

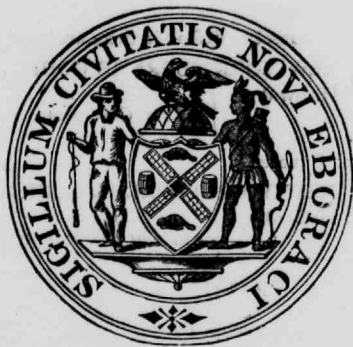
# THE CITY RECORD.

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### DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

At a meeting of the Board of Docks held March 28, 1883.  
Present—The full Board and the Comptroller of the City.  
The Board proceeded to open the bids advertised for, to be opened this day at 12 o'clock M.  
Six estimates were received for building crib bulkhead and platform at the foot of Seventy-fifth street, East river, as follows:

No. 1. From Wm. P. Kelly, with \$50 in money.....	\$2,200 00
No. 2. From Flaherty & O'Connell, with \$50 in money.....	3,495 00
No. 3. From Richard Cronin, with \$50 in money.....	1,700 00
No. 4. From Joseph Walsh, with \$50 in money.....	2,500 00
No. 5. From James D. Leary, with \$50 in money.....	2,389 00
No. 6. From John Gillies, with \$50 in money.....	1,825 00

Three estimates were received for repairing the understructure of Pier, new 42, North river:

No. 1. From William P. Kelly, with \$50 in money.....	\$1,819 00
No. 2. From Joseph Walsh, with \$50 in money.....	4,000 00
No. 3. From John Gillies, with \$50 in money.....	2,684 00

Six estimates were received for repairing Pier 52, East river:

No. 1. From William P. Kelly, with \$100 in money.....	\$4,193 00
No. 2. From Flaherty & O'Connell, with \$100 in money.....	3,745 00
No. 3. From Richard Cronin, with \$100 in money.....	2,875 00
No. 4. From Joseph Walsh, with \$100 in money.....	3,800 00
No. 5. From James D. Leary, with \$100 in money.....	3,639 00
No. 6. From John Gillies, with \$100 in money.....	3,239 00

Six estimates were received for repairing the small pier between Piers 51 and 52, East river:

No. 1. From William P. Kelly, with \$25 in money.....	\$1,161 00
No. 2. From Flaherty & O'Connell, with \$25 in money.....	995 00
No. 3. From Richard Cronin, with \$25 in money.....	924 00
No. 4. From Joseph Walsh, with \$25 in money.....	1,200 00
No. 5. From James D. Leary, with \$25 in money.....	1,144 00
No. 6. From John Gillies, with \$25 in money.....	887 00

On motion, the bids were laid on the table for examination and the Secretary directed to transmit to the Comptroller the security deposits made by the bidders and accompanying their respective estimates.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

JOHN T. CUMING, Secretary.

At a meeting of the Board of Docks held March 28, 1883.  
Present—The full Board.  
The minutes of the meetings held March 20th and 21st instant were read and approved.  
The following communications were received, read, and,  
On motion, laid on the table to await action, as stated, to wit:

From Thomas L. Sturges—Requesting permission to construct bulkhead and wharves at One Hundred and Fiftieth street, Harlem river, and submitting plans therefor. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to examine and report in relation thereto.

From his Honor the Mayor—Enclosing copy of petition in relation to reserving Pier 37, East river, as a public pier, and requesting the views of the Commissioners in respect thereto.

From Engineer-in-Chief:

1st. Report on Secretary's Order No. 2880, as to location of a dock at foot of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, Harlem river, Port Morris.

2d. Reporting as to the completion of the contract for building crib bulkhead and platform from Seventy-eighth to Seventy-ninth street, East river.

From John Clark—Application for permission to maintain a steam hoisting engine on the Pier at Third street, East river. Secretary to request Mr. Clark to call and confer with the Commissioners in respect thereto.

From Ridgewood Ice Company—Application for permission to erect an ice bridge on Pier 43, East river.

From H. M. Vermilyea and others—Requesting the Department to build a pier at Thirty-fifth street, East river.

The following communications were received, read, and,  
On motion, placed on file, action being taken where necessary, as stated, to wit:

From Counsel to the Corporation:

1st. Enclosing blank forms of contracts, as follows: for repairing Pier 52, East river; for repairing small pier between Piers 51 and 52, East river; for repairing the understructure of Pier, new 42, North river, and for building a bulkhead and platform at Seventy-fifth street, East river, with his approval thereof indorsed on the same.

2d. Enclosing check for \$1,125, collected from Scott & Co., for rent of the Pier at Thirty-fifth street, North river, due February 1, 1883. Secretary directed to advise that credit therefor was given on the books of this Department.

From Comptroller of the City—Transmitting copies of his reports to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund in relation to the proposed plan for the improvement of the East river water-front, from Grand street to Thirty-fourth street, East river, and in reference to the plan recommended for the improvement of the North river water-front, from West Eleventh street to West Twenty-second street, North river, and requesting information from this Department in regard to the same respectively. Secretary stating that by direction of the Commissioners he had replied thereto, giving the facts and information desired, and that he had transmitted a copy of the act prepared in respect to the North river improvement which is to be sent to the Legislature, his action was approved.

From Department of Street Cleaning—In reference to the bulkhead between Piers 47, and 48, East river, being cleaned.

From J. E. Kirk—In reference to a bill introduced in the Senate to amend chapter 249 of the Laws of 1875, regulating the use of slips, wharves, and piers in the City of New York. Secretary stating that he had replied thereto, requesting that a copy of the bill be sent to the Department, his action was approved.

From C. N. Jordan—Agreeing to and accepting the terms of the resolution adopted March 21, 1883, in reference to ferry-house at Forty-second street, North river. Secretary directed to advise that the agreement is not as full as the Board desires, and to request Mr. Jordan to send another in approved form.

From Knickerbocker Ice Co.—In reference to the rental of the Pier at Twentieth street, North river. Secretary to request Mr. Maclay to confer with the Treasurer in respect thereto.

From S. A. Frost—In reference to coal derricks on Piers 27 and 28, East river, and on the bulkhead between, and requesting the Department to have the same removed.

From C. H. Silliman—In reference to and requesting permission for placing carts on Pier 37, East river. Application denied.

From Central Railroad of New Jersey—Requesting permission to repair Piers 8, 13, and 14,

North river. Secretary stating that by direction of the Commissioners he had granted a permit therefor, the work to be done under the supervision and direction of the Engineer-in-Chief, his action was approved.

From Koss & Sandford—Requesting the use of one of the mud scows belonging to the Department, and offering to pay \$5 per day for the use thereof. Secretary stated that by direction of the Commissioners permission had been granted to use the same, provided that the parties pay \$5 per day for each day during the time the scow is in their possession, Sundays to be excepted if not in actual use on that day.

From Pennsylvania Railroad Co.—In reference to meeting and conferring with the Commissioners.

From Frank E. Wise—Requesting that the lower half of the bulkhead between Seventy-eighth and Seventy-ninth streets, East river, be leased to him or be put up at auction for sale to the highest bidder. Secretary directed to advise that the Board do not deem it proper at the present time to lease either the pier or bulkhead, as they are required to be kept open for use by the public.

From Engineer-in-Chief:

1st. Reporting amount of work done during the week ending March 24, 1883.

2d. Reporting as to the total expenditure to date on the dump between Seventy-eighth and Seventy-ninth streets, North river. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed that further expenditure for labor or material must cease on April 1, 1883.

3d. Report on Secretary's Order No. 2961 as to obstruction on Pier 37, East river, having been removed.

4th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 2969, that the repairs to Pier 42, East river, had been made under his supervision.

5th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 2960, that the canal boat sunk in front of the bulkhead north of Seventy-ninth street, East river, had been removed by him at a cost of \$244.66. Treasurer directed to make out a proper bill therefor and collect the same from Messrs. Murphy and Nesbit.

6th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 2975, that he had superintended the repairs made to the dumping board at Jackson street, East river.

7th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 2937, that repairs were made to Pier at One Hundred and Sixth street, Harlem river.

8th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 2869, as to test of cement furnished by the Stone and Pipe Manufacturing Co. of South Bend, Indiana. Secretary directed to send copy of report and test to the parties.

From Wm. L. McConkey, Corporation Wharfinger—Reporting that there was a dangerous hole in the pavement at the entrance to Pier 15, East river. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to examine and report.

From George W. Wanmaker, Corporation Wharfinger:

1st. Reporting that repairs were required to Pier, old 54, North river. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to examine and repair the same.

2d. Reporting that the outer end of Pier, new 42, North river, was damaged by being run into by a steamship. Secretary directed to notify the lessee to repair the same within ten days, under the supervision and direction of the Engineer-in-Chief, or this Department will make the repairs at his cost and expense.

A communication from James H. Gillis, captain commanding the United States Training Ship "Minnesota," requesting that a landing place for small boats be placed at or near the foot of Twenty-third street, North river, was received, read, and,

On motion, placed on file, and the following resolution, offered by the President, was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That in view of the fact that it is requisite for the convenience of the public that a proper landing place for boats be provided for the accommodation of parties visiting the United States Training Ship "Minnesota," now lying off Twenty-third street, North river, the Engineer-in-Chief be and is hereby directed to construct a landing float of such dimensions as he may deem necessary, with a proper approach thereto, to be located at or near the foot of West Twenty-third street, North river, and to be used for the purpose stated.

