineers, Laborers, etc.	\$29,466 14	
Tools	203 12	
Rope	14 85	
Stationery	80 00	
Lumber	3 08	
Iron and steel	111 86	
Coal	25 00	
Horse-keeping	8 00	
Rent	16 00	
Repairing level	6 00	
Powder and fuse	408 37	
Stone-boats	157 50	
Total		30,499 92

One Hundred and Tenth street Superstructure—

Pay-rolls—Engineers, Laborers, etc.	\$6,391 54	
Tools	27 09	
Coal	115 50	
Broken stone	804 74	
Stationery	23 00	
Steel and iron	46 35	
Horse-keeping	7 00	
Repairing sprinklers	10 62	
Rent	15 00	
Cotton duck	4 25	
Paints	17 11	
Total		7,462 20

One Hundred and Sixteenth street—

Pay-rolls—Engineers, Laborers, etc.	\$10,491 03	
Filling	22,277 02	
Stationery	17 25	
Lumber	20 32	
Coal	13 00	
Horse-keeping	5 00	
Repairing level	3 75	
Powder and fuse	52 88	
Tools	27 78	
Iron	4 33	
Stone-boats	36 00	
Rent	9 00	
Total		\$32,957 36

One Hundred and Sixteenth street Superstructure—

Pay-rolls—Laborers, Engineers, etc.	\$7,112 20	
Broken stone	758 23	
Stationery	24 40	
Tools	68 97	
“ repairing	7 89	
Cotton duck	4 05	
Paints	17 08	
Total		7,992 82

One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, Ninth avenue to Hudson river—

Surveying	597 09	
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One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street Superstructure—

Pay-rolls—Engineers, Laborers, etc.	\$573 54	
Coal	154 00	
Tools	11 66	
Manhole heads and covers	23 08	
Total		726 28

RECAPITULATION AND GENERAL SUMMARY.

Appropriations—	1874.	1875.
Aqueduct Repairs and Maintenance	\$17,443 96	\$35,088 09
Boulevard, etc., Maintenance of	2,912 00	5,537 82
Contingencies—Department of Public Works	527 11	442 81
Free Floating Baths	108 90	315 00
Heating Buildings and Offices (County)	4,940 30	
Lamps and Gas	45,480 89	126,341 93
“ “ Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards	9,882 93	19,248 90
Printing, Stationery and Blank Books	12,293 49	33,747 48
“ “ (County)	8,438 15	
Public Buildings, construction and repairs	11,386 76	6,877 54
“ Drinking Hydrants and Urinals	42 23	
Removing obstructions in streets and avenues	6 00	100 00
Repairing, etc., Wood and Concrete pavements	88 50	
“ “ and renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.	6,097 12	18,337 13
Repairs to Buildings and Offices (County)	1,212 28	
Roads and Avenues, and Sprinkling	4,578 20	801 00
Salaries—City Courts, (Police Courts)	250 00	250 00
“ Department of Public Works		38,134 98
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning	9,525 25	11,307 20
Streets—Repaving, and Repairs to Stone Pavements	180 10	
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices	6,393 24	24,193 42
“ “ (County)	5,402 37	
Wells and Pumps—Repairing and Cleaning	149 86	
	\$147,339 64	\$320,723 60

Amount drawn on appropriations, 1874	\$147,339 64
“ “ “ 1875	320,723 60
	\$468,063 24

Funds and Trust Accounts—

Additional alterations of aqueduct, Ninety-third to One Hundred and Thirtieth street	\$43,342 16
Croton Water Fund	15,780 04
“ Main Fund	37,432 87
Sewer Repair Stock	10,274 49
Street Improvement Fund	377,650 58
Street Improvement Fund—Telford Pavement—	
Seventy-second street, Eighth avenue to Hudson river	\$502 87
One Hundred and Twenty-second street, Tenth avenue to River Drive	9,610 06
One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, Seventh avenue to Boulevard	7,875 66
New avenue, One Hundredth street to One Hundred and Tenth street	37,575 75
New avenue, One Hundred and Tenth street to One Hundred and Fourteenth street	6,210 23
New avenue, One Hundred and Fourteenth street to Avenue St. Nicholas	6,542 83
Ninth avenue, One Hundred and Twenty-third street to One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street	1,016 18
Twelfth avenue, One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street to One Hundred and Thirtieth street	1,119 42
	70,453 00

Sundry Assessment Funds, viz.—

Avenue A, Fifty-seventh to Eighty-sixth street	\$31,623 19
Avenue A, Fifty-seventh to Eighty-sixth street, superstructure	6,833 62
Avenue A, One Hundred and Sixteenth street to Harlem river	2,068 00
Avenue A, One Hundred and Sixteenth street to Harlem river, superstructure	1,674 99
Avenue St. Nicholas sewers, 11 R	23,673 17
“ “ planting	312 00
Boulevard planting	929 62
“ sewers, 13 B	29,548 86
“ “ 14 B	21,803 34
“ “ 1 D	17,698 28
“ “ 12 E	35,123 40
First avenue, Eighty-sixth to One Hundred and Sixteenth street	51 51
First avenue, Eighty-sixth to One Hundred and Sixteenth street, superstructure	6,307 81
Tenth avenue, One Hundred and Tenth to Manhattan street	9,621 54
Tenth avenue, One Hundred and Fifty-fifth to One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street	136 77
Manhattan street	692 98
Seventy-second street, Avenue A to Fifth avenue	179 27
Seventy-second street, Avenue A to Fifth avenue, superstructure	665 63
One Hundred and Tenth street	30,499 92
One Hundred and Tenth street, superstructure	7,462 20
One Hundred and Sixteenth street	32,957 36
One Hundred and Sixteenth street, superstructure	7,992 82
One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street	597 09
One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, superstructure	762 28
Total Assessment Funds	269,215 65

Total Funds and Trust Accounts 824,148 79

Total, being the sum of all Requisitions drawn by the Department of Public Works on the Comptroller for the three months ending March 31, 1875. \$1,292,212 03

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
BUREAU OF WATER PURVEYOR,
April 10, 1875.FITZ JOHN PORTER, Esq.,
Commissioner of Public Works:

SIR—I have the honor to submit the following report of the transactions of this Bureau for the months of January, February, and March of this year.

As is usual for the season of the year above named, most of the works under charge of this Bureau have been prosecuted to a very limited extent.

Comparatively nothing has been done in repairing the pavements. A force of men is now being organized to commence the repairs of stone and wooden pavements, and measures are being taken to cause plumbers and others who have removed pavements during the winter to replace such in good condition.

A small force has been employed laying Croton water-mains, also in repairing six-foot pipes.

For repairing and renewals of pipes, stop-cocks, and fire-hydrants, and repairing leaks in Croton mains, the usual force has been kept very actively engaged, the continuous cold weather which has prevailed this winter causing a large amount of work for this branch of the Bureau.

Number of Men Employed under charge of Bureau of Water Purveyor during months of January, February, and March, paid from different Appropriations, with amounts of Pay-rolls:

MONTHS.	REPAIRING AND RENEWALS OF PIPES, STOP-COCKS, ETC.		CROTON WATER-MAIN FUND.		AQUEDUCT REPAIRS AND MAINTENANCE.	
	NO. OF MEN.	AMOUNTS.	NO. OF MEN.	AMOUNTS.	NO. OF MEN.	AMOUNTS.
1875.						
January.....	50	\$2,950 75	368	\$8,000 40	103	\$3,458 34
February.....	50	2,819 25	212	4,281 02	101	2,243 51
March.....	50	3,196 25	150	3,917 45	101	2,629 73
Totals.....		\$8,966 25		\$16,198 87		\$8,331 58

Number of vault permits issued January, February, and March, 1875..... 20
Receipts for vault permits, same period.....\$7,720 06Respectfully yours,
DANIEL O'REILLY,
Water Purveyor.DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
BUREAU OF WATER RENTS,
April 1, 1875.Hon. FITZ JOHN PORTER,
Commissioner, Department of Public Works:

SIR—The following is a statement of the amount of moneys received for water-rents, penalties, and taps for the three months ending March 31, 1875:

January.....	Water Rents.....	\$56,708 44	
	Penalties.....	1,713 95	
	Taps.....	109 00	\$58,431 39
February.....	Water Rents.....	\$26,022 00	
	Penalties.....	723 30	
	Taps.....	92 00	26,837 30
March.....	Water Rents.....	\$18,262 65	
	Penalties.....	734 55	
	Taps.....	317 00	19,314 20
Total.....			\$104,582 89

Respectfully,
Your obedient servant,
H. N. SHERWOOD,
Water Register.DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
CHIEF ENGINEER'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, April 10, 1875.To FITZ JOHN PORTER, Esq.,
Commissioner of Public Works:

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

For account of Additional Alteration of Aqueduct between Ninety-third and One Hundred and Thirteenth streets.....	\$42,458 69
For account of Aqueduct Repairs and Maintenance.....	40,798 54
“ “ Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	11,474 38
“ “ Croton Water-main Fund.....	13,413 34
“ “ Croton Water Fund.....	15,780 04
“ “ Contingencies—Department of Public Works.....	19 53
Total.....	\$123,944 52

During portions of the months of January and February the continued dry, cold weather reduced the flow of the Croton river below the daily consumption of Croton water in the city, and rendered it necessary to draw about 500,000,000 gallons from the storage reservoirs to supply the deficiency.

Work on the new highway, under the contract with Dooley & Curran, on the northeast side of the reservoir at Boyd's Corners, has been prosecuted as fast as the weather would permit.

The work of constructing the new storage reservoir in the town of South East, Putnam County, under a contract with Belden & Denison, has been prosecuted as fast as the weather would permit.

The aqueduct and reservoirs have been maintained in good order, and have furnished an uninterrupted supply of water.

The work of altering the aqueduct between Ninety-third and One Hundred and Thirteenth streets has also been prosecuted as fast as the weather would permit.

The weather has been so steadily and unusually cold that it has prevented the doing of much out-door work that can in ordinary seasons be done in the winter.

We have unmistakable evidence that the past winter has been the coldest one since the introduction of Croton water in 1842.

Very respectfully, yours,
EDWARD H. TRACY,
Chief Engineer.DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
BUREAU OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS,
ROOM NO. 11, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, April 3, 1875.General FITZ JOHN PORTER,
Commissioner of Public Works:

SIR—I have the honor to transmit you herewith a report of the transactions of this Bureau for the months of January, February, and March, 1875, showing statements of the amount of work done, of

the amounts drawn, and the appropriations on hand, and of contracts entered into and completed during this period.

Respectfully,
GEORGE A. JEREMIAH,
Superintendent of Street Improvements.DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
BUREAU OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS,
ROOM NO. 11, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, March 31, 1875.

Statement showing the amounts drawn during the months of January, February, and March, 1875.

Street regulating, grading, etc.....	\$224,055 59
Contingencies—Department of Public Works.....	58 90
Total.....	\$224,114 49

Appropriations against which no Vouchers have been drawn during this period.

Flagging sidewalks and fencing vacant lots in front of city property—Appropriation for 1875..... \$1,000 00
Street improvements—for street signs, etc.—Appropriation for 1875..... 2,500 00
Total..... \$3,500 00

GEORGE A. JEREMIAH,
Superintendent of Street Improvements.DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
BUREAU OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS,
ROOM NO. 11, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, March 31, 1875.

Statement showing list of Contracts entered into and Contracts completed since January 1, 1875.

Contracts entered into—

Regulating and grading Fifth avenue, from Ninetieth to One Hundred and Twentieth street. James Everard, Contractor.

Regulating and grading One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, from Broadway to Hudson river. William F. Bohm, Contractor.

Contracts completed—

Regulating Ninth avenue, from Eighty-third to Ninety-second street. George A. Treacy, Contractor.

GEORGE A. JEREMIAH,
Superintendent of Street Improvements.DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
BUREAU OF STREET IMPROVEMENTS,
ROOM NO. 11, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, March 31, 1875.

Statement showing amount of work done during the months of January, February, and March, 1875.

