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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DAILY MEETINGS, OCTOBER 19 TO 24, 1874.

Present—Commissioners Bowen, Laimbeer, and Stern.

The following communications were received:

From all Institutions—Reporting daily census. Ordered on file.

From Lunatic Asylums, Blackwell's and Ward's Islands—Transmitting history of patients admitted. Referred to Examining Clerk.

From Alms-house—Statement of amount of work performed by mechanics (inmates), for week ending October 17, 1874. Ordered on file.

From Lunatic Asylums, Blackwell's and Ward's Islands—List of patients, and how employed. Ordered on file.

From Penitentiary—List of prisoners received during week ending October 17, 1874. Ordered on file.

From Work-house—Statement of transfers to other institutions. Ordered on file.

From Penitentiary—List of prisoners to be discharged from October 19 to 31, 1874. Transmitted to Prison Association.

From Penitentiary—John Foy, reporting for duty as Guard.

From Lunatic Asylum, Ward's Island—Death of Darby Lock, an inmate. Published in CITY RECORD.

From Free Labor Bureau—Dismissing Female applicants, and the cause.

From Hart's Island—Interments in Trench 4, October 15, Nos. 28 to 39.

From Penitentiary—James Huges, reporting for duty as Guard.

From Store-house—Deficiency in weight of 1,200 pairs blankets, 208 lbs. H. P. Williams & Co., contractors.

From Bellevue Hospital—Requiring the services of three Orderlies.

From Lunatic Asylum, Ward's Island—Death of Cornelius Early, inmate. Published in CITY RECORD.

From F. S. Thayer, Albany, N. Y.—Proposing to furnish flour.

From Charity Hospital—For services of a Second Assistant Apothecary. Mr. Frey to select and nominate.

From Store-house—On the frequency of special requisitions. No special requisitions to be made except in cases of emergency.

From City Prison—For leave of absence to William Fletcher, Keeper. Granted.

From Bellevue Hospital—Recommending Robert Finkle as Orderly. Appointed.

From Bellevue Hospital—Helen Bowden reporting for duty as Matron.

From Hart's Island—Interments in Trench 4, October 19, Nos. 40 to 48.

From Department of Docks—Repairing pier foot of Twenty-sixth street, East river. Not to permit over fifty tons of coal to be landed at any one time. So ordered.

From Penitentiary—Reporting absent from duty Michael McKenna, Keeper, sick; James Boyle, Keeper, sick; T. Rafferty, Guard, sick; Joseph Frank, Coxswain.

From Nursery—For repairs to steam gauge. Referred to Supervising Engineer.

From Central Office—Supply Clerk, list of purchases October 21, 22, 23. Ordered on file.

From Lunatic Asylum—Relative to bank-book of Helen Thompson, an inmate.

NEW YORK, October 17, 1874.

Hon. WM. LAIMBEER, President:

SIR—I respectfully recommend that the Engineer of the Work-house be directed to repair the cauldrons in kitchen of the Work-house, reported by Superintendent as worn out. In my judgment they can be made to last six months or longer.

Respectfully,
WM. H. KNAPP,
Supervising Engineer.

Proposals for one thousand bushels oats, with privilege to increase to two thousand bushels; to weigh thirty-two pounds.

Opened in presence of Commissioners Laimbeer, Stern, and the Comptroller.

O. T. Marshall 68 cents per bushel.

Resolved, That the proposal of O. T. Marshall to furnish and deliver one thousand bushels of oats of the best quality, to weigh not less than thirty-two pounds to the bushel, for the sum of 68 cents per bushel, be accepted, being the only offer received, and the contract awarded to him, provided the adequacy and sufficiency of his sureties are approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

Adopted October 19, 1874.

By Commissioner Bowen—

Resolved, That the Purchasing Clerk report to this Board on the morning of each day the purchases he made the preceding day, of whom purchased, and the prices paid.

Adopted October 21, 1874.

By Commissioner Bowen—

Resolved, That the Warden of the Penitentiary report daily to this Board the absence of keepers, guards, and coxswains, with the causes therefor, if known, and the number of prisoners prevented from labor because of such absence.

Adopted October 21, 1874.

By Commissioner Bowen—

Resolved, That proposals be invited by public advertisement for the erection of three pavilions on Blackwell's Island, according to plans and specifications to be prepared by Supervising Engineer, and to be approved by the Board.

Adopted October 22, 1874.

Proposals for codfish, coarse and fine meal, straw, men's knit undershirts, and flannel.

Opened in presence of Commissioners Bowen, Laimbeer, and Stern, and the Comptroller.

Resolved, That the proposal of George C. McEwen & Co., to furnish 200 bags of coarse meal, at \$1.90 per bag, and 100 bags of fine meal, at \$2.15 per bag; of Charles T. Matlage, for 100 quintals of codfish, at \$5 per quintal; of O. T. Marshall, for 250 bales of best rye, long straw, at 75 cents per 100 pounds; of Louis Sternbach, for 20 dozen of men's knit undershirts, at \$4.50 per dozen; and two bales of red flannel, at 45 cents per yard,—be accepted, and the contracts awarded to them, provided the adequacy and sufficiency of their sureties are approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 3d day of November, 1874, at 8:30 A. M.

Present—Messrs. Matsell, Duryea, Disbecker, and Voorhis, Commissioners.

Resolved, That the persons named in the list of Inspectors and Poll-clerks, marked "K K," be selected and appointed as substitutes (for the several election districts named) for those originally selected, and who have failed to appear or have declined, or upon examination, have been found disqualified; and that the same be published in the CITY RECORD.

Charges of intoxication having been preferred against Inspector John H. Bray, Tenth Election District of the Sixteenth Assembly District, and a full hearing of the evidence having been had, after a notice in writing to the said Bray, it is

Resolved, That the said John H. Bray, be adjudged guilty of the charge preferred, and is hereby removed from the office of Inspector of Election.

