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#### LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

STATED SESSION.

Monday, January 14, 1884, 12 o'clock, M.

The Board met in their chamber, No. 16 City Hall.

Hugh J. Grant, Temporary President.

#### ALDERMEN

Thomas Cleary, Robert E. De Lacy, Charles Dempsey, Michael Duffy, Patrick Farley, Frederick Finck Ludolph A. Fullgraff, Henry W. Jaehne,

William P. Kirk, William H. Miller, Francis McCabe, Michael F. McLoughlin, Arthur J. McQuade, John C. O'Connor, Jr., John O'Neil, James Pearson, Charles H. Reilly, Thomas Rothman, Henry L. Sayles, Thomas Sheils, Charles B. Waite, Louis Wendel.

The Temporary President instructed the Clerk to call the roll of members, as provided in section 71, chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, when each member should announce his choice for President of the Board.

The roll of members was then called by the Clerk, as directed, with the following result:
For Alderman O'Neil—Aldermen Cleary, De Lacy, Farley, Jaehne, McQuade, and Reilly—6.
For Alderman Kirk—Aldermen Dempsey, Duffy, Fullgraff, Grant, McCabe, McLoughlin, and

ls –7. For Alderman O'Connor—Alderman Finck, Miller, Pearson, Rothman, Sayles, Waite, and dei—7. For Alderman Grant—Alderman Kirk—1.

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For Alderman Jaehne—Alderman O'Neil—I.
The Temporary President announced that there was no choice for President.

Alderman Kirk moved that the Board proceed to ballot for a President, and upon two ballots being taken, if a President be not selected, that the Board then take a recess.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion. Which was decided in the affirmative.

resulted as follows:

For Alderman O'Neil—Aldermen Cleary, De Lacy, Farley, Jaehne, McQuade, and Reilly—6. For Alderman Kirk—Aldermen Dempsey, Duffy, Fullgraff, Grant, McCabe, McLoughlin, and

For Alderman O'Connor-Aldermen Finck, Miller, Pearson, Rothman, Sayles, Waite, and Wendel—7.
For Alderman Grant—Alderman Kirk—1.
For Alderman Finck—Alderman O'Connor—1.
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For Alderman Grant—Alderman Kirk—1.
For Alderman Finck—Alderman O'Connor—1.
For Alderman Jachne—Alderman O'Neil—1.

The Temporary President announced that there was no choice for President.

Alderman O'Neil moved that the Board take a recess until Wednesday, the 16th instant, at 12 Alderman Waite moved, as an amendment, that the Board take a recess until Monday next, the

21st instant, at 12 o'clock, M. The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said amendment. Which was decided in the negative by the following vote, on a division called by Alderman

Kirk, viz.:
Affirmative—Aldermen Cleary, Farley, Jachne, McQuade, O'Connor, Pearson, Rothman, Sayles, Waite, and Wendel—10.

Negative—Aldermen De Lacy, Dempsey, Duffy, Finck, Fullgraff, Grant, Kirk, Miller, McCabe, McLoughlin, O'Neil, Reilly, and Sheils—13.

Alderman O'Connor moved, as an amendment, that the Board take a recess until Saturday, the 19th instant, at 12 o'clock, M.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said amendment. Which was decided in the negative by the following vote, on a division called by Alderman

Affirmative-Aldermen Cleary, Farley, Jaehne, McQuade, O'Connor, Pearson, Rothman, Sayles, Waite, and Wendel—10.

Negative—Aldermen De Lacy, Dempsey, Duffy, Finck, Fullgraff, Grant, Kirk, Miller, McCabe, McLoughlin, O'Neil, Reilly, and Shells—13.

Alderman O'Connor moved that the Board take a recess until 8 o'clock P. M. on Wednesday Alderman Jachne, as an amendment, moved that the Board take a recess until Tuesday, the 15th instant, at 8 o'clock P. M.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said amendment. Which was decided in the negative by the following vote, on a division called by Alderman

Affirmative-Aldermen Cleary, Farley, Jaehne, McQuade, O'Connor, Pearson, Sayles, Waite, and Wendel—9.

Negative—Aldermen De Lacy, Dempsey, Duffy, Finck, Fullgraff, Grant, Kirk, Miller, McCabe, McLoughlin, O'Neil, Reilly, Rothman, and Sheils—14. Alderman Jahne moved that the Board take a recess until Tuesday, the 15th instant, at 4

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The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion. Which was decided in the negative.

The President pro tem. then put the question whether the Board would agree with the motion of Alderman O'Neil to take a recess until 12, M., on Wednesday, the 16th instant.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote, viz.:

Affirmative—Aldermen Cleary, De Lacy, Dempsey, Duffy, Fullgraff, Grant, Jachne, Kirk, Miller, McCabe, McLoughlin, McQuade, O'Neil, Reilly, Sayles, and Sheils—17.

Negative—Aldermen Farley, O'Connor, Pearson, Rothman, Waite, and Wendel—6.

And the President pro tem. announced that the Board had taken a recess until Wednesday, the 16th instant, at 12 o'clock, M.

FRANCIS I. TWOMEY. Clerk.

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#### DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

At a special meeting of the Board of Docks, held December 24, 1883. Present—The full Board.

The Board met for the purpose of investigating the complaint made by the Board of Commissioners of Pilots, as to the illegal dumping of dredged material taken from Forty-sixth street, North river, on the night of December 6, 1883.

Captain Joseph Conway appeared as the representative of the Pilot Commissioners, and stated the substance of the complaint that the scows in tow of the tug "Scandinavian" had dumped the dredged material in the main ship channel at the entrance to the east channel, at about 7. 30 P. M., on December 6th instant.

Mr. Charles Dubois and others appeared as the representatives of the contractor, Charles M. Pratt, and stated that, as they had not understood that the investigation was to take place at this time, they were not prepared with the witnesses which they desired to produce, and requested that the hearing be postponed on that account.

On motion, the further hearing in the matter was adjourned to Thursday, December 27, 1883, at 2 o'clock P. M.

JOHN T. CUMING, Secretary.

At a meeting of the Board of Docks, held December 26, 1883.

Present—The full Board.

The minutes of the meeting of the Board held December 19th instant were read and ap-

proved.

The following communications were received, read, and,
On motion, laid on the table to await action, as stated, to wit:
From John Keating and others—Requesting the Board to increase the rate of compensation paid to them. Laid over for consideration in executive session.
From Robinson Gill—Requesting permission to build a retaining wall and platform on piles between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Seventh streets, Harlem river. Referred to Commissioners Laimbeer and Voorhis.
From Lowther and Brother—Requesting permission to drive piles outside the present bulkhead, between Thirty-first and Thirty-second streets, East river, and to remove coal pockets, etc. Laid over for consideration in executive session. over for consideration in executive session.

From Engineer-in-Chief:

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1st. Reporting the suspension of Acting Watchman Daniel Stone for being found asleep while on duty on December 20, instant. Laid over for consideration in executive session.

2d. Report on Secretary's Order No. 3211, as to the condition of Pier 14, East river.

3d. Report on Secretary's Order No. 3424, as to the condition of the bulkhead between Sixtieth and Sixty-first streets, East river. Referred to Commissioners Laimbeer and Voorhis.

The following communications were received, read, and,
On motion, placed on file, action being taken where necessary, as stated, to wit:
From Commissioners of the Sinking Fund—Inviting the Commissioners to attend a meeting to be held on Monday, 24th instant, at 2 o'clock P.M. The Commissioners having a previous engagement were unable to attend at the time mentioned, and their action in directing the Secretary to verbally notify the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of that fact, was approved.

From Comptroller of the City—Inclosing copies of communications from the Board of Health to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, dated September 5 and October 10, ultimo, in reference to premises at foot of Sixteenth street, East river, and requesting information in respect thereto from this Board. Secretary directed to prepare and transmit answer thereto.