A communication from Conrad N. Jordan, requesting permission to erect a temporary platform, ferry bridge and rack on the north side of the Pier at Thirty-ninth street, North river, to be used while the ferry premises at Forty-second street, North river, are being repaired, was received, read, and,

On motion, placed on file, and the following preamble and resolution, offered by Commissioner Voorhis, were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, Application has been made by Conrad N. Jordan for permission to erect and construct a temporary ferry rack, bridge and platform on piles on the north side of the Pier at Thirty-ninth street, North river, for the use of the ferry-boats of the Weehawken Ferry, during the time required for repairing and rebuilding the ferry premises at Forty-second street, North river; and

Whereas, The agent for the owner and lessee of the said pier has consented thereto; therefore

Resolved, That permission be and hereby is granted to Conrad N. Jordan to erect and construct in the slip on the north side of and adjoining the Pier at Thirty-ninth street, North river, for temporary ferry purposes, a platform on piles, about thirty feet easterly and westerly, by forty-five feet wide northerly and southerly, and the necessary ferry bridge and racks required therefor, in accordance with the plan submitted to and approved by this Board; the said structure, however, to be and remain only during the pleasure of this Board; and provided, also, that the same be constructed under the supervision and direction of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department, it being understood that the said Conrad N. Jordan will take up and entirely remove the said structures when required so to do by this Board, or upon the completion of the repairs to the ferry-house at Forty-second street, when their temporary use is no longer required.

A report from the Engineer-in-Chief on Secretary's Order No. 2841, submitting specifications and form of contract for repairing Pier, new 43, North river, and the shed thereon, at an estimated cost of \$7,300, was received, read, and,

On motion, placed on file, and the following resolution, offered by Commissioner Vanderpoel, was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the specifications and form of contract as prepared by the Engineer-in-Chief for repairing Pier, new 43, North river, and the shed thereon, be and are hereby approved and adopted, subject to the approval of the Counsel to the Corporation as to form; and that the Secretary be and hereby is directed to have a sufficient number of blank forms of proposals printed, and proper advertisements, inviting bids for doing the said work, inserted in the papers designated by law.

The Engineer-in-Chief also reported on Secretary's Order No. 2914, submitting plans, specifications and form of contract for rebuilding Pier, new 35, North river, at an estimated cost of \$50,000, which was received, read, and,

On motion, placed on file, and the following resolution, offered by Commissioner Voorhis, was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the plans, specifications and form of contract, as prepared by the Engineer-in-Chief for rebuilding Pier, new 35, North river, be and are hereby approved and adopted, subject to the approval of the Counsel to the Corporation as to form; and that the Secretary be and hereby is directed to have a sufficient number of blank forms of proposals printed, and proper advertisements, inviting bids for doing the said work, inserted in the papers designated by law.

Mr. William Ebbitt appeared before the Board, and was heard in respect to the erection of a dumping-board on the bulkhead south of Forty-third street, East river.

On motion of the President, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That permission be and hereby is granted to William Ebbitt to erect and construct a dumping-board, about twelve feet in width, twenty-five feet south of the southerly line of Forty-third street, East river, said dumping-board to be erected and constructed under the supervision and direction of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department, and to be and to remain only during the pleasure of the Board.

Mr. J. P. Lowrey appeared before the Board, and was heard on behalf of the estate of James M. Brown, the owners of the bulkhead south of Fourteenth street, East river, in respect to dredging the same. No action was taken in the matter.

The Auditing Committee presented an audit of fourteen bills or claims, amounting in the aggregate to the sum of \$9,034.16, which was accepted and adopted, and the Secretary directed to enter the same in full on the minutes, as follows:

Audit No.	Bills or Claims.	Amount.
7879.	Chas. B. Carman, pine piles.....	\$4,125 00
7880.	Union Dredging Co., dredging foot of Fifty-fifth street, North river.....	2,977 14
7881.	John F. Walsh, repairs to ten-ton derrick.....	605 00
7882.	Peter Timmes' Son, wrought spike.....	216 00
7883.	F. W. Devoe & Co., white lead, etc.....	54 75
7884.	R. Hoe & Co., circular cross-cut saw, etc.....	50 86



7785. Hunter, Keller & Co., pipe, etc.	24 00
7786. A. S. Barnes & Co., stationery, etc.	21 63
7787. New York Belting and Packing Co., rubber back packing	6 75
7788. Louis Berkowitz, street filling, etc.	280 35

On Construction Account..... \$8,361 48

7789. Stevens Institute of Technology, testing iron, etc.	\$40 00
7790. Bell Bros., spruce	88 18

On General Repairs Account..... \$128 18

7791. A. S. Barnes & Co., binding Rules and Regulations	\$480 00
7792. Evening Post Job Printing Office, printing and binding Report of Engineers..	64 50

On Annual Expense Account..... \$544 50

#### RECAPITULATION.

10 Bills or claims on Construction Account.....	\$8,361 48
2 " " General Repairs Account.....	128 18
2 " " Annual Expense Account.....	544 50
14 " " Amounting to.....	\$9,034 16

Respectfully submitted,  
(Signed) JACOB VANDERPOEL, } Auditing Committee.  
JOHN R. VOORHIS, }

NEW YORK, March 28, 1883.

On motion, the Secretary was directed to forward the said bills, together with proper requisitions for the amounts, to the Finance Department for payment.

Commissioner Voorhis, the Treasurer pro tem. of the Board, presented his report of receipts for the week ending March 27th instant, which was received, read, and,

On motion, placed on file, and the Secretary directed to enter the same in full on the minutes, as follows:

DATE RECEIVED.	FROM WHOM.	FOR WHAT.	AMOUNT.	TOTAL.	DATE DEPOSITED.
1883.					1883.
Mch 25	Wm. L. McConkey.....	Wh'f Dis.No.1, E.R., to Mch. 24, inc.	\$38 57		
" 26	James Fitzpatrick.....	" " 2, N. R., " "	354 97		
" 26	John Butler.....	" " 2, E. R., " "	188 73		
" 26	Geo. W. Wanmaker.....	" " 1, N. R., " "	243 64		
				\$825 91	Mch. 26.
			\$825 91	\$825 91	

Respectfully submitted,  
(Signed) JOHN R. VOORHIS, Treasurer pro tem.

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

Register No.		Estimated cost	
4079. For one piece yellow pine.....		\$9 50	
4080. For water-pipe, etc., Pier, new 45 N. R.....		155 00	
4081. For plumbing, etc., Pier, new 39, N. R.....		65 00	
4082. For plumbing, etc., Pier, new 37, N. R.....		160 00	
4083. For plumbing, etc., Pier, new 36, N. R.....		65 00	
4084. For plumbing, etc., Pier, new 34, N. R.....		70 00	
4085. For plumbing, etc., Pier, new 35, N. R.....		70 00	
4086. For plumbing, etc., Pier, new 38, N. R.....		75 00	
4087. For services of dredge, etc., foot of Fifty-fifth street, N. R.....		2,900 00	
4088. { For 600 feet B. M. rough white pine } { For 50 pieces milled white pine..... } { For 8 pieces white oak..... }		132 00	
4089. For 19 pieces Georgia yellow pine.....		40 00	
4090. For screw pipe fitting, etc., to make water-pipe for filling tank "Tug Manhattan.".....		11 00	
4092. For 1,000 apportionment blanks, etc.....		12 00	
Requisition No.			
179. For stationery, etc.....		70 12	

On motion, Michael McLaughlin and Albert Merrick were appointed as laborers.  
On motion, the Board adjourned.

JOHN T. CUMING, Secretary.

#### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 6th day of April, 1883.  
Present—Commissioners French, Nichols, and Matthews.

##### Leaves of Absence Granted.

Patrolman James Clinton, Sixth Precinct, five and one-half days.  
" Anderson Stebbins, Tenth Precinct, six days.

Report of the Superintendent, pursuant to Rule 435 (arrests by Detective Squad in March, 1883), was ordered on file.

##### Mask Balls Allowed.

Knights of Pythias, at Forty-fourth street, Eighth and Ninth avenues, April 11th.  
Fernando's Dancing Academy, at No. 162 East Sixty-fifth street, April 19th.

Application of Captain Washburn, Twentieth Precinct, for permission for Second Platoon to give a ball, was referred to the Superintendent with power.

The following applications for back sick pay were ordered on file:  
Patrolman Peter M. McSorley, Twenty-ninth Precinct.  
Ex-Patrolman Albert D. Robinson.

Communication from the Counsel to the Corporation, asking copy of resolution relative to advertising polling places, etc., was referred to the Chief Clerk to furnish.

Communication from the Counsel to the Corporation, asking the amount of sick pay withheld from Patrolman Bernard J. Leonard, Thirty-second Precinct, was referred to the Chief Clerk to furnish.

Communication from Frank J. Dupignac relative to claim of Patrolman Orville A. Todd, Ninth Precinct, for back sick pay, was referred to the Chief Clerk to answer.

Communication from Charles F. Schumpf, Philadelphia, asking address of William Meanes, was referred to the Chief Clerk to answer.