Adjourned.

S. C. HAWLEY,
Chief Clerk.

The Board met again at 1:15 P. M.

Present—Messrs. Matsell, Duryea, Disbecker, and Voorhis, Commissioners.

Resolved, That the persons named in the list of Inspectors and Poll Clerks marked "L L," be selected and appointed as substitutes (for the several Election Districts named) for those originally selected, and who have failed to appear, or have declined, or upon examination have been found disqualified; and that the same be published in the CITY RECORD.

Adjourned.

S. C. HAWLEY,
Chief Clerk.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

W. DE F. DAY, M. D., Sanitary Superintendent:

SIR—In accordance with your directions, we have made a number of factories and tenement-houses in which cigars are manufactured, and have the honor to submit the following report:

In accumulating data for this report, and in making it up, we would say that our observations have been made entirely independently of each other, and that there has been the least possible comparison of results, until these results had been by each separately committed to writing.

In making these inspections, we have been into each room in which the manufacture of cigars was being carried on, as well as into the other rooms; have seen the people at their work and at their meals; have talked with them and with their employers, when we have chanced to meet the latter; and have thus enjoyed the best opportunity for judging for ourselves of the effects upon the workmen and their families of their peculiar environment.

Of all the complicated questions, which have lately arisen in regard to the workers in tobacco, the only one which has been submitted to us for investigation is that which relates to the comparative state of health of those who work at their own homes and those who work in shops, and the comparative sanitary conditions under which they respectively labor.

The principal points to be observed in such an inquiry are the following:

Air, light, ventilation, food, cleanliness, and material emanations, and in this order we shall consider them.

Air. By this heading is meant the air-space provided for each individual in the work-room.

In the work-room of Lichtenstein Bros., No. 268 Bowery, measuring 90 x 33 x 15 feet, there are usually about 120 operatives.

This gives each person a fraction over 371 cubic feet of air-space.

In the factory of D. Levy & Co., No. 90 Bowery, the principal work-room measures 90 x 25 x 14 feet and is occupied by about 85 persons. This gives each person a fraction under 305 cubic feet of air-space.

The air-space for the operatives, numbering about 120 in the work-rooms (measuring together 65 x 36 x 12 feet) of Wangler & Hahn at 290 and 292 Bowery, is 234 cubic feet for each person.

We have been through a large number of cigar factories, and the above are fair samples of the average work-room in such establishments, both in size of room and number of occupants.

In the tenement-houses we have visited a large number of families engaged in cigar-making. These families, as a rule, are small, and but few persons work together in the same room. One of us took accurate notes of 66 such families, and the other of 148, a number which we think is sufficiently large to serve as a basis for an average. These families were not selected ones, but were taken as they came under our notice, and include all the families in 17 large tenements, with a few from other houses.

The group of 66 families consists of 219 persons, including children and infants, giving an average of about 3 1/4 persons to a room or suite of rooms.

The work-room, which is generally the sitting-room, kitchen, and dining-room of the family, according to the estimate of one of us measures usually about 15 x 16 x 8 feet, giving an air-space of 576 cubic feet to each person, or an average of 60 per cent. more than that of the largest factory room.

The group of 148 families was found to include 577 persons, including infants and children, giving an average of 3 89.100 persons to a room.

According to an independent estimate made by the other one of us, the average dimensions of this same kitchen and work-room are 16 x 14 x 8 1/2 feet, furnishing an air-space of 489 cubic feet to each person, or an average of 32 per cent. more than that of the most spacious factory-rooms.

It should be remarked that these figures do not represent the full advantage as regards air-space possessed by the workers in tenements over those in factories. For in the figures applying to factories only the *workers*, whereas in those applying to tenement-houses, *all* persons in the family, *whether workers or not*, have been included, thus doing injustice to the tenements in that many of the children are much of the time away at school, out of doors, or in other rooms, in which there is no tobacco.

Light. The shops are usually well-lighted by windows at both ends, and the tenement-house workers labor at the windows. Both have plenty of light.

Ventilation. The shops and tenements can both be well ventilated by opening the windows and doors, but for purposes of warmth they are usually kept closed during working hours, and the air of the rooms is bad. For the reason given above, the deterioration of the air in the houses is less rapid than in the shops.

Food. Those who work in tenement-houses have an advantage over those who work in shops, in the possession of greater facilities for the preparation of the midday meal. Some of those who work in shops either patronize a neighboring restaurant, or go home to dinner, if they are near enough; but most of them eat cold sausage or cheese with bread, or something of the sort, or perhaps some dish which they hastily warm on the common stove, while those who work at their own homes, appear, as a rule, to provide hot, well-cooked meals.

With regards to the effects of the emanations of tobacco upon the exposed food, it seems to us the advantage would lie with neither.

Cleanliness. In this respect, it must be confessed, the tenement-houses are far in advance of the shops. There is less litter upon the floors, less odor in the atmosphere, and far greater evidence of care and pride in the condition of the apartment. In fact, the working at an objectionable trade in one's own home would naturally lead to greater cleanliness, and care for appearances in person and surroundings, than the opposite.

In these five cardinal points nothing certainly can be urged against the manufacture of cigars in tenement-houses. There remain several minor points to be considered.

The shop-workers go to their work at about 7 A. M., and leave at 6 P. M. The home-workers, of course, can work as early and as late as they please.