From Department of Street Cleaning:

1st. In reference to the use of the dumping-boards at West Twelfth, Forty-seventh and Thirty-sixth streets, North river, by private parties. Secretary directed to reply thereto that collections were made for the use thereof.

2d. In reference to cleaning the bulkhead between Piers 52 and 53, East river.

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From William O. Cloyes—Application for appointment to position as Superintendent of

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From St. John's Guild—Thanking the Commissioners for the berth given for the use of the Floating Hospital during the summer.

From John Norton & Sons—Application for permission to erect tally-house on Pier 13, East river. Permission granted, and Secretary directed to issue permit therefor when reported on by the Engineer-in-Chief as constructed in accordance with the rules.

From Thomas Ward—Requesting lease for a part of the bulkhead between Seventy-eighth and Seventy-ninth streets, North river.

From Engineer-in-Chief:

1st. Reporting in reference to crib bulkhead at One Hundred and Seventh street, Harlem river. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to do the work at a cost not to exceed the amount limited by law, \$1,000, as heretofore ordered.

2d. Reporting amount of work done during the week ending December 22, 1883.

3d. Reporting that in the estimate No. 2, given by him under Contract No. 197, for dredging at Forty-sixth street, North river, he had not included the material taken therefrom on December 6th instant, and complained of by the Pilot Commissioners as not having been dumped in accordance with law.

4th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 3349, that he had fenced off Pier 44, East river.
5th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 3410, that the slip at West Twelfth street, North river, had been dredged, as directed by the Board.
6th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 3433, that he had repaired the spring-pile loose at Pier

55, East river. From John, M. Smith, Dock Master—Reporting that the sloop "Congress" had sunk in the slip between West Eleventh and Bethune streets, North river. Secretary directed to advise the Com-

missioners of Pilots in respect thereto, and request them to take the necessary action to have the same removed. From George W. Wanmaker, Dock Master-Reporting that the tug-boat "Municipal" run into

and damaged the outer end of Pier, old 42, North river, on December 24th instant. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to examine and report thereon.

From Bernard Kenney, Dock Master—Reporting that the Department of Street Cleaning had dumped about sixty loads of dirt and snow on the Pier at Fifth street, East river. Secretary directed

to request the Department of Street Cleaning to have the same removed,

The following communication from His Honor Mayor Edson, transmitting regulations for the admission of persons into the civil service of the City of New York, was received, read, and ordered to be placed on file:

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, December 19, 1883.

To the Commissioners of Docks:

GENTLEMEN—Whereas, by section 8 of chapter 354 of the Laws of 1883, the Mayor of each GENTLEMEN—Whereas, by section 8 of chapter 354 of the Laws of 1003, the Mayor of each city in this State having a population of fifty thousand or over, as shown by the last census, is authorized to prescribe such regulations for the admission of persons into the civil service of such city as may best promote the efficiency thereof, and ascertain the fitness of candidates in respect to character, knowledge and ability for the branch of the service into which they seek to enter.

Now, therefore, I do hereby prescribe the accompanying regulations for the admission of persons into the civil service of the City of New York, to take effect on the first day of January, 182.

1884. Witness my hand and official seal.

(Signed) FRANKLIN EDSON, Mayor.

P. M.

On motion of Commissioner Voorhis, the following resolution in relation thereto was unani-

On motion of Commissioner Voorhis, the following resolution in relation thereto was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the communication from his Honor Mayor Edson, transmitting regulations for the admission of persons into the civil service of the City of New York be received and entered in full on the minutes, and that the Secretary be and hereby is directed to acknowledge the receipt of the same, and to express to his Honor the Mayor that this Board will co-operate with him in carrying out the provisions and requirements of the law.

Two communications from the Inman Steamship Company, transmitting policies of insurance, fourteen in number, and aggregating the sum of \$60,000, on the shed on Pier new 36, North river, and requesting the return to them of the old policies of insurance on the same premises, and also requesting that a formal release or waiver of all claim or interest in the same be made by this Department, was received, read and ordered to be placed on file.

On motion, the action of the President in directing the delivery of the old policies of insurance to the Steamship Company was approved, and the following preamble and resolution, offered by Commissioner Voorhis in relation thereto, was unanimously adopted:

Whereas, The Inman Steamship Company, limited, have heretofore, and on or about November 16, 1882, assigned, set over and transferred to this Department certain policies of insurance on the shed erected on Pier, new 36, North river, as collateral security for the performance of the covenants and conditions contained in the lease of the said pier to the said Steamship Company or lessees thereof; and

Whereas, The shed erected on the said pier was destroyed by fire on February 1, 1883, and the upper structure of the said pier having been repaired and a new shed erected thereon by the said Inman Steamship Company, the lessees thereof, in accordance with the provisions of the said lease, and the said lessees having delivered to, and this Board having accepted of, the new policies of insura

Policy No.	Issued by.	Amounts issued.
121.461.	Imperial Fire Insurance Company, of London	\$10,000 00
132,558.	Greenwich Insurance Company, of New York	5,000 00
714.016.	Commercial Union Assurance Company, of London	5,000 00
56.561.	Insurance Company of North America, Philadelphia	5,000 00
	Guardian Assurance Company, of London	
	Manufacturers' Fire and Marine Insurance Company, of Boston	
	Phœnix Assurance Company, of London	
	British America Assurance Company, of Toronto	
	Liverpool, London and Globe Insurance Company	
	Fire Insurance Association, Limited, of England	
	Germania Fire Insurance Company, of New York	
-and the	Secretary be and is hereby directed to notify the said insurance comes in respect to the same.	apanies of the

Mr. George DeForest Lord appeared before the Board on behalf of the Cunard Steamship Company, and was heard in respect to the lease of Pier, new 40, North River, to that Company; also in reference to the shed located on the bulkhead thereat. No action was taken by the Board

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

The Auditing Committee presented an audit of seventeen bills or claims amounting in the

a	ggregate to	the sum of \$7,712.02, which was accepted and adopted, and the Secretary di	rec	ted
A	udit No.	Bills or Claims, A	mou	nt.
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		On Construction Account\$4,3	39	66
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		On General Repairs Account\$3,3	05	11
8:	282. Isaac	J. Oliver, printing notices, etc	67	25
		On Annual Expense Account	67	25
		RECAPITULATION.		
7	Bills or c	aims on Construction Account. \$4,3  General Repairs Account 3,3  Annual Expense Account	39 05 67	11
17		amounting to\$7.7	12	02
		Respectfully submitted.		-

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17	"	amounting to		\$7,712 0
		(Signed),	WM. LAIMBEER, Com	liting mittee.

New York, December 26, 1883.

(Signed)

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

The Treasurer of the Board, Commissioner Voorhis, presented his report of receipts for the week ending December 25th instant, which was received, read and ordered to be placed on file, and the Secretary directed to enter the same in full on the minutes, as follows:

DATE.	From Whom.	For '	WHAT.	AMOUNT.	TOTAL.	DATE DEPOS- ITED.
1883.						1883.
Dec. 19	Thomas Patten	z year's rent l. u.	w. at 74th st., E.	R \$100 00		
" 19	Thomas J. Hinch	100 filling-in tick	ets at 15 cen's	. 15 00		
" 20	Michael Finnin	50 filling-in tick	ets at 15 cents	. 7 50		
" 24	Chas. H. Thompson	Wharfage Distric	ct No. 1, Dec. 22.	. 83 06		
" 24	Geo. W. Wanmaker	"	2, " 22.	. 131 45		
" 24	John M. Smith	"	4, " 22.	265 97		
" 24	Bernard Kenney	**	5, " 22.	. 190 15		
" 24	Edward Gilon		6, " 22.	. 403 40		
" 24	Theo. S. Croft		8, " 22.	. 23 88		
1 24	John Callan		9, " 22.	. 32 80		
					\$1,253 21	Dec. 24
				\$1,253 21	\$1,253 21	

Respectfully submitted, JOHN R. VOORHIS, Treasurer. On motion of President Stark, it was directed that a meeting of the Board in Executive Session, held on Friday 28th instant, at 11 o'clock, A.M.

