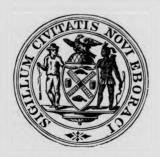
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# FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Report for the Quarter ending June 30, 1884.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, NOS. 155 AND 157 MERCER STREET, OFFICE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, NEW YORK, November 6, 1884.

To the Honorable Franklin Edson, Mayor of New York:

Six—We have the honor to submit herewith the report of the operations and actions of this Department for the quarter ending June 30, 1884:

Number and Character of Alarms, Manner of Receipt and Cause, Second Quarter, 1884.

	M	NNER	OF I	RECE	IPT.							CA	USE							
Alarms.	From Department Street Alarm Boxes.	Special Department Tel- egraph Signals.	Verbally.	Automatic Telegraph.	Total.	Accidents.	Cry of "Fire,"	Error.	Exhibition of Depart- ment.	Explosions.	Fire outside of City.	Heat and Disarrange- ment of Aut. Telegraph.	Ignorance,	Malicious Mischief.	Not ascertained.	Reflection from Stoves, etc.	Reflection of distant fire.	Smoke, etc., issuing from premises	Fire.	Total,
Unnecessary	11		3	7	21	5	1		1	1		5	2	4	2					21
Indication of fire	18		8		26											1		25		26
Fires	369	6	256		631					••		.,							631	631
Total	398	6	267	7	678	5	1		1	1		5	2	4	2	1		25	631	678

72 ala	rms were c	ommunicated b	y attachés	of this Depar	rtment	t, of which	69 pro	ved to be	for fires.
173	**	110		Police		**	158	41	65
158	"	**	District	key-holders,		**	149	**	41
24	41	· · ·	Citizen	**		**	24	***	- 63
251		41	all other	means,		45	231	**	11
678	11	**	all the v	arious means		44	631	16	44

# Statistics of Fires.

	APRIL.	MAY.	June.	SECOND QUARTER.
In buildings—				
Confined to point of starting	189	155	203	547
Confined to building	21	13	13	47
Extended to other buildings	4	8	3	15
Number in buildings	214	176	219	609
In vessels	1	****	1	2
in other places (woods, etc.)	3	12	5	20
Total	218	188	225	631
				-
Discovered by—				
Attachés of Fire Department	18	27	24	69
Attachés of Police Department	60	50	48	158
District key-holders	57	41	51	149
Citizen key-holders	10	7	7	24
All other means	73	63	95	231
Total.	218	188	225	63t
Extinguished with—				
Buckets of water, etc	136	126	163	425
One engine stream	39	32	38	109
Two or three engine streams	26	19	15	60
More than three engine streams	17	11	9	37
Total	218	188	225	631

	APRIL.	MAY.	Jure.	SECOND QUARTER
Extent of damage to buildings and vessels—				
Built mainly of brick, stone, or iron:				
Slight	49	45	65	159
Considerable	12	10	3	25
Destroyed		1		
Total	61	56	68	185
Built mainly of wood:				
Slight	20	14	13	47
Considerable	5	6	3	14
Destroyed	2	1	1	4
Total	27	21	17	65
Total buildings and vesse's damaged	88	77	85	250
To which the damage was-				
Slight	69	59	78	236
Considerable	17	16	6	39
Destroyed	2	2	1	.5
Number of fires resulting in damage to contents only; build- ings or vesse's not damaged	37	39	47	123
Number of fires resulting in nominal damage (less than \$10) to either structures or contents	73	66	85	224

Number of Fires occurring each Day of the Week, and during the Different Hours and Periods of the Day, by Months.

	APRIL.	MAY.	JUNE.	TOTAL.
Monday	37	12	28	77
Tuesday	51	27	26	104
Wednesday	34	26	26	86
Thursday	21	40	22	83
Friday	28	27	34	89
Saturday	28	26	42	96
Sunday	19	30	47	96
Between the hours of—				
12 midnight and 1 a. m	5	5	10	20
1 a. m. and 2 a. m	5	6	1	12
2 a. m. and 3 a. m	12	6	2	20
12 midnight and 3 a. m	22	17	13	52
3 a. m. and 4 a. m	7	9	4	20
4 a. m. and 5 a. m	5	2	3	10
5 a. m. and 6 a. m	5	1	3	9
3 a. m. and 6 a. m	17	12	10	39
12 midnight and 6 a. m	39	29	23	91
6 a, m. and 7 a. m	2	2	3	7
7 a. m. and 8 a. m	7	4	5	16
8 a. m. and 9 a. m.	11	9	6	26
6 a. m. and 9 a. m	20	15	14	49
g a, m. and 10 a. m	12	4	7	23
to a. m. and it a. m	14	6	9	29
rr a. m. and 12 m	7	7	8	22
9 a, m. and 12 m	33	17	24	74
6 a. m. and 12 m	53	32	38	123
12 midnight and 12 m	92	61	61	214
12 m. and 1 p. m	4	7	14	25
r p. m. and 2 p. m	13	6	6	25
2 p. m. and 3 p. m.	9	9	12	30
12 m. and 3 p. m	26	22	32	80

	APRIL.	MAY.	June.	TOTAL
3 p. m. and 4 p. m	+	9	9	22
4 p. m. and 5 p. m	15	. 6	10	31
5 p. m. and 6 p. m	6	10	9	25
3 p. m. and 6 p. m	25	25	28	78
x2 m. and 6 p. m	51	47	60	158
6 p. m. and 7 p. m	19	7	11	37
7 p. m. and 8 p. m	14	20	22	56
8 p. m. and 9. p. m	10	τ8	28	56
5 p. m. and 9 p. m	43	45	61	149
g p. m. and to p. m	10	14	27	51
10 p. m. and 11 p. m	6	11	11	28
rr p. m. and r2 midnight	16	10	5	31
9 p. m. and 12 midnight	32	35	43	110
6 p. m. and 12 midnight	75	80	104	259
12 m. and 12 midnight	126	127	164	417
5 a, m, and 6 p. m	104	79	98	281
6 p. m. and 6 a. m	114	109	127	350
Total each month	218	188	225	631

#### Casualties.

The number of human lives lost and persons injured at fires and in connection with the operation of the Department at, and in responding to alarms for fires, as nearly as could be ascertained, are shown by the subjoined table:

		CILLEI							Isje	RED.						Ac	GREG	ATE						
	KILLED.			NILLED.			NILLED.			P.	ATALL	Υ.	SER	ioust	Y.	SL	GHTL	Υ.		TOTAL		I	NJURE	D.
	At Fires.	Responding to Alarms.	Total.																					
Members of Department. Others—Before arrival of					11		2	3	5	54,	13	67	56	16	72	56	16	72						
Department  " After arrival of Department		**	**	1		ı	1		4	13		13	18	**	18	18		18						
Total				2		2	7	3	10	68	13	81	77	16	93	77	16	93						

Los	ses and Insur	ance.		
	APRIL.	May.	JUNE.	QUARTER.
Estimated loss—				
On buildings and vessels	\$90,677 co	\$53,471 00	\$26,660 00	\$170,808 00
On contents	462,533 00	370,000 00	91,252 00	923,785 00
Total	\$553,210 00	\$423,471 00	\$117,912 00	\$1,094.593 00
Estimated insurance—				
On buildings and vessels	\$1,135,750 00	\$800,100 00	\$916,480 00	\$2,852,330 00
On contents	2,095,099 00	1,029,823 00	1,120,060 00	4,244,982 00
Total	\$3,230,849 00	\$1,829,923 00	\$2,036,540 00	\$7,097,312 00
Estimated uninsured loss—				
On buildings and vessels	\$830 00	\$2,467 00	\$2,795 00	\$6,092 00
On contents	7,727 00	23,241 00	11,541 00	42,509 00
Total	<b>\$</b> 8,557 00	\$25,708 00	\$14,336 00	\$48,601 oo
Average loss per fire	\$2.537 66	\$2,252 51	\$524 05	\$1,734 60

# Extent of Loss at Fires.

				APRIL.	MAY.	JUNE.	Quarter.	FERCENTAGE TO WHOLE NUMBER OF FIRES.	Loss Less than-
Nomina	, or less	than	§10	75	76	91	242	.38	\$10 at 242 fires.
Between	\$10	and	\$50	46	44	69	159	.25	50 at 401 "
66	50	-22	100	21	15	15	51	.08	100 at 452 "
0	100	18	1,000	42	31	32	105	.16	1,000 at 557 "
**	1,000	16	5,000	16	11	11	38	.06	5,000 at 595 "
10.	5,000	84	10,000	9	2	3	14	.02	10,000 at 609 "
00	10,000	**	20,000	5	2	4	11		20,000 at 620 "
0	20,000	-(1	30,000	**	2		2		30,000 at 622 "
- 11	30,000	100	40,000	1	1		2		40,000 at 624 "
**	40,000	-65	50,000	1	1		2		50,000 at 626 "
44	50,000	**	60,000				**		
**	60,000	44	70,000		1	.,	t		70,000 at 627 fires.
**	70,000	+1	80,000		2	++	2		80,000 at 629 "
- 66	80,000	**	90,000	1		**	1	4.	90,000 at 630 "
	90,000	in .	100,000	491				4.	
ii.	100,000		25,000	-12			**		
*	125,000	44	50,000		**				
**	150,000		200,000		**		**	1.0	
a	200,000	u.	250,000	2		4.5	1		250,000 at 631 fires.
	Total		.,	218	188	225	631		

# Origin and Cause of Fires for the Second Quarter.

				CAUSE							PRE	MISE	s Wi	IERE	IN F	RE (	RIGI	NATE	D 0	CCUPI	ED AS-	-
Origin.	Accidental.	Carelesaness.	Defective Buildings and Construction.	Mischievousness.	Maliciousness.	Incendiarism.	Not ascertained.	Total.	Dwellings.	Mercantile Establishments.	Manufactories and Workshops.	Offices.	Restaurants and Saloons.	Storehouses.	Stables.	Places of Amusement and Recreation.	Religious and Educa- tional Institutions.	Lumber, Coal and Wood Yards.	Vessels.	Miscellaneous.	Total.	Aggregate Loss to Structures and Contents.
In Heating.																						
Beams built into chimneys and fireplaces		**	1	44			100	1	2		1,										-	\$5 0
Chimneys, fireplaces, flues, grates, etc	42		4					4	3	20			1								4	3.745 0
Foul chimneys		94				92		94	82	6	3		3								94	47 0
Soot in flues and fireplaces igniting woodwork		12						12	9	2	1							4.			12	3,071 0
Sparks from stoves, chimneys, stovepipes, etc., igniting woodwork, clothing, etc.	8	8						16	8	1	6									1	16	12,120 0
Steam-pipes igniting floor beams, woodwork, etc		5						5			5			1.							5	93,524 0
Stoves, boilers, furnaces, stove and heater pipes igniting bedding, clothing, woodwork, etc		21						21	16	1	3	1									21	5.464 0
Stoves, furnaces and grates, hot coals falling from	**	2						2	1		1										2	10 0
Stoves upsetting	**	3					in	3	3												3	18 0
Number of fires	8	145	5	**		**		158,	123	10	19	1	4							1	158	
Loss	\$2,575	\$111,679	\$3,750																			\$118,004 0
In Illuminating.			===		=			=	=	=	=	=	=	=	=	_	-	=	=	=		
Electric lights, sparks from	21	6		**	100			6	1							2				4	6	\$64 0
Gas-meters, explosion of	1	**		**				1		1											1	*******
Gas escaping and igniting	**	6		1	100			7			4		1							2	7	152 0
Gas-lights, candles, lamps, etc., igniting merchandise in stores, show-windows, and ledding, straw, woodwork, rubbish, etc	1	57	**		100	44		58	35	14	5		1		1		2				58	10,986 0
Lam s, kerosene oil, breaking	13	1	**		140	**	- 2.2	14	12		1		1	**							14	2,558 0
Lamps, kerosene oil, exploding	30	110	**					30	24	3	2								1		30	20,332 0
Lamps, kerosene oil, falling	6	4				**		10	7	1	2								24	24.	10	13,322 0
Lamps, ker sene oil, upsetting	6 _	16				**	24	22	15	2	ī	1	1		1	1					22	483 o
Marches, lighted tapers, etc., igniting clothing, woodwork, rubbish, etc	**	14						14	7	4	1	1	**		1					**	14	391 0
Number of fires	57	104		1			**	162	100	25	16	2	4		3	3	2		r	6	162	
Loss	\$34.905	\$13,383			1												-	-				\$48,288 00