Communication from Charles E. Quackenbush, relative to renewal of lease of Third Inspection District office, Parepa Hall, was ordered to be forwarded to the Comptroller, and the Chief Clerk to acknowledge.

Communication from J. B. Conly & Company, giving notice that L. J. Welch has no power to collect claim for towing Scow No. 21, was referred to the Treasurer's Bookkeeper.

Communication from Captain Eakins, Fifth Precinct, relative to resignation of Doorman Wm. Cromie, was ordered on file.

Communication from C. A. Cappa, leader of Seventh Regiment Band, proposing to furnish music for annual parade of Police force, was referred to the Superintendent.

On reading report of Sergeant Revell, Mounted Squad, relative to death of a horse, it was resolved, That requisition be made for the purchase of a horse to replace the dead one.

Resolved, That notice be given to Patrolman Michael Gilfeather, First Precinct, of the intention of the Board of Police to retire him from service as a Patrolman of the Police Force on account of physical disability.

Resolved, That in pursuance of writs of mandamus from the Supreme Court, the Treasurer be and is hereby directed to pay the following-named persons, or to their respective attorneys, the sums set opposite their names for pay withheld from them on account of sick time—all aye.

Edgar B. Van Buskirk, Leo C. Dessar, attorney.....	\$108 38
Jesse Carter, A. H. Purdy, attorney.....	147 78
John B. Ryan, Townsend, Dyett & Einstein, attorneys.....	175 83

#### Resignations Accepted.

Patrolman George W. Crout, Twelfth Precinct.

Doorman William Cromie, Fifth Precinct.

Resolved, That Edward Travers be and is hereby appointed Doorman, and assigned to the Fifth Precinct for duty.

Resolved, That the following transfers be ordered:

Doorman Owen McPartland, from Ninth Precinct to Detective Squad.

" William Luther, from Detective Squad to Ninth Precinct.

Patrolman Jacob Brunner, from Steamboat Squad to Sixth Precinct.

#### NEW YORK SUPERIOR COURT.

Thomas S. Harper

agst.

Myron Allen.

} Summons and Complaint.

Referred to the Corporation Counsel to defend if there are good grounds therefor.

#### NEW YORK SUPREME COURT.

The People ex rel. Michael H. Swift

agst.

The Board of Police.

} Writ of Certiorari.

Referred to the Corporation Counsel.

#### NEW YORK SUPREME COURT.

The People ex rel. Daniel J. McCarthy

agst.

S. B. French et al.

} Affidavit and order to show cause.

Referred to the Counsel to the Corporation.

The like in cases of—

Simeon M. Flida.

James J. Fagan.

Philip Fitzpatrick.

Walter Grier.

Thomas McCue.

Alexander D. Smith.

Christopher Dunn, by Kate Dunn, administratrix.

Clemens Miller, by Elizabeth Miller, administratrix.

Resolved, That as a mark of respect for the deceased philanthropist, Peter Cooper, the members of this Board attend the funeral services on Saturday the 7th instant; and that in pursuance of resolution of the Board of Aldermen (adopted on the 5th instant), the Central Office of this Department be closed on that day.

Resolved, That the report of arrests for the unlawful sale of intoxicating liquors by licensed liquor dealers on Sunday, March 25, 1883, be placed on file, and a copy forwarded to the Board of Excise, that the licenses of dealers who violate the law and desecrate the Christian Sabbath may be revoked, as the law directs.

On reading and filing letters from the Mayor inclosing lists of liquor places where licenses have expired, dated April 2 and 3, it was

Resolved, That the lists be referred to the Superintendent to order arrests to be made in all such places for every violation of the Excise Law; and that the Chief Clerk acknowledge the receipt of the letter of the Mayor.

Adjourned.

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

#### APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Bloomingdale Brothers to place and keep a storm-door at the entrance to their premises, No. 166 East Fifty-sixth street, to be within the stoop-line; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 20, 1883.

Approved by the Mayor, April 2, 1883.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Mrs. Frank Liard to place and keep two awning-posts and cross-beam at or near the curb in front of her premises, No. 766 Courtland avenue, the work to be done at her own expense, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 20, 1883.

Approved by the Mayor, April 2, 1883.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to A. Hupfel's Sons to flag the sidewalk and set the curb and gutter stones in front of their premises, on the easterly side of St. Ann's avenue, from Cliff to John street; the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 20, 1883.

Approved by the Mayor, April 2, 1883.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to E. G. Gismond to place and keep a sign at No. 221 West Thirty-second street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, the sign to extend across sidewalk; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 20, 1883.

Approved by the Mayor, April 2, 1883.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Edward Murphy to erect and keep a metal awning at No. 421 West Thirty-second street, between the Ninth and Tenth avenues; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 20, 1883.

Approved by the Mayor, April 2, 1883.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Managers of the Mount Morris Safe Deposit Company to place three bay-windows on the building about to be erected on northwest corner of One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street and Fourth avenue, two bay-windows on the One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street front to be fourteen feet wide, to extend from the house-line four feet; one bay-window on Fourth avenue to be nineteen feet wide and to extend from house-line four feet, according to diagram annexed, the consent of the adjoining property-owners having been obtained, and is hereto annexed; the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Fire Department; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 20, 1883.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, April 2, 1883, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Thomas Kirkpatrick to extend the show-windows two feet six inches from the house-line, one corner of Twenty-second street and Broadway, and one show-window corner of Twenty-second street and Fifth avenue, according to diagram annexed, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Fire Department; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 20, 1883.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, April 2, 1883, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Sullivan to erect a bay-window on Madison avenue, northwest corner of Seventy-sixth street, said bay-window to be two stories in height, fifteen feet wide, and to extend from the house-line four feet six inches, according to diagram annexed; the consent of the property-owners adjoining having been obtained, and is hereto annexed, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Fire Department; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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## METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY

OF THE

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK.

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

## ABSTRACT OF REGISTERS FROM SELF-RECORDING INSTRUMENTS,

For the Week ending March 31, 1883.

## Barometer.

DATE	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Mean for the Day.	MAXIMUM.	MINIMUM.
MARCH.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.
Sunday, 25	30.008	29.912	29.836	29.939	30.008	7 A. M.
Monday, 26	29.876	29.778	29.732	29.795	29.902	0 A. M.
Tuesday, 27	29.698	29.666	29.695	29.687	29.728	0 A. M.
Wednesday, 28	29.768	29.758	29.890	29.805	29.906	12 P. M.
Thursday, 29	29.940	29.882	29.846	29.889	29.946	9 A. M.
Friday, 30	29.742	29.592	29.700	29.678	29.810	0 A. M.
Saturday, 31	29.792	29.800	29.784	29.792	29.818	9 A. M.

Mean for the week..... 29.798 inches.  
 Maximum " at 7 A. M., March 25..... 30.008 "  
 Minimum " at 2 P. M., March 30..... 29.592 "  
 Range " ..... .416 "

## Thermometers.

DATE	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	MEAN.	MAXIMUM.	MINIMUM.	MAX- IMUM.
MARCH.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	In Sun.
Sunday, 25	28	25	45	39	33	37-3	48
Monday, 26	35	30	49	39	43	37	50
Tuesday, 27	39	36	44	39	36	40-7	44
Wednesday, 28	31	27	40	33	28	34	40
Thursday, 29	28	25	34	29	37	31	37
Friday, 30	34	31	31	30	30	31-7	36
Saturday, 31	22	22	39	31	36	31-3	39

Mean for the week..... 35.9 degrees.  
 Maximum for the week, at 3 P. M., 26th..... 50. " at 3 P. M., 25th..... 40. "  
 Minimum " at 6 A. M., 31st..... 22. " at 6 A. M., 31st..... 22. "  
 Range " ..... 28. " ..... 18. "

## Wind.

DATE.		DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.				FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.				
MARCH.		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Distance for the Day.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Max.	Time.
Sunday,	25....	WNW	WNW	NW	68	64	52	184	0	½	0	1¼	2.40 P.M.
Monday,	26....	NNE	ENE	SSE	56	68	31	155	0	0	0	1	11.30 A.M.
Tuesday,	27....	NNE	NNW	NNW	42	63	59	164	0	¼	0	1	12.00 M.
Wednesday,	28....	WNW	NW	NNW	92	110	102	304	½	4	1½	6	3.10 P.M.
Thursday,	29....	NNW	W	SW	78	29	34	141	0	0	0	½	3.10 A.M.
Friday,	30....	ESE	NE	N	29	54	33	116	0	0	0	1	0.20 P.M.
Saturday,	31....	NE	ENE	N	19	40	20	79	0	0	0	1¼	10.15 A.M.

Distance traveled during the week..... 1,143 miles.  
 Maximum force " " ..... 6 pounds.