Earth excavated, cubic yards.....	1,063
Rock “ “.....	32,513
Filling furnished, “ “.....	150,237 13
Curb and gutter stones set, lineal feet.....	2,800
“ “ reset, “ “.....	129
Flagging laid, square feet.....	17,664 1/2

GEORGE A. JEREMIAH,
Superintendent of Street Improvements.DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
BUREAU OF STREETS,
ROOM 19, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, April 20, 1875.General FITZ JOHN PORTER,
Commissioner of Public Works:

SIR—In accordance with your instructions of the 1st inst., I submit herewith a brief report of the transactions of this Bureau for the three months ending March 30, 1875.

At the season which embraces this period all work on roads and roadways is generally suspended, and this year the winter season was so severe and protracted as to preclude all possibility of repairs. Nothing could be done except to keep culverts and open drains in condition to pass off the large quantities of melted snow and rain, and to keep the roadway free from such obstructions as might be inconvenient or dangerous to travel.

In consequence of these facts the several roads under the charge of this Bureau are much in need of repairs, and a large quantity of material, and more than usual labor, will be required to put them in proper condition.

The following is an account of the Appropriation and Expenditures for the Maintenance and Sprinkling of Roads and Avenues:

Balance of appropriation for 1874, unexpended January 1, 1875.....	\$4,668 73
Expenditures on Appropriation for 1874:	
For pay-roll of Laborers for December, 1874.....	\$1,173 50
For gravel and other materials.....	3,250 00
For repairs to tools.....	154 70
	4,578 20

Balance unexpended..... \$90 53

Amount appropriated for 1875..... \$20,000 00

Expenditures on Appropriation for 1875:

For pay-roll of Laborers for January and February, 1875..... 801 00

Balance unexpended..... \$19,199 00

Respectfully submitted,
JAMES J. MOONEY,
Superintendent of Streets.DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
BUREAU OF LAMPS AND GAS,
NEW YORK, March 31, 1875.General FITZ JOHN PORTER,
Commissioner of Public Works:

SIR—I herewith submit a report of the transactions of the Bureau of Lamps and Gas for the three months ending this date.

In Exhibit “A” will be found an abstract of all vouchers certified by me during the quarter, amounting in the aggregate to one hundred and ninety-seven thousand seven hundred and forty-nine dollars and eight cents (\$197,749.08), the same being chargeable as follows:

To account of Lamps and Gas, 1874.....	\$42,087 82
“ “ Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, 1874.....	9,882 03
“ Contingencies, Department of Public Works, 1874.....	187 50
“ Lamps and Gas, 1875.....	126,241 93
“ “ Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, 1875.....	19,248 90
Grand total.....	<u>\$197,749 08</u>

In Exhibit "B" will be found a statement showing the several amounts of vouchers drawn for gas to the various public markets, offices, etc., and for fitting, repairing, and lighting the public lamps.

Exhibit "C" is a summary of the appropriation for Lamps and Gas, 1874, showing the total amount of vouchers drawn against the appropriation for Lamps and Gas, 1874, to March 31, 1875, to be five hundred and thirteen thousand eight hundred and seventy-four dollars and ninety-nine cents (\$513,874.99), leaving a balance to the credit of the appropriation of one hundred and thirty-one thousand one hundred and twenty-eight dollars and fifty-one cents (\$131,128.51), with liabilities against the same of one hundred and twenty-three thousand six hundred and sixty-four dollars and eighty-two cents (\$123,664.82), leaving an available balance of seven thousand four hundred and sixty-three dollars and sixty-nine cents (\$7,463.69). The total amount of vouchers drawn against the appropriation for Lamps and Gas, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, 1874, to March 31, 1875, is one hundred and eighteen thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight dollars and eight cents (\$118,058.08), from which was deducted the sum of three thousand and twenty-eight dollars and sixty-two cents (\$3,028.62), by a special agreement of the Westchester County Gas-light Company, dated January 16, 1875. There are no liabilities against this appropriation, and the available balance is eight thousand one hundred and seventy dollars and fifty-four cents (\$8,170.54).

Exhibit "D" is a summary of the appropriation for Lamps and Gas, 1875, showing the total amount of vouchers drawn to March 31 to be one hundred and twenty-six thousand three hundred and forty-one dollars and ninety-three cents (\$126,341.93), leaving a balance to the credit of the appropriation of five hundred and twenty-three thousand six hundred and fifty-eight dollars and seven cents (\$523,658.07), with liabilities against the same amounting to sixty-three thousand four hundred and six dollars and eleven cents (\$63,406.11), leaving an available balance of four hundred and sixty thousand two hundred and fifty-one dollars and ninety-six cents (\$460,251.96).

Exhibit "E" is a summary of the appropriation for Lamps and Gas, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, for 1875, showing the total amount of vouchers drawn to March 31, 1875, to be nineteen thousand two hundred and forty-eight dollars and ninety cents (\$19,248.90), leaving a balance, against which no vouchers have been drawn, of eighty thousand seven hundred and fifty-one dollars and ten cents (\$80,751.10), with liabilities amounting to nine thousand six hundred and twenty-nine dollars and ninety-three cents (\$9,629.93), leaving an available balance of seventy-one thousand one hundred and twenty-one dollars and seventeen cents (\$71,121.17).

Exhibit "F" is a summary of the Lamp Account, giving the number of public lamps lighted, etc., by each gas company during the quarter, and showing the total number of lamps burning on March 31, 1875, to be twenty thousand and seventy-one.

In my report of December 31 last, I stated that there would be a probable deficiency in the Appropriation for Lamps and Gas, and Lamps and Gas, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, for 1875. From an estimate just made I find that, at the present rate of expenditure, both these appropriations will be exhausted by the first of December next. I have, therefore, ordered that the lighting of one hundred and seventy-three lamps be discontinued from and after April 1. These lamps are situated on the easterly side of the Kingsbridge road, north of Tenth avenue; on the old Bloomingdale road, above One Hundred and Thirty-third street; and One Hundred and Third street, west of the Boulevard. There are also two hundred and five lamp-posts, with stand-pipes capped, which were discontinued in October last. It is to be hoped that the proposals for lighting the public lamps for the eight months commencing May 1, which are to be received on April 5, will show a gratifying decrease from present rates. If my expectations of such a result are not realized, a further discontinuance of a very large number of lamps must inevitably take place.

There are two or three matters to which I desire to call your attention before surrendering the duties of Superintendent of this Bureau to my successor.

Much difficulty has been experienced by the frequent removals of corporation lamp-posts, by unauthorized parties, without the knowledge of the officers of this Bureau. Lamp-posts are often removed by builders for the construction of vaults, and by contractors and others for the construction of sewers and other improvements, and unless this Bureau is at once made aware of such removals, there is a great possibility of the City being called upon to pay for the lighting of lamps so removed, and also a probability of errors in our "Lamp Account." This has caused serious trouble and annoyance, and it seems beyond the power of this Department to remedy the matter without the constant co-operation of the Police. The Patrolmen, who are at all times on the streets, should prevent the removal of a corporation lamp-post by any person whomsoever, unless the person causing such removal should show a permit from this office authorizing the same to be done.

I would also call your attention to the glass street signs of the public lamps. The rapid disappearance and obliteration of the street names is a source of much inconvenience to the public, and a continual expense to the city at large. Various methods have been adopted in lettering these signs by using different qualities of paints, but all to no good purpose, as I find that the names lately painted are rapidly disappearing. There is, however, a method of making these signs, which, if adopted, would in a great measure remedy the difficulty, and I refer to signs made by the "Sand-blast" process. The names on these signs are of stained glass and the letters cannot be obliterated or destroyed except by the breakage of the glass itself.

In conclusion I would also call attention to the very inadequate force of officers of this Bureau, and refer to the following comparison of the force at the present time with that of the year 1858.

In 1858 the officers of the Bureau of Lamps and Gas in the then Street Department, consisted of one superintendent, two clerks, and seven inspectors. The number of public lamps then in the city was about eleven thousand, extending from the Battery to about One Hundred and Thirtieth street, and business transactions were had with but three gas companies.

At the present time the force consists of one superintendent, one clerk, and two inspectors. The number of lamps is over twenty thousand, extending from the Battery to Fordham in the new Twenty-fourth Ward, and business transactions are held with seven gas companies. It will thus be seen that while the business of the Bureau has increased over one hundred per cent., the office force has decreased in a still greater ratio. In the year 1872 the Inspectors were reduced to four, and subsequently to two, in consequence of a reduction in the appropriation for salaries.

One of the inspectors has supervision over all that part of the city lying south of Forty-second street, containing over eleven thousand street-lamps, while the other has supervision over all that part of the city lying north of Forty-second street, including Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, containing over nine thousand lamps. These inspectors are required to take the indexes of the gas-meters in the public markets and offices in their respective districts, and make affidavit to the correctness of their record. They are also required to exercise a constant supervision over all the public lamps in their districts, and make affidavit as to the proper fulfillment of the work charged on the bills of the gas companies, and also that the lighting and extinguishing of the public lamps was done in accordance with the times prescribed in the time table. Upon a vigilant and conscientious discharge of their duties depends, in a great measure, the keeping of an accurate record of the public lamps on the books of this office. It will readily be seen that it is a physical impossibility for any one man to properly discharge the duties required in districts of such proportions, and even if the men were allowed the use of a horse and wagon it would still be impossible for them to properly discharge the duty. I would therefore recommend that at least two more inspectors be appointed for this Bureau, or else that two be transferred from some other Bureau of this Department.

Vouchers covering such of the liabilities hereinbefore mentioned, the work on which has been completed, will be signed by me on the conclusion of this report.

Having resigned the position I now hold as Superintendent of Lamps and Gas, I shall turn over to my successor all the property, books, etc., of the Department under the charge of this Bureau. Thanking you for the courtesy extended to me during our short official intercourse, I remain,

Very respectfully,
ANDREW KINNIS,
Superintendent of Lamps and Gas.

Exhibit "A."

Abstract of Vouchers certified by Andrew Kinnis, Superintendent of Lamps and Gas, on account of the Appropriations for Lamps and Gas, etc., for the quarter ending March 31, 1875.

ON ACCOUNT OF APPROPRIATION FOR LAMPS AND GAS FOR 1874.					
DATE OF VOUCHER.		NO. OF VOUCHER.	IN WHOSE FAVOR.	FOR WHAT PURPOSE.	AMOUNT.
1874.					
Dec.	31	522	New York Mutual Gas-light Co.	Lighting public lamps, month of December, 1874..	\$1,700 42
"	"	523	New York Gas-light Co.....	" " " " " "	8,466 52
"	31	524	Manhattan Gas-light Co.....	" " " " " "	18,197 33
"	31	525	Harlem Gas-light Co.....	" " " " " "	13,723 55
Total.....					\$42,087 82

ON ACCOUNT OF LAMPS AND GAS, TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS, 1874.

DATE OF VOUCHER.	NO. OF VOUCHER.	IN WHOSE FAVOR.	FOR WHAT PURPOSE.	AMOUNT.
1874. Dec. 31	526	Westchester County Gas-light Co.	Lighting public lamps, month of December, 1874..	\$5,999 60
" 31	527	Suburban Gas-light Co.....	" " " "	3,883 33
			Total.....	\$9,882 93

ON ACCOUNT OF CONTINGENCIES, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, 1874.

1874.				
Dec. 31	528	Andrew Kinnis.....	Hire of horse and wagon, and traveling expenses, April 1 to December 31, 1874.....	\$187 50

ON ACCOUNT OF APPROPRIATION FOR LAMPS AND GAS, 1875.