The wages earned by a single workman in the factory average higher than those he can make in a tenement-house, for the reason that the commoner qualities of tobacco are principally given out to be made up in the tenements, for which, of course, a less price is paid per thousand, while the choicer qualities of seed Havana, etc., are reserved for manufacture under the eye of the superintendent in the shop. But there is a compensation for this in the fact that, by the tenement-house plan many members of the family, the aged and rheumatic, the housewives, the mothers with nursing children, the daughters whom their parents would be unwilling to trust to the temptations and vicious associations of the shop, and even the school children in their hours of leisure, can all lend a hand toward swelling the family income to a figure considerably beyond what it would be, were the work only to be done in the factory. By the tenement-house plan, widows, with dependent families of small children, can not only keep them from want, but in comfort. The time spent by others in going to and from their work is also saved. The increased income of families, gained in these ways, is a source of greater comfort and happiness to them. They have more rooms, better furniture, better food, and better clothing, than if they were more limited in their means of earning. In so far, the results of home-work are beneficial. With regard to the advisability of thus increasing the hours of labor, we have nothing to say. It relates rather to the economic than the sanitary aspects of the question, and the answer had better be left to the natural interaction of social forces.

In our opinion, then, the home-workers labor under quite as good sanitary conditions as the shop-workers. During the day these conditions are very nearly the same for both, with a slight advantage in favor of the former. What are the effects upon the non-workers, the children and infants, of exposure to the emanations of tobacco?

A categorical answer to this question could only be given after a very long, searching and patient investigation, and the proper sifting of a large accumulation of statistics. But as far as our observation and inquiry have gone, the children of families, who work in tobacco at home, are quite

as healthy in appearance, and as little prone to disease, as the average of children who are born and reared in tenement-houses.

There are quite as many plump and rosy babies, and quite as few puny and sickly ones, as will be found in tenements of equal size where no tobacco is manufactured. We mean, of course, in proportion to the whole number of babies in such houses. For it is undeniable that the number of children in the families of tobacco workers is surprisingly small. In the 66 families of which one of us took notes, as above mentioned, there were only 70 children, or an average of only a little over one to each married couple. And in the 148 families visited by the other there were only 234 children, making an average of 1.58:100 to each married couple. When one considers the swarms of children that usually grow up in tenement-houses, in the families of the laboring and artisan classes, this paucity of offspring in a particular class becomes significant. In connection with the observations which were recorded in a report by one of us to the Board of Health last year, upon cigar-factories, might it not reasonably be considered that this fact is corroborative of views therein expressed with regard to the effect of tobacco upon the vigor of the reproductive system?

With regard to the emanations from the tobacco, the best evidence we could command was that afforded by the sense of smell. The odor of tobacco was much less pungent and irritating in the rooms of the home-workers, than many of the shops which we visited. The halls and passages of the houses in which cigars are manufactured are almost entirely free from the tobacco odor, and other families living in the same house with cigar-makers have testified to us of the cleanly habits of the artisans, and the inoffensive character of their employment.

At night, as we are informed and have reason to believe, all the unmanufactured tobacco is carefully collected and wrapped up, so as to exclude the external air. For the making of cigars, the tobacco must be sufficiently moist to prevent its breaking and cracking, and so during the day it gives off no visible dust. If it were left exposed all night, it would dry rapidly, and by morning be so altered, as to be unfit for use. Being carefully covered, therefore, during the night, there is very little smell from it during the hours of sleep, probably not more than a box or two of cigars may impart to an apartment in which they are kept; and when we consider that a large majority of laborers and mechanics keep tobacco or cigars in their rooms, and fill their rooms with tobacco smoke before going to bed, we think it can hardly be shown that the home manufacturers of cigars are any more exposed to deleterious influences from tobacco in their rooms, than any other class of the tenement-house population.

Another question remains to be considered, viz.: Whether the tobacco leaves act as fomites, and serve to propagate contagious diseases throughout the houses into which they are introduced.

We have been able to discover no evidence that such is the case. There have been many cases of small-pox in families engaged in cigar-making, which have never come to the notice of the sanitary authorities until death took place, and which, probably, represent a certain proportion of cases which always remain undiscovered. The tendency to conceal such cases is a natural one. The knowledge that a case of small-pox existed in such a family, if bruited about, might and probably would seriously injure their business, and it is not surprising that they prefer to keep it quiet, and allow it to recover without the knowledge of outsiders. But it is the same with any family who carry on a small business in their own house. A baker, a milliner, a fancy goods dealer, a grocer who lives in the rear of his shop, shows the same desire for concealment, and would be superhuman if he did not. That the business of cigar-making in tenement-houses has influenced the spread of contagious disease in any other way than this we cannot believe. That the tobacco itself gives origin to such diseases is, of course, too absurd for discussion.

We have now given the results of our investigation somewhat at length, and will briefly recapitulate them. We find that the home-workers have more air-space, as good ventilation, light and food; that their apartments are quite as cleanly; that their children appear as healthy as the shop-workers. In addition to this, they earn more money, are enabled to live in better quarters, have better food, and can afford more of the luxuries and elegancies of life, and, in so far, are living under better hygienic conditions; that they pass their hours of sleep under, probably, as favorable conditions; and that they do not, as a rule, occasion any nuisance to their neighbors. With all this, however, there is evidence enough that the manufacture of cigars is not a healthful employment; but we believe that its evil effects are equally felt by those who work in shops or at home.

The following is a list of the tenement-houses visited by us, in which the manufacture of cigars is carried on:

Third ave. and Eighty-first st.	Comprising 219 persons, or about 3 1/2 to each family.
328 East Seventy-fifth st.	
212 Third avenue.	
223 Second st.	
220 " "	
220 " "	With 70 children, or 1 1/16 to each family.
230 " "	
237 " "	
414 Fifth " "	
420 Sixth " "	
224 Elizabeth street.	Comprising 577 persons, or about 3 9/10 to each family.
226 " "	
228 " "	
230 " "	
232 " "	
201 Chrystie " "	With 234 children, or about 1 1/2 to each family.
203 " "	
117 Ridge " "	
29 Pitt " "	
31 " "	
112 Sheriff " "	With 234 children, or about 1 1/2 to each family.
415 E. Houston street.	
88 Columbia " "	
119 Lewis " "	
121 " "	
492 Ninth avenue.	With 234 children, or about 1 1/2 to each family.
494 " "	