DATE.	Hygrometer.						Clouds.			Rain and Snow.					
	FORCE OF VAPOR.			RELATIVE HUMIDITY.			CLEAR, O. OVERCAST, 10.			DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES.					
	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration. H. M.	Amount of Water.	Depth of Snow.	
Sunday, 25	.100	.074	.110	65	24	46	0	2 Cir. S.	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	..	
Monday, 26	.109	.108	.142	53	30	51	3 Cir. Cu.	3 Cir. S.	9 Cu.	.....	.....	.....	.....	..	
Tuesday, 27	.173	.173	.173	72	59	72	10	10	3 Cir. Cu.	0.30 A.M.	3.00 A.M.	2.30	.02	..	
Wedn'day, 28	.101	.097	.096	58	39	51	2 Cir. S.	0	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	..	
Thursday, 29	.100	.103	.105	65	52	47	10	10	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	..	
Friday, 30	.139	.174	.167	71	100	100	10	10	0	7.00 A.M.	4.00 P.M.	9.00	.54	4 1/2"	
Saturday, 31	.118	.082	.116	100	34	55	0	10	5 Cir. Cu.	.....	.....	.....	.....	..	

Total amount of water for the week..... .56 inch.

DANIEL DRAPER, PH. D., Director.

## OFFICIAL DIRECTORY

STATEMENT OF THE HOURS DURING WHICH all the Public Offices in the City are open for business, and at which each Court regularly opens and adjourns, as well as of the places where such offices are kept and such Courts are held; together with the heads of Departments and Courts

## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

*Mayor's Office.*  
 No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
 FRANKLIN EDSON, Mayor; S. HASTINGS GRANT, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

*Mayor's Marshal's Office.*  
 No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 GEORGE A. McDERMOTT, First Marshal.

*Permit Bureau Office.*  
 No. 13 1/2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 HENRY WOLTMAN, Registrar.

## COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

No. 1 County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 WM. PITT SHEARMAN, GEO. EDWIN HILL.

## LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

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

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

*Bureau of Incumbrances.*  
 No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL, Superintendent.

*Bureau of Lamps and Gas.*  
 No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 STEPHEN McCORMICK, Superintendent.

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

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

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

*Bureau of Street Improvements.*  
 No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 GEORGE A. JEREMIAH, Superintendent.

*Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.*  
 No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 THOMAS H. McAVOY, Superintendent.

*Bureau of Water Purveyor.*  
 No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 DANIEL O'REILLY, Water Purveyor.

*Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.*  
 MARTIN J. KEESSE, City Hall.

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

*Comptroller's Office.*  
 Nos. 19 and 20 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 ALLAN CAMPBELL, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.

*Auditing Bureau.*  
 No. 19 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 DANIEL JACKSON, Auditor of Accounts.

*Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents.*  
 No. 5 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 ARTEMAS CADDY, Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.

*Bureau for the Collection of City Revenues and of Markets.*  
 No. 6 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 THOMAS F. DEVOE, Collector of City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets.

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

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

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

## LAW DEPARTMENT

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

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

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

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

*Headquarters.*  
 Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.  
 JOHN J. GORMAN, President; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

*Bureau of Chief of Department.*  
 ELI BATES, Chief of Department.

*Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.*  
 PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

*Bureau of Fire Marshal.*  
 GEORGE H. SHELDON, Fire Marshal.

*Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.*  
 WM. P. ESTERBROOK, Inspector of Buildings.  
 Office hours, Headquarters and Bureaus, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 3 P. M.

*Attorney to Department.*  
 WM. L. FINDLEY, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street and No. 120 Broadway.

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

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

*Hospital Stables.*  
 99th street, between 9th and 10th avenues (temporary).  
 JAMES SHEA, Superintendent of Horses.

## HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

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

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

## DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

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

## BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, City Hall, Room No. 113, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 JOHN R. LYDECKER, Chairman; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

## BOARD OF EXCISE.

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

## SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

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

## REGISTER'S OFFICE.

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

## COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

## COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

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

## DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

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

## THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

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

## CORONERS' OFFICE.

Nos. 13 and 15 Chatham street.  
 PHILIP MERKLE, FERDINAND LEVY, BERNARD F. MARTIN and WILLIAM H. KENNEDY, Coroners; JOHN T. TOAL, Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

## SUPREME COURT.

Second floor, New County Court-house, 10 1/2 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
 General Term, Room No. 9.  
 Special Term, Room No. 10.  
 Chambers, Room No. 11.  
 Circuit, Part I., Room No. 12.  
 Circuit, Part II., Room No. 13.  
 Circuit, Part III., Room No. 14.  
 Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 15.  
 NOAH DAVIS, Chief Justice; PATRICK KEENAN, Clerk.

## SUPERIOR COURT.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.  
 General Term, Room No. 29.  
 Special Term, Room No. 33.  
 Chambers, Room No. 33.  
 Part I., Room No. 34.  
 Part II., Room No. 35.  
 Part III., Room No. 36.  
 Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 30.  
 Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 32.  
 Clerk's Office, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., Room No. 31.  
 JOHN SEDGWICK, Chief Judge; THOMAS BOESE, Chief Clerk.

## COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

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



## COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

No. 32 Chambers street. Parts I. and II.  
FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder, Presiding, Judge of the General Sessions; HENRY A. GILDERSLEEVE and RUFUS B. COWING, Judges.  
Terms first Monday each month.  
JOHN SPARKS, Clerk.

## MARINE COURT.

General Term, Room No. 15, City Hall.  
Trial Term, Parts I., II., and III., second floor, City Hall.  
Special Term, Chambers, Room No. 21, City Hall, at 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Clerk's Office, Room No. 10, City Hall.  
GEORGE SHEA, Chief Justice; JOHN SAVAGE, Clerk.

## OVER AND TERMINER COURT.

General Term, New County Court-house, second floor, southeast corner, Room No. 13, 10:30 A. M.  
Clerk's Office, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, second floor, northwest corner.

## COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

A. Tombs, corner Franklin and Centre streets, Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays, 10 A. M.  
Clerk's Office, Tombs.

## DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.

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

## GAS COMMISSION.

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

## PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR LIGHTING THE PUBLIC LAMPS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING the Gas or other illuminating material for and Lighting, Extinguishing, Cleaning, Repairing, and Maintaining the Public Lamps (and supplying Gas, etc., for new lamps when required) on the Streets, Avenues, Piers, Parks, and public places in that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward in the City of New York formerly constituting Town of West Farms, for the period of one year, commencing May 1, 1883, and ending April 30, 1884, both days inclusive.

Estimates for the above will be received at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, No. 31 Chambers street, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of Thursday, April 19, 1883, at which place and time they will be publicly opened by said Commissioner and read.

Any person making an estimate for the above shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimate for furnishing the illuminating material for, and lighting and extinguishing, cleaning, repairing, and maintaining the public lamps," and also with the name of the person making the same, and the date of its presentation.

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

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

Bidders are required to state in their estimates the district or several streets or parts of streets in which they propose to perform the requirements herein contained, and also the illuminating or candle-power of the gas they propose to furnish, when tested at a distance of not less than one mile from the place of manufacture, and bidders proposing to furnish any illuminating material other than illuminating or coal gas, must state distinctly what kind of material they propose to furnish, and the illuminating power of the light they propose to furnish.

Bidders are also required to state the price for which they will furnish the gas (of not less than sixteen-candle power by photometrical test, at a distance of not less than one mile from the place of manufacture) or other illuminating material for each lamp, including the lighting, extinguishing, cleaning, repairing, reglazing, and painting lamp-posts and lanterns, and replacing the cocks, tubes, burners, cross heads, lamp irons, and lanterns thereto, for the period from May 1, 1883, to April 30, 1884, both days inclusive, stating the price for the above named period of one year, for each lamp.

Bidders proposing to furnish electric lights must state the kind or system of light (whether the Voltaic Arc or Incandescent) they propose to furnish, and also whether the electric lamps are to be used on the ordinary lamp-posts of the city, or on special lamp-posts to be fitted up by the bidder without cost to the city for such lamp-posts or their fittings. If the light is to be by the Voltaic Arc, the bidder is to state the number of such lamps to be used for lighting the streets or district for which the bid is made and the diameter of the carbon electrodes to be used in such lamps.

Bidders are also required to state a price for which they will repair lamp-posts, including straightening and relighting, and for each new lamp fitted up, as follows:  
For each lamp-post straightened, stating the price per post.  
For each column refitted, stating the price per post.  
For each lamp-post removed, stating the price per post.  
For each lamp-post reset, stating the price per post.  
For each new lamp fitted up, stating the price per post.

The bidders are required to write out the amount of their bids in their estimates, in addition to inserting the same in figures.

The number of public lamps to be contracted for is about 1,300.

The burners for illuminating gas are to be of a capacity to burn three cubic feet of gas per hour under a pressure of one inch, and in case the illuminating material shall be oil or naphtha, then the burners to be used for such illuminating material shall give a light (by photometrical test) equal to the light given by the gas-burners in use in the public lamps in the City of New York.

Should any alteration or any attachment be required to any portion of the lamps for which estimates are made in consequence of the use of illuminating material other than

gas, then such alteration shall be done and such attachment placed on the lamps without expense to the city.

The number of hours the gas or naphtha lamps are to be kept burning during the contract is 4,000, and electric lamps are to be kept lighted 3,818 hours.

The amount of security required is \$26,000.

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

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

Should the person or persons to whom the contract is so awarded neglect or refuse to accept to contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to him, bid or estimate, or if he neglects, but does not execute the contract and give the proper security, it may be re-advertised and relet as provided by law and ordinance.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless a written permission shall have been previously obtained from the Mayor, Comptroller, and Commissioner of Public Works.