1875.				
Feb.	1	529	Pay-roll	
		530	"	
Jan.	27	531	F. W. Devoe & Co.	
	30	532	Benj. S. Tyndale	
"	27	533	Andrew Miller	
"	30	534	Metropolitan Gas-light Co.	
	30	535	Manhattan Gas-light Co.	
	31	536	New York Gas-light Co.	
	31	537	"	
Feb.	1	538	Harlem Gas-light Co.	
Jan.	31	539	New York Mutual Gas-light Co.	
"	31	540	New York Gas-light Co.	
"	31	541	Manhattan Gas-light Co.	
"	31	542	Metropolitan Gas-light Co.	
Feb.	1	543	Harlem Gas-light Co.	
	11	544	Morris, Delano & Co.	
	27	545	Pay-roll	
	27	546	"	
Jan.	22	547	J. W. Bartlett	
	22	548	"	
Feb.	24	549	F. W. Devoe & Co.	
"	27	550	Andrew Miller	
"	27	551	Metropolitan Gas-light Co.	
"	27	552	Manhattan Gas-light Co.	
March	1	553	New York Gas-light Co.	
	1	554	"	
	1	555	Harlem Gas-light Co.	
Feb.	27	556	New York Gas-light Co.	
"	28	557	Manhattan Gas-light Co.	
March	1	558	New York Mutual Gas-light Co.	
"	1	559	Metropolitan Gas-light Co.	
"	1	560	Harlem Gas-light Co.	
"	10	561	E. P. Gleason Manufacturing Co.	
			Painting public lamps, month of January, 1875....	\$150 00
			Lighting public markets, month of January, 1875..	95 00
			P. ints.....	1 65
			Lettering globe-lamps.....	12 00
			Cartages, month of January.....	35 75
			Gas to Fourth District Police Court, month of January.....	83 88
			Gas to public offices, etc., month of January.....	823 90
			Gas to New Court-house, etc., month of January...	1,060 39
			Gas to public offices, etc., month of January.....	1,208 33
			"	34 50
			Lighting public lamps, month of January.....	1,868 67
			"	9,098 80
			"	19,816 00
			"	13,811 75
			"	16,415 45
			One hundred boxes glass.....	360 00
			Painting public lamps, month of January.....	138 00
			Lighting public markets, month of January.....	95 00
			Fifty lamp irons.....	50 00
			Boulevard lamps and globes.....	416 75
			Four tubs putty.....	15 85
			Cartages, month of February.....	36 00
			Gas to Fourth District Police Court, month of February.....	71 78
			Gas to public offices, etc., month of February....	581 62
			Gas to New Court-house, etc., month of February	1,006 21
			Gas to public offices, etc., month of February....	1,043 03
			"	35 70
			Lighting public lamps, month of February.....	9,048 14
			"	19,859 00
			"	1,846 17
			"	13,095 63
			"	13,818 98
			Three hundred street lamps.....	938 00
Total.....				\$126,341 93

ON ACCOUNT OF LAMPS AND GAS, TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS, 1875.

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RECAPITULATION.

On account of	Lamps and Gas for 1874.....	\$42,087	82
"	Lamps and Gas, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, for 1874.....	9,882	93
"	Contingencies, Department of Public Works, for 1874.....	187	50
"	Lamps and Gas for 1875.....	126,341	93
"	Lamps and Gas, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, for 1875.....	19,248	90
	Grand total.....	\$197,749	08

Exhibit "B."

Statement showing the several Amounts of Vouchers drawn for Gas to the various Public Markets, Offices, etc., and for Fitting, Repairing, and Lighting the Public Lamps, etc., for the Quarter ending March 31, 1875.

ON ACCOUNT OF LAMPS AND GAS, 1874—

Fitting up new lamps.....	\$388 00	
Resetting and repairing lamp-posts.....	699 50	
Lighting public lamps.....	41,000 32	
		\$42,087 82

ON ACCOUNT OF LAMPS AND GAS—TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS,
1874—

Lighting public lamps.....	9,882 93
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ON ACCOUNT OF CONTINGENCIES—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, 1874—

Horse and wagon, and traveling expenses.....	187 50
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ON ACCOUNT OF LAMPS AND GAS, 1875—

Washington Market.....	\$502 97
Catharine Country Market.....	37 67
Catharine Meat.....	20 35
Fulton Meat.....	194 97
Fulton Country.....	311 02
Gouverneur Market.....	8 24
Essex.....	163 35
Centre.....	299 75
Clinton.....	344 58
Union.....	48 95
Tompkins.....	236 22
Jefferson.....	145 48

First District Police Court.....	\$127 05
Second " " ".....	7 98
Third " " ".....	124 30
Fourth " " ".....	155 66
Fifth " " ".....	31 50
Second District Civil Court.....	\$4 12
Third " " ".....	9 07
Fifth " " ".....	9 62
Sixth " " ".....	1 10
Eighth " " ".....	8 25
Ninth " " ".....	11 70

ON ACCOUNT OF LAMPS AND GAS, 1875—Continued.

Marine Court.....	\$10 72	
Brown-stone Court Building.....	348 14	
New Court-house.....	1,707 74	\$2,110 46
City Hall.....	\$617 64	
Corporation Attorney's office.....	94 86	
Rivington Street Pipe-yard.....	2 20	
Department of Buildings.....	4 67	
South Gate-house.....	7 20	
Receiver of Taxes' office.....	332 47	
Office Engineer of Boulevards.....	3 30	
Office Assistant Engineer, Croton Aqueduct.....	16 50	1,078 84
Lighting public markets.....	\$190 00	
Painting public lamps.....	288 00	
Paints, oils, etc.....	1 65	
Putty.....	15 85	
Glass.....	360 00	
New boulevard lamps.....	416 75	
New street lamps.....	938 00	
Street signs.....	12 00	
Lamp irons.....	50 00	
Cartages.....	71 75	
Fitting up new lamp-posts.....	100 00	
Resetting and repairing lamp-posts.....	441 50	
Lighting public lamps.....	117,507 07	120,392 59

ON ACCOUNT OF LAMPS AND GAS—TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS, 1875—

Lighting public lamps.....	\$19,248 90
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Exhibit "C."

Summary of the Appropriations for Lamps and Gas for 1874, showing the Balances against which no Vouchers have been drawn, with the amount of Liabilities against the Appropriation.

Amount appropriated for lamps and gas for 1874.....	\$650,000 00
Amount expended to December 31, 1874.....	\$471,787 17
Amount of vouchers drawn during quarter ending March 31, 1875.....	42,087 82
Total amount of vouchers drawn to March 31, 1875.....	513,874 99
Balance against which no vouchers have been drawn.....	\$136,125 01
Less amount transferred by "Board of Estimate and Apportionment" to account of "Heating Public Buildings, formerly County," per resolution of October 19, 1874.....	5,000 00
	\$131,125 01
Credit by amount deducted from Voucher No. 431.....	3 50
Total balance to credit of appropriation.....	\$131,128 51

Liabilities—	
Metropolitan Gas-light Co.—Lighting public lamps, January 1 to December 31, 1874.....	\$122,561 52
Manhattan Gas-light Co.—Gas to County Jail, May 1 to December 31, 1874.....	1,103 30
	123,664 82
Balance available, March 31, 1875.....	\$7,463 69
Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—	
Amount appropriated for lamps and gas, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, for 1874.....	\$124,000 00
Amount expended to December 31, 1874.....	\$108,975 15
Amount of vouchers drawn during quarter ending March 31, 1875.....	9,882 93
Total amount of vouchers drawn to March 31, 1875.....	118,858 08
Balance against which no vouchers have been drawn.....	\$5,141 92
Credit by amounts deducted from vouchers of Westchester County Gas-light Co.....	3,028 62
Total balance to credit of appropriation, March 31, 1875.....	\$8,170 54

Exhibit "D."

Summary of the Appropriation for Lamps and Gas for 1875, showing the Balance against which no Vouchers have been drawn, with the Amount of Liabilities against the Appropriation.

Amount appropriated for lamps and gas, for 1875.....	\$650,000 00
Amount of vouchers drawn during quarter ending March 31.....	126,341 93
Balance of the appropriation against which no vouchers have been drawn.....	\$523,658 07

Liabilities—	
New York Gas-light Co.—Lighting public lamps, month of March.....	\$9,239 00
Manhattan Gas-light Co.—Lighting public lamps, month of March.....	19,810 00
Metropolitan Gas-light Co.—Lighting public lamps, month of March.....	13,174 50
Harlem Gas-light Co.—Lighting public lamps, month of March.....	13,731 58
New York Mutual Gas-light Co.—Lighting public lamps, month of March.....	1,846 17
New York Gas-light Co.—Gas to public offices, etc., month of March.....	1,949 97
Manhattan Gas-light Co.—Gas to public offices, etc., month of March.....	629 20
Metropolitan Gas-light Co.—Gas to public offices, etc., month of March.....	65 45
Harlem Gas-light Co.—Gas to public offices, etc., month of March.....	35 10
Manhattan Gas-light Co.—Gas to County Jail, January 1 to March 31.....	663 29
Pay-roll—Lighting public markets, month of March.....	95 00
Pay-roll—Painting public lamps, month of March.....	162 00
Andrew Miller, cartage, month of March.....	44 25
Alex. Brandon, repairing 400 old lamps.....	440 00
Alex. Brandon, 300 new street-lamps.....	915 00
Edward A. Boyd, 100 boxes glass.....	390 70
J. W. Bartlett, repairing and refinishing lamp-tops.....	214 90
	63,406 11
Balance available, March 31, 1875.....	\$460,251 96

Exhibit "E."

Summary of the Appropriation for Lamps and Gas, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, for 1875, showing the Amounts against which no Vouchers have been drawn, with the Amount of Liabilities against the Appropriation.

Amount appropriated for lamps and gas, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, for 1875.....	\$100,000 00
Amount of vouchers drawn during quarter ending March 31.....	19,248 90
Balance of the appropriation against which no vouchers have been drawn.....	\$80,751 10

Liabilities—

Westchester County Gas-light Co.—Lighting public lamps, month of March.....	\$5,746 60
Suburban Gas-light Co.—Lighting public lamps, month of March.....	3,883 33
	\$9,629 93
Balance available, March 31, 1875.....	\$71,121 17

Exhibit "F."

Summary of the Lamp Account, showing the number of New Lamps Lighted, Old Lamps Relighted, and number Discontinued by each Gas Company during the Quarter ending March 31, 1875, with the total number Lighted by each Company on said date.

New York Gas-light Company—	
Number of lamps burning December 31, 1874.....	3,010
Number of new lamps lighted during quarter ending March 31, 1875.....	0
Number of old lamps relighted during quarter ending March 31, 1875.....	2
	3,012
Less lamps discontinued during quarter ending March 31, 1875.....	5
Number of lamps burning March 31, 1875.....	3,007
Manhattan Gas-light Company—	
Number of lamps burning December 31, 1874.....	6,561
Number of new lamps lighted during quarter ending March 31, 1875.....	2
Number of old lamps relighted during quarter ending March 31, 1875.....	0
	6,563
Less lamps discontinued during quarter ending March 31, 1875.....	6
Number of lamps burning March 31, 1875.....	6,557
Metropolitan Gas-light Company—	
Number of lamps burning December 31, 1874.....	3,488
Number of new lamps lighted during quarter ending March 31, 1875.....	14
Number of old lamps relighted during quarter ending March 31, 1875.....	13
	3,515
Less lamps discontinued during quarter ending March 31, 1875.....	21
Number of lamps burning March 31, 1875.....	3,494
Harlem Gas-light Company—	
Number of lamps burning December 31, 1874.....	4,025
Number of new lamps lighted during quarter ending March 31, 1875.....	1
Number of old lamps relighted during quarter ending March 31, 1875.....	8
	4,034
Less lamps discontinued during quarter ending March 31, 1875.....	58
Number of lamps burning March 31, 1875.....	3,976
New York Mutual Gas-light Company—	
Number of lamps burning December 31, 1874.....	583
Number of new lamps lighted during quarter ending March 31, 1875.....	0
Number of old lamps relighted during quarter ending March 31, 1875.....	0
	583
Less lamps discontinued during quarter ending March 31, 1875.....	0
Number of lamps burning March 31, 1875.....	583
Westchester County Gas-light Company—	
Number of lamps burning December 31, 1874.....	1,523
Number of new lamps lighted during quarter ending March 31, 1875.....	0
Number of old lamps relighted during quarter ending March 31, 1875.....	0
	1,523
Less lamps discontinued during quarter ending March 31, 1875.....	1
Number of lamps burning March 31, 1875.....	1,522
Suburban Gas-light Company—	
Number of lamps burning December 31, 1874.....	932
Number of new lamps lighted during quarter ending March 31, 1875.....	0
Number of old lamps relighted during quarter ending March 31, 1875.....	0
	932
Less lamps discontinued during quarter ending March 31, 1875.....	0
Number of lamps burning March 31, 1875.....	932
Total number of lamps burning March 31, 1875.....	20,071

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
BUREAU OF REPAIRS AND SUPPLIES,
SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, CITY HALL, ROOM 18,
NEW YORK, April 8, 1875.