	-			CAUSE								MISE	s WH	EREI	N FI	RE OR	GINA	TED (	Occur	TED AS-	-
Örigin.	Accidental.	Carelessness.	Defective Buildings and Construction.	Mischievousness.	Maliciousness.	Incendiarism.	Not ascertained.	Total,	Dwellings.	Mercantile Establishments.	Manufactories and Workshops.	Offices.	Restaurants and Saloons.	Storehouses.	Stables.	Flaces of Amusement and Recreation. Religious and Educa-	tional Institutions.	Wood Vards.	Miscellaneous.	Total.	Aggregate Loss to Structures and Contents.
In Manufacturing and Other Business.  Alcohol, tar, gum, oils, paints, varnish, etc., igniting on stoves, furnaces, over																					
gas-lights, etc	1	11	***	***		**		12	1	1	9		**						1	12	\$17,020 00
Chimneys, flues, etc., soot from		1		***		**		1	"		1	**		**						1	40 00
Cotton, jute, etc., ignited		1						1			"	**	1	**						1	10 00
Friction of machinery	5							5		1	4	**	"	1						5	66,000 00
Gas stoves, gas-lights igniting woodwork, paper, merchandise, etc		2					**	2			2									2	7 335 00
Hams, meats, etc in ovens and smoke-houses, igniting	2		**			**		2		1	1									2	7,325 oc
Hot metals igniting woodwork, merchandise, etc		r	- 11					1		5.	1				**					1	425 00
Lime, slaking of						**		2	1	49									1	2	4.5
Naphtha and benzine vapor igniting		2					1	4			4									4	4,225 00
Scenery in theatres igniting from gas-lights, etc	1			37.		**		ı								1 .				1	*******
Sparks from chimneys, forges, furnaces, engines, steamships, locomotives, etc., igniting roofs shavings, woodwork, etc	15	8					.,	23	5	4	10				1				1100	23	11,942 00
Steam pipes igniting merchandise	***	3					**	3			2									3	23,505 00
Spontaneous combustion of oily rags, etc	1	17	**	**			**	18	r	1	15			1						18	134,110 00
Stoves, boilers, furnaces, ovens, etc., igniting merchandise, shavings, etc		13		100		**	44	14	3		9		1		.,		Ι.			14	12,242 00
Stoves, furnaces, etc., hot coals falling from		1	24	**		**	**	1	**	22	1	44								1	9,000 00
Vitriol, acids, spirits, etc., carboys of, breaking, or vapor igniting			++					1			1										100 00
Workmen burning rubbish	1	4					**	2	-,-	**	1	20							1	2	2 00
Number of fires	31	61	1				1	94	11	8	61		2	2	1	1	1 .	. ,	6	94	
Loss	\$20,370	\$283,146		-	-			-		_	-		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	94	*******
Miscellaneous.	-	\$203,140	\$40				\$300			-											\$303,856 00
onfires	94			5				5	1						1				3		****
figars, pipes, etc., smoking of	**	50				.,		50	15	8	16				6	1			1	50	\$5 00
otton igniting	***	1						1	1		10		1							1	80,323 ox
at, glue, varnish, etc., taking fire on stoves, etc	40	2						2	2				**		**				1	2	5 00
irecrackers	**	3		14	1		4.4	18	6	4	2				4				1	18	1,413 00
ireworks, rockets, ete	34	1						1		1										1	10 00
fot ashes igniting woodwork	**	2						2			1	1								2	5,600 00
Cerosene oil stoves exploding	4	.,						4	3		1		**							4	192 00
Cerosene oil stoves igniting woodwork, etc	**	2					.,	2	2											2	450 00
Cerosene oil stoves upsetting		4	1.0			**		4	4											4	177 00
Cerosene oil stoves taking fire	1			**	**			1	1											1	35 00
Matches, children playing with		**		27				27	26				**		1				12	27	2,656 00
latches igniting awnings, straw, rubbish, woodwork, etc	3	49	**	2	1	6	3	64	30	ıı	15		r		ī	1	1 .	,	4	64	19,188 ox
Not ascertained	++		4.4				28	28	6	9	12		1							28	508,706 00
Phosphorus igniting	**	t	244			**	**	1	1				**							1	
Rekindling of previous fire		**	**	**	**	**	2	2		ī	1		**							2	25 00
Sparks from chimneys, stoves, etc	2	**	30	11			**	2	2		24.									2	100 00
Spontaneous combustion of oily rubbish, etc	1	**	25	**		**		1		2.0		47		16					1	1	
stoves, stovepipes, etc., heat from igniting woodwork, etc		1					**	1		12			1	16						1	
sulphur igniting clothing		1	**	**	**		••	1	1	**										1	5,500 00
Number of fires.	11	117		48	2	6	33	217	101	34	48	2	4		13	2		. 1	11	217	
Loss	\$347	\$109,775		\$3,123	\$70	\$2,264	\$508,866														\$624,445 00
Recapitulation.			==	==		==		-	=	=	=	=	=		=	==	==		-		
( Number of fires	8	145	5					158	123	10						1	1	1	1.	158	
n Heating	\$2,575	\$111,679	\$3,750								19	1	4						1	1	*****
(Number of fires	57	104	#31/50					162	100	25	16	2			3	3		. 1	1	162	\$118,004 00
a Illuminating		\$13,383					**			-3					3			8119		102	48,288 oc
( Number of fires	31	61	T				1	94	11	8	61		2	2							40,200 00
n Manufacturing, etc. Loss	\$20,370	\$283,146	\$40				\$300	.,													302,856 00
(Number of fires	11	117		48	2	6	33	217	101	34	48	2	4		13	13 1		. 1	1163	1	3-21-3-
n Miscellaneous	\$347	\$109,775		\$3,123	\$70	\$2,264	\$508,866					,,						10			624,445 00
(Number of fires	107	427	6	49	2	6	34	631	335	77	144	5	14	2	17	6	4	3	24	631	
Aggregate	\$58,197	\$517,983	\$3.790	\$3,123	\$70	\$2,264	\$509,166													100	\$1,094.593 00
			Carlotte Control	1000	1000	Contract of	I A SECTION	1	11	1	6		1		1	1	1	1	1	1	ACCOUNT OF THE

# Indictments and Convictions for Arson, Incendiarism, etc.

DESCRIPTION OF PERSON.			NATURE OF CHARGE AND CIRCUMSTANCES.	NATURE OF INDICTMENT	WHEN AND OF WHAT	SENTENCE AND			
NAME.	AGE.	SEX.	COLOR,	NATIVITY.	OCCUPATION.	NATURE OF CHARGE AND CIRCUMSTANCES.	AND DATE.	CONVICTED.	REMARKS.
Joseph Coletta	19	Male	White	Russia	Tailor	Setting fire to and burning premises No. 155 Essex street, occupied by him as a shop; held in de- fault of \$1,000 bail, February 2, 1684	Arson, first degree, and grand larceny, February 8, 1884	Jury disagreed, April 12, 1884	
Paolo Gangi	30	"	"	Italy	Barber	Setting fire to and burning premises No. 464 West Thirty-third street, February 17, 1884; arrested on bench warrant and lodged in Tombs	Arson, first degree, February	Arson, first degree, April 25,	Fifteen years in the State Prison.
Wilhelm Messner	23	"		Germany	Cabinet-maker.	Attempting to set on fire premises No. 306 Eleventh avenue; held in default of \$1,000 bail, March	Attempt to commit arson, March 14, 1884	Attempt to commit arson, third degree, April 14, 1884	Two years and as months in the Star Prison.

Operations under the Laws Regulating the Storage of Combustibles and Explosive Materials, etc., for the Quarter.

	1		4			Dispo	SITION.			
COMPLAINTS OF VIOLATIONS, ETC.	Pending March 31, 1884.	Received since.	Total to be Disposed of.	Complied on Notice.	Unfounded,	Penalties Collected.	Penalties Remitted.	Prosecution Recommended.	Total.	Now Pending.
Selling kerosene oil below test	2	1	3				1		1	2
Selling kerosene oil without license		33	33		- 42	**		33	33	
Chimney fires	29	91	120			20	66		86	34
Hoistways found open after conclusion of business	9	2	11		46		3	**	3	8
Fire hydrants obstructed	6	12	18	16	**		***	**	16	2
Lights unprotected	13	274	287	120		**			120	167
Want of telegraphic communication	8	**	8	3		**	**	1		4
Kerosene or naphtha, etc., in excessive quantity	1	1	2	1		44			1	1
Fireworks, chemicals, matches, etc., kept without permit							***		**	**
Chimneys, flues, heating apparatus, etc., unsafe	2	32	34	21	3	**	**	44	24	10
Ashes in wooden boxes, etc		2	2	2			**		2	
Hay, straw, cotton, rags and other vegetable fibre stored in excessive quantity	12	**	12		**	***		**		12
Lime, spirits, varnish, etc., stored in excessive quantity	1	**	1	4.9	.,	***	**	***	**	1
Total	83	448	531	163	3	20	70	34	290	241

Money Received for L	icenses and Permits etc., Seized, etc	Issued, Penalties for the Quarter	Collected,	Sale of	Explosives,
For 1,216 kerosene oil lic					\$12,160 00

 For 31 special permits issued, at \$2.
 62 00

 For 5 kindling fire in street permits issued, at 50 cents.
 2 50

 Total for licenses and permits
 \$12,224 50

Plans and Specifications for New Buildings Filed and Acted upon during the Quarter.

CLASSIFICATION.	Pending last Report.	Received since	Total.	Approved.	Amended and Approved.	Di-approved.	Now Pending.	Total.	Estimated Cost,
Dwelling-houses—Estimated cost over \$50,000		1	1		1			ı	\$75,000 00
Dwelling-houses—Estimated cost between \$20,000 and \$50,000	7	81	88	73	14	1		88	1,871,000 00
Dwelling-houses-Estimated cost less than \$20,000	11	168	179	108	40	2	29	179	1,722,350 00
Flats-Estimated cost over \$15,000	6	95	101	31	64	6		101	5,537,600 00
Tenement-houses-Estimated cost less than \$15,000.	15	400	415	198	179	10	28	415	5,691,000 00
Hotels and boarding-houses		3	3	30	2	1	**	3	110,000 00
Stores-Estimated cost over \$30,000		14	14	2	11	1		14	677,150 00
Stores-Estimated cost between \$15,000 and \$30,000	1	27	28	11	5	8	46	28	647,000 00
Stores-Estimated cost less than \$15,000	2	27	29	11	18		1.0	29	166,975 00
Office buildings		14	14	5	8	1	-	14	1,270,900 00
Manufactories and workshops	4	35	39	20	17	**	2	39	364,275 00
School-houses			44	.,	***	**			
Churches	1.0	4	4	2	2	**	**	4	180,000 00
Public buildings-Municipal		7	7	5	1		1	7	129,400 00
Public buildings-Places of amusement, etc		8	8	3	4		1	8	294,500 00
Stables	1	40	41	20	19		2	41	494.450 00
Frame dwellings in Twenty-third and Twenty-	9	132	141	110	26	3	2	141	423.875 00
Other frame structures	3	76	79	57	11	11		79	48,725 00
Totals	59	1,132	1,191	656	426	44	65	1,191	\$19,634,200 co

Plans and Specifications for Alterations to Buildings Filed and Acted upon during the Quarter.

CLASSIFICATION.	Pending last Report.	Received since.	Total.	Approved.	Amended and Approved.	Disapproved.	Now Pending.	Total,	Estimated Cost.
Dwelling-houses	8	260	268	175	67	10	16	268	\$369,877 00
Flats		35	35	18	12	2	3	35	263,597 ∞
Tenement-houses	7	164	171	117	34	10	10	171	156,599 00
Hotels and boarding-houses	2	21	23	11	8	4		23	109,423 00
Stores	6	63	69	40	18	8	3	69	127,041 00
Office buildings	1	39	40	15	20	4	1	40	186,550 oo
Manufactories and workshops	3	97	100	57	28	12	3	100	204,190 00
School-houses		5	5	2	3			5	27,963 00
Churches	1	4	5	3	2	**	**	5	85,000 00
Public buildings		12	12	9	2	1	**	12	196,050 00
Stables	2	22	24	13	9	1	1	24	20,425 00
Frame buildings	7	194	201	174	45	29	13	201	102,472 00
Totals	37	916	953	574	248	81	50	953	\$1,849,187 00

Complaints Received and Investigated during the Quarter ending June 30, 1884.