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

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100	AND THE RESIDENCE OF THE PROPERTY OF THE PROPE		
Registe	er No. For 104 tons coal.	Estimated cost	\$473 OC
4497.	For 2 dozen tubular lanterns	**	18 00
4498.	For about 1,400 feet yellow pine plank	**	84 00
4499.	For books, stationery, etc., Engineer-in-Chief's office	"	47 90
4500. 4501.	For 2,200 feet spruce plank	**	47 90 44 00
	North river		300 00
0	n motion the Board adjourned. JOHN T. C	CUMING, Secre	tary.

At a spetial meeting of the Board of Docks held December, 27, 1883, pursuant to adjournment from 24th instant.

Present-President Stark and Commissioner Voorhis.

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Absent—Commissioner Laimbeer.

The Board met for the purpose of proceeding with the investigation of the charges made by the Commissioners of Pilots, that the dredged material taken from Forty-sixth street, North river, on December 6, 1883, had been unlawfully disposed of by being dumped in the bay.

There were present the following named parties, interested in the matter:

Captain Joseph Conway, on behalf of the Pilot Commissioners, and Captain Curren and Engineer Alexander, of the tug "Scandinavian"; Captain Bloodgood, of the tug "John T. Pratt"; Henry E. Dubois, Charles Dubois, and Edwin G. Davis, of counsel on behalf of the contractors.

Captain Conway stating that he desired to have the Pilot Commissioners also represented by counsel, on the hearing before the Board; it was,

On motion, ordered that the matter be adjourned to Thursday, January 3, 1884, at 1.30 o'clock P. M.

JOHN T. CUMING, Secretary.

At a special meeting of the Board of Docks held December 28, 1883.

Present—The full Board.

The communication from Lowther & Brother, in reference to repairing the bulkhead between

Thirty-first and Thirty-second streets, East river, and requesting permission to remove the coal pockets from the premises between Thirtieth and Thirty-first streets, East river, on to the same, was,

On motion, taken from the table and referred to Commissioners Laimbeer and Voorhis. On motion, the Board adjourned to meet on Saturday, December 29, instant, at 11 o'clock A. M.

JOHN T. CUMING, Secretary.

At a special meeting of the Board of Docks held December 29, 1883, pursuant to adjournment. Present—The full Board.

The Board met in Executive Session.

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Commissioner Voorhis offered the following resolutions, which were unanimously adopted.

Resolved, That notice be and hereby is given in compliance with the provisions of section 410 of the Laws of 1882, to William A. Leffingwell, Clerk in this Department, that this Board deem him incompetent for the proper and creditable performance of the duties assigned to and required of him, and that said William A. Leffingwell be and hereby is notified to appear before this Board at its office on Monday, the 31st instant, at one o'clock P. M., to show cause and make such explanation as he may desire to as to why he should not be removed from said position of Clerk in this Department. Department.

Resolved, That notice be and hereby is given in compliance with the provisions of section 48 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, to Edward Dickel, Clerk in this Department, that this Board deem him incompetent for the proper and creditable performance of the duties assigned to and required of him, and that said Edward Dickel be and hereby is notified to appear before this Board at its office on Monday, the 31st instant, at one o'clock P. M., to show cause and make such explanation as he may desire to as why he should not be removed from said position of Clerk in this

Department.
On motion, the Board adjourned to meet on Monday, 31st instant, at 11 o'clock A. M.

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At a special meeting of the Board of Docks, held December 31, 1883.

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Present—The full Board.

The pay-rolls for the month of December, amounting in the aggregate to the sum of \$6,771.12, were approved and audited, and the Secretary directed to forward the same, together with proper requisitions for the amounts, to the Finance Department for payment.

The Board then went into Executive Session.

A communication from William A. Leffingwell, resigning his position as Clerk in the service of the Department, was received and ordered to be placed on file, and the resignation accepted.

Commissioner Voorhis offered the following preamble and resolution, which was unanimously adopted:

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Whereas, Notice was duly given to Edward Dickel, in accordance with the requirements of section 48, chapter 410, Laws of 1883, to appear and show cause, before this Board, at 1 o'clock P. M., this day, why he should not be removed from the position of Clerk, lately occupied by him, on the ground of his being incompetent for the proper and creditable performance of the duties assigned to and required of him; and

Whereas, The said Edward Dickel has offered no satisfactory explanation to the Board as to why it should not carry into effect his proposed removal from the said position of Clerk; therefore be it

be it

Resolved, In pursuance of the powers vested in this Board, under the provisions of section 48 chapter 410, Laws of 1883, that Edward Dickel be and hereby is removed from the position of Clerk in this Department, to take effect from and after the date of the adoption hereof, and that the cause of such removal is incompetence on the part of said Edward Dickel to properly and creditably perform the duties appertaining to and required of said position of clerk.

Commissioner Voorhis also offered the following resolutions, which were unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That Amzi Cook, Doorman, be and hereby is removed, to take effect from and after

Resolved, That Amzi Cook, Doorman, be and hereby is removed, to take effect from and after January 1, 1884.

Resolved, That Wm. Shedlock be and hereby is appointed Superintendent of Machinery, on and after January 1, 1884, at a compensation at the rate of \$1,500 per annum.

Resolved, That John W. Ingalls be and hereby is appointed Clerk, at a compensation at the rate of \$900 per annum, in place of William A. Leffingwell, resigned.

Resolved, That Bernard Garvey be and hereby is appointed Doorman and Watchman at the Offices of the Board, at a compensation of twenty cents per hour, in the place of Amzi Cook,

Resolved, That George H. Laughlin, Jr., be and hereby is appointed Engrossing Clerk, from and after January I, 1884, at a compensation at the rate of \$1,200 per annum.

Resolved, That Clerk James Weir be and hereby is designated as Apportionment Clerk on and after January I, 1884, and that his compensation shall be and is fixed at the rate of \$1,800 per

Resolved, That the compensation of Effingham V. Smith and John Hoope, Timekeepers, be and hereby is fixed, from and after January 1, 1884, at the rate of \$900 per annum.

Resolved, That Temporary Clerk Frederic Perry be and hereby is appointed Bookkeeper, on and after January 1, 1884, at a compensation at the rate of \$2,000 per annum.

Resolved, That Clerk Charles Miller, Jr., be and hereby is designated as Recording Clerk,

Resolved, That Clerk Charles Miller, Jr., be and hereby is designated as Recording Clerk, compensation to be as at present established.

Resolved, That the compensation of John C. Donohue, Clerk to General Repairs Force, be and hereby is fixed, from and after January 1, 1884, at the rate of \$900 per annum.

Resolved, That the compensation of Edward G. Ames, Clerk, be and hereby is fixed, from and after January 1, 1884, at the rate of \$1,000 per annum.

Resolved, That the compensation of David H. Lane, Clerk, be and hereby is fixed, from and after January 1, 1884, at the rate of \$900 per annum, and designated as Clerk of Floating Property.

Resolved, That Temporary Clerk Geo. O. Beach be and hereby is designated as Clerk to the Treasurer at the compensation now established.

Resolved, That J. Frank Johnson be and hereby is appointed Leveler, at a compensation at the rate of \$900 per annum.

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On motion, the Board adjourned.

#### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 11th day of January, 1884.

Present—Commissioners French, Nichols, Mason, and Matthews.

Report of Surgeon A. W. Maclay, relative to condition of the Eleventh Precinct Station-house, was referred to the Chairman of the Committee on Repairs and Supplies, with power.

Report of Captain McDonnell, Eighth Precinct, relative to the suspension of Patrolman John Layden, was ordered on file.

Mask Ball Permits Granted.