The right is reserved to assign and designate to any bidder, whose bid shall be accepted, the number and location of the lamps to be lighted by such bidder, in any portion of the city for which estimates are received, and to increase or diminish such number.

The right is reserved to determine and designate, after the estimates are opened, what illuminating material shall be used in the public lamps, or any number of them, during the period before mentioned; also to decline any or all estimates if deemed for the interests of the Corporation, and no estimate will be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to the Corporation, upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as security or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

If the estimate of any bidder shall include any lamps with which the pipes or conductors of such bidder are not connected at the time of the making of the bid, and a contract for furnishing the illuminating material for and lighting, extinguishing, cleaning, repairing, and maintaining any such lamps, shall be awarded to such bidder, in that case, thirty days from the date of the execution of such contract and such further time, not exceeding thirty days, as may be deemed reasonable by the Commissioner of Public Works, shall be allowed to such bidder in which to connect such pipes or conductors with such lamps.

But no payment to such bidder, on account of any such lamps, will be made for the time so allowed, nor until the same shall have been connected with the mains or conductors of such bidder, nor except for the time during which all the requirements herein mentioned shall have been fully performed.

Blank forms of estimates can be obtained on application at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works.

FRANKLIN EDSON,  
Mayor  
ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Comptroller.  
HUBERT O. THOMPSON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,  
117 AND 119 DUANE STREET.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 181.)

## PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING A WOODEN PLATFORM NORTH OF THE STOREHOUSE PIER, AT BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, EAST RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND Building a Wooden Platform north of the Storehouse Pier, at Blackwell's Island, East River, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

THURSDAY, APRIL 19, 1883,

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

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

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

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

	Feet B.M. measured in the work.
1. Yellow Pine Timber 12" x 12".....	7,662
" " 8" x 8".....	219
" " 5" plank.....	12,170
" " 5" x 10".....	2,375
" " 4" x 10".....	107
Total.....	22,533

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

- White Pine, Yellow Pine, Cypress or Spruce Piles 46 (It is expected that the piles will have to be from about 30 to about 35 feet in length, to comply with the specifications for driving.)
- Oak Fender and Spring Piles..... 15
- Half-round Oak Fenders..... 3
- 5/8x22, 3/4"x16", 3/4"x12", 3/4"x10", Square Wrought-iron Spike-pointed Dock Spikes, and 3/8" Chain, or Wire Rope, about..... 1,566 pounds.
- 1" Wrought-iron Screw Bolts, about..... 439
- Cast-iron Washers for 1" Screw Bolts, about..... 308
- Labor of framing and carpentry, including all moving of timber, jointing, bolting, spiking, painting, oiling or tarring, and furnishing the materials for painting, oiling or tarring, and labor of every description, for an area of about 2,425 square feet of platform.

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

1. Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal examination of the location of the proposed work, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy

of the foregoing Engineer's estimate, and shall not, at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the above statement of quantities, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.

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

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and all the work contracted for is to be fully completed on or before the thirtieth day of June, 1883, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

WILLIAM LAIMBEER,  
JACOB VANDERPOEL,  
JOHN R. VOORHIS,  
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

Dated New York, April 6, 1883.

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

## TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 182.)

## PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING A CRIB BULKHEAD, WITH APPURTENANCES, AND FOR FILLING IN REAR OF THE SAME, AT THE FOOT OF NINETY-NINTH STREET, EAST RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND building a crib bulkhead, with appurtenances, and for filling in rear of the same, at the foot of Ninety-ninth street, East River, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, in the City of New York, until twelve o'clock M. of

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

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

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

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

- About 70,000 cubic feet, more or less, of crib work, complete, including fenders, fender piles, mooring posts, backing logs, and armature plates.
- Clean earth or stone filling in rear of the crib and its return—about 4,400 cubic yards (of this about 500 cubic yards must be of rip-rap stone, and about 125 cubic yards of this 500 cubic yards must be laid up in a dry wall).
- Labor of framing and carpentry, including all moving of timber, jointing, planking, bolting, spiking, painting, and furnishing the materials for painting, and labor of every description, for the crib bulkhead and its return, and for the filling in rear of the same.

The bidder to whom an award is made shall give security for the faithful performance of the contract, in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance, in the sum of Three Thousand Dollars.

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

CLASS 1. Dredging for the site of the crib bulkhead and its return, and dredging in front of it—about 2,900 cubic yards.

CLASS 2. Crib Bulkhead and Return complete, and filling in rear of same, containing about the following quantities:

- About 70,000 cubic feet, more or less, of crib work, complete, including fenders, fender piles, mooring posts, backing logs, and armature plates.
- Clean earth or stone filling in rear of the crib and its return—about 4,400 cubic yards (of this about 500 cubic yards must be of rip-rap stone, and about 125 cubic yards of this 500 cubic yards must be laid up in a dry wall).
- Labor of framing and carpentry, including all moving of timber, jointing, planking, bolting, spiking, painting, and furnishing the materials for painting, and labor of every description, for the crib bulkhead and its return, and for the filling in rear of the same.

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

1st. Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal examination of the location of the proposed work and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the foregoing Engineer's estimate, and shall not, at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the above statement of quantities, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.

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

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and the entire work is to be fully completed on or before the 15th day of August, 1883, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

WILLIAM LAIMBEER,  
JACOB VANDERPOEL,  
JOHN R. VOORHIS,  
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

Dated New York, April 6, 1883.



(No. 183.)

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

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at any time after the submission of an estimate assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of work to be done.

Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Parks, and in substantial accordance with the specifications for the work and the plans therein referred to. No extra compensation beyond the amount to be bid or specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due and payable for the entire work.

The Department of Public Parks reserves the right to reject any or all the bids received in response to this advertisement if it should deem it for the interest of the city so to do, and to re-advertise until a satisfactory bid or proposal shall be received. But the contracts when awarded will be awarded to the lowest bidders.

Blank forms for proposals and forms of contract, which the successful bidders will be required to execute, can be had at the office of the Secretary, and the plans can be seen and information relative to them can be had, at the office of the Architect, 36 Union Square.

EGBERT L. VIELE,  
SALEM H. WALES,  
JOHN D. CRIMMINS,  
WILLIAM M. OLLIFFE,  
Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks.  
E. P. BARKER,  
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
36 UNION SQUARE,  
NEW YORK, April 2, 1883.

#### IRON-GRANITE-MASONRY WORK.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH OF THE following named works:

No. 1. FOR CONSTRUCTING A RETAINING WALL, STEPS, ETC., at the southwest end of the Park, located on Fulton and Franklin avenues, and One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, New York City, and for Erecting Granite Posts, Curb, etc., around this Park and the Park located on Boston and Third avenues, New York City.

No. 2. FOR CONSTRUCTING AN IRON RAILING inclosing the two parks located on Fulton and Franklin avenues and One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, and on Boston and Third avenues, New York City.

—will be received by the Department of Public Parks, at their office, 36 Union Square, until ten o'clock on Wednesday, the 18th day of April, 1883, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened and read.

The nature and extent of each of the works, as near as it is possible to state them in advance, is as follows:

NUMBER 1, ABOVE MENTIONED.  
120 cubic yards of Earth Excavation.  
700 cubic yards of Wall and Base Courses.  
250 lineal feet of Granite Coping.  
192 lineal feet of Granite Steps and Platforms.  
692 lineal feet of Blue Stone Curb.  
226 Granite Posts.

NUMBER 2, ABOVE MENTIONED.  
825 lineal feet of Iron Railing.

The person making any bid or estimate must furnish the same inclosed in a sealed envelope, to the head of said Department of Public Parks, at its office, on or before the day and hour above mentioned.

The envelope must be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates.

For the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications and drawings on file in the office of the Department.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above-mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

The amount in which security will be required for the performance of the several contracts is as follows:

For No. 1. Above-mentioned mason and granite work.....\$3,000 00

For No. 2. Above-mentioned iron work.....1,000 00

Bidders must satisfy themselves by personal examination of the location of the proposed works and the plans and drawings, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the nature and extent of these works, and shall not at any time after the submission of an estimate assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of work to be done.

Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Parks, and in substantial accordance with the specifications for the work and the plans therein referred to. No extra compen-

sation beyond the amount to be bid or specified by the lowest bidder shall be due and payable for the entire work.

The Department of Public Parks reserves the right to reject any or all the bids received in response to this advertisement if it should deem it for the interest of the city so to do, and to re-advertise until satisfactory bids or proposals shall be received.

But the contracts, when awarded, will be awarded to the lowest bidders.

Blank forms for proposals and forms of contract, which the successful bidders will be required to execute, can be had at the office of the Secretary, and the plans can be seen and information relative to them can be had at the office of the Superintendent Architect, 36 Union Square.

EGBERT L. VIELE,  
SALEM H. WALES,  
JOHN D. CRIMMINS,  
WILLIAM M. OLLIFFE,  
Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks.  
E. P. BARKER,  
Secretary.

#### ASSESSMENT COMMISSION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT A MEETING of the Commissioners under the act, chapter 550 of the Laws of 1880, entitled "An act relating to certain assessments for local improvements in the City of New York," passed June 9, 1880, will be held at their office, No. 27 Chambers street, on Tuesday, April 10, 1883, at 2 o'clock P. M.