NATURE.	Pending last Report, March 31,	Received since.	Total.	Unfounded.	Remedied on Verbal Notice.	Notices to be issued.	Total.	Now Pending.
Defective flues		39	39	16	6	14	36	3
Defective construction and materials	1	9	10	10			10	
Defective leaders	11	33	44	10	1	21	32	12
Erecting and altering without permit	3	22	25	17		7	24	1
Frame structures erected and removed without permit	2	61	63	28	1	32	61	2
Front iron shutters which cannot be opened from the outside	5		5		**	36		5
Hoistway openings not guarded	T.	7	8		30	4	4	4
Insufficient means of escape, fire-escapes out of re-	38	117	155	49	10	61	120	35
No iron shutters	2	1	3	1	99		1	2
Unsafe buildings	11	297	308	125	15	152	292	16
Stairway openings floored over	**	24	24	2	4	8	14	10
Totals	74	610	684	258	37	299	594	90

Violations of Law and Unsafe Buildings during the Quarter ending June 30, 1884.

NATURE.	Pending last Report.	Received since.	Total for Disposition.	Removed before Action by Courts.	Removed on Order of Courts.	Dismissed by Courts.	Discontinued.	Total Final Disposition.	Now Pending.	Forwarded for Prosecution.
Defective construction, materials, etc	230	325	555	323	2	3	17	345	210	186
Erecting, altering or removing without per- mit, or after disapproval	128 978	292	420	210 546		6	28	216 595	204	161
aisles obstructed, etc	431	635	1,066	539				539	527	5
Totals	1,767	1,876	3,643	1,618	6	26	45	1,695	1,948	629

#### ATTORNEY TO THE DEPARTMENT.

Violations of Law Relating to Combustibles, etc., for the Quarter.

	For	Dispos	ITION.			Di	SPOSED	OF.			
				COMM	FORE IENCE- T OF ATION.			COMMEN		т	
Nature of Violations.	Pending last Report.	Received since.	Total.	Recalled-Violations Removed.	Recalled for Other Reasons.	Violations Removed before Trial.	Judgment for Department.	Penalty Paid and Discont nued.	Dısmissed.	Total.	Now Pending,
Selling kerosene oil below test	44	2	2								3
Selling kerosene oil without license	19	33	52	11	21		6		13	51	1
Chimney fires	2	1	3						2	2	1
Hoistways open after conclusion of business	2		2		44.	340	**	1		1	1
etc., without license	5		5	**	4	**	**		**	4	1 3
Failure to provide telegraph commu-	**	2	2							**	3
Total	28	38	66	II	25		6	1	15	58	1

## Violations of Law Relating to Buildings.

	For	Dispos	SITION.			Di	SPOSED	OF.			Ш
				COM MEN	ORE ENCE- T OF ATION.			OMME	INCEMENTION.	т	
NATURE OF VIOLATIONS.	Pending last Report.	Received since.	Total.	Recalled-Violations Removed.	Recalled for Other Reasons.	Violations Removed Before Trial.	Violations Remayed After Judgment.	Dismissed by Court.	Dismissed for Irregularity or Insufficiency of Papers.	Total.	
Defective construction, materials, etc	144	186	330	71		55	10		13	149	,
Erecting, altering or removing with- out permit or after disapproval	88	161	249	52	٠	31	1	9	2	95	,
nsufficient means of escape, fire- escapes, aisles obstructed, etc	510	277	787	57	3	168	11	8	61	308	1
Unsafe buildings	3	7	10			2				3	
Total	745	631	1,376	180	3	256	23	17	76	555	8

#### Miscellaneous Business.

NATURE.	PENDING LAST REPORT.	RECEIVED.	TOTAL.	DISPOSED OF.	Now Pending.
Opinions required	3			2	2
Agreements	3	1		2	2
Total	6	2	8		4

#### Fire Alarm Telegraph.

		RECEIVED AT HEADQUARTERS.	APRIL.	MAY.	JUNE.	QUARTER
First alar	ms fro	m street boxes	138	121	134	393
ii	**	bell towers				
**		Police Headquarters	1		2	3
- (4	a	citizens (verbal)				
	**	Automatic Signal Telegraph Co	1	3	3	7
79		Mutual District Co		****	1	,
Second a	larms .		14	11	0	34
Third ala	rms		14	10	6	30
Special c	alls for	companies	23	34	18	75
		distant companies simultaneously	1	ı		13
11	11	officers		****		
**	u	increased water pressure	40	30	20	90
ii	**	Insurance Patrol	15	1	6	90
	16	ambulances	25	25	32	82
10	16	Corps of Sappers and Miners				1
Special b	uilding	signals	2	*****		3
	То	tal alarms and calls	274	236	232	742
Messages	trans	mitted	363	523	435	1,321
Messages	recei	ved	482	546	507	1,535
	То	tal messages	845	1,069	942	2,856
Notices o	fcomp	anies leaving quarters on verbal alarms	88	71	94	253

#### Sanitary Statistics-Uniformed Force.

" " injury 62 "	1,382 days.
161	2,727 days.
Number of candidates rejected.	
Examined	

## NEW YORK FIRE DEPARTMENT RELIEF FUND.

Statement for Quarter ending June 30, 1884.

Mar. 31, 1884	Balance on hand		\$476,803 45
June 30, 1884	Receipts for Quarter:		
	From Fires	\$254 20	
	" Interest	8,601 29	
	" Oil Licenses	12,160 00	
	" Special Permits	62 00	
	" Fire in Street Permits	2 50	
	" Chimney Fires	100 00	
	" Penalties (from Attorney)	50 00	
			21,229 99
			\$498,033 44
June 30, 1884	Disbursements for Quarter:		
	For Penstons, widows and orphans	6,012 00	
	" " retired men	10,325 63	
	" Pay of relieved men	2,712 51	
			19.050 14
June 30, 1884	Balance on hand.		\$478,983 30

#### HENRY D. PURROY, Treasurer.

#### NEW YORK FIRE DEPARTMENT LIFE INSURANCE FUND.

Statement for Quarter ending June 30, 1884.

Mar. 31, 1884	Balance on hand		\$8,801 36
June 30, 1884	Received for Quarter Assessments		3,131 00
			\$11,932 36
June 30, 1884	Disbursements for Quarter:		
	To widow of Patrick T. Feeney	\$1,000 00	
	" executors of Wm. J. Galbraith	1,000 00	
			2,000 00
June 30, 1884	Balance on hand		\$9,932 36

HENRY D. PURROY, Treasurer.

Very respectfully,

CORNELIUS VAN COTT,

HENRY D. PURROY,

RICHARD CROKER,

Commissioners.

#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, October 28, 1884.

In accordance with the provisions of section 51 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, the Department of Public Works makes the following report of its transactions for the week ending October 25, 1884:

#### Public Moneys Received and Deposited in the City Treasury.

For tapping Croton pipes 2	6 97
For tapping Croton pipes	33 10
	5 OC
	4 00
For vault permits	x 36
For redemption of obstructions seized.	6 50
For restoring and repaving—Special Fund	6 oc

#### Public Lamps.

Total ...... \$13,891 93

- 21 new lamps lighted.
  7 old lamps relighted.
  1 lamp discontinued.
  2 lamp-posts removed.
  8 lamp-posts rerset.
  25 lamp-posts straightened.
  6 columns refitted.
  14 columns releaded.

Report of Photometrical Examinations of Illuminating Gas, for the week ending October 25, 1884, made at the Photometrical Rooms of the Department of Public Works.

			er.				Deliv-	ption of Gas per hour.	on of Grs. per	ILLUMI: Pow	NATING VER.
DA	TE.	Тіме	Thermometer.	Barometer.	Gas Company.	Burner,	Pressure as Delivered to Burner.	Consumption of Gas Rate per hour.	Consumption Candle, Grs hour.	Observed.	Corrected.
Oct.	20	5 P.M.	77.	30.40	Manhattan	Empire 5 ft	IN.	CU. FT. 5.00	120.0	19-33	19.33
"	21	12.30 P.M.	77-	30.37	"	44	.88				10000
11	22	12.30 P.M.	78.	30.05			.88	5.00	116.4	20.20	19.59
	23	1.30 P.M.	78.	29.88			.86	5.00	119.4	20.02	19.92
	24	5 P.M.	76.	30.28	1100	**	.89	5.00	121.2	18.52	18.70
10	25	I P.M.	73.	30.20				5.00	120.0	18.27	18 27
	25	Frank	/3.	30.20	*		.91	5.00	122.4	18.42 Average.	19.10
Oct	20	5.30 P.M.	70.	30.33	Harlem		-78	5.00	122.4	18.74	19.11
-	21	3.30 P.M.	72.	30.28	"		.76	5.00	118.2	18.72	18.44
-	22	7.30 P.M.	76.	29.93	"	u	.76	5.00	120.0	18.83	18.83
0	23	5 P.M.	70.	29.98	"	**	.76	5.00	124.2	17.88	18.50
	24	8.30 P.M.	66.	30.31	*	**	-77	5.00	119.4	18.20	18.11
**	25	4.30 P.M.	64.	30.29	"	W	.78	5.00	124.8	18.48	19.22
									-54.00	Average.	18.70
Oct.	20	3.30 P.M.	77 -	30.40	New York	Bray's Slit Union, 7	-92	5.00	123.6	24.30	25.03
**	21	I P.M.	77 -	30.37	"	"	.91	5.00	121.2	24.38	24.62
**	22	12 M.	78.	30.05	"	"	.91	5.00	119.4	25.02	24.89
**	23	2.30 P.M.	78.	29.88	"	"	.90	5.00	123.6	23.62	24-33
**	24	4.30 P.M.	75.	30.28	"		.gr	5.00	119.4	23.72	23.60
**	25	2 P.M.	73.	30.20	"	"	.91	5.00	123.6	22.86	23-54
										Average.	24.37
Oct.	20	4.30 P.M.	77.	30.40	N. Y. Mutual.	"	-95	5.00	124.2	26.28	27.20
**	21	2 P.M.	77 -	30.37	"	**	95	5.00	120.0	29.46	29.46
**	22	II A.M.	78.	30.05	# +x		95	5.00	118.8	30.72	30.41
**	23	3.30 P.M.	78.	29.88			-94	5.00	123.6	27.30	28.12
**	24	3.30 P.M.	75.	30.28		0	-94	5.00	117.0	29.34	28.60
**	25	4 P.M.	73.	30.20	*		.96	5,00	120.0	28.44	28.44
										Average.	28.70
Oct.	20	4 P.M.	77.	30.40	Municipal	**	.92	5.00	123.0	26.10	26.75
**	21	1.30 P.M.	77.	30.37	"	11	-92	5.00	126.0	25.92	27.21
**	22	11.30 A.M.	78.	30.05	"	и	.92	5.00	118.2	28.32	27.89
44	23	3 P.M.	78.	29.88	"		.90	5.00	121.2	26.60	26.86
**	24	3 P.M.	74.	30.28	"	"	.91	5.00	121.2	24.38	24.62
	25	3 P.M.	73.	30.20	"	**	-92	5.00	124.2	23.40	74.22
										Average.	26.26
Oct.	30	5 P.M.	68.	30.33	Metropolitan	" No. 6.	•69	5.00	115.2	22.84	21.92
"	21	4 P.M.	74.	30.28	"		,69	5.00	117.6	23.06	22.60
"	22	7 P.M.	74.	29.93			.68	5.00	126.0	21.72	22.80
**	23	5.30 P.M.	72.	29.98	"		.68	5.00	126.0	21.02	22.07
**	24	7.30 P.M.	66.	30.31	"	"	.68	5.00	114.6	23.50	22.44
**	25	5 P.M.	66.	30.29	"		.69	5.00	124.8	22.40	23.29
										Average.	22.52

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

Permits Issued.

- Permits Issue 66 permits to tap Croton pipes.

  100 permits to open streets.
  20 permits to make sewer connections.
  23 permits to repair sewer connections.
  3 permits to construct street vaults.
  125 permits to place building material on streets.
  10 permits—special.
  1 permit to cut down tree.

  Obstructions Re

Obstructions Removed.

2 large anchor chains from Roosevelt Slip. Furniture, etc., from No. 506 East Thirteenth street.

Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.

Repairing and Clea
49 receiving-basins and culverts cleaned.
50 lineal feet of sewer cleaned.
50 lineal feet of sewer rebuilt.
17 lineal feet of culvert rebuilt.
6 lineal feet of spur-pipe laid.
3 receiving-basins repaired.
1 basin head reset.
3 manholes repaired.
2 new manhole heads and covers put on.
2 new manhole covers put on.
137 cubic yards of earth excavated and refilled.
52 square yards of payement relaid.
5 cart loads of earth refilled.
160 cart loads of dirt removed.

#### Pavement Repairs.

Se art loads of earth refilled.
160 cart loads of dirt removed.

\*\*Patternent Repairs.\*\*

In Eighty-first street, between Fourth and Madison avenues. In Eighty-first street, a First avenue. In First avenue, between Eightiefth and Lexington avenues. In First avenue, between Eightiefth and Eighty-first streets. In First avenue, between Eightiefth and Eighty-first streets. In First avenue, between Eightiefth and Eighty-first streets. In First avenue, In Cons. 1673 to 1642 Avenue A. In One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, between Fifth and Mt. Morris avenues. In Lexington avenue, from Sixty-third to Sixty-seventh streets. In front of No. 135 Last Sixty-first street.