George Rode, at No. 139 Essex street. January 21.

N. Balze, at No. 139 Essex street. January 12.

James J. Duffy, at No. 210 Fifth street. February 5.

Ernst Regelman, at No. 291 Bowery. January 15, 19, 21, 24, 26, 28, and 29.

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

ination:
Patrolman Fredk. W. Martens, Sixteenth Precinct.
Roundsman Wm. H. Saul, Twenty-seventh Precinct.
Application of Sarah M. Babcock, widow of late Sergeant George C. Babcock, for pension, was referred to the Trustees of the Police Pension Fund.
Application of Mary M. O'Brien, widow of late Patrolman Patrick O'Brien, for sick pay for 1882, was referred to Commissioner Matthews.
Application of Captain H. Hedden, Thirty-secon'l Precinct, for transfer, was ordered on file.
Communication from the Citizens' Savings Bank, giving notice that the services of Patrolman John Thoden will not be required after the 15th instant, was ordered on file.
Communication from P. Ruhlman & Co., complaining of refuse burning in Washington street, was referred to the Superintendent.

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Communication from the Supervisor of the CITY RECORD, requesting certain information, was

referred to the Chief Clerk to furnish. Communication from the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, acknowledging receipt of complaint

Communication from the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, acknowledging receipt of complaint of E. B. Estes & Sons, was ordered on file.

Communication from A. S. Lazarno & Co., relative to snow and ice obstructions in Water street, was referred to the Chief Clerk to answer.

On report of Captain Berghold, it was
Resolved, That the pistol permit of Daniel Shea be and is hereby revoked.

Resolved, That the Surgeons respectively named, and the Board of Surgeons, be and are hereby directed to examine the following-named members of the force, and report as to their physical condition, with a year, to refirement:

directed to examine the following-named members of the force, and report as to their physical condition, with a view to retirement:

Patrolman John Musgrave, Fourth Precinct, by Surgeons Varian and Purroy.

"Oliver V. Stewart, Eighteenth Precinct, by Surgeons Stewart and Waterman.

Resolved. That the opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation be requested as to the power of the Board of Police to retire, in their discretion, any member of the force who shall have become, physically or mentally, disabled so as to be unfit for police duty, without at the same time granting

a pension.

Resolved, That the President and Chief Clerk be authorized to confer with the Dock Department, relative to pier for the Police steamboat, with power.

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk be directed to confer with Joseph H. Goodwin relative to renewal of lease for Thirty-fifth Precinct Station-house and stable, and report.

Resolved, That the Treasurer be and is hereby directed to pay over to the Police Pension Fund, in pursuance of chapter 330 of the Laws of 1882, the sum of \$14,769.05, being the uexpended balance remaining to the credit of account of 1883, entitled "Police Fund—Salaries of Commissioners, Superintendent, Surgeons and all uniformed force," as per account—all aye.

Resolved, That the salary of Edmund C. Gay, Clerk, be and is hereby fixed at the rate of \$1,900 per annum, to take effect on the 15th instant.

#### Promotion.

Roundsman George C. Osborne, Twenty-second Precinct, to rank of Sergeant, Fifteenth Precinct.

Transfers and Detail.

Roundsman Judson Golden, Eighth Precinct to Eleventh Precinct.
Patrolman Henry W. Phillips, from Sixth Precinct to Thirty-fifth Precinct.

"John Thoden, from Special Service Squad to Fourteenth Precinct, from 15th instant.
"Francis Hogan, First Precinct, detailed at Register's office.

Retired Officers.

Patrolman James Youngs, Nineteenth Sub-Precinct, \$600 per year—all aye.

"John Poppe, Ninth Precinct, \$350 per year—all aye.

"Hugh Bruton, Eighteenth Precinct, \$600 per year—all aye.

Sergeant Lemuel S. Slater, Thirteenth Precinct, 800 per year—all aye.

Patrolman John M. Kilpatrick, Ninth Precinct—all aye.

Adjourned.

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

The Board of Police met on the 12th day of January, 1884. Present—Commissioners French, Nichols, Mason, and Matthews.

Leaves of Absence Granted.

Roundsman John S. Waterman, Sixth Precinct, five days, without pay.
Patrolman William H. Rhodes, Fourth Precinct, one and one-half days, without pay.

David D. Groo, Eighth Precinct, thirty days, without pay.
The Superintendent submitted lists of leaves of absence granted by him pursuant to Rule 564, and resolutions of this Board, which were approved and ordered on file.
Report of Captain Bennett, Thirty-third Precinct, of the receipt of \$3 for sale of manure, was referred to the Treasurer to forward the amount to the City Chamberlain.
Application of Patrolman Charles H. Lancer, Eighteenth Precinct, for promotion to Second Grade, was referred to the Superintendent for report as to efficiency, etc.
Application of Patrolman John J. McNally, Fourteenth Precinct, for promotion, was referred to the Superintendent to cite for examination.
Application of Thomas F. Hyland, for appointment as Patrolman, was referred to Commissioner Mason.
Communication from the Mayor, requesting the appointment of a reconstruction.

Communication from the Mayor, requesting the appointment of a representative of this Board at conferences to be held at his office, was ordered on file, and the President requested to represent

Communication from the Mayor, recommending promotion of Patrolman Martin F. Conlin, Seventh Precinct, was referred to the Chief Clerk to answer.

Communication from Thomas J. McGrath, relative to cleaning the new First Precinct Stationhouse, was referred to the Chief Clerk to answer.

Resolved, That Patrolman James F. Vallely, Twentieth Precinct, be granted permission to receive a reward of \$100 (subject to the deduction under the rule), from Warden Brush, Sing Sing

Prison, for the arrest of an escaped convict.

On report of Captain Berghold, Twenty-seventh Precinct, it was
Resolved, That honorable mention be and is hereby made in the records of the Department of
the meritorious conduct of Patrolman Dennis O'Hara, Twenty-seventh Precinct, in rescuing a woman
and child from drowning at the foot of Pier No. 6, North river, at about 9 o'clock p. M., December
31, 1883; that the silver medal of the Department be awarded him, and that this resolution be
suitably engrossed and presented to the said officer.
Resolved, That the Superintendent be directed to detail Patrolman Thomas Murphy, Seven-

teenth Precinct, to day duty, and report.

Promotions.

Detective Sergeant Thomas Lancer, Detective Squad, to rank of Sergeant in Thirteenth Precinct. Patrolman Thomas Boyle, Twenty-second Precinct, to grade of Roundsman in Twenty-second

Retired Officer.

Sergeant Charles U. Coombs, House of Detention-all aye.

Adjourned.

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

## APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Leo Schlessinger to retain the wall now erected in front of Nos. 1, 3 and 5 Jersey street, the said wall being built and does extend three (3) inches over the line granted to him by this Board and approved by his Honor the Mayor September 19, 1883.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 2, 1884. Approved by the Mayor, January 7, 1884.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Societe Culinaire Philanthropique to connect the Academy of Music and Irving Hall on the occasion of their annual ball, to be held on the 3d day of February, 1884, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, such permission to continue only during the abovementioned date.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 31, 1883. Approved by the Mayor, January 7, 1884.

Resolved, That Alexander B. Smith be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of John B. Toner, whose term of office expires January 12, 1884.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, before 12 M., January 7, 1884.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Daniel Dull to sink or drill a deep well, not less than seven and three-fourths inches in diameter, through and under the sidewalk on Greenwich avenue, in front of the property of and for Messrs. Tracy & Russell, brewers, located on the corner of Greenwich avenue and West Eleventh street, this city; also to occupy such space on said walk as will be necessary to erect a derrick and place a boiler and engine, and such gearing as may be required to prosecute the drilling of said well for a period of sixty days, more or less, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 31, 1883. Approved by the Mayor, January 9, 1884.