FITZ JOHN PORTER, Esq.,

Commissioner of Public Works:

SIR—In accordance with the requirements of chapter 335, Laws of 1873, section 110, and in compliance with the instructions contained in your circular letter dated April 1, 1875, I herewith submit the following report of the business of this Bureau for the quarter ending March 31, 1875.

No contracts have been made.

The work on the contracts heretofore entered into, during the administration of my predecessor, for the covering of Tompkins Market Building, have not been completed, but is progressing.

The statements marked "A," "B," and "C," hereto annexed, show the number and amount of certified vouchers drawn during the quarter, also where the same has been charged, also shows the condition of the appropriation for the years 1874 and 1875.

Respectfully,

THOMAS KEECH,

Superintendent of Repairs and Supplies.

Exhibit "A,"

Showing the Number of Certified Vouchers and Amount drawn on Account of each Appropriation therein named, from January 1 to March 31, 1875, inclusive, and transmitted for payment.

TITLES OF APPROPRIATIONS.	No. of Vouchers.	Amounts.
Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.....	130	\$44,766 96
Public Buildings, Construction and Repairs.....	75	17,660 26
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....	89	30,532 66
Free Floating Baths.....	3	408 00
Printing, Stationery, Law, and Blank Books, for County Offices, etc.....	12	6,739 27
Cleaning and Supplies of Offices and Buildings formerly belonging to the County.....	10	5,031 52
Repairs to Buildings and Offices formerly belonging to the County.....	6	1,212 28
Heating Offices and Buildings formerly belonging to the County.....	3	4,105 80
Contingencies—Department of Public Works.....	5	207 70
Salaries—City Courts, Police Courts.....	2	500 00
Totals.....	335	\$111,164 45

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
BUREAU OF INCUMBRANCES,
NEW YORK, March 31, 1875.

Hon. FITZ JOHN PORTER,
Commissioner of Public Works:

SIR—In reply to yours of April 1st, I respectfully make the following report of the operations of this Bureau for the three months ending this day:

I assumed the duties of Superintendent of this Bureau on the 29th inst., and received from my predecessor all books, papers, etc., belonging to the office, from which the data for this report is taken.

There has been received at this Bureau one hundred and sixteen complaints of obstructions and incumbrances on the streets and sidewalks; notices have been made out and served on the offending parties, about one-half of which have been complied with; where the parties have refused to remove the incumbrance complained of, the Bureau, for want of funds, has had to submit.

One hundred and seventy-four permits, to builders, to temporarily occupy the street with material to be used in the erection or repair of buildings, have been issued.

Three notices to repair sidewalks in bad or dangerous condition have been served. No action has been taken in reference to complaints of Mr. G. W. Blunt, of incumbrances on the water-front of West and South streets, made December, 1874, the Department of Docks having subsequently taken action as to the rights of parties claiming authority to obstruct the bulkheads or streets adjoining.

This Bureau, on or about 26th December, 1874, served notices on parties incumbering West and South streets, seventy feet from the house-line, and many complied with the requirements of the notice.

The notices served directing the substitution of vault coverings presenting a rough surface, have generally been complied with; no complaints of neglect have been made.

The following special permits have been granted:

- One to plant trees.
- Two to remove buildings.
- Four to set telegraph poles.
- One to bridge gutter.

Respectfully submitted,
SETH C. DOUGLASS,
Superintendent of Incumbrances.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
BUREAU OF SEWERS,
NEW YORK, April 3, 1875.

Gen. FITZ JOHN PORTER,
Commissioner of Public Works:

SIR—In compliance with your instructions, I beg leave to submit the following report of the transactions of this Bureau for the quarter ending March 31, 1875.

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

RECEIPTS.

I.—The number of permits granted for making connections with sewers was sixty-seven, and the amount received from the same source and credited to the General Fund,	\$1,018 00
II.—The amount received from the sale of sewer-pipe and charged to contractors.....	\$1,690 88
The amount furnished for the construction of Boulevard sewers.....	1,024 05
	<u>\$2,714 93</u>

The amount of surveyors' fees assessable on property benefited, and charged on assessment lists, to be credited to the Street Improvement Fund.....	\$25,641 00
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EXPENDITURES.

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

Vouchers were transmitted to the Commissioner of Public Works amounting to..... \$72,160 04

Expenditures—	
Sewers, drains, culverts, and receiving-basins.....	\$58,073 63
Pay-roll, engineer, assistants, etc.....	11,022 41
Inspectors on sewers.....	2,976 00
Sundries.....	88 00
	<u>\$72,160 04</u>

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

During the period referred to 3,458 receiving-basins were cleaned.

Appropriation for the year 1875..... \$75,000 00

Expenditures—	
Foster & Holland, contractors, cleaning receiving-basins.....	\$10,800 00
Thomas & John D. Crimmins, cleaning sewers.....	2,032 00
Pay-roll—Mechanics and laborers.....	3,263 50
	<u>\$16,095 50</u>
Unexpended balance.....	58,904 50
	<u>\$75,000 00</u>

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

Unexpired balance December 31, 1874..... \$3,788 28

Expenditures—	
Thomas & John D. Crimmins, repairing sewers, etc.....	\$2,265 90
James Everhard, repairing man-holes, etc.....	833 25
	<u>\$3,099 15</u>
Unexpired balance.....	689 13
	<u>\$3,788 28</u>

CONTRACTS ENTERED INTO DURING THE QUARTER ENDING MARCH 31, 1875.

Sewers.

- One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.
- One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, between Sixth and Eighth avenues.
- One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.
- One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, with branch in Madison avenue.
- One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.
- One Hundred and Forty-second street, between Boulevard and Hudson river.

During the quarter referred to, 8,659 lineal feet of sewer, 1,470 lineal feet of drain, 212 lineal feet of culvert, and nine receiving-basins were built, making the total length of sewerage in the city 1,800,163 lineal feet (340 93-100 miles), and 4,122 receiving-basins.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

STEVENSON TOWLE,
Engineer in Charge of Sewers.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
BUREAU OF CONSTRUCTION OF ROADS AND AVENUES,
ROOM No. 18½, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, April 20, 1875.

Hon. FITZ JOHN PORTER,
Commissioner of Public Works:

SIR—Agreeably to your instructions of April 1, 1875, I have the honor to submit the following report of the operations and progress of the work under the charge of this Bureau, for the quarter ending March 31, 1875.

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

For the construction of—	
Boulevard sewers, 12 E.....	\$35,123 40
" " 13 B.....	29,548 86
" " 14 B.....	21,803 34
" " 1 D.....	17,698 28
Avenue St. Nicholas sewers, 11 R.....	23,673 17
Tenth avenue, One Hundred and Tenth to Manhattan street.....	9,621 54
Tenth avenue, One Hundred and Fifty-fifth to One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street.....	136 77
One Hundred and Tenth street, First avenue to Riverside Drive.....	30,499 92
One Hundred and Tenth street superstructure, First avenue to Riverside Drive.....	7,462 20
Avenue A, Fifty-seventh to Eighty-sixth street.....	31,638 19
Avenue A superstructure, Fifty-seventh to Eighty-sixth street.....	6,818 62
Seventy-second street, Avenue A to Fifth avenue.....	361 96
Avenue A superstructure, Avenue A to Fifth avenue.....	482 94
One Hundred and Sixteenth street, Avenue A to Sixth avenue.....	19,680 34
One Hundred and Sixteenth street superstructure, Avenue A to Sixth avenue.....	7,992 82
New avenue, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, One Hundredth to One Hundred and Tenth street.....	37,575 75
New avenue, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, One Hundred and Tenth to One Hundred and Fourteenth street.....	6,210 23
New avenue, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, One Hundred and Fourteenth street to Avenue St. Nicholas.....	6,542 83
Manhattan street.....	602 98
One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, Ninth avenue to Hudson river.....	1,359 37
One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, Seventh avenue to the Boulevard.....	7,875 66
Ninth avenue, One Hundred and Twenty-third to One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street.....	1,016 18
One Hundred and Twenty-second street, Tenth avenue to Riverside Drive.....	9,610 06
First avenue, Eighty-sixth to One Hundred and Sixteenth street.....	74 34
First avenue superstructure, Eighty-sixth to One Hundred and Sixteenth street.....	6,284 98
Avenue A, One Hundred and Sixteenth street to Harlem river.....	2,068 00
Avenue A superstructure, One Hundred and Sixteenth street to Harlem river.....	1,674 99
One Hundred and Sixteenth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.....	13,277 02
Twelfth avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-ninth and One Hundred and Thirtieth streets.....	1,119 42
Seventy-second street, Telford pavement.....	502 87
Boulevard planting.....	929 62
Avenue St. Nicholas planting.....	312 00
Maintenance of Roads and Avenues, 1874.....	2,912 00
" " " 1875.....	5,537 82

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

SEWERS ON THE BOULEVARD.

- 1,443 lineal feet of earth trench excavated.
- 1,020 lineal feet of rock trench excavated.
- 2,057 lineal feet of brick sewer built.
- 7 manholes built.
- 378 cubic yards of sand furnished and delivered.
- 1,126 barrels of cement furnished and delivered.
- 152,019 bricks furnished and delivered.

SEWERS ON AVENUE ST. NICHOLAS.

- 866 lineal feet of earth trench excavated.
- 245 lineal feet of rock trench excavated.
- 113 lineal feet of brick sewer built.
- 1,416 lineal feet of vitrified pipe laid.
- 9 manholes built.
- 5 receiving-basins built.
- 63 cubic yards of sand furnished and delivered.
- 324 barrels of cement furnished and delivered.
- 1,488 lineal feet of vitrified pipe furnished.
- 41,000 brick furnished and delivered.

EASTERN BOULEVARD.

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

- 2,500 cubic yards of earth excavation.
- 2,750 cubic yards of rock excavation.
- 2,295 cubic yards of Telford stone broken.
- 4,000 cubic yards of filling furnished from sources outside the line of the street.
- 400 cubic yards of retaining wall built.

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

- 1,940 cubic yards of earth excavation.
- 2,260 cubic yards of rock excavation.

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

- 392 cubic yards of Telford stone broken.

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

- 3,637 cubic yards of earth excavation.
- 2,545 cubic yards of rock excavation.
- 915 cubic yards of filling.
- 890 cubic yards of Telford stone broken.
- 441 cubic yards of broken stone of trap-rock furnished.

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

- 5,009 cubic yards of filling furnished from sources outside the line of the street.
- 1,159 cubic yards of retaining wall built.
- 2,338 cubic yards of Telford stone broken.

AVENUE A, FROM ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTEENTH STREET TO HARLEM RIVER.

- 1,634 cubic yards of filling furnished from sources outside the line of the avenue.
- 600 cubic yards of Telford stone broken.

WORK DONE UNDER SPECIAL ORDINANCE OF COMMON COUNCIL.

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

- 1,615 cubic yards of rock excavation.
- 30,700 cubic yards of filling.

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

- 100 cubic yards of earth excavation.
- 1,400 cubic yards of rock excavation.

NINTH AVENUE, FROM ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-THIRD TO ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SIXTH STREET.

100 cubic yards of filling furnished.

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

810 cubic yards of broken stone of trap-rock furnished and delivered.

TWELFTH AVENUE, FROM ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-NINTH TO ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTIETH STREET.

1,400 cubic yards of filling furnished.

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTEENTH STREET, BETWEEN SIXTH AND SEVENTH AVENUES.

15,620 cubic yards of filling furnished.

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

The area and length of all widths of roadway being now maintained are :
718,669 square yards, and 17 $\frac{1}{10}$ miles.

FORCE.

The force employed upon all the works under the direction of this Bureau, on January 1, 1875, was 1,641 men and teams.
The present force is 1,624 men and teams.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
CONTRACT CLERK'S OFFICE,
ROOM NO. 21, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, April 10, 1875.

General FITZ JOHN PORTER,
Commissioner of Public Works :

SIR—I have the honor to submit herewith a report explanatory of the proceedings and transactions of this office, for the quarter ending March 31, 1875.

Yours, respectfully,
AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY,
Contract Clerk.

Contracts made during the three months ending March 31, 1875.