In front of No. 135 Last Sixty-first street.

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In Third avenue, at Firsty-first street.

In Third avenue, at Firsty-first street.

In Firsty-ninth street, between Second and Third avenues. In Avenue B, between Firstenth and Statemth streets.

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In Avenue B, between Firstenth and Statemth streets.

In Ninth avenue, at Forty-seventh street.

In Firsty-ninth street, between First avenue and Avenue A. In front of Nos. 219 and 221 East Forty-sixth street.

In Firsty-ninth street, between First avenue and Avenue A. In front of Nos. 219 and 221 East Forty-sixth street.

In Firsty-ninth street, between First avenue and Third avenues.

In first of Nos. 219 and 221 East Forty-sixth street.

In Firsty-sixth street, between Second and Third avenues.

In firsty-seventh street, between Readway and Seventh avenue.

In Forty-sixth street, between Bighth and Ninth avenues.

In Forty-sixth street, between Bighth and Ninth avenues.

In Forty-third street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

In Forty-sixth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

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In Forty-sixth street, between First avenue, In Firsty-sevend street, In First street.

In Firsty-sevend street, at Lexington avenue.

In Firsty-sevend street, between First Statement of Laboring Force Employed in the Department of Public Works during the Week ending October 25, 1884.

NATURE OF WORK.	MECHANICS.	LABORERS.	TEAMS.	CARTS.
Maintenance of Aqueduct and Reservoirs	34	117	9	4
n Pipe Yard, foot of East Twenty-fourth street Repairing and laying water pipes, etc	10	168	2	1
Repairing pavements	132	335		9
Repairing and cleaning sewers	4	30		9 95 17
avenues	10	61	17	3 2
Repairing streets	I	25	6	2
Totals	193	752	34.	130
Increase over previous week		4		
Decrease from previous week				

#### Requisitions on the Comptroller.

The total amount of requisitions drawn by the Department on the Comptroller during the week is \$50,372.38. HUBERT O. THOMPSON, Commissioner of Public Works.

# DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Abstract of Proceedings for the Week ending November 1, 1884.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 27, 1884.—SPECIAL MEETING-12 M.

Present—Commissioners Viele (President), Wales, Crimmins, and Olliffe.

The following communications were received:
From the Clerk of the Board of Aldermen, transmitting a copy of a resolution authorizing this Department to make a contract for erecting a skate building on the Central Park without public letting.
From the Comptroller, relative to the conveyance to the City, by Chas. Van Riper and Newbury D. Lawton, of a certain plot or piece of land in the Twenty-third Ward, forming a part of One Hundred and Forty-third street.
From the Comptroller, in relation to the substitution of sureties, on the proposal of Dennis W. Moran, for constructing a sewer in the Southern Boulevard.
From the Clerk of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, transmitting copies of resolutions adopted by said Board:

18th. Transferring the sum of \$4,000 from the appropriation made for the year 1884, entitled "Central Park Transverse Roads," to the appropriation made for the same year, entitled "Riverside Avenue."

side Avenue.

2d. Transferring the sum of \$6,000 from appropriations made for the year 1884, viz :
Central Park—Transverse Roads.
Drainage and Irrigation of the Central Park.

—to the appropriation entitled "Riverside Park."

From James A. Deering and John C. Shaw, offering to present a vase to be placed on Riverside Park, between One Hundred and Second and One Hundred and Third streets.

From W. S. Tisdale, in relation to the action taken by this Board on 15th instant, respecting the circular issued by him soliciting subscriptions in the matter of Sunday Concerts.

Commissioner Crimmins presented a communication received by him from Henry Clausen, Jr., inclosing a communication received by him from W. S. Tisdale, soliciting contributions towards defraying expenses connected with the circular issued by him in relation to Sunday music.

From Lawrence Drake, protesting against the proposed change in the grade of Kingsbridge road, and other streets referred to in the petition of W. H. Hayes, F. A. Thayer, and others, received September 3, 1884.

From W. H. Bertholf, Bridge-tender, reporting in relation to the damage by fire to the Central Bridge, on the 19th instant.

From the Supermtendent of Parks, reporting that the Central Bridge narrowly escaped destruction on 19th instant, by a fire caused by a locomotive standing for a long time under it, and recommending that the attention of the railroad company be called to the matter.

From William L. Fisher, resigning his position as Superintending Gardener, to take effect November 1, 1884.

mending that the attention of the railroad company be called to the matter.

From William L. Fisher, resigning his position as Superintending Gardener, to take effect November 1, 1884.

The resignation of William L. Fisher was accepted.

The proposal of M. Magrath, amounting to \$7,932.50, for erecting a skate building on Central Park, received Oct. 15, 1884, was accepted as the lowest bid, and a contract was ordered entered into with the said M. Magrath under authority of the Board of Aldermen of October 6, 1884, and approved by the Mayor October 20, 1884, for doing said work.

The consent of this Department was given to the substitution of Charles Van Riper and James Kearney, in lieu of Charles Jones and Alexander Low, as sureties on the contract awarded Dennis W. Moran for constructing a sewer in the Southern Boulevard, etc.

The bills of Messrs, Parsons, Strong & Beekman, for counsel fees in the matter of John Noble Steams and others against the Commissioners of this Department, received and laid over on 15th instant, were approved and transmitted to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

A report of the ransactions of the Department for the quarter ending with October 1, 1884, was approved and trassmitted to the Mayor.

The Secretary was directed to communicate with the N. Y. C. & H. R. R. R. Co., calling their attention to the danger of allowing locomotives to stand under the Central Bridge.

The Superintendent of Parks was directed to transfer from the maintenance force such men and carts as might be required for work on Morningside Park.

In accordance with Regulation 18 of the Civil Service Regulations, Geo. W. Tyson was feappointed Inspector, subject to the further pleasure of this Board.

The pay of Mrs. Finn was fixed at \$1, for her services in taking charge of the house on East River Park.

Restered.

Patrick McGrath, Stonemason.

Appointed.

John H. Moore, Foreman, \$3.50 per day.

Pay-rolls amounting to \$3,050.60 were approved and sent to the Finance Department for

payment.

A contract for constructing a sewer in the Southern Boulevard, from North Third avenue to Lincoln avenue, was executed with Dennis W. Moran, contractor, Chas. Van Riper and James Kear-

A contract for erecting a skate building on the Central Park was executed with Michael Magrath, contractor, John J. Bradley and John Murphy, sureties.

E. P. BARKER, Secretary.

Abstract of Proceedings for the Week ending November 8, 1884.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 1884. - REGULAR MEETING-10 A. M.

Present—Commissioners Viele (President), and Crimmins. A quorum not being present, no meeting was held.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 1884.—SPECIAL MEETING-10 A. M.

Present—Commissioners Viele (President), Crimmins, and Olliffe.

Mr. E. G. Marsh, the representative of the Comptoller, being present, and the meeting open to the public, the President, in the presence of the representative of the Comptroller, opened the estimate box and announced that no bids had been received for furnishing police uniform overcoats, for which advertisements had been duly published in the CITY RECORD.

The following communications were received:
From the Clerk of the Board of Aldermen, transmitting a copy of a resolution authorizing this Department to make a contract with the contractor for building a sewer with appurtenances and branches in Webster avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and One Hundred and Enghty-fourth street, without public letting and in such manner as saud Department may deem for the best interest of the city, for furnishing all the labor and material necessary, and put in a pile foundation for said sewer.

The President presented a proposal from Charles Jones, contractor, for doing the work authorized. From the Clerk of the Board of Aldermen, transmitting a copy of a resolution adopted by said Board and approved by the Mayor amending a resolution and ordinance to regulate, grade, etc., Warren street, from Railroad avenue to Weeks street.

From the Scretary of the Kingsbridge Association of the Twenty-fourth Ward, transmitting a copy of a resolution requesting this Department to improve Riverdale avenue, between Broadway and Bailey avenue.

From the President of the N. Y. C. & H. R. R. R. Company, acknowledging the receipt of a communication from this Department in relation to the danger of allowing locomotives to stand under the Central Bridge, and stating that orders would be given to prevent such recurrence in the future, and that the subject of grades and approaches had been referred to the Second Vice-President of that company.

From F. W. Dalrymple, Rodman, asking to be allowed pay for five days on which he was absent from duty in consequence of being po

law.

Plans and specifications for regulating, grading, etc., Lind avenue, from Wolf street to Devoe street, were approved and the work ordered advertised.

The President was requested to confer with the Commissioner of Public Works in relation to changing the grades of Kingsbridge road and other streets lateral to and intersecting the same above One Hundred and Ninth street, and between the Hudson and Harlem rivers, asked for in a petition from W. H. Hayes, F. A. Thayer, and others.

The Secretary was directed to insert notices in the CITY RECORD readvertising for proposals for furnishing uniform overcoats for Park and Gatekeepers.

The penalty for overtime on the contract of John S. Masterson for constructing a sewer on Riverside avenue was remitted, and the estimate, amounting to \$1,593.75 for payment on acceptance of the work, was approved and ordered transmitted to the Finance Department for payment. A communication was received from the Engineer of Construction, reporting, in conformity with a resolution of the Board of August 21, 1884, upon a communication from John McQuade, contractor for the approaches to the Madison Avenue Bridge, in relation to his final estimate and the extra work performed by him.

In connection therewith, the President stated that he had examined the report of the Engineer of Construction as well as all the facts connected with the communication of the contractor, Mr. McQuade, and the construction by him of the approaches to the Madison Avenue Bridge, the alterations of plans and the delays to the work, as shown by the records of the Department, and concurred in the recommendations of the Engineer of Construction to allow the contractor:

1st. Payment for dredging 2,392 yards of fixedging.

2d. For the removal of 1,132 yards of sand placed upon the west approach by the direction of the Engineer, and requiring rehauling at 80 cents per cubic yard.

3d. For relief from the penalty for excess of time in the completion of his contracts.

Which was adopted.

In accordance with Regulation XVIII. of the Civil Service Regulations, the following-named persons were appointed to the positions set opposite their names, respectively, subject to the further pleasure of this Coard:

G. A. Burgraff, Jr., Foreman.

G. A. Burgraff, Jr., Foreman.
H. H. A. Ronner, Foreman.
C. B Flower, Inspector.
The Superintendent of Parks was directed to designate a Division Gardener to act as Superintending Gardener.

Pay was allowed the following persons for the time lost by them on account of sickness: T. W. Dalrymple, Rodman, five days. J. J. Clabby, Axeman, one day.

Resigned.

Samuel Murphy, Gatekeeper.

Bills, amounting to \$30,411 81
Pay-rolls "24,026 57
—were approved and transmitted to the Finance Department for payment.

E. P. BARKER, Secretary.

## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, November 12, 1884.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, New YORK, November 12, 1884.

E. HENRY LACOMBE, Esq., Counted to the Corporation:

Sin.—On the 5th instant Durelly called your attention to the bonded indebtedness of this city in connection with the proceedings to acquire title to lands for new parks, and the probable effect of the new Constitutional Amendment thereon. I have since given more careful consideration to the Amendment, with a view to ascertaining what effect, if any, it is likely to have upon the administration of the afters of this city. As a result of such consideration I am convinced that the passage of this Amendment has brought the city face to face with complications which may prove seriously embarrassing. It is true that these complications will not arise until after January 1, 1885 (on which date the Amendment will go into effect), but it is, in my opinion, none the less the duty of those who are meanwhile charged with the administration of city affairs to abate nothing in vigilance and caution, but to strive to forecast the full measure and extent of such complications, and to endeavor to make such provision as may be necessary to secure to the city the full benefit of the Amendment without exposing the municipal administrative system to any shock or embarrassment which can be avoided. No better work can be done by the city authorities, between now and the 31st of December, than to so adjust its present system to the changed conditions which must be encountered with the cutting public interests or impairing private rights.

The Amendment referred to prowdes that no city of over one hundred thousand inhabitants which is allowed to become indebted for any purpose or in any manner to an amount which, including existing indebtedness, shall be received the provides that the section is not to a mount which, including existing indebtedness, shall be reduced within such limit." It is provided that this section is not to a mount which, including existing indebtedness, it is a supplication of the collection of

Yours, very truly, FRANKLIN EDSON, Mayor

# BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

ARMORY BOARD-CITY OF NEW YORK, November 19, 1884.

A meeting of the Armory Board was held this day at the office of the Secretary, No. 301 Mott

street.

Present—General Shaler, Commissioner Thompson.