EDWARD COOPER,  
JOHN KELLY,  
ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
GEORGE H. ANDREWS,  
DANIEL LORD, JR.,  
Commissioners under the Act.

JAMES J. MARTIN, Clerk.

#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, April 3, 1883.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A petition of the property owners with maps and plans for changing the grade of William street from North William to Duane street is now pending before the Common Council.

All persons interested in the above change of grade, and having objections thereto, are requested to present the same in writing to the undersigned at his office on or before the 14th day of April, 1883.

The maps showing the present and proposed grades can be seen at Room 7, 31 Chambers street.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, IN ACCORDANCE WITH section 1, chapter 476, Laws of 1875, inclosed in a sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until Thursday, April 12, 1883, at 12 o'clock M., at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department, and read, for the following:

- No. 1. PAVING James street, from Chatham street to Cherry street, with granite block pavement, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting streets where required.
- No. 2. PAVING Henry street, from Oliver street to Grand street, with granite block pavement, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting streets where required.
- No. 3. PAVING Prince street, from Macdougall street to Broadway, with granite block pavement, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting streets where required.
- No. 4. PAVING Morton street, from Bleeker street to West street, with granite block pavement, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting streets where required.
- No. 5. PAVING Avenue A, from Fourteenth street to Twenty-third street, with granite block pavement, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting streets where required.
- No. 6. PAVING Fifty-seventh street, from Madison avenue to Fourth avenue, with granite block pavement, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting streets where required.
- No. 7. PAVING Cherry street, from Franklin Square to Catharine street with trap-block pavement, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting streets where required.
- No. 8. PAVING Sheriff street, from Grand street to Delancey street with trap-block pavement, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting streets where required.
- No. 9. PAVING Eleventh street, from Second avenue to Avenue B, and Manhattan street from Second street to Third street with trap-block pavement, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting streets where required.
- No. 10. PAVING Twenty-seventh street, from Eighth avenue to Ninth avenue with trap-block pavement.
- No. 11. PAVING Thirty-ninth street, from Ninth avenue to Tenth avenue, with trap-block pavement.
- No. 12. PAVING Forty-first street, from Tenth avenue to Eleventh avenue, with trap-block pavement, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting streets where required.

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

Each estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the same, that the several matters therein stated are true, and must be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, to the effect that if the contract is awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall refuse or neglect to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract shall be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested.

The consent last above mentioned must be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise,

and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired can be obtained at the office of the Water Purveyor, Room 1, No. 31 Chambers street.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

#### TO PAINTERS AND CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, 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 Thursday, April 12, 1883, at 12 o'clock M., at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read,

FOR FURNISHING THE MATERIALS AND PAINTING THE NINE FREE FLOATING BATHS.

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

Each estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the same, that the several matters therein stated are true, and must be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, to the effect that if the contract is awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall refuse or neglect to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract shall be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested.

The consent last above mentioned must be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Repairs and Supplies, Room 15, No. 31 Chambers street.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
31 CHAMBERS STREET, ROOM 2,  
NEW YORK, March 24, 1883.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A petition of the property owners, with maps and plans for changing the grade of One Hundred and Seventeenth street, between Tenth avenue and Morningside avenue west, is now pending before the Common Council.

All persons interested in the above change of grade, and having objections thereto, are requested to present the same in writing to the undersigned at his office on or before April 7, 1883.

The maps showing the present and proposed grades can be seen at Room 7, 31 Chambers street.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, DRY GOODS, LUMBER, CROCKERY, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS.

35,000 Fresh Eggs.  
4 cases Prunes.  
2 cases Sardines, halves.  
10 dozen Chow Chow, C. & B.  
5 Gherkins.  
20 boxes Layer Raisins.  
10 " Corn Starch.  
100 bales Hay, tare not to exceed 3 lbs., and weight as received at Blackwell's Island.

#### DRY GOODS.

1,500 yards Linen Drills.  
2,000 " Furniture Check.  
1,000 " Linen Diaper.  
500 " Table Linen.  
100 dozen Basting Cotton, No. 20  
10 pieces White Flannel.  
400 Rubber Blankets.

#### LUMBER, CROCKERY, ETC.

20,000 feet 1" Box Boards, 14" to 16" x 12" to 16" long, dressed one side.  
5,000 feet 1" Clear Pine, 12" to 16" x 14" to 16" long, dressed one side.

To be delivered at Blackwell's Island.

3 gross Chambers.  
5 " Bowls.  
1 " Male Urinals.  
2 " Bed Pans.  
20 coils 9-thread Manila Rope, best quality.  
20 " 15-thread " "  
6 dozen Manure Forks.  
20 gross Table Spoons.

#### PAINTS.

250 pounds Chrome Green, prime quality.  
100 " Indian Red, "  
50 " Venetian Red, "  
50 " Raw Sienna, "  
1 barrel Black Lead.

—or any part thereof, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., of Friday, April 13, 1883. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Lumber, etc.," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department, and read.

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, and to accept any bid or estimate as a whole, or for any one or more articles included therein. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of Chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, April 2, 1883.

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



DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, March 31, 1883.

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—Augusta Schroeder; age 73 years; 5 feet 1/2 inch high; gray hair; blue eyes.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Lucy Firman; aged 62 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; gray eyes and hair. Had on when admitted dark dress and cape, black and gray shawl, white bonnet.

John Fleige aged 48 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; brown eyes, gray hair. Had on when admitted dark mixed coat and pants, gray vest, black felt hat.

Ann Brennan; age 29 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; brown eyes and hair. Had on when admitted black alpaca dress, Paisley shawl.

Michael Callahan; age 50 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; brown eye (only one); black hair. Had on when admitted brown overcoat, black coat and vest, gray pants.

Patrick Kiernan; aged 30 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; hazel eyes; brown hair. Had on when admitted brown and black check coat and vest, gray pants, blue overalls.

Mary Clark; aged 64 years; 5 feet 2 inches high; blue eyes; gray hair. Had on when admitted black alpaca dress; brown shawl.

Louis Pietror; aged 48 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; brown eyes and hair. Had on when admitted black coat, blue vest, gray pants, brown Derby hat.

At Branch Lunatic Asylum, Hart's Island—Angelina Daniels; age 57 years; brown eyes and hair.

Jennie Bennett; aged 36 years; 5 feet 1 1/4 inches high; gray eyes; black hair.

Johanna O'Grady; aged 37 years; 5 feet 1 inch high; gray eyes; dark hair.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order,  
G. F. BRITTON,  
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, March 22, 1883.

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 Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Bridget McDermott, aged 63 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; gray hair; brown eyes. Had on when admitted black skirt and cloak, silk hood.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Cornelius Carney, aged 42 years. Committed February 14, 1883.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Margaret Collins; aged 72 years; 4 feet 4 inches high; blue eyes; gray hair. Had on when admitted black alpaca cloak, black dress, gaiters.

William Smith; aged 58 years; 5 feet 9 inches high; blue eyes; brown hair. Had on when admitted black coat, brown striped pants and vest, Derby hat.

James Logue; aged 64 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; blue eyes; brown hair. Had on when admitted black suit of clothes.

Joseph Lippus; aged 32 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; blue eyes; brown hair. Had on when admitted gray coat, blue overalls, blue flannel shirt.

Minnie Johnson; aged 30 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; blue eyes; brown hair. Had on when admitted brown dress, black shawl.

Elizabeth Mullen; aged 24 years; 5 feet 1 inch high; blue eyes; brown hair. Had on when admitted gray dress, brown water-proof cloak.

James Rodgers; aged 64 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; blue eyes; brown hair. Had on when admitted black coat and vest, brown striped pants.

At Hart's Island Hospital—Catharine Smith; aged 60 years.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order,  
G. F. BRITTON,  
Secretary.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the office of the Clerk of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Friday, April 20, 1883, at 4 P. M., for supplying the coal and wood required for the public schools in the city for the ensuing year—say twelve thousand five hundred (12,500) tons of coal, more or less, and seven hundred and fifty (750) cords of oak, and eight hundred and fifty (850) cords of pine wood, more or less. The coal must be of the best quality of white ash, furnace, egg, stove, and nut sizes, clean and in good order, two thousand two hundred and forty (2,240) pounds to the ton, and must be delivered in the bins of the several school buildings at such times and in such quantities as required by the Committee on Supplies.

The proposals must state the mines from which it is proposed to supply the coal (to be furnished from the mines named, if accepted), and must state the price per ton of two thousand two hundred and forty (2,240) pounds.

The quantity of the various sizes of coal required will be about as follows, viz.: Ten thousand five hundred (10,500) tons of furnace size, one thousand (1,000) tons of stove size, three hundred (300) tons of egg size, and seven hundred (700) tons of nut size.