Date of Opening.	Date of Contract.	NATURE AND LOCATION OF WORK.	CONTRACTOR.	SURETIES.	ESTIMATED COST.
1874. Nov. 25	1875. Jan. 4	Regulating and grading 5th ave., from 90th to 120th st.	James Everard, 307 East 40th st.	Thomas J. McCahill, 361 Lexington ave. Solomon Mehrbach, 145 East 45th st.	\$110,051 00
" 25	" 8	Regulating and grading 129th street, from Broadway to Hudson river.	Wm. F. Boehm, 9th ave. and 100th st.	Charles Dowd, 513 East 17th st. Jacob Boehm, 100th st. and 9th ave.	3,152 80
" 25	Feb. 26	Sewer in 124th st., bet. 6th and 7th aves.	John Mulholland, 73d st. and 2d ave.	David Hamilton, 1415 Second ave. Edward Mahon, 1438 Second ave.	1,873 50
" 25	" 26	Sewer in 126th st., bet. 6th and 8th aves.	P. Mulholland, 1332 Third avenue.	John Mulholland, 73d st. and 2d ave. O. T. Marshall, 145 East 78th st.	3,983 50
" 25	" 26	Sewer in 128th st., bet. 6th and 7th aves.	John Mulholland, 73d st. and 2d ave.	David Hamilton, 1415 Second ave. Edward Mahon, 1438 Second ave.	1,865 50
" 25	" 26	Sewer in 134th st., bet. 5th and 6th aves.	P. Mulholland, 1332 Third ave.	John Mulholland, 73d st. and 2d ave. O. T. Marshall, 145 East 78th st.	3,311 95
" 25	" 26	Sewer in 134th st., bet. 4th and 5th aves., with branch in Madison avenue.	John Mulholland, 73d st. and 2d ave.	David Hamilton, 1415 Second ave. Edward Mahon, 1438 Second ave.	2,694 25
" 25	" 26	Sewer in 142d st., bet. Boulevard and Hudson river.	John Mulholland, 73d st. and 2d ave.	David Babcock, 16 Broadway. Bernard Maloney, Lexington ave.	6,290 00
1875. Jan. 14	Jan. 21	For mason and iron work required in construction of a roof on Tompkins Market.	John McChristie, 142d st. and Willis ave.	John A. Eagleson, 221 East 118th st. Edward C. Sheehy, 1505 Third ave.	1,075 00
Nine Contracts.....					\$134,297 50

Contracts finished during the three months ending March 31, 1875.

DATE.	NATURE AND LOCATION OF WORK.	COST.
January 14	Sewer in Sheriff street, between Grand and Broome streets.	\$1,107 00
" 14	Sewer in Greenwich street, between Charlton and King streets.	911 75
" 14	Sewer in east side of Hudson street, between Charlton and King streets.	953 80
" 14	Sewer in Greenwich street, between Charlton and King streets.	892 95
" 14	Sewer in Washington street, between West Tenth and Charles street.	832 00
" 14	Sewer in Lighthouse street, between Varick and Hudson streets.	1,343 00
February 17	Outlet sewer in One Hundred and Tenth street, from Harlem river to Fifth avenue, to One Hundred and Sixteenth street, to Seventh avenue.	478,934 35
" 6	Sewer in Eighty-third and Eighty-fourth streets, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, and in Ninth avenue, etc.	28,280 70
" 27	Sewer in Sixty-sixth street, between Boulevard and Tenth avenue.	10,546 80
February 17	Receiving-basin on north side of Twentieth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.	377 00
January 28	Regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Eighth street, from Fifth avenue to the East river.	112,921 21
February 4	Regulating, grading, etc., Seventy-third street, from Eighth avenue to the Hudson river.	101,072 85
" 4	Regulating, grading, etc., Madison avenue, from One Hundred and Fifth to One Hundred and Twentieth streets.	246,097 04
" 4	Regulating, grading, etc., Seventy-seventh street, between Ninth avenue and Boulevard.	50,692 15
March 20	Regulating, grading, etc., Ninth avenue, from Eighty-third to Ninety-second street.	55,714 41
January 14	Flagging sidewalks on north side of Forty-third street, from First to Second avenue.	508 06
" 14	Regulating, grading, and paving Worth street, from Broadway to Chatham street.	28,280 70
February 18	Regulating, grading, and paving Broadway, from Thirty-second to Fifty-ninth street.	140,018 07
January 14	Paving Thirty-sixth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.	5,293 34
Twenty Contracts.....		\$1,265,665 68

COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND.

Abstract of the Proceedings of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at the meeting held May 14, 1875:

Present—Hon. Wm. H. Wickham, Mayor (Chairman); Hon. John K. Hackett, Recorder; Hon. Andrew H. Green, Comptroller; and J. Nelson Tappan, Esq., Chamberlain.

The Comptroller submitted the appraisal of the value of the rent of the real estate of the Corporation of the City of New York, to be leased at public auction, May 18, 1875, for a term of one year and eleven months from the 1st of June next, made by Samuel C. Holmes; whereupon the following resolution was adopted, viz:

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund do hereby approve of the appraisal of valuations of the property to be leased at public auction, on May 18, 1875, as made by Samuel C. Holmes.

The Comptroller submitted a list of the real estate of the Corporation of the City of New York, the leases of which are advertised to be sold at public auction, May 18, 1875; together with the terms of said sale, as follows:

TERMS OF SALE.

Twenty per cent. on the yearly rent bid for each parcel to be paid to the Collector of the City Revenue at the time and place of sale; and the successful bidder will be required, at the same time, to have an obligation executed by two sureties, to be approved by the Comptroller, for carrying into effect the terms of sale.

The twenty per cent., when paid, will be credited on the first quarter's rent; or forfeited, if the lessee does not execute the lease and bond within fifteen days after the sale; and the Comptroller shall be authorized, at his option, to resell the premises bid off by those failing to comply with the terms as above; and the party so failing to comply to be liable for any deficiency that may result from such resale.

No person will be received as lessee or surety who is delinquent on any former lease from the Corporation. No bid will be accepted from any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as security or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation. (Sec. 99 of Charter of 1873.)

The leases will contain the usual covenants and conditions, reserving to the Corporation the right to cancel the lease whenever the premises may be required by them for public purposes.

All repairs will be made at the expense of the lessees, and no deduction whatever will be allowed for damage by reason of any sickness or epidemic that may prevail in the city during the continuance of the lease.

The lessees will be required to give a bond for double the amount of the annual rent, with two sureties, to be approved by the Comptroller, conditioned for the payment of the rent quarter-yearly, and the fulfillment on their part of the covenants of the lease.

Should the Corporation sell, lease, rebuild, or remove any of the Markets during the term for which the lease is granted, the leases of the property so sold and of the cellars and other premises in or under the Markets so sold, leased, rebuilt, or removed, are to be canceled at the option of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, and no deduction or award for damages will be made by the Corporation therefor.

Whereupon the following resolution was adopted, viz:

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund do hereby authorize the sales of the leases of the property belonging to the City of New York, as advertised to take place on May 18, 1875, to be carried into effect, on condition that no lease be sold for a less rent than the appraised value; and do hereby approve of the "terms of sale," submitted by the Comptroller.

The resolution submitted at the last meeting of this Board, in relation to the execution of Leases of Ferry Franchises and other property, awarded or granted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, and laid over for consideration, was taken up for action, and on motion of the Recorder, adopted, as follows:

Resolved, That all leases of Ferry franchises and other property, hereafter awarded or granted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, be executed on behalf of said Commissioners by the Comptroller; and the Comptroller is hereby authorized to execute the same on behalf of said Commissioners.

The report of the Commissioners of Docks, in response to the resolution of this Board, adopted February 25, 1875, requesting the Commissioners of Docks to furnish this Board with a statement of the expenditures and operations of the Dock Department, for the year 1874, was received and ordered on file.

W. H. DIKEMAN,
Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DAILY MEETINGS, MAY 3 TO 8, 1875.

Present—Commissioners Bailey, Brennan, and Cox.

Communications Received.

From Commissioners of Emigration, transmitting copy of chapter 302, section 4, Laws of 1873:

"The Commissioners of Emigration shall not be required to support any person capable of earning a livelihood for a longer period than two years. This section shall not take effect until the 1st day of May 1873."

From Alms-house—Statement of amount of labor performed by mechanics (inmates) during week ending May 1, 1875. Ordered on file.

From Gas-works, Blackwell's Island—Engineer reporting amount of gas consumed during April, 1875, 243,300 feet. Ordered on file.

From Penitentiary—List of 54 prisoners to be discharged from 9th to 15th May, 1875. Transmitted to Prison Association.

From Penitentiary—List of prisoners received during week ending May 1, 1875: Males, 20; females, 4. Ordered on file.

From Gas Works, Ward's Island—Engineer reporting quantity of gas consumed during April, 1875: 65,700 feet. Ordered on file.

From Board of Health—Transmitting the following:

Resolved, That a permit be and is hereby granted to the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction to boil bones on Blackwell's Island.

A true copy.

(Signed)

EMMONS CLARK,
Secretary.

Ordered on file.

Proposals for dry goods, lumber, leather, codfish, pepper, and onions. Opened in presence of Commissioners Bailey, Brennan, Cox, and the Comptroller.

B. W. Pierce—1 case bleached muslin, 14c. per yard; 1 case 11-4 quilts, \$1.49 each; 1 case furniture check, 16c. per yard.

Lee Box Lumber Co.—50 M. feet box-boards, \$19.40 per M.

Charles F. Mattlage—300 quintals Georgia Bank codfish, \$5.85 per 112 lbs.

James M. Ingersoll—1 case bleached muslin, Utica nonpareil, 15c. per yard; 1 case 11-4 quilts (two patterns), No. 1, \$1.40 each; No. 2, \$1.50 each; 1 case furniture check, 19c. per yard; imitation, 12c., 15c., 16c., 18c., per yard.

George P. Trigg—300 quintals Georgia Bank codfish—May, \$5.87; June, \$5.75; July, 5.75; per 112 lbs.

H. K. Thurber & Co.—300 quintals Georgia Bank codfish, \$6 per 112 lbs.; 1,000 lbs. black pepper, 22c. per lb.

H. G. Ely & Sanger—200 sides light kip waxed leather, 23c. per foot.

Louis Sternback—1 case bleached muslin, 17c. per yard; 1 case 11-4 quilts, \$1.47½ each; 1 case furniture check like sample submitted, 16½c. per yard.

Daniel Mooney—100 bbls. red onions, \$1.48 per bbl.

Robert Seaman & Co.—1,000 lbs. black pepper, 21c. per lb.; 100 bbls. red onions, \$1.90 per bbl.

John S. Holden & Co.—1 case bleached muslin—sample No. 1, 16c. per yard; No. 2, 12½c. per yard; 1 case 11-4 quilts, \$1.37½ each; 1 case furniture check, sample No. 1, 15c. yard.

Joseph W. Duryee—50 M. feet box board, \$21.90 per M.

Thomas J. Crombie—50 M. feet box board, \$18.25 per M.

Watrous & Willson—50 M. feet box board, \$17.50 per M.

Resolved, That the proposal of Watrous & Willson, to furnish and deliver 50 M. feet box board, at \$17.70 per M.; of H. G. Ely & Sanger, 200 sides light kip (waxed) leather, at 23c. per foot; George P. Trigg & Co., 300 quintals Georgia Bank codfish, best quality—100 quintals in May, at \$5.87½; 100 quintals in June, at \$5.75 per quintal; 100 quintals in July, at \$5.75 per quintal; Robert Seaman & Co., 1,000 pounds whole pepper, at 21½c. per lb.; Daniel Mooney, 100 barrels red onions, at \$1.48 per barrel; B. W. Pierce, 1 case bleached muslin, at 14c. per yard, 1 case furniture check, 16c. per yard; Louis Sternback, 1 case 11-4 quilts, at \$1.47½ each, be accepted, and the contracts awarded to them; provided, the adequacy and sufficiency of their sureties are approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York. Adopted May 6, 1875.

Resolutions.