In the absence of his Honor the Mayor, Commissioner Thompson presided.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

An application was read from John Buckingham, architect, asking permission to appear before the Board for the purpose of explaining the plans prepared by him for the Twenty-second Regiment Armory, which was received, and the Secretary instructed to inform Mr. Buckingham that his request could not be granted owing to the fact that the conditions of the competition prescribed that the architect shall not be known until after one of the plans has been chosen.

An application for a new armory for the Seventy-first Regiment from Lieutenant-Colonel A. D. Palmer, Commanding, was received and referred to the Secretary for conference with the officers of the regiment with reference to the requirements of the organization.

The plans for the Twenty-second Regiment were then re-examined and carefully studied, but decision as to preference was reserved for a full meeting of the Board.

Adjourned, subject to the call of the President.

ALEXANDER SHALER, Secretary.

(Signed)

ALEXANDER SHALER, Secretary.

# HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

\*Births \* reported during the week ending November 15, 1884.

	Con	LOR.		Sex.				N	NATIVI	TY OF	PARENT	rs.				HILD.
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TOTAL	White.	Colored.	Male.	Female.	Not stated.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign Father only.	Foreign Mother	Native.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign.	Not stated.	Stated.	Not stated.
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Marriages \* reported during the week ending November 15, 1884.

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245	240	240	5	5	140	136	105	108				1	224	225	20	20	ı					

<sup>\*</sup> The returns of births, marriages, and still-births are incomplete.

Nativity of those who were Married, and the Parents of the Births and Still-Births, for the week ending November 15, 1884, and those who Died (actual mortality), week ending November 8, 1884.

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5	British America	1	3	3	3	2	2	2	
16	England	25 9	25 8	20	13	7	9	3	2
7	France	9		178 87	2	3	4		
71	Germany	140	131	178	152	63	57	10	10
115	Ireland	185	190	87	99	28	30	5	0
1	Italy Poland	11	11	17	24	2	I		**
2	Scotland	4	3	23	24	1	6	1	1
2	Switzerland	5	4	8	3	5	0	1	1
387	United States	150	160	217	255	105	108	10	1
5 6	Unknown or not stated	64	6r	21/			100	10	13
	West Indies	2	T	7	**	35	1	4	-
10	Other countries	24	21	41	39	18	19	2	3

Still-Births reported during the week ending November 15, 1884.

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Deaths reported during the week ending November 15, 1884.

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† Principally children and deaths in Institutions.

# HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,

SANITARY BUREAU, SEVENTH DIVISION-VITAL STATISTICS.

REPORTED MORTALITY for the week ending November 15, 1884, together with the ACTUAL MORTALITY for the week ending November 8, 1884.

W. De F. Day, M. D., Sanitary Superintendent and Register:

SIR—There were 659 deaths reported to have occurred in this city during the week ending Saturday, November 15, 1884, which is an increase of 31, as compared with the number reported the preceding week, and 109 more than were reported during the corresponding week of the year 1883. The actual mortality for the week ending November 8, 1884, was 631, which is 61.4 above the average for the corresponding week for the past five years, and represents an annual death-rate of 23.92 per 1,000 persons living, the population estimated at 1,371,462.

Table showing the Reported Mortality for the week ending November 15, 1884, and the Actual Number of Deaths each day, from the Principal Causes, with the Ages of Decedents, for the week ending November 8, 1884.

METEOROLOGY.	Week ending Nov.15.	Week ending Nov. 8,		Ac	TUAL	L Nu	MBE	OF		week	corre-	corre-	week									l en	ву Уе										c	EX.
Mean temperature (Fahr.) for the week was.  "reading of barometer" humidity for the week was Number of miles traveled by the wind was Total rain-fall, in inches, for the week	30.027 67 920	46.7 29.998 62 1,650 0.71	1	TH	E W	VEEK V, No	END	ING		during the	for the	Deaths in the c	1,900, during	_							-	LGE.		AKS.	_							_	3	sx,
	week end-	hs reported e week end- 8, 1884.				DATE	E,			lovember 8, 1	nber of Deaths; week of 1883.	umber of De	ath-rate per	ear.					r 5 years.													ir.		
Causes of Death.	Total Dearf during the ing Nov.	Total Death during the ing Nov. 8	Nov. z.	Nov. 3.	Nov. 4.	Nov. 5.	Nov. 6.	Nov. 7.	Nov. 8.	Total Actu	Actual numbs	Average n sponding	Annual De (populat	Under 1 ye	1 to 2.	2 to 3.	3 to 4.	4 to 5.	Total under	5 to 10.	10 to 15.	15 to 20.	20 to 25.	2	35 to 4o.	40 to 45.	45 to 50.	50 to 55.	55 to 6o.	6e to 65.	65 to 70.	7e and ove	Male,	Female.
Total Deaths from all Causes	659	628	89	94	91	95	78	98	86	631	537	569.6			53	27	18	10	240	27	6	12	31 2	31	45	30	31	41	23	21	12	54	334	207
Total Zymotic Diseases	140	153	20	21	26	19	26	19	20	151	112	134.2	5.72		27	15	11	9	97	17	2	2	9 3	0	4		2	3	1	2	I	3	82	69
Cotal Constitutional Diseases	102	147	17	29	21	23	15	17	21	143	132	168.2	5.42	23	7	2	3		35 87	6	2	3	16 8			9	6	11	2	5	4	7	68	75
Total Local Diseases		271	43	35	38	44	32	54	39	285		37.8			18	9	3	1	07			T	5 1			17	23	23	19	14	7		154	131
Total Developmental Diseases Deaths by Violence		31	4	5	-	2	3	2	2	23	37	27.2		17		1	1	::	17	2	2	5			1 2	4	::	4	1	**	**	7	14	15
mall-pox	+3	14	5		.7					-3	1	1.4			1.50	4.0		100													**		10	7
deasles	15	8	1	2	1	1	2	1	2	10	3	2.8		3	4	2			10						1					11	**		5	
carlatina	8	7			2	1	2	1	1	7	7	13.0			2	1		1	4	3								**					3	4
Diphtheria	41	38	8	3	9	3	7	7	5	42	18	29.0	1.59	1	10	6	8	5	30	9	1		1 3		1.0		1		**				17	25
Tembranous Croup	28	19	I	1	2	6	3	1	5	19	20	19.8	-72	3	2	4	2	3	14	5	**				1					9.6	**	**	13	6
Whooping Cough		7		1	2	**	1	1	35	5	3	5,8		4	1	**	**	**	5	**	**			**	**				**	**	++	**	2	3
Crysipelas	1			**					37	**	**	1.4		**		200	**	4.5	**	**	**	* 1		**			**		**	**	44	**	**	
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uerperal Diseases	5	4	4×	1	1	1	1	1		5	10	7.8				14.4		**			24	1	1 2		1			4.6		20				5
Diarrhoeal Diseases	15	34	4	S	4	2	4	6	2	30	18	25.2		16	5	4.4	**	**	21			1	1	1	4.0		44.	1		2	1	2	19	11
nanition, Want of Breast Milk, etc	2	I	44	1	**	**	**	**	1	2	1	3.4	,08	2			**	**	2	**				**	940		**	91	**	**			44	2
Alcoholism	5	3	1	1	1	**	2		1	6	3	4.8	.08	**	**	**	**	**	**	**				2	**	0.0	1	2	1	33	14	**	5	I
Rheumatism and Gout	14	14		**			1	1	5	16	14	15.0		**	**		**		**					1 7	2	1			**	1	1		**	14
hthisis Pulmonalis	111	104	12	10	16	15	10	11	11	94	95	97.2		**	7		7	**		1	7	2	16	13	17	7	6	0	2	2	7		48	46
Bronchitis	44	35	7	3	4	9	3	14	3	43	31	26.8	1.63	14	0	2	1		26	.01		1		1	T	1	3	1	1	3		6	28	21
neumonia	74	bo	q	11	8	6	6	10	II	6x	38	53.8		12	0	4			22	3	44	1	1 f	2	6	1	2	2	2	4	1	8	36	24
leart Diseases	35	39	3	3	6	5	2	6	3	28	38	27.6	1.06		19.61			**		1		1	1 1		I	3	2	3	5	3	1	6	12	16
ineurism	2	2	1	**	1	1		1	1	5	6	2.8	.19	10	**	**	**	64	**		2.	I		**	14	2	36	2		**		4.4	3	2
Marasmus-Tabes Mesenterica and Scrofula	19	21	4	4	3	- 5	3	3	2	20	17	13.4	.76	16	2	1	1	**	20	**	**1						+ *			20	94		13	7
Lydrocephalus and Tubercular Meningitis. Meningitis and Encephalitis	9	7	1	2		*	**	4	2	11	5	0.4	.42	36	4	**	1		8	1	1				**	1	**			**		**	5	0
convulsions	9	2	2	***	3	-	3	.3	2	7	7	7.8		6					7	::	**				1		1	1					5	7
Direct Effect of Solar Heat				3.0								*310			1.					**	11			100		111		10	211	**	**		3	
poplexy	15	12	2	2	1	4	2	2	1	14	7	10.0	.53	1					1					1	1.	I	3	2	4	I	2	3	8	6
All Diseases of the Brain and Nervous System	41	46	9	4	9	7	9	6	7	51	46	46.8		17	1	2	1	1	22	1		1	I	2	4	2	4	3	1	3	3	4	20	22
Cirrhosis of Liver and Hepatitis	9	5	1	2			1	1	1	6	4	7.2	.23								90			2	100	10	1	3			12		3	3
interitis, Gastro-Enteritis, Peritonitis, and	2.1	3																	1						100									
Gastritis	16	10	**	3	2	2	5	3	2	17	7	10.2	.65	7	1	**		**	8	3.6	** 1		1 1	**	1		1	2	I		1	1	7	10
Bright's Disease and Nephritis	37	36	0	4	4	0	4	7	1	40	31	30.8		1	**	20	1		2	**	4.5	1	3	2	3	4	8	4	8	1	1	5	20	20
Premature and Preternatural Births	13	5	**	**	10	1		2	3	II	10	11.6	.15		**		**	**	4	**	17					.,	**		**	**	**		4	**
Surgical Operations	13	1	**	-	**		5	3	2	11	10	11.0		11	***	**	**	**	11	::		1			1	**	**	11	**		**	**	0	3
Deaths by Suicide	5	2		40				I		1	4	3.4			17		**		**		**			100	1	1	**		3.		::		Υ.	100
Deaths by Drowning	3	2	1					1		2	4	3.2								::				1	1	1		1					2	
(Under 1 year	123	133	16	26	16	19	7	21	17	132	93	116.6												1	1				3.					
Deaths in Children years	199	178	26	31	20	20	24	32	26	185	127	158.0	7.01	44	44				1.2						1				**				**	
" 5 years	202	234	36	32	29	35	35	38	35	240		208.4																						

\* Refers to the number of death certificates received.