The oak wood must be of the best quality, the stick not less than three (3) feet long. The pine wood must be of the best quality Virginia, and not less than three (3) feet six (6) inches long. The proposals must state the price per cord of one hundred and twenty-eight (128) cubic feet, solid measure, for both oak and pine wood, and also the price per cut per load for sawing, and the price per cut per load for splitting, the quantity of oak wood to be split only as required by the Committee on Supplies. The wood will be inspected and measured under the supervision of the Inspector of Fuel of the Board of Education, and must be delivered at the schools as follows: Two-thirds of the quantity required from the 1st of May to the 15th of September, and the remainder as required by the Committee on Supplies; said wood, both oak and pine, must be delivered, sawed, and when required, split, and must be piled in the yards, cellars, vaults, or bins of the school buildings, as may be designated by the proper authority. The contracts for supplying said coal and wood to be binding until the first day of May, 1884. Two sureties for the faithful performance of the contract will be required, and each proposal must be accompanied by the signatures and residences of the proposed sureties. No compensation will be allowed for delivering said coal and wood at any of the schools, nor for putting and piling the same in the yards, cellars, vaults, or bins of said schools.

Proposals must be directed to the Committee on Supplies of the Board of Education, and should be indorsed "Proposals for Coal," or "Proposals for Wood," as the case may be.

The Committee reserve the right to reject any or all proposals received.

FERDINAND TRAUD,  
WILLIAM BELDEN,  
EDWARD J. H. TAMSEN,  
W. J. WELCH,  
DAVID WETMORE,  
Committee on Supplies.

New York, April 2, 1883.

SUPREME COURT.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of the costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the twenty-first day of April, 1883, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated, New York, April 7, 1883.

CHARLES PRICE,  
GEORGE W. MCLEAN,  
CECIL CAMPBELL HIGGINS,  
Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, from Eighth avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas, in the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of the costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof in the County Court-house at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the twenty-first day of April, 1883, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, April 7, 1883.

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

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

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

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

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, No. 73 William street (third floor), in the said city, on or before the 16th day of May, 1883, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 16th day of May, 1883, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at two o'clock p. m.

Second.—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works in the City of New York, there to remain until the 23d day of May, 1883.

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Commencing at a point in the easterly side of Avenue St. Nicholas, distant one hundred and one foot and one-fourth of an inch southerly from a point formed by the intersection of the southerly side of One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street with the easterly side of Avenue St. Nicholas; running thence easterly and parallel with One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street and along the center line of the block between One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street and One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street to the westerly side of Eighth avenue; thence northerly along the westerly side of Eighth avenue, and across One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street to a point in the westerly side of Eighth avenue, distant ninety-nine feet and eleven inches northerly from a point formed by the intersection of the northerly side of One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street with the westerly side of Eighth avenue; running thence westerly and parallel with One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, and along the center line of the block between One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street and One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, to the easterly side of Avenue St. Nicholas; thence southerly and along the easterly side of Avenue St. Nicholas, and across One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street 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 County Court-house at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 1st day of June, 1883, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, April 7, 1883.

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

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

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

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

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, No. 73 William street, third floor, in the said city, on or before the 16th day of May, 1883, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 16th day of May, 1883, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second.—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were

used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 23d day of May, 1883.

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Commencing at a point in the easterly side of Tenth avenue, distant southerly 99 feet and 11 inches from a point formed by the intersection of the southerly side of One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street with the easterly side of Tenth avenue; running thence easterly and parallel with One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street along the center line of the block between One Hundred and Fifty-third street and One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, to the westerly side of Avenue St. Nicholas; thence northerly along the westerly side of Avenue St. Nicholas, and across One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, to a point in the westerly side of Avenue St. Nicholas, distant 102 feet and 2 1/2 inches northerly from a point formed by the intersection of the northerly side of One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street with the westerly side of Avenue St. Nicholas; running thence westerly and parallel with One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, and along the center line of the block between One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to the easterly side of Tenth avenue; thence southerly and along the easterly side of Tenth avenue, and across One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street 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 County Court-house at the City Hall in the City of New York, on the 1st day of June, 1883, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated, New York, April 7, 1883.

CHARLES A. STODDARD,  
BERNARD CASSERLY,  
JAMES GRAYDON JOHNSTON,  
Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of Beekman place, between Forty-ninth street and Fifty-first street in the City of New York.

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

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of Forty-ninth street distant three hundred and fifty (350) feet easterly from the easterly line of First avenue; thence northerly and parallel to First avenue two hundred and twenty feet ten inches (200' 10") to the southerly line of Fifty-fifth street; thence easterly along said southerly line of Fifty-fifth street fifty (50) feet; thence southerly and parallel with First avenue two hundred feet ten inches (200' 10") to the northerly line of Forty-ninth street, and thence westerly along said northerly line of Forty-ninth street fifty (50) feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also beginning at a point in the northerly line of Fifty-fifth street, distant three hundred and fifty (350) feet easterly from the easterly line of First avenue; thence northerly and parallel to First avenue two hundred feet ten inches (200' 10") to the southerly line of Fifty-first street; thence easterly along said southerly line of Fifty-first street fifty (50) feet; thence southerly and parallel to First avenue two hundred feet ten inches (200' 10") to the northerly line of Fifty-fifth street, and thence westerly along said northerly line of Fifty-fifth street fifty (50) feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be fifty (50) feet wide between the easterly and westerly lines thereof, from the northerly line of Forty-ninth street to the southerly line of Fifty-first street.

Dated, New York, April 5, 1883.

GEORGE W. ANDREWS,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
Tryon Row, New York.

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 4th day of May, 1883, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon, and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, between Avenue St. Nicholas and Tenth avenue, in the City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Tenth avenue, distant one hundred and ninety-nine feet ten inches (199' 10") northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street; thence easterly and parallel with One Hundred and Forty-fifth street eight hundred (800) feet to the westerly line of Avenue St. Nicholas; thence northerly along said line sixty (60) feet; thence westerly eight hundred (800) feet to the easterly line of Tenth avenue, and thence southerly along said line sixty (60) feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be sixty (60) feet wide between Tenth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.

Dated, New York, April 5, 1883.

GEORGE W. ANDREWS,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
Tryon Row, New York City.

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

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

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these pro-

ceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, No. 73 William street, third floor, in the said city, on or before the eleventh day of May, 1883, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said eleventh day of May, 1883, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at two o'clock p. m.

Second.—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works in the City of New York, there to remain until the eighteenth day of May, 1883.

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Commencing at a point in the westerly side of Eighth avenue, distant 100 feet and 11 inches southerly from a point formed by the intersection of the southerly side of One Hundred and Third street with the westerly side of Eighth avenue; running thence westerly and parallel with One Hundred and Third street, and along the center line of the blocks between One Hundred and Second and One Hundred and Third streets, to the easterly side of Riverside avenue; thence northerly along the easterly side of Riverside avenue and across One Hundred and Third street to a point in the easterly side of Riverside avenue, distant 100 feet and 11 inches northerly from a point formed by the intersection of the northerly side of One Hundred and Third street with the easterly side of Riverside avenue; thence easterly along the center line of the blocks between One Hundred and Third and One Hundred and Fourth streets, and parallel to One Hundred and Third street to the westerly side of Eighth avenue; thence southerly along the westerly side of Eighth avenue, and across One Hundred and Third street to the point or place of beginning; excepting therefrom all the lands embraced within the streets and avenues within said area.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a special term thereof, to be held in the County Court-house at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on Thursday, the 31st day of May, 1883, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated, New York, April 4, 1883.

PATRICK DALY,  
GEORGE W. MCLEAN,  
NEVIN W. BUTLER,  
Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the Application of the Department of Public Works for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Fourteenth street, from Fourth avenue to Eighth avenue, in the City of New York.

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

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 73 William street, 3d floor, in the said city, on or before the 11th day of May, 1883, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 11th day of May, 1883, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second.—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, and other documents, which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works in the City of New York, there to remain until the 18th day of May, 1883.

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point in the easterly side of Eighth avenue, distant 100 feet and 11 inches southerly from a point formed by the intersection of the southerly side of One Hundred and Fourteenth street with the easterly side of Eighth avenue, and running thence easterly along the center line of the blocks between One Hundred and Thirteenth street and One Hundred and Fourteenth street, and parallel with One Hundred and Fourteenth street to the westerly side of Fourth avenue; thence northerly along the westerly side of Fourth avenue and across One Hundred and Fourteenth street to a point 100 feet and 11 inches northerly from a point formed by the intersection of the northerly side of One Hundred and Fourteenth street with the westerly side of Fourth avenue, running thence westerly along the center line of the blocks between One Hundred and Fourteenth street and One Hundred and Fifteenth street and parallel to One Hundred and Fourteenth street, to the easterly side of Eighth avenue; thence southerly along the easterly side of Eighth avenue and across One Hundred and Fourteenth street to the point or place of beginning, excepting therefrom that portion of the above-described premises which is contained within the lines of the streets and avenues laid out through the same.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a special term thereof, to be held in the County Court-house at the City Hall in the City of New York, on Thursday, the 31st day of May, 1883, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, April 4, 1883.

GEORGE W. MCLEAN,  
JOHN WHALEN,  
JOHN T. BOYD,  
Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the petition of the United States for the appointment of Commissioners, pursuant to chapter 147 of the Laws of the State of New York, of the year 1876, as amended, etc.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of the costs, charges, and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter will be presented for taxation and certification to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, to be held in the County Court-house, in the City and County of New York, on the third Monday of April, 1883, being the 16th day of April, 1883, at half-past ten o'clock A. M., or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses was filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, on the 3d day of April, 1883.

Dated New York, April 3, 1883.