Resolved, That Westchester avenue, between the easterly curb-line of Prospect avenue and the westerly curb-line of the Southern Boulevard, be regulated and graded upon the established lines and grades, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 31, 1883. Approved by the Mayor, January 9, 1884.

Whereas, Resolutions were adopted by this Common Council January 9, and approved by the Mayor January 15, 1883, setting forth the imperative necessity for the extension of Mill Brook sewer northward in Webster avenue, from East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street to East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, and requesting the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks "to take such action as may be necessary to cause said sewer to be constructed as soon as possible"; and

Whereas, The early completion of said sewer is not only anxiously desired by the residents of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, but is absolutely needed for the preservation of the health of that portion of the city; be it therefore

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks be and they are hereby requested to inform this Board of Aldermen at its next meeting, what action has been taken by said Department in relation to the building of said sewer, what progress has been made by its engineers in the preparation of the plans therefor, how near completion said plans may be, and when, in the opinion of said Commissioners, the actual work of construction of said sewer will be begun.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 31, 1883.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, January 9, 1884, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That Charles B. Waite be and he is hereby appointed as one of the Commissioners to consider a plan for the removal of the steam cars from the surface of the streets in this city, as recommended in a report of the Committee on Railroads, adopted by this Board, October 17, 1883, page 373 of the Journal.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 31, 1883.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, January 9, 1884, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became

Resolved, That, as provided in section 49 of chapter 335 of the Laws of 1873, this Common Council hereby approves and authorizes the location of a station-house, lodging-house and prison for the Twenty-eighth Precinct police, on the ground and premises belonging to the City of New York, on the north side of East Sixty-seventh street, one hundred and twenty feet west of Third avenue, being fifty feet in width, front and rear, and one hundred feet and five inches in depth on each side.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 31, 1883.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, January 9, 1884, without his approval or objections therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became

Whereas, This Board, on the 9th day of January last, appointed a Committee to take charge of the celebration of the one hundredth anniversary of the evacuation of New York by the British, and at the same time accepted the co-operation, in the proposed ceremonies, of the Chamber of Commerce of the State of New York, and the New York Historical Society; and
Whereas, Under the joint direction of Committees appointed by this Board and the aforenamed societies, the anniversary was celebrated in a manner honorable and creditable to our city;

Resolved, That this Board, before its retirement from office, desire to place upon record their sense of the services rendered by the joint Committee, and in the name of the municipality and citizens of New York, now formally tender to these public spirited gentlemen hearty thanks.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 2, 1884. Approved by the Mayor, January 9, 1884.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw a warrant in favor of Col. W. R. W. Chambers, Sergeant-at-Arms of the Board of Aldermen, for the sum of forty-three dollars and twenty-five cents in payment of the annexed bills for expenses incurred by the Special Committee appointed to receive the remains of John Howard Payne, the amount to be charged to the account of "City Contingencies."

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 5, 1884.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, January 9, 1884, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That the permission given to Lawrence Carroll to place a show-case on Twenty-first street, near Sixth avenue, by resolution which became adopted December 31, 1873, be and the same is hereby annulled, rescinded and repealed.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 2, 1884. Approved by the Mayor, January 11, 1884.

Resolved, That the Commissioners for lighting this city, viz.; His Honor the Mayor, the Comptroller, and the Commissioner of Public Works, be and they are hereby respectfully, yet earnestly, requested to cause Tompkins Square to be lighted with electric lights.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 2, 1884.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, January 11, 1884, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became

Resolved, That the Commission for lighting this city be and is hereby requested to cause the Gansevoort or Farmers Market to be lighted with electric lights as soon as possible.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 5, 1884.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, January 11, 1884, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became

#### EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Appointments by the Mayor.

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

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

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

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

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

THOMAS H. BURCHARD, M. D., F. TILDEN BROWN, M. D., and T. H. MANLEY, M. D. WM. E. LUCAS, Secretary.

NEW YORK, January 8, 1884.

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

A. R. MACDONOUGH, CHAS. S. FAIRCHILD, J. SEAVER PAGE,

Board of Examiners.

NEW YORK, January 8, 1884.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Examiners for all positions as nurses, attendants and orderlies for the city hospitals and asylums in the Department of Public Charities and Correction, as specified in the regulations prescribed by the Mayor for the admission of persons into the Civil Service of the City of New York, has been organized by the election of Thomas H. Burchard, M. D., as Chairman and F. Tilden Brown M. D., as Recording Officer, and that blanks for applicants for positions as nurses, attendants and orderlies as aforesaid can be obtained on and after January 15, 1884, from the Secretary of the Municipal Service Examining Board, No. 6 City Hall. Hall.

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

## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office—Bureau of Licenses, New York, January 12, 1884. Number of licen es issued and amount received therefor for the week ending Friday, January 11, 1884;

Ad	TE.	LICENSES.	AMOUNT.
Jan. 5, 1884		18	\$33 00
" 7. "		69	74 75
« g, »		64	86 75
" g, "		63	77 75
" 10, "		98	847 50
" II, "	*********	38	34 75
Totals		350	\$1,154 50

GEO. A. McDERMOTT, Mayor's Marshal

## 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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT. Mayor's Office.

No. 6 City Hall, to A. M. to 3 P. M. FRANKLIN EDSON, Mayor; WILLIAM E. LUCAS, ecretary; Augustus Walsh, Chief Clerk. Mayor's Marshal's Office.

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

No. 131/2 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. GEO. EDWIN HILL, ANDREW B. MARTIN.

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

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT. Office of Clerk of Common Council. No. 8 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M. 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. McAvov, Superintendent.

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

Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park. MARTIN J. KEESE, City Hall.

### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptreller's Office.

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

Auditing Bureau. No. 10 New Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. WM. J. Lyon, Auditor of Accounts.
DAVID E. AUSTEN, Assistant Auditor.

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

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenues and of Markets.

No. 6 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 F. M. Francis Tomes, Collector of the City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets.

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes. Fi st floor Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, MARTIN T. McMahox, 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. BOVD, Corporation Attorney.

#### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office. No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 a. m. to 4 F. 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 F.M. H. H. PORTER, President; George F. BRITTON,

#### FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street. Cornelius Van Cott, President; Carl Jussen, Sec-

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

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles. PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles. Bureau of Fire Marshal. GEORGE H. SHELDON, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings. WM. P. ESTERBROOK, Inspector of Buildings. Attorney to Department.

WM. L. FINDLEY, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street. Fire Alarm Telegraph.

J. Elliot Smith, Superintendent of Telegraph, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street. Central Office Fire Alarm Telegraph open at all hours. Repair Shops.

Nos. 128 and 130 West Third street.

John McCabe, Chief of Battalion-in-Charge, 8 A. M. Hospital Stables.

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

#### HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

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

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

#### DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS Staats Zeitung Building, Tryon Row, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. Saturdays, 3 P.M.
THOMAS B. ASTEN, President: FLOYD T. SMITH, Secretary.

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

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING. 31 and 32 Park Row, "World" Building, Rooms 8 and 9, 9 a.M. to 4 P.M.

JAMES S. COLEMAN, Commissioner: A. H. ROGERS, Deputy Commissioner: M. J. N. ORRISSON, Chief Clerk.

#### BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, City Hall, Room No. 111/2, 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 F. m. Nicholas Haughton, President; Benjamin F. Has-kin, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

#### SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

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

#### REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JOHN REILLY, Register; J. FAIRFAX McLaughlin,
Deputy Register.

#### COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

## COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

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

#### DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

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

### THE CITY RECORD OFFICE,

And Bureau of Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.

No. 2 City Hall, 8 A.M. to 5 P.M., except Saturdays, on which days 8 A.M. to 3 P.M.

THOMAS COSTIGAN, Supervisor; R. P. H. ABELL, Bookkeeper.

#### CORONERS' OFFICE.

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

#### SUPREME COURT.

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

#### SUPERIOR COURT.

SUPERIOR COURT.