After the above report was written and ready to be submitted to you, we received instructions from you to visit several additional houses. We have done so, and present the results in the following addendum to the original report. We have found no reason to change any of the views heretofore expressed, and would only call attention to the remarkable corroboration which these later visits furnish of the statistics and conclusions hereinbefore given:

419 East Thirteenth street.	Comprising 58 families.	Including 195 persons, or about 3 3/8 to each family.
436 " "		
446 " "		
422 " Tenth street.		
642 Fifth street.		
122 Third " "	Comprising 53 families.	With 66 children, or 1 1/7 to each family.
222 " "		
84 Sheriff street.		
403 E. Houston.		Including 228 persons, or about 4 3/4 to each family.
109 Broome street.		With 95 children, or about 1 3/4 to each family.
152 Attorney " "	Comprising 53 families.	
171 Allen " "		
192 Eldridge " "		
14 Avenue C.		

It will be seen that these figures show as plainly as the others the comparative infertility of tobacco-workers. One family was found in which there were 7 children. This being so remarkable an exception to the general rule, the family history was traced, and it was ascertained that the parents had only worked at cigar-making for four years, having previously been farmers, and having had the greater portion of their numerous progeny while engaged in the latter occupation.

Respectfully submitted,

NATH'L B. EMERSON, M. D.,
Assistant Sanitary Inspector.
ROGER S. TRACY, M. D.,
Sanitary Inspector.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

STATEMENT AND RETURN OF MONEYS

Received by H. M. Ruggles, Corporation Attorney, for the month of October, 1874, rendered to the Comptroller in pursuance of the provisions of Sec. 26, Art. 1, Chap. V. of the Revised Ordinances of 1866; and of Secs. 38 and 96 of Chap. 335 of the Laws of 1873:

DATE.	WHAT FOR.	Judgments.	Penalties.	Costs.	Total Amount.
Oct. 1.	Violation Corporation Ordinances.	\$5 00	\$5 00	\$7 50	\$17 50
" 2.	" "	3 00	12 50	15 50	
" 3.	" "	5 50	10 00	15 50	
" 5.	" "	10 00	7 50	17 50	
" 6.	" "	5 00	7 50	12 50	
" 7.	" "	15 00	2 50	7 50	25 00
" 8.	" "	10 00	10 00	20 00	
" 9.	" "	2 50	5 00	7 50	
" 10.	" "	12 50	12 50	
" 12.	" "	6 00	10 00	16 00	
" 13.	" "	5 50	15 00	20 50	
" 14.	" "	37 50	5 00	32 50	75 00
" 15.	" "	7 50	10 00	17 50	
" 16.	" "	7 50	5 00	12 50	25 00
" 17.	" "	19 50	20 00	39 50	
" 19.	" "	5 50	20 00	25 50	
" 21.	" "	7 50	5 00	2 50	15 00
" 22.	" "	15 00	15 00	30 00
" 23.	" "	7 50	12 50	12 50	32 50
" 24.	" "	13 50	15 00	28 50	
" 25.	" "	2 50	7 50	10 00	20 00
" 27.	" "	7 50	12 50	20 00	
" 28.	" "	2 50	5 00	2 50	10 00
" 29.	" "	15 00	14 00	26 50	55 50
" 30.	" "	7 50	10 00	17 50	
" 31.	" "	14 50	20 00	34 50	
		\$127 50	\$154 50	\$346 00	\$658 00
	Less disbursements as per vouchers attached				500 45
	Balance due the city.....				\$157 55

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
CITY OF NEW YORK,
Wednesday, October 28, 1874.

The Board of Commissioners met this day.

Present—President Joseph L. Perley, in the chair, and Commissioners Roswell D. Hatch and Cornelius Van Cott.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and, on motion, approved.

Communications were received and disposed of as follows:

From—The Chief of Department, recommending change in location of the headquarters of the 10th Battalion. Adopted and filed.

The Fire Marshal, concerning new office assigned to his Bureau. Referred to the Inspector of Combustibles, with directions.

The Inspector of Combustibles, report for the week ending on the 24th inst. Filed.

The same, returning notice from the Department of Buildings, of unsafe condition of quarters of Engine Company No. 28, with estimate of cost of repairing the same. Referred back, with directions to make the repairs.

The Chief of Battalion in charge of the Repair Shops, recommending disposal of useless articles. Laid over.

The same, reporting receipt of two new steam-boilers, and recommending that spring bearings be furnished therefor. Referred to the Superintendent of Supplies, with directions to purchase.

The Assistant Foreman of Engine Company No. 41, reporting that Hoseman Daniel Dougherty has failed to report for duty. Filed.

Fireman Wm. V. Taft, Engine Company No. 18, applying for transfer. Granted and filed.

Fireman Charles M. Moore, Hook and Ladder Company No. 18, applying for transfer. Granted and filed.

The Comptroller, statement of condition of appropriation for week ending on the 24th inst. Filed.

The Superintendent of Buildings, notice of violation of law in building of new engine-house, Sixty-seventh street, near Third avenue. Referred to Rogers & Brown, Architects, with directions to comply.

The Clerk to Surrogate's Court, certificate of letters of administration granted to Michael O'Neill, brother of John O'Neill, deceased. Filed.

Devlin & Co., recommending John Doherty for appointment. Filed.

E. A. Fitch & Son (by attorneys), notice that they are prepared to carry out contract on their proposal for furnishing supplies, etc. Filed.

James Hamilton, late Engineer of Steamer, applying for reinstatement. Filed, and appointment ordered.

Wm. H. Renaud, applying for appointment as Engineer of Steamer. Referred to the Examining Board of Engineers.

Communications Laid Over

at previous meetings were taken up and disposed of as follows:

From—

The Superintendent of the Western Union Telegraph Co., asking permission to place two wires on Department poles on Broadway. Denied and filed.