By Commissioner Brennan—

Resolved, That in case of an outbreak or an attempt to escape in any one of our prisons on Blackwell's Island, the Warden or officer in charge shall immediately notify the General Storekeeper, who shall then cause the large bell attached to his department to be rung, to as to notify the officers and employees of all the buildings on the Island, that they may join in pursuit of said prisoners. Adopted May 4, 1875.

By Commissioner Brennan—

Resolved, That one coal-screen (where not already on hand) be supplied to each institution in this Department, and that the Wardens and heads of said buildings be requested to enforce the order that no cinders be carted away without first being screened. Adopted May 5, 1875.

Ordered, That until further instructions Messrs. Kearney & Arnold be directed to furnish a better quality of beef at Bellevue Hospital, at the rate now paid for extra diet meat, than at present supplied, and that Warden O'Rourke make weekly reports on the amount and kind received. Adopted May 5, 1875.

Resolved, That in view of the imperative necessity of reducing the salary account, so as to bring it within the limits of the annual appropriation, the services of the visitors of the Out-door Poor be for the present dispensed with. The resolution to take effect on the 10th instant. Adopted May 6, 1875.

By order of the Board.
WM. IRWIN,
Secretary D. P. P.
May 18, 1875.

DEPARTMENT PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 19, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, May 18, 1875.

To JAMES CLARK,

Contractor,

No. 400 West Forty-seventh street.

SIR—The sureties offered by you on your bid for the contract for paving the roadways of West Washington Market, having been approved by the Comptroller, you are hereby notified to attend with said sureties and execute said contract within two days from the date of this notice. In case of failure or neglect on your part so to do, you will be considered as having abandoned said contract, and as in default to the Corporation; and the work will be re-advertised and relet, you and your sureties being held responsible for any excess of cost over and above your bid.

FITZ JOHN PORTER,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM NO. 19, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, May 18, 1875.

To THOMAS CONKLIN,

Contractor,

No. 224 W. 31st street:

SIR—The sureties offered by you on your bid for the contract for paving with Belgian pavement Twenty-ninth street, from First avenue to East river, having been approved by the Comptroller, you are hereby notified to attend with said sureties and execute said contract within two days from the date of this notice. In case of failure or neglect on your part so to do, you will be considered as having abandoned said contract, and as in default to the Corporation; and the work will be re-advertised and relet, you and your sureties being held responsible for any excess of cost over and above your bid.

FITZ JOHN PORTER,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, May 11, 1875.

PROPOSALS INCLOSED IN A SEALED ENVELOPE, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received at this office, until the 24th day of May, 1875, at 12 o'clock M., at which hour they will be publicly opened and read. For

MASON WORK

required in the building known as Tompkins Market, situated on Third avenue, between Sixth and Seventh streets, in the City of New York.

Bidders must be practical mechanics, regularly engaged in the business of performing the work they propose to do, by their own employees, under their own personal superintendence (without the intervention of a sub-contractor), setting forth the sum of money for which they will furnish all the materials and labor requisite to perform the work, as shown on the plans and described in the specifications bearing even date herewith, and now on file in the office of the Contract Clerk, Room 21, City Hall, and to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Public Works and his Superintendent.

The Commissioner of Public Works reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, if, in his judgment, the same may be for the best interest of the city.

FITZ JOHN PORTER,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVE. AND ELEVENTH STREET,
NEW YORK, May 10, 1875.

PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRS, TO STEAMBOAT Minnahanon's boiler, engine, painting, hauling out and ship carpenter and joiner work.

Proposals sealed, and indorsed as above, will be received by the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction until 10 o'clock A. M., of the 22d of May, 1875, at which time they will be publicly opened for making repairs to—Boiler and engine, for painting, hauling out, scraping, ship carpenter and joiner work, for steamboat Minnahanon, as per specifications to be seen at this office.

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

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

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserve the right to decline any and all proposals if deemed to be for the public interest, and no proposal will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is defaulter, as security or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH STREET,
NEW YORK, May 17, 1875.

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 Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from Pier 46, North river—Unknown man; age about 50 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; sandy hair. Had on black overcoat, brown cloth pants, blue flannel shirt, gray knit undershirt, white ribbed drawers, white ribbed socks, elastic side shoes, body in water about three months. No effects found on his person.

Unknown man from foot of Fourteenth street, East river—Age about 35 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; light brown hair. Had on pepper and salt coat and pants, black cloth vest, brown cardigan jacket, two white shirts, white twill drawers, white socks, light boots. Body in water about two months. No effects found on his person.

At New York City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island, May 15, 1875—John Hoop; age 30 years; 5 feet 9 inches high; brown hair; gray eyes. This patient was transferred from Charity Hospital, December 14, 1871, and had on Corporation clothing. Nothing known of his friends or relatives. No effects found on his person.

By Order,
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH STREET,
NEW YORK, May 18, 1875.

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 New York City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island, May 15, 1875—Henry Lohring; age 30 years; 5 feet 9 inches high; brown hair; blue eyes. This patient was transferred from old Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island, January 30, 1872, and had on Corporation clothing. The usual death notice was sent to the address of two of his friends, but they could not be found. Nothing known of his friends or relatives. No effects found on his person.

By Order,
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 Third Avenue,
NEW YORK, May 15, 1875.

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 New York City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island, May 12, 1875—Charles Howard; aged 35 years; 5 feet 9½ inches high; black hair and eyes. Had on black sacque coat, striped pants, black cloth vest, calico shirt, brown mixed flannel drawers, slouched hat. The usual death notice was sent to the address of a friend, but who could not be found. Nothing known of his relatives. No effects found on his person.

By Order,
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 Third Avenue,
NEW YORK, May 15, 1875.

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 Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from Pier No. 35 East river—Unknown man; aged about 40 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; black hair and beard. Was dressed in black pants, brown woolen shirt with white stripe, white ribbed undershirt, white flannel drawers, white cotton socks, elastic gaiters. Body in water about ten weeks. No effects found on his person.

By Order,
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVE. AND ELEVENTH STREET,
NEW YORK, May 12, 1875.

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, May 11, 1875—Sarah, alias Charlotte Kinney; age 37 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; black hair and eyes. Nothing known of her friends or relatives, except that she has a sister living in Baltimore. No effects found on her person.

At New York City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island, May 9, 1875—Ernst Meyer; age 58 years; 5 feet 6½ inches high; brown hair and eyes. This patient was transferred from Alms-house, March 11, 1874. The usual death notice was sent to the address of a friend, but the person could not be found. There has been no person to visit him nor could any information be obtained of his friends or relatives. No effects found on his person.

By Order,
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, May 10, 1875.

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 Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, May 8, 1875, from Pier 47, North river—Unknown man; 5 feet 7 inches high. Was dressed in dark pants, blue flannel shirt, gray ribbed undershirt and drawers, brown woolen socks, brown knit jacket. On his person was found sheath knife and belt, with name Herman Johansen on handle, and fifty cents in cash.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island, May 8, 1875—Ann Sullivan; admitted August 30, 1869; age 35 years; 5 feet 1 inch high; brown hair; blue eyes. The usual death notice was sent to the address of a friend, Edward Sullivan, 290 First avenue, but he could not be found. No effects found on her person.

By Order,
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, May 11, 1875.

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 Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island, May 9, 1875—Christopher Slitzel, age 27 years. Has no friends or relatives.

By Order,
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
ROTUNDA, COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, May 11, 1875.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the following Assessment List was received this day in this Bureau for collection:

CONFIRMED APRIL 23, 1875.

Outlet sewer in Ninety-sixth street, between Tenth avenue and Hudson river.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before July 10, 1875, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of confirmation.

The Collector's office is open daily, from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M. for the collection of money, and until 4 P. M. for general information.

SPENCER KIRBY,
Collector of Assessments.

PROPOSALS FOR \$350,000 STOCKS AND BONDS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the Comptroller's Office, until Thursday, May 27, 1875, at 2 o'clock P. M., when the same will be publicly opened, for the whole or any part of the sum of \$350,000 of Stocks and Bonds of the City of New York, to wit:

Additional Croton Water Stock, authorized by chapter 56, amended by chapter 328, Laws of 1871, payable November 1, 1891... \$100,000 00
Dock Bonds of the City of New York, authorized by section 6, chapter 574, Laws of 1871, payable November 1, 1905... 250,000 00
Said stocks and bonds will bear interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable on the first day of May and November in each year.

The proposals will state the amount of Bonds desired, and the price per one hundred dollars thereof; and the persons whose proposals are accepted will thereupon be required to deposit with the Chamberlain the sums awarded to them, respectively, together with any premiums thereon.

On presenting to the Comptroller the receipts of the Chamberlain for such deposit, the parties will be entitled to receive certificates for equal amounts of the par value of the sums awarded to them, bearing interest from the dates of payment.

Each Proposal should be sealed and indorsed "Proposals for Stocks and Bonds of the City of New York," and inclosed in a second envelope addressed to the Comptroller.

The right is reserved on the part of the Comptroller to reject any or all of the bids, if, in his judgment, the interests of the Corporation require it.

ANDREW H. GREEN,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
May 18, 1875.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
ROTUNDA, COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, May 8, 1875.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the following Assessment List was received this day in this Bureau for collection:

CONFIRMED APRIL 22, 1875.

Paving First avenue, from Sixty-first to Ninety-second street, with Belgian pavement.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before July 8, 1875, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of confirmation.

The Collector's office is open daily from 9 A. M. until 2 P. M. for the collection of money, and until 4 P. M. for general information.

SPENCER KIRBY,
Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
ROTUNDA, COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, March 25, 1875.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the following assessment lists were received this day in this Bureau for collection:

CONFIRMED MARCH 9, 1875.

Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging Eightieth street, from the Eighth avenue to the River Drive (except from Eighth to Ninth avenue).

Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter, and flagging One Hundred and Thirteenth street, from Third avenue to Harlem river.

Flagging south side of St. Mark's place, between Second avenue and No. 48.

Flagging Tenth avenue, from Fifty-second to Fifty-third street.

Curb, gutter, and flagging north side of Eleventh street, from Avenue D to the East river; also, on east side of Avenue D, from Eleventh to Thirteenth street.

Curb, gutter, and flagging Thirteenth street, from Goerck street to East river.

Paving, with stone blocks, Bank street, from West street to Thirteenth avenue.

Eleventh street, paving, from 100 feet east of Avenue D to the East river.

Paving (with stone blocks) Twenty-fourth street, from Eleventh avenue to North river.

Paving Thirty-first street, between Fourth and Lexington avenues, with Belgian pavement.

Paving Fifty-second street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, with Belgian pavement.

Paving Thirtieth or Exterior avenue, between Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth streets (half the block), with Belgian pavement.

Paving One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Eleventh avenue or Boulevard to Hudson River Railroad, with Belgian or granite-block pavement.

Fencing vacant lots on Fifty-seventh street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

Sewers in Lewis street, between Houston and Sixth avenues.

Sewer in Fifty-sixth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.

Sewer in Lexington avenue, between Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before May 24, 1875, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of confirmation.

The Collector's office is open daily from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M. for the collection of money, and until 4 P. M. for general information.

SPENCER KIRBY,
Collector of Assessments.

VACANT LOTS—FORT GANSEVOORT MAP.
Nos. 1 to 7. East side of Thirteenth avenue, between Gansevoort and Bogart streets.

No. 8. North side of Gansevoort street.

Nos. 15 to 23. North side of Gansevoort street, west side of West street, and south side of Bogart street.

No. 30. South side of Bogart street.

Nos. 51 and 52. Southwest corner of West and Bloomfield streets.

Nos. 61 to 72. East side of Thirteenth avenue, between Bloomfield and West Twelfth streets.

HAMILTON SQUARE MAP.
Nos. 1, 2, and 6. West side Third avenue, between Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets.

Nos. 9 to 17. South side Sixty-eighth street, between Third and Lexington avenues.

Nos. 18 to 25. East side Lexington avenue, between Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets.

Nos. 26 to 30, 31, 32. North side Sixty-seventh street, between Lexington and Third avenues.

HARLEM MARKET MAP.
No. 4. North side One Hundred and Twentieth street, near Third avenue.

Nos. 13 to 15. South side One Hundred and Twenty-first street, near Third avenue.

EIGHTEENTH WARD MARKET BUILDING.
East side of Avenue C, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets, lot, 184x368.6, building, 164.4x347.1.