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

#### COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M. Assignment Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Clerk's Office, Room No. 22, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. General Term, Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A. M. to ad-

journment. Special Term, Room No. 21, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjourn-

Chambers, Room No. 21, 10.30 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

Part I., Room No. 25, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

Part II., Room No. 25, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

Part III., Room No. 27, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

Naturalization Burgau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M to 4 P. M.

CHARLES P. DALY, Chief Justice; NATHANIEL JARVIS,

#### COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

No. 32 Chambers street. Parts I, and II. Court opens at 11 o'clock A. M. AT 11 O'CIOCK A. M.
FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder; HENRY A. GILDERSLEEVE and RUFUS B. COWING, Judges of the said Court.
Terms, first Monday each month.
John Sparks, Clerk. Office, Room No. 11, 10 A. M. till

#### CITY COURT.-CITY HALL.

General Term, Room No. 20.
Trial Term, Part I., Room No. 20.
Part II., Room No. 10.
Part II., Room No. 15.
Special Term, Chambers, Room No. 21, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 10, City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE SHEA, Chief Justice; John Savage, Clerk.

#### OYER AND TERMINER COURT.

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

#### COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

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

#### DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.

First District-First, Second, Third, and Fifth Wards, authwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets, 10 A. M.

to 4 P. M. Michael Norton, Justice.

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

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

Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards, No. 30 First street, cor Second avenue. Court opens, 9 a. m. daily; continues to close of business.

ALFRED SIECKLER, Justice.

Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh, and Thirteenth Wards, No. 154 Clinton street. John H. McCarthy, Justice.

Sixth District-Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards Nos. 389 and 391 Fourth avenue. WILLIAM H. KELLY, Justice.

Seventh District—Nineteenth and Twenty-second Wards, No. 131 East Fifty-seventh street. Court open every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues to the close of business, Ambrose Monella, Justice.

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

Ninth District—Twelfth Ward One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue. HENRY P. McGown, Justice.

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

POLICE COURTS. POLICE COURTS.

Judges—Maurice J. Power, J. Henry Ford, Jacob Patterson, Jr., James T. Kilbreth, Bankson T. Mongan, Henry Murray, Solon B. Smith, Andrew J. White, Charles Welde, Daniel O'Reilly, Patrick G. Duffy.
George W. Cregier, Secretary.
Office of Secretary, Fifth District Police Court, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue.
First District—Tombs, Centre street.

Second District-Jefferson Market.

Third District—No. 69 Essex street, Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington

Fifth District-One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street,

near Fourth avenue.

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

# THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

A STATED MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the College of the City of New York, will be held at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, on Tuesday, January 15, 1884, at 4 o'clock F. M.

LAWRENCE D. KIERNAN, Secretary. January 8, 1884.

FIRE DEPARTMENT. HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 & 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, Nov. 21, 1883.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Commissioners of this Department will meet daily, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the transaction of

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary

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

#### DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

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

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

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published:

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

The several districts so made and created, and the Dock Masters assigned thereto, are as follows, to wit:

District No. 1.—Embracing all that portion of the East river, extending from Castle Garden, on the Battery, to and including Pier 21, East river.

Charles H. Thompson, Dock Master; office, 33 Coenties Slip.

District No. 2.—All that portion of the North river extending from Castle Garden, to and including Pier old 42, North river.

George W. Wanmaker, Dock Master; office, foot of Duane street, N. R.
District No. 3.—From east side Pier 21, East river, to and including Pier 55, East river.

Edward Abeel, Dock Master; office, 262 South street, District No. 4.—From north side Pier, old 42, North river, to and including pier at foot of West Twenty-third street, North river.

John M. Smith, Dock Master; office, Pier, new 43, N. R.
District No. 5.—From north side Piers of the street of the stre

N. R.
District No. 5.—From north side Pier 55, East river, to north side of Thirty-fourth street, East river.
Bernard Kenney, Dock Master; office, foot of East Sixteenth street, E. R.
District No. 6.—From north side Pier at Twenty-third street, North river, to and including Pier at foot Fiftynmth street, North river.
Edward Gilon, Dock Master; office, Pier, new 57, N. R.

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District No. 7.—From north side of Thirty-fourth street, East river, to south side of Ninety-second street, East river.

Robert Hall, Dockmaster; office, 646 First avenue.
District No. 8.—From north side of Pier at Fifty-ninth street, North river, to Yonkers and Spuyten Duyvil Creek, from North river to Kingsbridge.
Theodore S. Croft, Dockmaster; office, foot of West Seventy-ninth street, N. R.
District No. 9.—From south side Ninety-second street, East river, to and including Bronx river, and also Harlem river, from East river to Kingsbridge.
John Callan, Dockmaster; office, foot of East One Hundred and Fourth street, Harlem river.

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

Each Dock Master shall promptly designate and assign in the order in which application is made, suitable and convenient berths, so far as practicable, within the limits of his district, for the use of such vessel and water craft as may require the same for the reception or discharge of passengers, merchandise, etc., therefrom or for the necessary repair or the safety of any vessel or water craft. It shall be the duty of each Dock Master to require and enforce the due observance of and compliance with such of the national and State laws, city ordinances, and the rules, regulations and orders of the Department of Docks as appertain to the use, care, and custody of the wharf property of and about the City of New York, promptly reporting to the Board all violations and evasions of such laws, ordinances, rules, regulations and orders.

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

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

street.

By order of the Board,

LUCIUS J. N. STARK,

WILLIAM LAIMBEER,

JOHN R. VOORHIS,

Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

JOHN T. CUMING, Secretary. New York, December 1, 1883

# DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

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

New York,

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 817 OF THE
City Consolidation Act of 1882, it is hereby advertised that the books of "The Annual Record of the Assessed Valuations of Real and Personal E-tate" of the City and County of New York, for the year 1884, are open for examination and correction from the second Monday of January, 1884, until the first day of May, 1884.
All persons believing themselves aggrieved must make application to the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments, at this office, during the period said books are open, in order to obtain the relief provided by law.

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

THOMAS B. ASTEN, EDWARD C. DONNELLY, THOMAS L. FEITNER, Commissioners of Faxes and Assessments.

# DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHAR-ITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, DRY GOODS, HARDWARE, PAINTS AND OILS, AND LUMBER.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISH-

20,000 pounds Rio Coffee.

100 barrels Crackers.

100 prime City Cured Hams, to average 14 lbs. each.

100 prime quality Beef Tongues, to average 6 lbs.

each.

100 pieces prime City Cured Bacon, to average 6 lb

roo pieces prime City Kettle Rendered Lard.
20 dozen Canned Peas, 2 lbs.
20 " " Lima Beans, 2 lbs.
20 " " String Beans, 2 lbs.
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Succottash, 2 lbs.
Corn, 2 lbs.
Salmon, 3 lbs

20 ba'es Broom Corn.
10 barrels prime Sal Soda.
50 barrels Chloride of Lime, of prime quality, to contain not less than 32 per cent. of chloride.

DRY GOODS rniture Check. nsey Woolsey. hite Toilet Quilts. 500 dozen Men's Socks. 500 "Women's Stockings 250 Blue Flannel Blouses. 100 Gross Cotton Laces.

HARDWARE 20 dozen Shovels, Ames' No. 2. 10 "Coal Shovels. 20 "Scissors.

PAINTS AND OILS.

10,000 pounds Pure White Lead, ground in oil, and equal to "Atlantic Mills."

20 barrels Standard White Kerosene Oil, 150° test.

10 " "Raw Linseed Oil.

10 " "Boiled Linseed Oil.

11 "Liquid Dryer (prime quality).

LUMBER. 20,000 feet r-inch good Shipping Box Boards, 12 to 16 inches wide and 12 to 16 feet long, dressed one side; delivered at Blackwell's Island.

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5,000 " prime quality Pine Shelving, dressed both sides.