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	IN ACRES.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlatina,	Diphtheria.	Croup.	Whooping Cough.	Yellow Fever.	Typhoid Fever.	Malarial Fevers.	Puerperal Fever.	All Diarrhocal Diseases.	Cerebro-Spinal Fever.	Other Zymotic Discases.	Total Deaths from Zymotic Diseases.	Total Deaths from all	Total Deaths, exclusive of those in	Total Populatien (in W	REMARKS
irst	95 83 168 86 198 183 322 110		:::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::				:::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::	***********					::		3 2 3 11 5 3 4	11 1 8 12 10 29 11 30 30 28	11 1 8 12 10 29 11 23 30 25	1,039 1,608 3,582 21,015 16,134 20,193 50,066 35,880 54,593 47,553 68,779	Castle Garden and Emigrant Depot, -; U. S. Marine Hospital (Bedloe's Island), -; First Precinct Station, Twenty-seventh Precinct Station, -; House of Relief, 160 Chambers street, 17 Newsboys' Lodgings, Fourth Precinct Station, -; Mission Home, -; St. James' Home, -; Sailor Home, - Fifth Precinct Station, -; Trinity Infirmary, 50 Varick street, - City Prison, -; Home of Industry, -; Centre Street Dispensary, -; N. Y. Dispensary, - Seventh Precinct Station, -; Deborah Day Nursery, -; Nursery and Chil, 's Protectory, East Broadway, Eighth Precinct Station, -; Deborah Day Nursery, -; St. Clement's Mission, -; Jefferson Market Prison, - Essex Street Prison, -; Tenth Precinct Station, -; Ludlow Street Jail, St. Francis' Hospital, 3; Eleventh Precinct Station, -; Soldiers' Retreat, -; N. Y. City Asylum for the Insane, 3; Colored Orphan Asylum, -; Ward's Island, -; Radadli's Island, 6; Bloomingdale Lunatic
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lineteenth	1,480.60				10	2			1	3		5	2	4	31	110	77	158,108	- Charity Hospital, 6: Epileptic and Paralytic Hospital, -; Colored Home Hospital, -; Nursery and Child's Hospital, 3: St. Luke's Hospital, 3: Workhouse, S; Fever Hospital, -; Roma Catholic Orphan Asylum, -; Hospital for Ruptured and Crippled, -; Home for the Aged (Little Sisters of
wentieth	444				2							1			3	28	28	86,023	Protestant Episcopal, 3ct street and Lexington avenue, -; Hebrew Orphan Asylum, -; St. Joseph's Infirmary, -; Baptist Hone, -; Dominican Convent, -; Nineteenth Precinct Station, - St. Elizabeth's Hospital, -; St. Mary's Hospital, -; Institution of Little Siters of the Poor, - St. Blellevue Hospital, -24; in Ambulances, -; Ophthalmic Hospital, -; University Med. Col. Dispensary, -; Bellevue Hospital, -24; in Ambulances, -; Ophthalmic Hospital, -; University Med. Col. Dispensary, -; 1
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wenty-second				**	4	1		**	2			2	1	2	11	50	44	111,605	Roosevelt Hospital, 5; Old Ladies' Home, -; New York Infant Asylum, 1; Twenty-second Precinct Station, -; M. E. Church Home, -; N. Y. Hosp. and Med. College for Women and Children, -; Children's Fold, -,
	4,267.023 8,050.323	**			2	2		**			***	1	**		5	16	16	28,338	Thirty-third Precinct Station, -; Old Gentlemen Unsectarian Home -; St. Vincent de Paul's Nursery, [House of Rest for Consumptives, -; Home for Incurables, 1; Thirty-fourth Precinct Station, -; Thirty-
- Carly Tourist			-	-	-	_	-	_							_	_	5	13,288	fifth Precinct Station, -; Peabody Home, -; St. Stephen's Home, -; St. Joseph's Institutefor Deaf Mutes, -

#### OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

#### EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.
No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
FRANKLIN EDSON, Mayor; William E. Lucas,
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.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS. No. 1 County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. EO. EDWIN HILL, ANDREW B. MARTIN.

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

#### LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT

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

eputy Commissioner.

Bureau of Chief Engineer.
No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
E W. BIRDSALL, Chief Engineer.

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

Bureau of Street Improvements.

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

Engineer in Charge of Sewers.

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

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

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

Bureau of Lamps and Gas. No. 31 Chambers street, 9 а. м. to 4 г. м. терням МсСокміск, Superintendent,

Bureau of Streets.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A M, to 4 P. M. Gro. E. Barcock, Superintendent.

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

Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.

#### FINANCE DEPARTMENT. Comptroller's Office.

No. 15 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broad-ray, 9 A. M. 104 P. N. S. HASTINGS GRANT, Comptroller; RICHARD A. TORKS, Deputy Comptroller.

Auditing Bureau.

Nos. 19, 21, 23 Stewart Building, Chambers street and froadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WM. J. LVON, Auditor of Accounts.
DAVID E. AUSTEN, Deputy Auditor.

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

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

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenues and of Markets.

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

Superintendent of Markets.

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

First floor Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park.

MARTIN T. MCMAHON, Receiver of Taxes; ALFRED

VREDENBERG, Penty Receiver of Taxes.

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

Nos. 25, 27 Stewart Building, Chambers street and froadway, 9 A.M. 10 4 P.M. HENRY B. LAIDLAW, 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.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counset to the Corporation.

Staats Zeitung Building, third floor, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. attridays, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

E. HENRY LACOMBE, Counsel to the Corporation NDREW T. CAMPBELL, Chief Clerk.

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

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORREC-

Central Office.
No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 8.30 A. M JACOB HESS, President, GEORGE F. BRITTON, SecreFIRE 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.

etary.

Bureau of Chief of Department.

CHARLES O, SHAY, 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 CASTLES, Foreman-in-Charge, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Hospital Stables.

goth street, between 9th and 10th avenues.

Joseph Shea, Foreman-in-Charge.

Open at all hours.

THEALTH DEPARTMENT.

No. 301 Mott street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

ALEXANDER SHALER, President; EMMONS CLARK.

CECTARY.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

No. 36 Union Square, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. EGBERT L. VIELE, President; EDWARD P. BARKER,

ecretary.

Civil and Topographical Office.

Arsenal, 64th street and 5th avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Office of Superintendent of 23a 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,

LUCIUS J. N. STARRY.

Secretary.

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

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

Office Bureau Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes

Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 F. M. CHARLES S. BEARDSLEY, Attorney; WILLIAM COMERFORD, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.
37 and 32 Park Row, "World" Building, Rooms
and 9, 9 a. M. to 4 F.M.
JAMES S. COLEMAN, Commissioner; A. H. ROGERS
Deputy Commissioner; M. J. MORRISSON, Chief Clerk.

#### BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, City Hall, Room No. 11½, 9 a. M. to 4 F. M.
John R. Lydecker, Chairman; Wm. H. Jasper
Secretary.

#### BOARD OF EXCISE.

Corner Bond street and Bowery, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Nicholas Haughton, President; John K. Perley,
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 F. M. PETER B. OLNEY, District Attorney; HUGH DONNELLY, Chief Clerk.

# THE CITY RECORD OFFICE,

And Bureau of Frinting, 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., except Saturdays, on THOMAS COSTIGAN, Supervisor; R. P. H. ABELL, Book-keeper.

#### DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS, 117 AND 119 DUANE STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

NOTICE TO MARINERS IN THE PORT OF NEW YORK, PILOTS, AND ALL OTHERS TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

DLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT THIS DEPARTment has placed off the Battery and south of Pier, new 1, North river, two wooden floats or buoys, cubical in shape, six feet on each side, painted black, and anchored on a line bearing S. 7½° east from southwest corner of Pier, new 1, North river, the first float being anchored about 200 feet and the second about 335 feet distant therefrom.

JOHN T. CUMING, Secretary,

CORPORATION NOTICE.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE louses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected with the control of the louses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected pleted and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors, for examination by all persons interested, viz.: List 1871, No. 1. Sewer in Sixth avenue, east side. between First for examination by all persons interested, viz.: List 1976, No. 2. Paving One Hundred and Eleventh street, from First to Second avenues.

List 1936, No. 3. Sewer in Seventy-third street, between First and Third avenues.

List 1934, No. 4. Alteration and improvement to sewer in Fifth avenue, between Fifty-nimth and Sixtieth streets.

List 1936, No. 3. Sewer in Seventieth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

List 1936, No. 6. Sewer in Seventieth street, between Eighth and Nimth avenues, from end of present sewer west of Ninth avenue.

List 2936, No. 9. Sewer in West Tenth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

List 2030, No. 9. Flagging sidewalks on westerly side First avenue, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

List 2031, No. 9. Flagging sidewalks on westerly side First avenue, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

List 2032, No. 10. Receiving-basins west side Eighth avenue, between Seventy-seventh and Eighty-first seventh and Sixthy-four first course of flagging.

List 2032, No. 12. Flagging One Hundred and Thirty-fifth streets, between Eighth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.

List 2034, No. 13. Sewer in One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, between Eighth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.

List 2034, No. 14. Flagging One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, between Fifth and Second avenues.

List 2034, No. 15. Sewer in One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, between Fifth avenue, and Avenue St. Nicholas.

List 2034, No. 15. Flagging on the side of Fifth avenue, Erom Sixty-eighth afteret to Stay-seventh and Eleventh avenues.

List 2034, No. 16. Flagging both sides of Sixty-Eighth avenues.

List 2034, No. 16. Flagging with sides of Fifth avenue, From Sixty-s DUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE

venues. List 2 to t, No 78. Flagging east side of Fifth avenue, rom Sixty-seventh to Sixty-eighth streets, and on the outh side Sixty-eighth street, from Madison to Fifth

avenues.

List No. 2102, No. 19. Flagging both sides of One Hundred and Eighteenth street, from First to Second ave

Nicholas.

List 2104, No. 21. Sewer in Third avenue, east side, hetween Eighty-eighth and Eighty-ninth streets.

List 2105, No. 22. Sewer in Front street, between Broad and Whitehall streets.

List 2105, No. 23. Receiving-basins on the northeast and southeast corners of Avenue A and Fourteenth street, and on the southeast corner of Goerck and Stanton

southeast corners of Avenue A and Fourteenth streets, and on the southeast corner of Goerck and Stanton streets.

List 2107, No. 24. Paving Eighty-ninth street, from Avenue A to Avenue B.

List 2107, No. 25. Receiving-basin and sewer connection on the northeast corner of Alexander avenue and One Hundred and Thrity-sixth street.

One Hundred and Thrity-sixth street, between Brook and St. Ann's avenues, with branch in St. Ann's avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-sixth and St. List 2112, No. 27. Sewer and appurtenances in Washington avenue, between East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth and East One Hundred Sixty-ninth and East One Hundred Sixty-ninth and East One Hundred Sixty-ninth and Sixty-fourth streets.

List 2112, No. 29. Sewer in Fifth avenue, east side, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets.

The limit embraced by such assessments includes all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—
No. 1. East side Sixth avenue, between Fifty-hird and Fifty-fourth streets.

No. 3. Both sides of Seventy-third street, from First to Second avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 5. Both sides of Beekman street, between Water Water Machania.

of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of Seventy-third street, from First to Thomas of the street of the street.

No. 4. East side Fith avenue, between Fifty-ninth and Sixtieth streets.

No. 5. Both sides of Beekman street, between Water and South streets.

No. 6. Both sides of Seventieth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, and the lots situated on the northwest and southwest corners of Ninth avenue and Seventieth street.

No. 7. Both sides of West Tenth street, between Greenwich and Sixth avenues, including property-situated on the sides of Fifty-sixth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

No. 8. Both sides of Fifty-sixth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, including property-situated on the sixth street of the sixth street in the sixth avenue.

No. 9. West side of Fifty-sixth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, between Sixty-first avenue between Sixty-first avenue, between Fifty-eighth and Fifty-ninth streets; east side First avenue, between Fifty-sixth streets, and west side First avenue, between Fifty-sixth streets, and sixty-scool streets, and west side First avenue, between Fifty-sixth and Sixty-scool streets, and west side First avenue, between Fifty-sixth and Fifty-sighth streets.

No. 12. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, the street, from Seventh to Eighth avenues.

No. 13. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, from Eighth avenue to Avenue St. N cholas.

No. 14. Both sides of Strity-eighth street, from First to Second avenues.

No. 15. Both sides of Strity-eighth street, from First to Second avenues.

No. 16. Both sides of Strity-eighth street, from First to Second avenues.

No. 16. Both sides of Spring street, between Broad-New Madages street,

eighth and Fifty-ninth streets; and on the north side of Fifty-eighth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

No. 16. Both sides of Spring street, between Broadway and Mercer street.

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No. 18. East side of Fifth avenue, between Sixty-sixth and Sixty-seventh streets; and north side of Sixty-sixth street, from Fifth to Madison avenues.

No. 18. East side of Fifth avenue, from Sixty-seventh to Sixty-eighth street; som Madison to Fifth avenues.

No. 29. Both sides of One Hundred and Eighteenth street, from First to Second avenues.

No. 20. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, from First to Second avenues.

No. 20. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-eighth and Eighteenth side of Avenue St. Nicholas; also, west side of Avenue St. Nicholas; laso, west side of Avenue St. Nicholas; laso, west side of Avenue At percent side of Madish street, from Whitehall streets.

No. 21. East side of Third avenue, between Eighty-eighth and Eighty minth 5 reets.

No. 23. East side of Street, states, last side of Goerck street, extending abofest south of Stanton street.

No. 24. Both sides of Eighty-ninth street, from Avenue A to Avenue B, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 25. North side of One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, from Willis to Alexander avenues, and east side of Alexander avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-sixth and One Hundred and Street, between Broad west side of St. Ann's avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-sixth and One Hundred and Forty-sixth

No. 27. Both sides of Washington avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-ninth and One Hundred and Seventieth streets.
No. 28. South side of One Hundred and Fifty-first streets, from Courtland to Morris avenues.
No. 29. East side of Fifth avenue, between Thirteenth and Fou teenth streets.
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, at their office, No. 11½ City Hall, within thirty days from the date of this notice.
The above-described light will be

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 26th of December

JOHN R. LYDECKER,
IOHN W. JACOBUS,
JOHN MULLALY,
HENRY A. GUMBLETON,
Eoard of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS, No. 111/2 CITY HALL, NEW YORK, November 22, 1884.