B. W. Warner, concerning introduction of the "Gravitating Valve Gas Check," with report of Chief of Battalion in charge of the Repair Shops thereon. Filed, and permission granted to place in a number of company quarters on the terms offered.

Resolutions Adopted.

On motion of Commissioner Van Cott—

Resolved, That when the pay-rolls of the Department for the current month are approved by the respective heads of bureaus, and duly certified by the Commissioners, the Secretary be and he is hereby directed to forward the same to the Comptroller for payment.

On motion of Commissioner Van Cott—

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and they are hereby respectfully requested to transfer from the account of "Members of Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies," the sum of twenty-five thousand and seven hundred dollars, as follows:

\$3,000 to the account of Headquarters' pay-roll.
\$12,300 to the account of Telegraph Force.
\$10,000 to the account of Repair Shops.
\$400 to the account of Bureau of Fire Marshal.
Also, five thousand dollars from the account of "Telegraph Supplies and Repairs" to that of "Buildings;" three thousand dollars from the account of "Horses" to that of "Coal and Wood;" and twenty thousand dollars from the account of "Apparatus" to that of "Hose Shop and New Hose."

On motion of Commissioner Van Cott—

Resolved, That the Secretary be and he is hereby directed to request the Finance Department to return the bill of Samuel G. French, amounting to \$8,736.08, for the reason that said bill is not in accordance with the contract executed by him for furnishing this Department with fuel.

Appointment Revoked.

Hoseman Daniel Dougherty, Engine Company No. 41.

Appointments.

James Hamilton, as Assistant Engineer of Steamer, Engine Co. No. 12, 1st proximo.
Edward Heizman (relieved from duty as machinist), as Assistant Engineer of Steamer, Engine Co. No. 4, 1st proximo.

August Levi, as Fireman, Engine Co. No. 4, 1st proximo.

Patrick Hynes, Hoseman, Engine Co. No. 41, 1st proximo.

Henry Albright, Hoseman, Engine Co. No. 41, 1st proximo.

George Fink, Ladderman, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 18, 1st proximo.

Thomas MacPherson, Ladderman, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 18, 1st proximo.

Transfers.

Fireman William Farrell, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 4, to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 16, 1st proximo.

Fireman Michael Martin, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 16, to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 4, 1st proximo.

Fireman Jeremiah Toumey, Engine Co. No. 20, to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 1, 1st proximo.

Fireman William V. Taft, Jr., Engine Co. No. 18, to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 18, 1st proximo.

Fireman Charles M. Moore, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 18 to Engine Co. No. 36, 1st proximo.

Fireman Daniel Clute, Engine Co. No. 19, to Engine Co. No. 30.

Fireman John McDowell, Engine Co. No. 24, to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 12, 1st proximo.

Fireman John H. Griffin, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 12, to Engine Co. No. 19, 1st proximo.

Fireman Daniel O'Keefe, Engine Co. No. 6, to Engine Co. No. 18, 1st proximo.

Fireman Peter Barrett, Engine Co. No. 1, to Engine Co. No. 36, 1st proximo.

Fireman James McLaughlin, Engine Co. No. 25, to Engine Co. No. 21, 1st proximo.

Bills Audited

and ordered to be sent to the Comptroller for payment:

Quackenbush, Townsend & Co., general supplies..... \$223 55
I. & J. A. Joseph, general supplies... 52 50

L. G. Tillotson & Co. " "	142 22
Joseph Androde & Co. " "	175 50
M. J. A. Keane, " "	12 00
A. E. Smith's Sons, " "	13 50
R. W. Sherwood, " "	45 00
C. L. Chovey & Co., " "	391 67
T. B. Coddington & Co., machine shop.....	330 55
Finney & Fetter, machine shop.....	205 59
Manhattan Nickel Works, machine shop.....	18 19
Walter Shay, harness shop.....	134 41
H. S. Ward & Co., buildings.....	26 00
John Mulholland, " "	375 00
P. H. Egan, " "	156 27
Blair & Ferrier, " "	94 41
John Case, horse feed and straw.....	36 00
R. J. Wright, " "	1,736 36
E. B. Strange & Co., rents.....	700 00
Corporation Trinity Church, rents....	150 00
John Ittner, rents.....	10 00
Shannon & Ross, new buildings....	5,000 00

Adjourned.

W. B. WHITE,
Secretary.

ORDINANCES, RESOLUTIONS,

&c. &c.

PASSED BY BOTH BRANCHES OF THE

COMMON COUNCIL

AND

APPROVED BY THE MAYOR,

DURING THE WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 31, 1874.

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

Adopted by the Board of Assistant Aldermen, October 19, 1874.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 22, 1874.

Approved by the Mayor, October 24, 1874.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby directed to cause the lamp-posts that have been removed by the contractors for grading Third avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, from Westchester avenue to the northern boundary of said Ward, be replaced by said contractors, and lighted, within thirty days after the passage of this resolution.

Adopted by the Board of Assistant Aldermen, October 5, 1874.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 22, 1874.

Approved by the Mayor, October 24, 1874.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to have the curb and gutter stones reset and sidewalks refledged, where not already done, in Eighty-fourth street, between the Eighth and Tenth avenues, as the same is necessary in consequence of the change of grade of said street, the property having been once assessed for the same.

Adopted by the Board of Assistant Aldermen, October 5, 1874.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 15, 1874.

Approved by the Mayor, October 24, 1874.

J. C. PINCKNEY,
Clerk C. C.

DIRECTORY

OF THE

COMMON COUNCIL

BOARD ASSISTANT ALDERMEN.