MISCELLANEOUS.
No. 61. Thompson street, lot, 25x100.

Washington Market, cellar, No. 2.

Franklin Market, balance of main floor, 65x26.8.

TERMS OF SALE.
Twenty per cent. on the yearly rent bid for each parcel to be paid to the Collector of the City Revenue at the time and place of sale; and the successful bidder will be required, at the same time, to have an obligation executed by two sureties, to be approved by the Comptroller, for carrying into effect the terms of sale.

The twenty per cent., when paid, will be credited on the first quarter's rent; or forfeited, if the lessee does not execute the lease and bond within fifteen days after the sale; and the Comptroller shall be authorized, at his option, to resell the premises bid off by those failing to comply with the terms as above; and the party so failing to comply to be liable for any deficiency that may result from such resale.

No person will be received as lessee or surety who is delinquent on any former lease from the Corporation. No bid will be accepted from any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as security or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation. (Sec. 99 of Charter of 1873.)

The leases will contain the usual covenants and conditions, reserving to the Corporation the right to cancel the lease whenever the premises may be required by them for public purposes.

All repairs will be made at the expense of the lessees, and no deduction whatever will be allowed for damage by reason of any sickness or epidemic that may prevail in the city during the continuance of the lease.

The lessees will be required to give a bond for double the amount of the annual rent, with two sureties, to be approved by the Comptroller, conditioned for the payment of the rent quarter-yearly, and the fulfillment on their part of the covenants of the lease.

Should the Corporation sell, lease, rebuild, or remove any of the Markets during the term for which the lease is granted, the leases of the property so sold and of the cellars and other premises in or under the Markets so sold, leased, rebuilt, or removed, are to be canceled at the option of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, and no deduction or award for damages will be made by the Corporation therefor.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund,
ANDREW H. GREEN,
Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
NEW YORK, May 3, 1875.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
ROTUNDA, NEW COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, April 1, 1875.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the following assessment lists were received this day in this Bureau for collection:

CONFIRMED MARCH 24, 1875.

Regulating, grading, curb, gutter, and flagging Madison avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, to Harlem river.

Paving Eighty-first street, between Second and Fourth avenues, with Belgian pavement.

Paving Eighty-fourth street, from Avenue A to Third avenue, and from Fourth to Fifth avenue, with Belgian granite pavement.

Sewer in Spring street, between Broadway and Crosby streets.

Receiving-basin on the southeast corner of Thirty-third street and First avenue.

Receiving-basin on the northeast corner of Thirty-third street and First avenue.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before May 31, 1875, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of (7) seven per cent. from the date of confirmation.

The Collector's office is open daily from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M. for the collection of money, and until 4 P. M. for general information.

SPENCER KIRBY,
Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
ROTUNDA, COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, May 3, 1875.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the following assessment lists were received this day in this Bureau for collection:

CONFIRMED MARCH 26, 1875.

Outlet sewer in Seventeenth street, from Hudson river to and through Eleventh avenue and Twenty-third street to near Tenth avenue, and Seventeenth street, from Eleventh avenue to and through Tenth avenue to Fourteenth street, with branches.

CONFIRMED APRIL 22, 1875.

Sewer in Attorney street, between Grand and Broome streets.

Basin on the northwest corner of One Hundred and Sixteenth street and St. Nicholas avenue.

Flagging sidewalks on south side of One Hundred and Twenty-first street, between First avenue and Avenue A.

Paving Third street, from Goerck street to the pier foot of Third street, with Belgian pavement.

Paving Fifty-sixth street, between First avenue and East river, with Belgian pavement.

Regulating, grading, setting curb, gutter, and flagging Seventy-seventh street, between Ninth avenue and Boulevard.

Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging eight feet wide in Seventy-third street, from Eighth avenue to the Hudson river.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before the second day of July, 1875, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the several dates of confirmation.

The Collector's office is open daily from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M. for the collection of money, and until 4 P. M. for general information.

SPENCER KIRBY,
Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
ROTUNDA, COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, March 26, 1875.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the following Assessment List was received this day in this Bureau for collection:

CONFIRMED MAY 14, 1875.

Third instalment of the Third avenue, Morrisania, assessment.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before May 31, 1875, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of (7) seven per cent. from April 1, 1875.

The Collector

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

OFFICE CLERK OF THE COMMON COUNCIL,
No. 8 CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, January 9, 1875.
THE STATED SESSIONS OF THE BOARD OF
Aldermen will be held in their Chamber, room No.
15, City Hall, on Thursday of each week, at 2 o'clock, P.M.
SAMUEL A. LEWIS,
President.
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY,
Clerk.

OFFICE CLERK OF COMMON COUNCIL,
No. 8 CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, January 9, 1875.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE COM-
ptroller, the Commissioner of Public Works, the
Corporation Counsel, and the President of each Department
of the City Government, pursuant to the provisions
of section 5 of chapter 233, Laws of 1873, that the Board of
Aldermen have designated Thursday of each week, at 2
o'clock P. M., as the time for holding the regular meetings
of the Board.
The Board meets in Room No. 15, City Hall.
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY,
Clerk.

OFFICE CLERK OF THE COMMON COUNCIL,
No. 8 CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, April 6, 1875.
THE COMMITTEE ON RAILROADS OF THE
Board of Aldermen will meet every Tuesday, at 2
P. M., in room No. 9, City Hall, for the consideration of
such subjects as may have been referred for its action.
ANDREW BLESSING,
J. WILLIAM GUNTZER,
HENRY E. HOWLAND,
Committee on Railroads.
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY,
Clerk.

OFFICE CLERK OF THE COMMON COUNCIL,
No. 8 CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, January 20, 1875.
NOTICE.—THE COMMITTEE ON STREET
Pavements of the Board of Aldermen will meet here-
after every Wednesday, at 2 o'clock P. M., in Room No. 9,
City Hall, for the consideration of such subjects as may
have been referred to the Committee.
PETER SEERY,
WM. H. MCCARTHY,
CHESTER H. SOUTHWORTH,
Committee on Street Pavements.
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY,
Clerk.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN,
NEW YORK, February 27, 1875.
THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE WILL MEET
hereafter every Wednesday, at 3 o'clock P. M., at No.
9 City Hall, for the transaction of such public business as
may be referred to the Committee.
MAGNUS GROSS,
W. L. COLE,
PATRICK LYSAGHT,
S. B. H. VANCE,
JOHN J. MORRIS,
Committee on Finance.
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY,
Clerk.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN,
NEW YORK, February 4, 1875.
THE COMMITTEE ON FERRIES WILL MEET
every Monday, at No. 9, City Hall, at 2 o'clock, for the
consideration of all subjects referred to the considera-
tion of the Committee.
ROBERT POWER,
JOHN REILLY,
HENRY E. HOWLAND,
Committee on Ferries.
F. J. TWOMEY,
Clerk.

NOTICE.—THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC
Works of the Board of Aldermen will meet every
Monday, at 3 P. M., in Room No. 9, City Hall, for the
consideration of such subjects as may have been referred
for its action.
JOHN REILLY,
EDWARD J. SHANDLEY,
JOHN J. MORRIS,
Committee on Public Works.
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY,
Clerk.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN,
NEW YORK, January 30, 1875.
THE COMMITTEE ON STREETS OF THE
Board of Aldermen will meet every Monday, at 2
o'clock, P. M., at No. 9 City Hall, for the transaction of
such business as may be referred to the Committee.
J. W. GUNTZER,
PATRICK LYSAGHT,
S. N. SIMONSON,
Committee on Streets.
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY,
Clerk.

THE CITY RECORD.

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

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 a new avenue, intermediate
with the Avenue Saint Nicholas and Eighth avenue,
from the easterly side of Avenue Saint Nicholas, at One
Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, to One Hundred and
Forty-first street; and also the opening of two new
avenues, intermediate, Avenue Saint Nicholas and Eighth
avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-first street to One
Hundred and Forty-fifth street; also, the opening of two
new avenues, intermediate, Avenue Saint Nicholas and
Eighth avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-fifth
street to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; also,
the opening of Ninth avenue, from the Avenue Saint
Nicholas to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; also,
the opening of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from
Ninth avenue to the new avenue next easterly from
Ninth avenue; also, the opening of One Hundred and
Fifty-third street, from the Ninth avenue to the Hudson
river, in the City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS
of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled
matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occu-
pant or occupants of all houses and lots, and improved or
unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom
it may concern, to wit:
I.—That we have completed our estimate and assess-
ment in the above entitled matter, and that all persons
whose interests are affected thereby, and who may be opposed
to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly
verified, to the undersigned Commissioners, at our office,
No. 57 Broadway (Room 24), in the said City, on or before
the 5th day of May, 1875, and that we, the said
Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the
ten week-days next after the said 5th day of May, 1875,
and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office,
on each of said ten days, at 2 o'clock P. M.
II.—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment,
together with our maps and all 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 of the City and County of New York,
there to remain until the 17th day of May, 1875.
III.—That the limits embraced by the assessment
aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those certain
lots, pieces, or parcels of land situate in said city
and bounded by, included, and contained within the follow-
ing boundary lines, that is to say: Beginning at a point
formed by the intersection of the centre line of Eighth
avenue with the centre line of One Hundred and Thirty-
third street, running thence northerly along the centre
line of Eighth avenue to the centre line of One Hundred
and Fifty-fifth street; thence westerly along the centre
line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to a point dis-
tant one hundred feet west of the westerly line of the
Avenue Saint Nicholas; thence southerly and parallel
with Avenue Saint Nicholas to the centre line of block be-
tween One Hundred and Fifty-third and One Hundred
and Fifty-fourth streets; thence westerly and parallel with
One Hundred and Fifty-third street to the centre line of
One Hundred and Fifty-second and One Hundred and One
Hundred and Fifty-third streets; thence easterly and par-
allel with One Hundred and Fifty-third street to a point dis-
tant one hundred feet west of the westerly line of Avenue
Saint Nicholas; thence southerly, on a line drawn parallel
with and distant one hundred feet west of the westerly line of
Avenue Saint Nicholas to the centre line of One Hundred
and Thirty-third street; thence easterly along the centre
line of One Hundred and Thirty-third street to the point
or place of beginning.
IV.—That our report herein will be presented to the Su-
preme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term
thereof, to be held in the "New" Court-house, at the
City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 31st of May,
1875, 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.

CHAS. A. STODDARD,
JOHN P. O'NEILL,
F. A. THAYER,
Commissioners.
Dated New York, March 29, 1875.
In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen,
and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to
the opening of Seventy-third street, from Fifth avenue to
the East river (where not already opened), 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, occu-
pant 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 assess-
ment, and that all persons interested in these proceed-
ings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may
be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writ-
ing, duly verified, to William Chalmers, Esq., our Chair-
man, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 82 Nassau
street (Room No. 24), in the said city, on or before the 5th
day of May, 1875, and that we, the said Commissioners,
will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days
next after the said 5th day of May, and for that purpose
will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten
days, at one o'clock P. M.
Second.—That the abstract of the said estimate and assess-
ment, 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 17th day of May, 1875.

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, and which, taken together, are bounded and con-
tained as follows, to wit: Beginning at a point on the
easterly line or side of Fifth avenue, equidistant from
Seventy-third and Seventy-fourth streets; and running
thence easterly, and parallel with Seventy-third street, to
the Harbor Commissioners' Line on the East river; thence
southerly, along said Harbor Commissioners' Line on said
river, to the centre line of the block between Seventy-third
and Seventy-second streets; thence westerly, and parallel
with Seventy-third street to the easterly line or side of
Fifth avenue; and thence southerly, along the easterly line
of Fifth avenue, to the point or place of beginning.
Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented to the
Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special
Term thereof, to be held in the New Court-house, at the
City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 31st day of
May, 1875, 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.

WILLIAM CHALMERS,
THOMAS COMAN,
CORNELIUS J. FARLEY,
Commissioners.
Dated New York, March 27, 1875.