#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, New York, Nov. 21, 1884.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in 'the advertisement, will be received at this office until Friday, December 5, 1884, at 12 o'clock at, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read, for the following:

No. 1. REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUN-DRED AND THIRTEENTH STREET, from Eighth avenue to New avenue, and set-

No. 2. PAVING MADISON AVENUE, from the northerly line of Eighty-sixth street to the northerly line of One Hund ed and Thirty-fifth street, where not already paved, with granite-libek pavement, with a foundation broken stree thoroughly rolled, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting streets, where

No. 3. PAVING NINTH AVENUE, from Seventy
seventh street to One Hundred and Tenth
street, where not already paved, with graniteblock pavement, and laying crosswalks at the
intersecting and terminating streets, where
required.

No. 4. PAVING EIGHTY-THIRD STREET, from the Boulevard to the Riveside Drive, with granite-block pavement, and laying crosswalls at the intersecting and terminating avenues, where ventions.

No. 5. PAVING ONE HUNDRED AND SECOND STREET, from the easterly crosswalk of Lex ngton avenue to the easterly crosswalk of Fifth avenue, with granite-block pavement, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting and ter-minating avenues, where required.

No. 6. PAVING ONE HUNDRED AND THIRD STREET, from First to Second avenue, with granite-block pavement, with a foundation of Iroken stone, thoroughly rolled, and laying crosswalks at the terminating avenues, where

No. 7, PAVING ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-THIRD STREET, from Seventh to Eighth avenue, with granite-block pavement, and lay-ing crosswalks at the terminating avenues, where required.

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avenue, with granite-block pavement, and laying croswalks at the terminating avenues,
where required.

No. 5. LAVING CROSSWALKS ON BETH SIDES
OF SIXTH AVENUE across the intersecting
streets, from One Hundred and Twenty-fifth to
One Art and the street of the street of the contract of the c

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 for regulating and grading, at Room 5; and for paving, at Room 5, No. 3: Chambers street.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON, Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, NOVEMBER 21, 1884.

TO ILLUMINATING GAS MANUFACTU-

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, for furnishing illuminating gas for light-ing the Public Markets, Armories, Buildings, and Offices of the City of New York, or any of them, for the period from January 1, 1883, to December 3, 1885, both days inclusive, will be received at this office until Friday, December 5, 1884, at 120 John Market Which place and comber 5, 1884, at 120 John Market Which place and place and the property of t

Washington Market.
Catharine
Fulton
Essex
Centre
Clinton
Union
Tompkins Market.
Jefferson
Furst Pales (1) First District Police Court.

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Third District Court-house Tower.

ry, Seventh Regiment.
Eighth, Ninth
Eleventh
Twelfth
Twenty-second Regiment.
Sixty-ninth
Seve ty-first
First Battery Artillery.
Second Second Court of Special Sessions.
New Court-house.
Brown-stone (Court-room) Building.
City Hall.
Corporation

Brown-stone Court-room, Building.
City Hall.
Corporation Counsel's Office.
Corporation Attorney's Office.
Receiver of Taxes' office.
Receiver of Taxes' office.
Offices of Department of Public Works.
Office of Assessment Commission.
County Jail.
Rivington street Pipe Vard.
Repair Shop of Water Purveyor, Thirtieth street.
Repair Shop of Water Purveyor, Eighty-third street.
Repair Shop of Water Purveyor, One Hundred and Twenty-night street.
South Gate-house.
Engme-house of High Water Service at High Bridge.
Engme-house of High Water Service at Ninety-eighth treet.

Engine-house or right
treet.

Public Bath, Battery.

Gouverneur slip, E. R.

Duane street, N. R.

foot of Fifth street, E. R.

Nineteenth street, N. R.

Horatio street, N. R.

Twenty-seventh street, E. R.

Ellipsetenth street, R.

Horatio street, N. R.

Fifth street, E. R.

Harlem River

Photometrical Room, Grand street and Bowery.

Seventy-ninth street.

Or any other public building or office in which gas may be required during the aforesaid term.

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

in the person persons presenting with usage. We have the father of the work to which it relates. The gas shall have an illuminating power of not less than sixteen sperm candles when tested on the improved form of the Bunsen Photometer, by a Surge-Letheby rshole arising burner, calculated on a consumption of five cubic feet of gas per hour. The regular daily tests however will be made with a burner that will obtain from the gas the greatest amount of light, and practicable for use gas the greatest amount of light, and practicable for use gas the greatest amount of light, and practicable for use feet of gas per hour. The testing candle shall be used for testing and to candle shall be used for testing which consumes less than one hundred and fourteen or more than one hundred and twenty six grains of spermaceti per hour. And as regards purity, the gas shall be free, within limits not injurious to the public health, from ammonia, sulphuretted hydrogen, and other sulphurous and noxious complications. Biddets are required to state in their estimates the

And as regards purity, the gas shall be free, within limits not injurious to the public health, from ammonia, sulphurerted hydrogen, and other sulphurous and noxious compounds.

Bidders are required to state in their estimates the several markets, armories, buildings, and offices to which they propose to furnish gas in accordance with the terms, conditions and specifications contained herein, and in the proposed form of contract, and the illuminating power of the proposed form of contract, and the illuminating power of Bidders are also required to state one definite and distinct price for each thousand cubic teet of gas furnished (whether the quantity be more or less) to each or any of the public markets, armories, buildings, and offices of the city, and this price must be written out in full, and also inserted in figures.

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 making an estimate for the same work, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or traud. 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 traud. 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.

Each estimate must be verified by the coath, 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 comple

the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimates, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposted 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 period of the such check or money has been examined by said officer 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 forteited trand retained by the City of New York, as liquided damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall excute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Blank forms of bids or estimates, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired can be obtained to the contract of the same of the city. The Commissioner of Public Works reserves the right to reject all proposals, if in his judgment the same may be for the best interests of the city.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON, Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 31 CHAMBERS ST., NEW YORK, NOV. 18, 1884.

New York, Nov. 18, 1884. )

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT

a petition of the property-owers, with map and
plan, for changing the grade of "Tenth avenue, from
One Hundred and Thi ty-sixth to One Hundred and
Thirty-onith street," is now pending before the Common
Council.

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, November 17, 1884.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A scaled envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indersed therein, also had the name of the bidder indersed therein, also had the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until Saturday, November 29, 1884, at 12 o'clock w., at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read, for the following:

No. 1. SEWER IN EIGHTH AVENUE, between One Hundred and Fourteenth and One Hundred

SEWER IN KINGSBRIDGE ROAD, between One Hundred and Füty-fifth and One Hun-dred and Fifty-sixth streets.

No. 3. SEWER IN SIXTY-SIXTH STREET, be tween Eighth and Ninth avenues.

4 RECEIVING-BASINS ON THE EAST SIDE OF NINTH AVENUE, opposite Seventy-eighth, Seventy-ninth and Eightieth streets; and alterations and improvements to basins on the northeast corner of Seventy-seventh street

5. REGULATING AND GRADING FOURTH AVENUE, between the northern curb-line o Ninety-seventh street and the southerly curb-line of One Hundred and Second street.

No. 6. REGULATING AND GRADING THE SIDE WALKS IN EIGHTY-FIFTH STREET

REGULATING AND GRADING NINETY-NINTH STREET, from Eleventh avenue to the east line of Riverside Drive, and setting curb-stones and flagging sid-walks therein.

8. REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIRST STREET, from Tenth avenue to Diagonal

No. 9. LAYING AN ADDITIONAL COURSE OF FLAGGING four feet wide on the SIDE-WALKS OF SIXTH AVENUE, from One Hundred and Twenty-firth to Ore Hundred and Forty-fifth street.

No. 10. PAVING SEVENTY-THIRD STREET, from Ninth avenue to a line about two hundred and twenty-five feet west of Eighth avenue, with granite-block pavement, and laying cross-walks at the intersecting streets and avenues

where required.

No. 11. PAVING EIGHTY-SECOND STREET, from
Eighth to Ninth avenue, with granite-block
pavement, with a foundation of broken stone
thoroughly rolled.

Eighth to Ninth avenue, with granife-block pavement, with a foundation of broken stone thoroughly rolled.

Each estimate must contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all some the person making the same, the names of all some the person making the same, the names of all some the person making an estimate for the same work, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fread. That no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therem, or other officer of the Corporation is directly or indrective interested in the estimate or in the work to which it relates or in the profits thereof.

The part of the common council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therem, or other officer of the Corporation is directly or indrective interested in the estimate or in the work to which it relates or in the profits thereof.

The part of the corporation is directly or indrective interested in the corporation of the person of the person making the estimate, they will be 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 and the contract shall be also pay to the person to whom, the contract shall be also pay to the person to whom the contract shall be also pay to the person to whom the contract shall be also pay to the person to whom the contract shall be also pay to the person to whom the contract shall be also pay to the person of the work by which the bids are tested.

The consent last above mentioned must be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the s

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 RIGHT 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 envelop in which to inclose the same, the specifications a agreements, and any further information desired, can obtained for sewers, at Room 8; for regulating and gra-ing, at Room 5; paving, at Room 1, No. 3t Chambe-street.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON, Commissioner of Public Works

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, NOV. 13, 1884

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SFALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until Wednesday, November 26, 1884, at 12 o'clock M,, at which place an i hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read, for the following:

No. 1, SEWER IN LEXINGTON AVENUE, between Ninety-fifth and Ninety-seventh streets, and in NINETY-FIFTH AND NINETY-SIXTH STREETS, between Lexington and Foorth avenues, with alterations and improvements to existing sewers in THIRD AVENUE, between Ninety-seventh and Ninety-eighth streets.

No. 2. SEWER IN EIGHTY-THIRD STREET, be-tween Boulevard and West End avenue.

No. 3. SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTH STREET, between Tenth avenue and Boule-

WARD.

REGULATING AND GRADING FORT WASHINGTON RIDGE ROAD, from its junction with Eleventh avenue at "one Hundred and Ffity-minh street to its junction with the Kingsbridge road, between One Hundred and Ninety-second and One Hundred and Ninety-second so the Hundred and Ninety-second so the Hundred and Ninety-seighth and Two Hundredh streets, providing tree spaces and planting elim trees.

No. 5. REGULATING AND GRADING NEW AVE.

NUE, first east of and generally parallel with
Ninth avenue or St. Nich das place, from One
Hundred and Forry-fifth street to St. Nicholas
place, setting curb-stones, flagging sidewalks,
and constructing retaining wall and drain

No. 6. REGULATING AND GRADING WEST END AVENUE, from Seventy-second street to its junction with the Boulevard, and setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks therein, ex-cept between N-nety-fourth and Ninety-sixth streets.

REGULATING AND GRADING NINETY-FOURTH STREET, from the Boulevard to the east line of Riverside D ive, and setting curb-stone and flagging sidewalks therein.

REGULATING ONE HUNDRED FOURTH STREET, from the Bouler the Riverside Drive, and setting curb and flagging sidewalks thersin.

No. 8. RESULLATION

FOURTH STREET, from the Boulevard to the Riverside Drive, and setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks therein.

Each estimate must contain the nome and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him the en, 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, had of a department, either officer of the corroration of orcetly of the control of the control of the common council, had of a department, either officer of the corroration of orcetly 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 parry making the same, that the several matters therein stated are true, and must be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, to the effect that if the contract is awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sur ties for its fastiful performance; and that if he shall refuse for its fastiful performance; and that if he shall refuse to the state of the contract is awarded at any subseq-ent tetting; the amount to be calculated upon the person to whom the contract shall be awarded at any subseq-ent tetting; the amount to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which tre bits are tested.

The consent last above mentioned must be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or free-bodder and the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and show all his debts of every nature, and over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above all his debts of every nature, an

terned to him.

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Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclease the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired can be obtained for sewers, at Room 8, for regulating and grading, at Room 5, No. 31 Chambers street.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, November 13, 1884.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A petition of the property-owners, with map and plan, for changing the grade of "Sixty-fifth street, from Fravavenue to Avenue A." is now pending before the Common Council.

Council.

All persons interested in the above change of grade, and having objections thereto, are requested to present the same, in writing, to the undersigned at his office on or before the a6th day of November, 1884.

The maps slowing the present and proposed grades can be seen at Room 7, No. 31 Chambers street.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON.

Commissioner of Public Works.

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

No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, NOV. 1, 1883.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HERREY GIVEN TO
property-cowners of the City of New York that, by
the New York City Consolidated Act of 1883, 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":

8 350. 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
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
bouses and lost, 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-ho-ses,
boarding-schools, building purposes, borses, horsetroughs, hotels, porter-houses, taverns, etc., printing
my water-losets and urinals, laundries, restaurants,
soda fountains, extra families, oyster and coffee salouns,
water by meter accourement, meters and meter setting,
and all other purposes for which the use of Croton water
schargeable according to law, are liens, and unless paid
on or before the 19th day of April next must be returned
to the Clerk of Arrears, with the amone value on each tot.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,

Commissioner of Public Works.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON, Commissioner of Public Works.