1. Thomas Foley, 18 West street.
2. Jeremiah Murphy, 45 Cherry street.
3. Charles M. Clancy, 167 Mott street.
4. John C. Keating, 333 Cherry street.
5. Henry Wisser, 151 Prince street.
6. Michael Healy, 19 Ridge street.
7. Thos. L. Thornell, 169 West 12th street.
8. John Theiss, 223 Bowery.
9. George F. Coddington, 62 Perry street.
10. Joseph F. Strack, 179 Third street.
11. William S. Kreps, 354 West 27th street.
12. Patrick Keenan, 217 Lewis street.
13. William Wade, 144 West 21st street.
14. John J. Kehoe, 138 First avenue.
15. Edward Brucks, 422 West 39th street.
16. George Kelly, 318 West 20th street.
17. Stephen N. Simonson, 305 West 48th street.
18. Philip Cumisky, 552 First avenue.
19. Henry A. Linden, 68th st., bet. 10th and 11th aves.
20. Isaac Sommers, 165 East 62d street.
21. Benjamin Beyea, 131st street near 4th avenue.

JOSEPH P. STRACK, President.

W. H. MOLONEY, Clerk.

STANDING COMMITTEES.

ARTS AND SCIENCES.—Assistant Aldermen Cumisky, Murphy, and Coddington.
DONATIONS.—Assistant Aldermen Sommers, Wisser, and Wade.
FERRIES.—Assistant Aldermen Healy, Kehoe, and Theiss.
FINANCE.—Assistant Aldermen Clancy, Sommers, and Wade.
LAMPS AND GAS.—Assistant Aldermen Foley, Beyea, and Brucks.
LAW DEPARTMENT.—Assistant Aldermen Clancy, Keenan, and Thornell.
MARKETS.—Assistant Aldermen Kelly, Kehoe, Keating, oley, and Beyea.
NATIONAL AFFAIRS.—Assistant Aldermen Theiss, Murphy, Cumisky, Simonson, and Coddington.
ORDINANCES.—Assistant Aldermen Wisser, Kehoe, and Sommers.
PRINTING AND ADVERTISING.—Assistant Aldermen Keating, Kreps, Beyea, Sommers, and Theiss.

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, Oct. 28, 1874.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
346 and 348 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, October 28, 1874.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING SAND,
BROKEN STONE AND RIP-RAP STONE.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THESE materials, addressed to "Jacob A. Westervelt, President of the Department of Docks," will be received at this office until 11 o'clock A. M., of Friday, November 13, 1874, at which time the bids will be publicly opened and read.

The award of the contracts will be made as soon as practicable thereafter.

Any bidder must be well prepared for the business, and shall give security for the faithful performance of his contract, in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance.

The quantity to be delivered under the contract is estimated at about 8,000 cubic yards of sand, and about 20,000 cubic yards of broken stone, and 10,000 cubic yards of rip-rap stone, and the material must be delivered as called for by the requisitions issued by the Department. The contract is to cease and terminate twelve months from the date of the signing thereof.

Separate proposals will be received, and contracts awarded for the material, as follows: One contract for sand, and one contract for broken and rip-rap stone.

All the material will be measured in bulk on board the vessels at the place of delivery, by such person or persons as may be appointed for the purpose by the Department.

NOTE.—Samples of the sand and stone proposed to be furnished must be deposited in the office of the Department of Docks, by each bidder, on or before the delivery of his proposal, and must be labeled with his name or other mark.

Bidders will state in the following proposals the price or each separate item of the material to be furnished, by which the bids will be tested. The price is to cover all expenses necessary for the complete fulfillment of the contract.

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

No proposal 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.

Blank forms of proposals can be obtained by application at the office of the Department, and the form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the material, is annexed thereto.

JACOB A. WESTERVELT,
WILLIAM GARDNER,
WILLIAM BUDD,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONERS

FOR THE

Erection of the Court-house in
Third Judicial District
OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

233 BROADWAY, Room 5,
October 30, 1874.

IRREGULARITIES HAVING OCCURRED IN the former proposals, the Commissioners deem it for the best interests of the City to re-advertise for proposals for iron work of a Court-house, Bell-tower, and Prison building, to be erected in the Third Judicial District of the City of New York, on Sixth Avenue, Greenwich Avenue, and West Tenth Street.

Separate proposals in sealed envelopes will be received at the office of the Commissioners, 233 Broadway, Room 5, until Thursday, November 12, 1874, at the hour of 12 M., when they will be opened, for the supply and erection of the iron-work, in accordance with the drawings and specifications for the same, which may now be seen at the office of said Commissioners, 233 Broadway, Room 5.

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two responsible householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residences being named, to the effect that they will become bound as sureties in the sum of ten thousand dollars for the faithful performance of the contract, should it be awarded upon that proposal.

Each proposal must state the name and place of residence of the person making the same.

The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals, if, in their judgment, the same may be for the best interests of the City.

Proposed sureties must verify their consent before a Judge of a Court of Record, in the County of New York.

Forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Commissioners, as above.

Proposals must be addressed to the Commissioners for the erection of the Court-house in the Third Judicial District of the City of New York, and indorsed "Proposals for Iron-work, Court-house, Third Judicial District."

HENRY H. PORTER, Pres't,
EDWARD BERRIAN,
WILLIAM DODGE,
Commissioners.

J. AUGUSTUS PAGE,
Secretary.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
ROTUNDA, COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, September 18, 1874.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS

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

CONFIRMED SEPTEMBER 11, 1874.

Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones in One Hundred and Nineteenth Street, from Fourth to Eighth Avenue, except between Sixth and Seventh Avenues.

Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging Seventy-fifth Street, from Eighth to Tenth Avenue.

Flagging, and curb and gutter East Seventy-eighth Street, between Third and Fifth Avenues.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before the 17th day of November, 1874, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of confirmation.

The Collector's office is open daily, from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M. for the collection of money, and until 5 P. M. for general information.

SPENCER KIRBY,
Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
ROTUNDA, COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, Sept. 17, 1874.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED AUGUST 31, 1874.

Underground drains, between Sixty-second and Sixty-eighth Streets, and between Eighth and Ninth Avenues.