WILLIAM F. SMITH,  
WILLIAM R. GRACE,  
JAMES D. FISH,  
Commissioners.

THOMAS L. OGDEN,  
Attorney for Petitioner,  
41 Wall street,  
New York City.



In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Twentieth street, from Eighth avenue to Ninth avenue, in the City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL** of the costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof in the City of New York, on the sixteenth day of April, 1883, at 10½ o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, March 31, 1883.  
FRANCIS BLESSING,  
GEORGE W. McLEAN,  
NATHANIEL JARVIS,  
Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Forty-second street, from Eighth avenue to the Harlem river, in the City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonality of the City of New York, hereby gives notice that the Counsel to the Corporation will apply to the Supreme Court in the First Judicial District of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the Chambers of said Court, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Saturday, the twenty-first day of April, A. D. 1883, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of a Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in the above proceeding, in the place and stead of Henry M. Garvin, deceased.

New York, March 28, 1883.  
GEORGE P. ANDREWS,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
Tryon Row, New York.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of Eighty-fourth street, between Avenue B and bulkhead line, East river, in the City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 25th day of April, 1883, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of Eighty-fourth street, between Avenue B and the bulkhead line, East river, in the City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Avenue B distant four hundred and sixty-eight feet and eight inches (468' 8") southerly from the southerly line of Eighty-sixth street; thence easterly and parallel with said street three hundred and eighty-seven feet five and one-quarter inches (387' 5¼") to the bulkhead line, East river; thence southerly along said bulkhead line sixty feet ten inches and three-quarters (60' 10¾"); thence westerly three hundred and seventy-seven (377' 0") feet to the easterly line of Avenue B; thence northerly along said line sixty (60' 0") feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be sixty (60' 0") feet wide between the easterly line of Avenue B and bulkhead line, East river.  
Dated New York, March 27, 1883.  
GEORGE P. ANDREWS,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
Tryon Row, New York.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Forty-second street, from Eighth avenue to the Harlem river, in the City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonality of the City of New York, hereby give notice that the Counsel to the Corporation will apply to the Supreme Court in the First Judicial District of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the Chambers of said Court, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the twenty-fifth day of April, A. D. 1883, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of a Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in the above proceeding, in the place and stead of Henry M. Garvin, deceased.

New York, March 28, 1883.  
GEORGE P. ANDREWS,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
Tryon Row, New York.

In the Matter of the Petition of the United States for the Appointment of Commissioners, pursuant to Chapter 147 of the Laws of the State of New York, of the year 1876, as amended, etc.

**WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS** of Estimate and Assessment, in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved or unimproved lands, and lands under water, affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, that our report of appraisal herein, which was filed in the Office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, on the third day of March, 1883, 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 first Monday of May, 1883 (being the 7th day of May, 1883), at 11 o'clock A. M., or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, and that our report of assessment herein will also then and there be made and presented to said Court, and that a motion will then and there be made to said Court that our said reports be confirmed, and for such other and further order as may be proper in the premises.

That the abstract of our said assessment, containing the names of the owners of the parcels of land affected thereby, so far as the same can be ascertained, the number and description of such parcels as they appear upon the map which we have caused to be made, showing the limits of the area of assessment laid out and determined upon by us; the names of the parties owning or in possession of the lands within the same, so far as the same can be ascertained, and the quantity of land belonging to such owner, and the quantity belonging to such unknown owners whose names cannot be ascertained, and the location of the same on such map, as nearly as we can ascertain the same, together with such map, the amount of assessments made against each owner or party in interest, and also all affidavits, estimates, and other documents which were used by us in making our said report of assessment, have been filed and deposited in the Clerk's

Office of the City and County of New York, for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern, there to remain until the eleventh day of April, 1883.

That any person or party whose rights may be affected by said assessment, and who shall object to the same, or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, viz: the sixth day of March, 1883, state his, her, or their objections to the same in writing to us, verified by his, her, or their affidavits, or the affidavits of other persons, and that such objections may be so stated to us at the office of James D. Fish, in the Marine National Bank, No. 78 Wall street, in the City of New York, if so desired.

That the limits of the area of said assessment which has been laid out and determined upon by us, are as follows: "All those lots, pieces, or parcels of land lying and being in the City of New York, and which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

"Beginning at a point in the bulkhead line on the westerly side of the Harlem river, where the same would be intersected by the prolongation easterly of a line drawn through the centre line of the block between Ninety-ninth and One Hundredth streets, thence running westerly along the centre line of the blocks between Ninety-ninth and One Hundredth streets, and crossing Avenue A and First avenue on the prolongation of said centre line of the blocks, to a point which is intersected by a line drawn parallel to and one thousand feet westerly from the said westerly bulkhead line of the Harlem river, thence running in a general northerly direction parallel to and always distant one thousand feet westerly from the westerly bulkhead line of the Harlem river to the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-third street, thence still in a general northerly direction parallel to and always distant one thousand feet westerly from the westerly line of the proposed improvement of the Harlem river, and Spuyten Duyvil Creek to the Hudson river, thence in a northeasterly direction along the Hudson river to a point which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to and distant one thousand feet easterly from the easterly line of the said proposed improvement, thence in a general southerly direction parallel to and always distant one thousand feet easterly from the easterly line of the said proposed improvement, to a point which would be intersected by the prolongation easterly of the aforesaid centre line of the block between Ninety-ninth and One Hundredth streets, thence westerly along the prolongation of said centre line of the block between Ninety-ninth and One Hundredth streets, to the westerly bulkhead line of the Harlem river at the point or place of beginning."

Dated New York, March 6, 1883.  
WILLIAM F. SMITH,  
WILLIAM R. GRACE,  
JAMES D. FISH,  
Commissioners.  
THOMAS L. OGDEN, Attorney for Petitioner,  
No. 41 Wall street, New York City.

#### PUBLIC POUND.

NEW YORK, April 5, 1883.  
**ONE BAY HORSE, 15½ HANDS HIGH, TO BE** sold at the Public Pound, Ninety-third street and Second avenue, if not called for by the owner, on April 10, at 2 o'clock P. M.  
One cream colored billy-goat will be sold at same place and time if not called for by owner.  
DAVID McMAHON,  
Pound Keeper.

#### JURORS.

#### NOTICE

**IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.**

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

#### THE CITY RECORD.

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

#### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
April 5, 1883.

#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

**IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 4 OF CHAPTER** 33 of the Laws of 1881, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to property owners that the assessment list for the opening of Spuyten Duyvil Parkway and streets connecting same with Broadway, from the Spuyten Duyvil and Port Morris Railroad to Broadway, confirmed by the Supreme Court on the thirtieth day of December, 1882, and entered on the thirteenth day of January, 1883, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents."

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for

the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," from 9 A. M. until 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before June 4, 1883, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
April 5, 1883.

#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

**IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 4 OF CHAPTER** 33 of the Laws of 1881, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to property-owners that the assessment lists for the opening of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, from First to Second avenue, and One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, from Eighth to St. Nicholas avenue, were confirmed by the Supreme Court on the twenty-ninth day of March, 1883, and entered on the third day of April, 1883, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents.

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," from 9 A. M. until 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before June 4, 1883, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the record of titles of assessments in said Bureau.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
March 26, 1883.

#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

**IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 4 OF CHAPTER** 33 of the Laws of 1881, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to property-owners that the assessment list for the opening of Concord avenue, from Denman place to Home street, was confirmed by the Supreme Court, on the 9th day of March, 1883, and entered on the 13th day of March, 1883, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents.

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," from 9 A. M. until 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before May 25, 1883, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the record of titles of assessments in said Bureau.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
March 26, 1883.

#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

**IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 4 OF CHAPTER** 33 of the Laws of 1881, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to property-owners that the assessment list for the acquisition of lands for Gansevoort Market, act May 7, 1880, was confirmed by the Supreme Court, on the 25th day of January, 1883, and entered on the 13th day of March, 1883, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents.

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," from 9 A. M. until 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before May 25, 1883, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Comptroller.

#### INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

**THE INTEREST ON THE BONDS AND STOCKS** of the City and County of New York, due May 1, 1883, will be paid on that day, by the Comptroller, at his office in the New Court-house.

The Transfer books will be closed from March 31, to May 1, 1883.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Comptroller.  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
March 24, 1883.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
March 8, 1883.

#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

**IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 4 OF CHAPTER** 33 of the Laws of 1881, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to property-owners that the following lists of assessments for local improvements in said city were confirmed by the "Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments," on the 3d day of March, 1883, and, on the same date, were entered in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in

the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," viz:

Eighth avenue regulating, grading, etc., from One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street to Harlem river.  
One Hundred and Second street regulating, grading, etc., from Fifth avenue to Harlem river.  
One Hundred and Third street regulating, grading, etc., from First to Fifth avenue, etc.

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," from 9 A. M. until 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before May 7, 1883, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Comptroller.

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

#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

Front street sewer, between Broad street and Old Slip.  
Mangin street sewer, between Broome and Delancey streets, etc.

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

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Comptroller.

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

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

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

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

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

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

#### POSTPONEMENT.

The above sale is postponed by the Comptroller, as provided by sections 5 and 6 of chapter 381, Laws of 1871, until Monday, May 7, 1883, at the same hour and place.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Comptroller.  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
New York, March 3, 1883.

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