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 Twenty-third street,
between the westerly line of Eighth avenue and the
easterly line of Ninth avenue, and between the westerly
line of Tenth avenue and the easterly line of the
Boulevard, 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, occu-
pant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved or
unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom
it may concern, to wit:
I.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment
in the above entitled matter, and that all persons whose
interests are affected thereby, and who may be opposed to
the same, do present their objections in writing, duly
verified, to the undersigned Commissioners, at our office,
No. 57 Broadway, Room 24, in the said City, on or before
the 27th day of April, 1875; and that we, the said Com-
missioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten
week-days next after the said 27th day of April, 1875, and
for that purpose, will be in attendance at our said office on
each of said ten days, at 2 o'clock P. M.
II.—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment,
together with our maps, and also all 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 and County of New York, there to remain until
the 10th day of May, 1875.

III.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid
are as follows, to wit: All those certain lots, pieces, or
parcels of land, situate in said city and bounded by, in-
cluded, and contained within the following-mentioned
lines, that is to say: Beginning at a point formed by the
intersection of the westerly line of Eighth avenue with
the centre line of the block between One Hundred and
Twenty-second street and One Hundred and Twenty-third
street; running thence northerly along the westerly
line of Eighth avenue to the centre line of the block be-
tween One Hundred and Twenty-third street and One
Hundred and Twenty-fourth street; thence westerly
along said centre line to the easterly line of the Boule-
vard; thence southerly along the easterly line of the
Boulevard to the centre line of the block between One
Hundred and Twenty-second street and One Hundred
and Twenty-third street; thence easterly along the last-
mentioned line to the point or place of beginning.

IV.—That our report herein will be presented to the
Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special
Term thereof, to be held in the New Court-house, at the
City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 25th day of
May, 1875, 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, March 22, 1875.
FRED'K SMYTH,
JOHN V. GRIDLEY,
EDWIN DOBBS,
Commissioners.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
127 and 129 Mercer Street,
NEW YORK, May 17, 1875.
SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS
Department with the following articles, to wit:
10 carboys Sulphuric Acid.
10 bbls. Sulphate of Copper.
300 lbs. Bi-chromate Potash.
30 lbs. Quicksilver.
2 doz. Jars for No. 1½ Carbon Battery.
150 Zincs for No. 1½ Carbon Battery.
75 No. 1½ Carbons.
50 Wire Connections for Carbons.
25 Zinc Connections for Carbon Battery.
400 No. 3 Hill Zincs.
150 No. 3 Hill Coppers.
150 Hill Zinc Connections and Hangers.
50 Porous Cups for No. 1½ Carbon Battery.
6 Battery Brushes.
24 rolls 10-inch Register Paper.
40 lbs. No. 16 Braided and Paraffined Office Wire.
40 lbs. No. 16 Bishop Compound Wire.
200 Rubber Hooks.
1 doz. pieces Catgut, large.
½ doz. pieces Catgut, small.
1 doz. pieces half-inch Rubber Tubing.
300 feet Line Rope.
Will be received at these Headquarters until 12 o'clock
noon, 31st instant, at which time the bids will be publicly
opened and read.
Two responsible sureties, residents of this city, will be
required, who must each justify in the amount of one thou-
sand dollars.
Proposals must be indorsed, "Proposals for furnishing
Telegraph Supplies."
Blank forms of proposals, samples, and information will
be furnished upon application to these Headquarters.
The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all
of the proposals submitted.
JOSEPH L. PERLEY,
ROSWELL D. HATCH,
VINCENT C. KING,
Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
127 and 129 Mercer Street,
NEW YORK, May 10, 1875.
THE FOLLOWING ARTICLES WILL BE SOLD
at auction, to the highest bidder, at Nos. 19 and 21
Elizabeth street, at 10 o'clock A. M., on the 24th inst.:
14 fire extinguishers.
1 engine boiler.
1 2-wheel horse jumper.
1 4 " " crab.
10 wheels.
1 lot of scrap iron.
1 " old rope.
1 " harness, collars, and tender cushions.
1 " hose.
1 " matting and mats.
Terms: Cash at time of sale, and all articles purchased
to be removed from the premises within five days there-
after.
JOSEPH L. PERLEY,
ROSWELL D. HATCH,
VINCENT C. KING,
Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
127 and 129 Mercer Street,
NEW YORK, May 4, 1875.
SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS
Department with the following articles, to wit:
144 boxes axle grease.
6 kips chamois skin.
6 dozen door mats.
6 " drinking cups.
10 reams emery cloth.
40 gross matches.
8 dozen boxes shoe blacking.
4 bales sponges (100 lbs. each).
4 gross stove polish (Dixon's).
900 yards Dundee toweling.
8 gross kerosene wicks.
3,200 pounds cotton waste.
2,500 " oil meal.
1,200 " rotten stone.
1,200 " Castile soap.
8 barrels kerosene oil.
5 " lubricating oil.
20 gallons neatfoot oil.
150 barrels white sand.
300 " soft soap.
20 sacks salt.
60 dozen corn brooms.
8 " stable brooms.
24 " whisk brooms.
100 horse blankets.
75 whips.
6 dozen dust brushes.
6 " horse brushes.
10 " hand scrub brushes.
15 " large scrub brushes.
4 " shoe brushes.
6 " window brushes.
10 " stove brushes.
4 " whitewash brushes.
10 " tin cans (assorted sizes).
8 " coal hods.
6 " curry combs.
4 " dust pans.
12 " feather dusters.
2 " hay forks.
2 " hand saws.
2 " hatchets.
8 " mop sticks.
24 " mop yarns.
8 " buckets.
4 " shovels.
4 " stove shovels.
4 " stove pokers.
8 " spittoons.
2 " four-quart measures.
4 " two-bushel baskets.
Will be received at these Headquarters until 12 o'clock
noon, 19th instant, at which time the bids will be publicly
opened and read.
The article of soft soap is to be delivered, from time to
time, in such quantity as the Department may require.
Two responsible sureties, residents of this city, will be re-
quired, who must each justify in the amount of one thousand
dollars.
Proposals must be indorsed, "Proposals for furnishing
Supplies."
Blank forms of proposals, samples, and information will
be furnished upon application to these Headquarters.
The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all
of the proposals submitted.
JOSEPH L. PERLEY,
ROSWELL D. HATCH,
VINCENT C. KING,
Commissioners.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, May 11, 1875.
OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY
Clerk, 300 Mulberry street, Room 39, for the fol-
lowing property, now in his custody without claimants:
Eight revolvers, gold and silver watch, bundle curled hair,
trunk and contents, hand cart, lot solder, tea, chamois skins,
shawl pin, and small amount of money taken from prisoners
as personal property.
C. A. ST. JOHN,
Property Clerk.

CORPORATION NOTICES.

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 examina-
tion by all persons interested, viz.:

No. 1. Regulating and grading Seventh avenue, from
One Hundred and Tenth street to Harlem river.
No. 2. Paving Seventh avenue with Telford-Macadam
pavement, from One Hundred and Tenth to One Hundred
and Fifty-fourth street; also for setting curb stone, and
flagging a space four feet wide through the sidewalks
thereof.
No. 3. Regulating, grading, setting curb, gutter, and
flagging One Hundred and Sixth street, from the Third
avenue to the East river.

The limits embraced by such assessment include all
the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces
and parcels of land, situated on

No. 1. Both sides of Seventh avenue, from One Hun-
dred and Tenth street to Harlem river, to the extent of
half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 2. Both sides of Seventh avenue, from One Hun-
dred and Tenth to One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street,
to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixth street, and
at First avenue and Avenue A, to the extent of half the
block.

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 Thomas B. Asten, Chairman of the Board of
Assessors, at their office, No. 19 Chatham street, within
thirty days from the date of this notice.

THOMAS B. ASTEN,
JOHN MCHARG,
VALENTINE S. WOODRUFF,
JOHN MULLALLY,
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE, BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
NEW YORK, May 10, 1875.

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 com-
pleted, and are lodged in the office of the Board of As-
sessor for examination by all persons interested, viz., for—

No. 1. Building outlet sewer in One Hundred and Tenth
street, from the Harlem river to Fifth avenue, to One
Hundred and Sixteenth street; to Seventh avenue, with
branches in Second, Fourth and Fifth avenues, One
Hundred and Eleventh, One Hundred and Twelfth, One
Hundred and Thirteenth, and One Hundred and Twen-
tieth streets.

No. 2. Building sewer in Avenue B, between Eighty-
sixth and Eighty-seventh streets, with branches in Eighty-
seventh street.

No. 3. Building sewer in Thirteenth avenue, between
Gansevoort and Bloomfield streets, with branches in
Bloomfield and Bogart streets.

No. 4. Regulating, grading, setting curb, gutter, and
flagging, Eighty-seventh street, from First avenue to East
river.

No. 5. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter
stones, and flagging One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street,
between Fifth and Eighth avenues.

No. 6. Flagging Forty-third street, north side, from
First to Second avenue.

No. 7. Paving with stone-blocks in Eighty-eighth street,
between Third and Fourth avenues.

No. 8. Building sewers in One Hundred and Fifty-
second street, between the Boulevard and Tenth avenue,
and in Tenth avenue, between One Hundred and Fifty-
second and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth streets.

The limits embraced by such assessment, include all the
several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and
parcels of land, situated on—

No. 1. All the property from Ninetieth to One Hundred
and Tenth street, from Fourth to Eighth avenue, and from
One Hundred and Fifth to One Hundred and Twenty-fifth
street, from the East river to the Eighth avenue.

No. 2. Both sides of Avenue B, between Eighty-sixth
and Eighty-seventh streets, and both sides of Eighty-seventh
street, between Avenues A and B.

No. 3. East side of Thirteenth avenue, from Gansevoort
street to Bloomfield street, and both sides of Bogart street,
from West street to the Thirteenth avenue, and both sides
of Bloomfield street, from West street to the Thirteenth
avenue, to the extent of half the block at the intersecting
streets.

No. 4. Both sides of Eighty-seventh street, from First
avenue to the East river, to the extent of half the block at
the intersecting streets.

No. 5. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth
street, between Fifth and Eighth avenues, to the extent of
half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 6. North side of Forty-third street, between First
and Second avenues, to the extent of half the block at the
intersecting streets.

No. 7. Both sides of Eighty-eighth street, between Third
and Fourth avenues, to the extent of half the block at the
intersecting streets.

No. 8. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-second
street, between Tenth avenue and the Boulevard, and south
side of One Hundred and Fifty-third street to a point three
hundred feet west of Tenth avenue, and east side of Tenth
avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-second street to
One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, and both sides of Tenth
avenue, between One Hundred and Fifty-second and One
Hundred and Fifty-fifth streets, and both sides of One
Hundred and Fifty-third street to a point three hundred
feet west of Tenth 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 Thomas B. Asten, Chairman of the Board of
Assessors, at their office, No. 19 Chatham street, within
thirty days from the date of this notice.

THOMAS B. ASTEN,
JOHN MCHARG,
VALENTINE S. WOODRUFF,
JOHN MULLALLY,
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE, BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
NEW YORK, April 21, 1875.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE
following Assessment Lists have been received by the
Board of Assessors from the Commissioner of Public Works
for—

No. 1. Regulating and grading Ninth avenue, from
Eighty-third to Ninety-second street, to conform with the
new grade established under authority of chapter 226,
Laws of 1871.

No. 2. Sewer in One Hundred and Thirtieth street, be-
tween Third and Fourth avenues.

No. 3. Sewer in Sixty-sixth street, between Boulevard
and Tenth avenue.

No. 4. Regulating and grading, setting curb and gut-
ter, and flagging Sixtieth street, from First avenue to
Avenue A.

The limits to be assessed are embraced as follows, viz.:

No. 1. Both sides of Ninth avenue, from Eighty-third
to Ninety-second street, to the extent of half the block at
the intersecting streets.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirtieth street,
from Third to Fourth avenue, to the extent of half the
block at the intersecting streets, and the north side of One
Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, from Lexington avenue
to Fourth avenue to the extent of half the block at the
intersecting streets.

No. 3. Both sides of Sixty-sixth street, between the
Boulevard and Tenth avenue, to the extent of half the
block at the intersecting streets.

No. 4. Both sides of Sixtieth street, from Avenue A to
First avenue, to the extent of half the block at the inter-
secting streets.

THOMAS B. ASTEN,
Chairman.
OFFICE, BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 19 Chatham Street,
NEW YORK, April 21, 1875.