Sewer in Sixty-seventh Street, between Ninth and Tenth Avenues.

Paving One Hundred and Twenty-fifth Street, from Harlem River to Manhattan Street, and Manhattan Street, from One Hundred and Twenty-fifth Street to North River.

CONFIRMED SEPTEMBER 3, 1874.

Regulating, grading, setting curb, gutter, and flagging Sixty-eighth Street, from Third to Fourth Avenue.

Curb and gutter Fifty-seventh Street, from Eleventh Avenue to North River.

Flagging Fifty-seventh Street, from Eleventh Avenue to North River.

Flagging sidewalks in Fifty-seventh Street, from Sixth to Eighth Avenue.

Sewer in Montgomery Street, between Henry Street and East Broadway.

Sewer in Mangin Street, between Stanton and Houston Streets.

Basin on the northwest corner of Manhattan Street and Broadway.

Underground drains between Ninety-six and One Hundred and Eleventh Streets, and between Tenth and Eleventh Avenues.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before the 16th day of November, 1874, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of confirmation.

The Collector's office is open daily, from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M. for the collection of money, and until 5 P. M. for general information.

SPENCER KIRBY,
Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
ROTUNDA, COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, October 3, 1874.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS are hereby notified that the following assessment list was received this day, in this Bureau for collection:

CONFIRMED SEPTEMBER 29, 1874.

One Hundred and Thirty-fifth Street, regulating, grading, setting curb, gutter, and flagging, from Harlem River to Eighth Avenue.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before December 3, 1874, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of (7) seven per cent. from the date of confirmation.

The Collector's office is open daily from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M. for the collection of money, and until 5 P. M. for general information.

SPENCER KIRBY,
Collector of Assessments.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU OF ARREARS,
September 1, 1874.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LANDS AND TENEMENTS
FOR UNPAID ASSESSMENTS FOR STREETS, AVENUES,
AND PARK OPENINGS, WIDENINGS, AND EXTENSIONS.

Under the direction of Andrew H. Green, 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 the lands and tenements on which assessments have been laid and confirmed, and are now due and unpaid, and have remained due and unpaid since the confirmation of said assessments for streets, avenues, and park openings, widenings, and extensions, confirmed prior to January 1, 1871, are required to pay the amount of the assessments so due and remaining unpaid to the Clerk of Arrears, at his office, in the Finance Department, in the New Court-house, in the City of New York, together with the interest thereon, at the rate of twelve per cent. per annum to the time of payment, with the charges of this notice and advertisement.

And if default shall be made in such payment, such lands and tenements will be sold at public auction at the New Court-house in the City Hall Park, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, December 15, 1874, at 12 o'clock noon, for the lowest term of years, at which any person shall offer to take the same, in consideration of advancing the amount of the assessment so due and unpaid, and the interest thereon as aforesaid to the time of the sale, and 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 here advertised for sale shall be sold.

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

A. S. CADY,
Clerk of Arrears.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
ROTUNDA, COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, October 10, 1874.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED OCTOBER 2, 1874.

Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter, and flagging 8 feet wide in Sixty-seventh Street, from Eighth Avenue to Hudson River.

Flagging Forty-ninth Street (south side), between Eighth and Ninth Avenues.

Sewer in Madison Avenue and New Avenue (east), between One Hundred and Twenty-first and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth Streets, with branches.

Sewer in One Hundred and Twenty-third Street, between Sixth Avenue and Mount Morris Square.

Basin on the southwest corner of Seventy-fifth Street and Lexington Avenue.

Basin on the northwest corner of Seventy-fifth Street and Lexington Avenue.

Basin on the northwest corner of Seventy-sixth Street and Lexington Avenue.

Underground drains between Seventy-fourth and Ninety-second Streets, and between Eighth and Tenth Avenues.

Paving Fifty-fourth Street, between Tenth and Eleventh Avenues.

Paving Sixty-eighth Street, from Fourth to Fifth Avenue.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before the 17th day of December, 1874, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of confirmation.

The Collector's office is open daily from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M. for the collection of money, and until 5 P. M. for general information.

SPENCER KIRBY,
Collector of Assessments.

INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

THE INTEREST ON THE BONDS AND STOCKS of the City and County of New York, due November 1, 1874, will be paid on that day, by the Chamberlain, at his office in the New Court-house.

The transfer books will be closed from September 25 to November 1, 1874.

ANDREW H. GREEN,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
September 19, 1874.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,
COURT-HOUSE, PARK, No. 32 CHAMBERS STREET,
September 4, 1874.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.—NOTICE IS HEREBY given that the Assessment Rolls, or Tax Books on Real Estate, for the year 1874, will be opened for payment at this office on Thursday next, September 10, 1874. Payment can be made between the hours of 8 A. M. and 2 P. M.

A deduction at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, calculated from the date of payment to the first day of December, will be made on all taxes paid previous to the first of November.

MARTIN T. MCMAHON,
Receiver of Taxes.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
ROTUNDA, COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, October 2, 1874.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED SEPTEMBER 25, 1874.

Regulating, grading, curb, gutter, and flagging in Sixty-eighth Street, from Eighth Avenue to the Hudson River.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before December 1, 1874, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of confirmation.

The Collector's office is open daily, from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M. for the collection of money, and until 5 P. M. for general information.

SPENCER KIRBY,
Collector of Assessments.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the School Trustees of the Twelfth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm Streets, until 9 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, November 18, 1874, for Additions and Alterations to be made on the premises corner of Third Avenue and One Hundred and Fifth Street, occupied by Primary School No. 19.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same time and place, for the desks, seats, etc., required for said school.

DAVID H. KNAPP,
Chairman.

Sealed proposals will also be received by the School Trustees of the Nineteenth Ward, at the same place, until 9 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, November 18, 1874, for fitting up Two Buildings on First Avenue, near Fifty-third Street, for a new Primary School.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same time and place, for the desks, seats, etc., required for said school.