—or any single article thereof, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M., of Friday, January 18, 1884. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Dry Goods, Hardware, Paints and Oils, and Lumber," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

The Board of Public Charities and Correction reserved to the For the Public Interest, as provided in Section 64, Chapter 410, Laws of 1882.

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must

ornation.

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud: and that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or to 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 bouscholders 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 surreits for its fathful performance; and that if

to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept, but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and the contract will be readvertised 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.

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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.

Correction.

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

tion.

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

Dated New York, January 7, 1884.

HENRY H. PORTER,

THOMAS S. BRENNAN,

JACOB HESS,

Commissioners of the Department of

Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, January 9, 1884.

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

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Martin McGowan; aged 65 years; committed December 29, 1883.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Annie Kmg; aged 28 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; brown hair; blue eyes.

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Margaret Mulandi; aged 40 years; 5 feet 1½ inch high; auburn hair; blue eyes.

At Homcopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Henry O'Donnell; aged 39 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; brown eyes and hair. Had on when admitted, dark coat and vest, striped pants, brogan shoes, Derby hat.

Michael Griffin; aged 60 years; 5 feet 9 inches high; black eyes and hair. Had on when admitted, dark coat and pants, brogan shoes, black hat.

John Welsh; aged 26 years; 5 feet 3 inches high; brown eyes and hair. Had on when admitted, blue suit of clothes, brogan shoes, blue cap.

At Hart's Island Hospital—Patrick Delaney; aged 45 years.

45 years. Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order. G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

DEFARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE, New YORK, December 28, 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 Com-missioners of Public Charities and Correction report as

ollows: At Alms-house, Blackwell's Island—Eliza Johnson, aged 50 years. At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Minnie Bettger, aged 28 years; 4 feet 10 inches high; brown hair, blue

eyes.
At Homœopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Adam Horn; aged 42 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; dark hair; hazel eyes. Had on when admitted dark suit of clothes, gaiters; black derby hat.
William Harrington; aged 58 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; brown eyes and hair. Had on when admitted brown coat, dark pants and vest, black derby hat.
At Randall's Island Hospital—Patrick Murray; aged 48 years; 5 feet 8½ inches high; gray hair, black eyes.
At Branch Lunatic Asylum, Hart's Island—Celia Davis; aged 32 years.

Davis; aged 32 years.
Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order.

G. F. BRITTON, Secretayr.

#### CORPORATION NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors, for examination by all persons interested, viz.: No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging One Hundred and Nineteenth street, from Sixth to Seventh exempt.

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

one Hundred and Eighte-nth street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

No. 10. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging,

Seventy-first street.

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One Hundred an Sixteenth street, between Eighth and

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

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

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

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

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

No. 15. Regulating, grading, setting curb, and flagging Fourth avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-third to One Hundred and Thirty-third to One Hundred and Thirty-fith street, No. 16. Regulating, grading, etc., Sixty-second street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.

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

No. 18. Sewer in Seventh street, between Ninth avenue and summit west of Ninth avenue.

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

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

No. 21. Sewers in One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, between Filth and Seventh avenues.

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

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

Both sides of One Hundred and Eighteenth street

2. Both sides of One Hundred and Eighteenin street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.
3. Both sides of One Hundred and Eleventh street, from F urth to Madison avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.
No. 4. Both sides of Nimh avenue, from Seventy-second to Seventy-third street.
No. 5. Block bounded by One Hundred and Twentieth and One Hundred and Twenty-first streets, Fourth and Lavington avenue.

and One Hundred and Twenty-first streets, Fourth and Lexington avenues.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

ing streets.

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

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

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

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

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

Nicholas.

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

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

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

notice.

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

JOHN R. LYDECKER, JOHN W. JACOBUS, JOHN MULLALY, HENRY A. GUMBLETON,

Office of the Board of Assessors, No. 11½ City Hall, New York, Jan. 15, 1884.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE owner or owners, occupant or 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. r. Alteration and improvement to sewer in Seventh street, between Avenues C and D.

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

No. r. Both sides of Seventh street, between Avenues C and D.

No. 1. Both sides of Seventh street, between Avenues C and D.

An persons whose interests are affected by the abovenamed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or
either of them, are requested to present their objections
in writing to the Board of Assessors, at their office, No.
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The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 21st January, 1884.

JOHN R. LYDECKER, JOHN W. JACOBUS, JOHN MULLALY, L'ENRY A. GUMBLETON, Board of Assess

Office of the Board of Assessors, No. 11½ City Hall, New York, Dec. 18, 1883.

#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, Jan. 10, 1884.

TO 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 Wednesday, January 23, 1884, 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 MATERIALS AND PERFORMING WORK IN THE ERECTION OF AN IRON SHED OVER A PORTION OF THE SIDEWALK SURROUNDING FULTON MARKET.

THE SIDEWALK SURROUNDING FULTON MARKET.

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 therem 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 a firmation, 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.

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 be 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 COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS RESERVES THE RIGH! TO REJECT ALL BIDS RECEIVED FOR ANY PARTICULAR WORK IF HE DEEMS IT FOR THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE CITY.

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in

HE DEEMS IT FOR THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE CITY.

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 Architect, Douglas Smyth, No. 48 Exchange place.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,

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

#### TO THE PUBLIC.

AT 9.30 P. M. ON THURSDAY THE 15TH instant, the aqueduct had to be shut off to repair a large leak that could not be repaired in the usual manner from the exterior. This leak had suddenly devoloped in the section south of Yonkers, where smaller fissures had previously occurred.

The examination showed fissures aggregating 2,000 feet in length. The repairs were finished and water was again turned on by 4 P. M., on Saturday, the 17th instant. While the flow through the aqueduct was interrupted the supply in the Central Park reservoir was drawn down five, eet.

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

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,

Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
New York, Nov. 1, 1883.

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

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

It becomes my duty to state that on and after the first day of April, 1883, all extra charges, such as steamengines, bakeries, barbers, bathing-tubs, boarding-houses, boarding-schools, building purposes, horses, horse-troughs, hotels, porter-houses, taverns, etc., printing offices, stone cutting or dressing, slaughter-houses, dyeing, water-closets and urinals, laundries, restaurants, soda fountains, extra families, oyster and coffee saloons, water by meter measurement, meters and meter setting, and all other purposes for which the use of Croton water is chargeable according to law, are liens, and unless paid on or before the 30th day of April next must be returned to the Clerk of Arrears, with the amount due on each lot.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON, Commissioner of Public Works

#### ASSESSMENT COMMISSION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT A MEETing of the Commissioners under the act, chapter 550 of the Laws of 1880, entitled "An act relating to
certain assessments for local improvements in the City of
New York," passed June 9, 1880, will be held at their
office, No. 27 Chambers street, on Tuesday, January 15,
1884, at 2 o'clock P. M.

DANIEL LORD, JR., JOHN KELLY, ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioners under the Act.

JAMES J. MARTIN, Clerk.

#### JURORS.

NOTICE IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

Office of the Commissioner of Jurors, New County Count-house, New York, June 1, 1883. A PLICATIONS FOR EXEMPTIONS WILL BE

A PPLICATIONS 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 mus 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,

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

### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, NEW YORK, Jan. 9, 1884. OWNER WANTED FOR A CASE OF AS-sorted Harness Bits, found in the street. JOHN F. HARRIOT, Property Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE PROPERTY CLERK ROOM NO. 391.
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, 1883.

New York, 1883. J

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

JOHN F. HARRIOT, Property Clerk.

#### SUPREME COURT.

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

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

Beginning at a point (the intersection of the southern
line of East One Hundred and Forty-seventh street with
the western line of Brook avenue, distant 2,327,5 feet northerly from the
northern line of East One Hundred and Tritry-eight
street, measured along said western line of
Brook avenue, distant 2,627,5 feet northerly from the
northern line of East One Hundred and Tritry-eight
street, measured along said western line of
Brook avenue for 66 feet.