RICHARD KELLY,
Chairman.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand Street, third floor.

Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, will be required from each successful bidder; proposals will not be considered unless sureties are named.

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

The name of the party submitting a proposal must be indorsed on the outside of the envelope containing the proposal.

Dated NEW YORK, November 3, 1874.

L. D. KIERNAN,
Clerk.

CORPORATION NOTICES.

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

No. 1. For regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter, and flagging Ninety-second Street, between Eighth Avenue and Boulevard.

No. 2. For curb, gutter, and flagging Thirteenth Avenue, east side, between Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Streets.

No. 3. For curb, gutter, and flagging East Eleventh Street, between Dry Dock Street and East River.

No. 4. For flagging sidewalks on the south side of Thirty-fourth Street, between Lexington and Fourth Avenues.

No. 5. For flagging sidewalks in Fifty-sixth Street, between Ninth and Tenth Avenues.

No. 6. For building sewer in Madison Street, between Gouverneur and Scammel Streets.

No. 7. For building sewer in Twelfth Street, between Fourth Avenue and Broadway.

No. 8. For building sewer in Cannon Street, between Broome and Delancey Streets.

No. 9. For building sewer in Tompkins Street, between Broome and Delancey Streets.

No. 10. For building basin on the northeast corner of Tenth Street and Broadway.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Ninety-second Street, between Eighth Avenue and Boulevard, to the extent of half the block at intersection of Tenth Avenue.

No. 2. The property known as Ward Nos. 61, 62, 63 and 64.

No. 3. Both sides of East Eleventh Street, between Avenue D and East River.

No. 4. South side of Thirty-fourth Street, between Lexington and Fourth Avenues.

No. 5. Both sides of Fifty-sixth Street (where not already done), between Ninth and Tenth Avenues.

No. 6. Both sides of Madison Street, between Gouverneur and Scammel Streets.

No. 7. Both sides of Twelfth Street, between Broadway and Fourth Avenue, except northeast corner of Broadway and Twelfth Street.

No. 8. Both sides of Cannon Street, between Delancey and Broome Streets.

No. 9. Both sides of Tompkins Street, between Delancey and Broome Streets, except northwest corner of Broome and Tompkins Streets.

No. 10. The property known as Ward Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.

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

No. 1. For regulating, grading, curb, gutter, and flagging Sixty-fourth Street, between Ninth and Tenth Avenues.

No. 2. For regulating, grading, curb, gutter, and flagging Fifty-sixth Street, from Third Avenue to the East River.

No. 3. For curb, gutter, and flagging Madison Avenue, east side, from Sixty-third to Sixty-fourth Street.

No. 4. For flagging Fifty-eighth Street, between Fifth and Sixth Avenues.

No. 5. For flagging east side of Lexington Avenue, between Thirty-sixth and Thirty-seventh Streets.

No. 6. For flagging north side of Thirty-sixth Street, between Lexington and Third Avenues.

No. 7. For laying Belgian pavement in Eighth Street, from Madison to Fifth Avenue.

No. 8. For laying Belgian pavement in Forty-eighth Street, from Tenth to Eleventh Avenue.

No. 9. For building sewer in Lewis Street, between Sixth and Eighth Streets.

No. 10. For building sewers in Sixth Avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-ninth and One Hundred and Forty-seventh Streets, with branches.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Sixty-fourth Street, between Ninth and Tenth Avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of Fifty-sixth Street, from Third Avenue to East River, to the extent of one-half the block at the intersections of Third and Second Avenues and Avenue A.

No. 3. The property known as Ward Numbers Twenty-one and Fifty-two.

No. 4. Both sides of Fifty-eighth Street, between Fifth and Sixth Avenues.

No. 5. The property known as Ward Numbers Two Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty-nine to Two Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty-six, inclusive.

No. 6. The property known as Ward Numbers Two Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty-eight to Two Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-one, inclusive.

No. 7. Both sides of Eighth Street, from Madison to Fifth Avenue, to the extent of one-half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 8. Both sides of Forty-eighth Street, from Tenth to Eleventh Avenue, to the extent of one-half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 9. Both sides of Lewis Street, from Sixth to Eighth Street, except lots on corner of Sixth and Eighth Streets.

No. 10. Both sides of Sixth Avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-ninth and One Hundred and Forty-seventh Streets, and the blocks bounded by One Hundred and Twenty-ninth and One Hundred and Forty-seventh Streets, and Sixth and Seventh Avenues.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to Thomas B. Asten, Chairman of the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 19 Chatham Street, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

THOMAS B. ASTEN,
JOHN MCHARG,
MUNSON H. TREADWELL,
VALENTINE S. WOODRUFF,
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
NEW YORK, Oct. 14, 1874.

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

street, distant 2,644 32-100 feet northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street at Tenth Avenue, and running from the Road or Public Drive east of Tenth Avenue to the Boulevard, near the Hudson River; also

street, sixty feet wide, and curved, starting at a point on the southerly line or the above-mentioned street, distant 1,844 83-100 feet westerly from the easterly line of Tenth Avenue, and running thence southerly and westerly across the Boulevard to a line one hundred feet easterly from and parallel to the Bulkhead line, as established by the Commissioners of the Central Park, under chapter 697 of the Laws of 1867; also that portion of Tenth Avenue lying between a line running parallel with the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street and distant 10,293 6-12 feet northerly therefrom, and a line also running parallel with the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street and distant 10,353 6-12 feet therefrom, as established by the Commissioners of the Central Park, in the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES OF THE State of New York, in such case made and provided, the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, hereby gives notice that the Counsel to the Corporation of said City will apply to the Supreme Court in the First Judicial District of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the New Court-house in the City of New York, on Wednesday, the twenty-fifth day of November, A. D. 1874, at eleven 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 proceedings.