Thence northeasterly along said western line of ok avenue for 60 feet.

Thence deflecting to the left 90° westerly for  $387\frac{77^{\circ}}{100}$ 

Thence deflecting to the right 5° 25' 30" north-terly for 457,700 feet.

Thence deflecting to the left 90° southwesterly for

ret. Thence deflecting to the left 90° southeasterly for 5. Thence deflecting to the leit 5° 25' 20" northeasterly of 390 feet. 6. Thence deflecting to the leit 5° 25' 20" northeasterly of 390 feet to the point of beginning.

Dated New York, January 12, 1884.

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 in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Fourth street, be-tween the Boulevard and Riverside avenue, in the City of New York

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment VV of Estimate and Assessment in the above-en-titled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and im-proved or unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all

occupant or occupants, or all nouses and tots and improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

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

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

City of New York, there to remain until the January, 1884.

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

from all the land lying in the streets or avenues within said area.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hail, in the City of New York, on the first day of February, 1884, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

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Dated New York, December 5, 1883.

ISAAC T. BROWN,

ROWLAND M. STOVER,

PATRICK DALY,

Commissioners.

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

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 ass. ssment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be oppose I 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 eighth day of January, 1884, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said eighth day of January, 1884, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 2½ o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other do uments 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 tenth day of january, 1884.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows. to wit: All those lots pieces or

City of New York, there to remain until the tenth day of lanuary, 1884.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, and bounded on the north by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, and on the east by the westerly line of Avenue St. Nicholas, on the south by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and One Hundred and Forty-sirth street, and on the west by the easterly line of Tenth avenue; excepting therefrom all the land within the limits of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special

Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the eighteenth day of January, 1884, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated, New York, November 27, 1883. GEORGE W. McLEAN, THOMAS DUNLAP, MANSFIED COMPTON,

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring right of way over, under and through certain lands for the purpose of the construction of drains, as directed by the Board of Health of the Health Department of the City of New York, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 360 of the Laws of 1880.

#### MILL BROOK DRAINS.

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WE. THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-ensitled 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 the office of our chairman, Samuel R. Filley, 76 Wall street, Room No. 11, in the said city, on or before the twenty-seventh day of December, 1883. and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the two week-days next after the said twenty-seventh day of December, 1883, and for that purpose will be in attendance at said office on each of said two days, at two delock P. M.

Second.—That the ab-tract 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 fourteenth day of January, 1884.

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded as follows, viz.: northerly by Westchester avenue, easterly by Brook avenue, southerly by One Hundred and Fortieth street, westerly and northwesterly by Willis avenue and Bergen avenue; excepting therefrom all the lands lying in the streets and avenues within said bounds.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a special term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the eighteenth day of Janua

Dated, New York, December 3, 1883.

SAMUEL R. FILLEY GEORGE H. FORSTER, FORDHAM MORRIS, Commissioners.

#### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

SALE OF LEASE OF PART OF ESSEX MARKET BUILDING.

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

Tenss or Sale.

The highest bidder will be required to pay the auctioneer's fee and deposit with the Compiroller, at the time and place of sale, twenty-five per cent. of the amount of the annual rent bid, to be credied on account of the first quar or's rent, or forfei ed to the city if the bidder refuses to execute the lease when notified that it is ready for execution. He will also be required to give a bond in double the amount of the annual rent bid, with two sufficient suret es to be approved by the Comptro ler, conditioned for the payment of the rent quarterly in advagce, and for the performance and fulfillment of the covenants and terms of the lease, a form of which lease and bond may be seen at the Office of the Bureau for the Collection of City Revenues and of Markets, Finance Department. No bid will be accepted from, nor will the lease be awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter as surety or otherwise upon any obligation to the corporation; nor will any such person be received as surety on the lease.

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

All alterations and repairs of the premises are to be

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

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

S. HASTINGS GRANT,

Comptroller.

YORK, FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, January 14, 1884.

#### INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

THE INTEREST ON THE BONDS AND STOCK of the City of New York, due February 1, 1884, will be paid on that day, by the Comptroller, at his office, in the New Court-house.

The Transfer books will be closed from January 15,

to February 1, 1884. S. HASTINGS GRANT, Finance Department—Comptroller New York, January 9, 1884.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
December 29, 1883.

#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 997 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property affected by the assessment list for the opening of One Hundred and Thirty-second street, between Tenth avenue and Broadway, which was confirm dby the Supreme Court, December 21, 1883, and entired on the 26th day of December, 1883, in the Record of Tilles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property, shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 998 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

Section 998 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 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 assessment is 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;" between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before March 4, 1884, 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 to the date of payment.

S. HASTINGS GRANT, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
December 29, 1883.

#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 916 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property affected by the following assessment lists, v.z.:

Avenue B, regulating, vrading, etc., from Eighty-sixth to Euchy-sever th street.

Ninety-eighth street, regulating, grading, etc., from Second to Third avenue.

Ninety-eighth street, regulating, grading, etc., from Eighth avenue to Boulevard.

One Hundred and Fifth street, regulating, grading, etc., from Fourth to Fifth avenue.

One Hundred and Fifteenth street, regulating, grading, etc., between Boulevard and Riverside Drive.

One Hundred and Sitteenth street, regulating, grading, etc., between Tenth and avenue west of Morningside Park.

Nineteenth str. et, regulating, paving, etc., from Tenth

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Nineteenth str et, regulating, paving, etc., from Tenth to Thirreenth avenue.

Twenty-sixth street, regulating, paving, etc., between First avenue and East river.

Forty-tourth street, regulating, paving, etc., between Eleventh and Twelfth avenues.

Thirteenth street, regulating, grading, etc., sidewalks between Avenues C and D.

Eightieth street, south side, flagging, from Fifth to Madison avenue.

Forty-filth street, paving, from Eleventh to Twelfth

Seventieth street, paving from Second to Third avenue.
One Hundred and Fourth street, paving, etc., between
First and Second avenues.
One Hundred and Fifth street, paving, from Third to
Fourth avenue.

Fourth avenue.
One Hundred and Ninth street, paving, from Third to Fourth avenue.
One Hundred and Fourteenth street, paving, from First

to Second avenue.

One Hundred and Fourteenth street, paving from First to Pleasant avenue.

Fourth avenue, west side, fencing lots, between One Hundred and Fourth and One Hundred and Fifth streets

streets.

Fourth avenue, fencing lots, southwest corner of One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street.

One Hundred and Fourth street, north side, fencing lots, between Fourth and Madison avenues.

Eighty-third street, both sides, fencing lots, from Eighth avenue to Boulevard.

Second avenue, west side, sewers, between First and Second streets.

Eleventh avenue, east side, sewers, between Thirty-fifth and Thirty-sixth streets.

Seventieth street, sewer, between A and East river.

Seventieth street, sewer, seventy-second street, alteration and improvement to sewer, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

Madison avenue, paving, from One Hundred and Twenty-fifth to One Hundred and Thirty-third street.

Madison street, basin, southwest corner of Chestnut

Street. Beach street, basin, northeast corner of park, at junction of West Broadway.

Twenty-third street, basin, northeast corner of Avenue

Sixty-fourth street, basin, southeast corner of First

avenue. Sixty-seventh street, basin, northwest corner of Third

One Hundred and seventh street, basin, northwest and southwest corners of Tenth avenue.

and southwest corners of Tenth avenue.

—whichwere confirmed by the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments, December 19, 1883, and entered on the same date 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," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property, shall be paid within sixty cays after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 917 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

Section 917 of the said act provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain uppaid 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 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

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 Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before March 4, 1884, 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 to the date of payment. payment.

S. HASTINGS GRANT, Comptroller.

#### REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

S. HASTINGS GRANT.

#### THE CITY RECORD.

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