#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, 36 UNION SQUARE, NEW YORK, November 12, 1884.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH OF THE following mentioned works, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indersed thereon, also the number of the work as in this advertisement:

the number of the work as in this advertisement:

No.1, For Regulating, Grading, Setting Curb and
Gutter Stones, Flagging the Sidewalks fur
feet wide, and Laying Crosswalks in East
One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, between
the easterly curb-line of North Third ave ue
and the westerly curb-line of Brook avenue.

and the westerly curb-line of Brook av nuNo. z. For Regulating, Grading, Satting Curb and Gutter
Stones, Flaggling the Sidewalks four feet w de,
and Thirty-seventh street, between the easterly
curb-line of North Third avenue and the
westerly curb-line of Brook avenue.

No. 3. For Regulating, Grading, Setting Curb and Gutter Stones, Flaggling the Sidewalks four feet
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Hondred and Fifty-first street, between the
westerly curb-line of North Third avenue and
the easterly curb-line of Courtland avenue.

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or Regulating, Grading, Setting Curb and Gutter Stones, Flagging the Sidewalks four ket wide, and Laying Crosswalks, in East One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, between the western curb-line of North Third aven e and the eastern curb-line of Courtland avenue.

or Constructing a Sewer and Appurtenanc s in One Hundred and Sixty-second steet, between Brook and Courtla d avenues, with a bench in Cour land avenue, between One Hundred and sixty-second and One Hun-dred and Sixty-first streets.

No. 6. For Constructing a Sewer and Appurtenances in One Hundred and Seventieth street, between Nor h Third avenue and Franklin avenue, with a branch in Fulton avenue, between One Hundred and Seventieth and One Hundred and Sixty-ninth streets.

for Constructing a Sewer and Appurtenances in W stchest ravenue, from Brook to St. Ann's av nue, with braiches in St. Ann's avenue, between the Port Morris Branch Railroad and Carr street.

—will be received by the Department of Public Parks until ten o'clock a, m, on Tuesday, November 23, 1884. Special notice is given that the works must be bid for separatery, tat is, two or more works must not be included in the same estimate or envelope.

car as it is possible to state them in advance, is as follows:

NUMBER 1, ABOVE MENTIONED.

5,800 cubic yards of earth excavation.

6,500 cu is yards of frock excavation.

2,700 cu is yards of fling.

3,400 lineal feet of red grades for the excavation.

4,400 lineal feet of lid curb-stone from the excavation.

2,400 lineal feet of red grutter-tone lurnished and laid.

2,400 lineal feet of new gutter-tone relaid.

5,000 square feet of new flagging urnished and laid.

5,000 square feet of new brigg-stones for cross-walks urnished and laid.

NUMBER 2, ABOVE MENTIONE

2,700 cubic yards of rock excavation.
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1,800 cubic yards off filling.
2,800 lineal fet to finew curb-stone furnished and set.
1,1,00 line 1 leet of old curb-stone reset.
2,900 line all teet of new gutter-stone rurn shed and laid.
1,100 lineal feet of old cutter-stone reland.
1,100 lineal feet of old cutter-stone lead.
13,300 square feet on use flagging furnished and laid.
2,200 square feet of old flagging relaid.
5,50 square stone of the flagging from the flagging furnished and laid.

NUMBER 3. ABOVE MENTI NUMBER 3, ABOVE MENTIONED.

7.00 cubic yards of excavation, of any and all kinds, too cubic yards of filling.

7.00 incal feet of new curb-stone furnished and set.

8.0 lineal feet of old curb-stone reset.

7.00 lineal feet of new gutter-stone furnished and laid.

8.00 lineal feet of old gutter-stone relaid.

4,500 square feet of new gutter-stone journished and laid.

1,500 square feet of new bridge-stone for crosswalks furnished and laid.

The Engineer's estimate of the work to be done, and by which the bids will be tested, is as follows: 1,700 cubic yards of excavation, of any and all kinds. 1,900 lineal feet of new curb-stone furnished and set. 100 lineal feet of old curb-stone reset.

1,960 lineal feet of new gutter-stone furnished and laid, 100 lineal feet of old gutter-stone relaid, 7,900 - quare feet of new flagging furnished and laid, 475 square feet of old flagging relaid, 400 square le 1 of new bridge-stones for crosswalks furnished and laid.

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NUMBER 5. ABOVE MENTIONED.

800 linear feet of brick sewer, egg-shaped, 36 inches by 54 inches, including rubble masonry cradle, and exclusive of spurs for house connections.

750 hrear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, including concrets cradle, and exclusive of spurs for house connections.

crete cradle, and exclusive of spurs for house connections.

160 spurs for house connections, over and above the cost of the connections of the connections.

16 manholes complete.

16 manholes complete.

16 receiving-basins complete.

2, soo feet (B. M.) of lumber furnished and laid.

3, soo feet (B. M.) of lumber furnished and laid.

50 cubic yards of concrete in place, exclusive of cradle for pipe sewer.

NUMBER 6, ABOVE MENTIONED.

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\*\*1,390 linear feet of 12-sneh pipe sewer, including concrete cradle, and exclusive of spurs for house connections.

\*\*24 spurs for house connections.

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\*\*2 receiving-1-asins complete.

\*\*2 cubic yards of concrete in place, exclusive of cradle for pipe sewers.

\*\*NUMBER 7, ABOVE MENTIONED.

\*\*572 linear leet of brick sewer, egg-shaped, 20 inches

NUMBER 7, ABOVE MENTIONED.

572 linear teet of brick sewer, egg-shaped, 20 inches by 30 inches, including rubble masonry cradle, and exclusive of spurs for house connections.

10 linear feet of 13-inch pipe sewer, including concrete foundation and cradle, and exclusive of spurs for house connections.

515 linear feet of 13-inch pipe sewer, including concrete foundation and cradle, and exclusive of spurs for house connections.

525 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sawer, including concrete foundation and cradle, and exclusive of spurs for house connections.

23 manholes complete.
23 receiving-basins complete.
24 receiving-basins complete.
25 coubic yards of rock to be excavated and respective and such connections.

23 receiving-basins complete.
2 oc cubic yards of rock to be excavated and re2,000 feet [B. M.] of lumber furnished and laid.
2 to cubic yards of concrete in place, exclusive of cradle for pipe sewers.

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

1. Bidders must satisfy themselves by personal examination of the location of the proposed work, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the foregoing statement, and shall not at any time after the foregoing statement, and shall not at any time after the foregoing statement, and shall not at any time after the the foregoing statement or ascert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the depth of the executation to be made or the nature or amount of the work to be done.

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

The person making any bid or estimate must furnish

lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

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

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

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

EGBERT L. VIELE,

SALEM H. WALES,

JOHN D. CRIMMINS,

Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks.

E. P. BARKER,

E. P. BARKER, Secretary.

#### BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the office of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until MONDAY, the 8th day of December, 1884, at 4 pt. M., for supplying for the use of the schools under the jurusdiction of said Board, books, commencing on the 18th day of January, 1885. City and country publishers of books, and dealers in the various articles required, are notified that preference will be given to the bids of principals, the Committee being desirous that commissions, if any, shall be deducted from the price of the articles bid for. A sample of each article must accompany the bid. A list of articles required, with the conditions upon which bids will be received, may be obtained on application to the Clerk of the Board. Each proposal must be addressed to the Committee on Committee reserve the right to reject any bid if deemed for the public in crest.

Dated New York, November 22, 1884.

EDWARD J. H. TAMSEN,

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FREDERICK W. DEVOE,
HOSEA B. PERKINS,
HENRY SCHMITT,
DAVID WETMORE,
Committee on Supplies

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SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT
the office of the Board of Education, corner of
Grand and Elm streets, until MONDAY, the 8th day
of December, 1884, at 4 P. M., for printing required by the
sair Board for the year 1885. Samples of the various
documents, etc., required to be printed, may be seen at
proposals may also be obtained. Each proposal must be
addressed to the Committee on Supplies, and undorsed
"Proposals for Printing." Two sureties, satisfactory to
said Committee, will be required for the faithful performance of the contract. The Committee reserve the right
to reject any bid if deemed for the public interest.

Dated, NRW YORK, November 22, 1884.

ENDARD I. H. TAMSEN,
FREDERICK W. DEVOE,
HOSEA B. PERKINS,
HENRY SCHMITT,
DAVID WETMORE,
Committee on Supplies.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Ninth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Wednesday, the 3d day of December, 1884, and until 050 of clock a. Mr. on said day, for altering from the ve of Primary School No. 7
Plans and specifications may be seen, and blanks for proposals and all necessary information may be obtained, at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Crand, corner of Elm street.

The party submitting a proposal and the parties proposing to become sureties must each write his name and place of residence on said proposal. Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of the Norpoposal will be considered from persons whose character or antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful.

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

submitted.
CHARLES S. WRIGHT,
JOHN S. SCULLY,
GEORGE B. LAWTON,
GEORGE E. HORNE,
JAMES A. SEAMAN,
Board of School Trustees, Minth Ward. Dated New York, November 19, 1884

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SEALEID PROPOSALS WILL HE RECEIVED AT the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, by the School Trustees of the Twenty-third Ward, until 4 o'clock p. M. on Monday, the 1st day of December, 1884, for erecting an addition to Grammar School building No. 61, on Third avenue, near One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blanks for proposals an 1 all necessary information may be obtained, at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand, corner of Elm street, which centire work and materials required for the erection of the building, and must be indorsed, "Proposals for the Erection of a must be indorsed, "Proposals for the Erection of the building, and must be indorsed, "Proposals for the Erection of the building, and must be indorsed, "Proposals for the Erection of the building, and must be indorsed, "Proposals for the Erection of the building, and must be indorsed, "Proposals for the Erection of the building, and must be indorsed, "Proposals for the Erection of the building, and must be indorsed, "Proposals for the Erection of the building, and must be indorsed, "Proposals for the Erection of the building, and must be indorsed, "Proposals for the Erection of the building, and must be indorsed, "Proposals for the Erection of the building, and must be indorsed, and an entire the Erection of the building, and the proposal to the Erection of the building, and the Bard of Education render their responsibility doubtful.

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

WILLIAM HOGG, A. FAHIS.

WILLIAM HOGG, A. FAHS, L. A. FULLGRAFF, SAMUEL SAMUELS, WILLIAM R. BEAL, tees, Twenty-third Ward.

WILLIAM Board of School Trustees, Twenty Dated New York, November 17, 1884

### FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Headquarters
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 & 157 MERCER STREET,
155 & 157 MERCER STREET,
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

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

# DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHAR-

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

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

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PROPOSALS FOR THE EQUIPMENT OF AN INCANDESCENT ELECTRIC LIGHT PLANT ON WARD'S ISLAND
will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third avenue, in the City of New York, until 9,30 o'clock a. M., of Friday, December 1,21884. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Electric Light on Ward's Island, of Bid or Estimate for Electric Light on Ward's Island, of or Bid or Estimate for Electric Light on Ward's Island, of the or ward of the same of the

surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Each bidder must give the location and state the name
of the purchaser where an Incandescent Electric Light
Plant of the system bid for has been in successful operation for six months or more prior to the date of his bid.
If the Plant designated in said bid shall not be deemed
satisfactory by the Board of Public Charities and Correcticn, the bid will be rejected.

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must
have satisfactory testimonals 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 and guarantee the successful working of the
Plant and state guarantee the successful working of the
person to the contract of the supplement of said Plant or
system, by his or their b and, with two sufficient sureties,
each in the penal amount of ten thousand (\$10,000) dollars.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name

tion of the Commissioners of Function.

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, November 17, 1884.

JACOH HESS,

HENRY H. PORTER,

THOMAS S. BRENNAN,

Commissioners of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.

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

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

# PROPOSALS FOR BLANKETS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISH-

Seattle Bilbook estimates for FURNISH-ton pairs gray blankets.
Soo pairs white blankets.
-wail 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 Tuesday, November 25, 1884. The person or persons making any bid or estu-mate shall turnish the same in a sealed envelope, in-

dorsed "Bid or Estimate for Blankets," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Departin ni, at the said office, on or and place the buds or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department, and read. The Boad or Pediate Charatties and Correction Reserves the RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IT DEEMED TO BE FOR THE FUELL 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.

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

Delivery will be required to be made from time to 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 estimate of the contract has been 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 sate that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is nall respects fair, and without collusion or traud; and that no member of the Component of the component of the contract of the component of the contract of the contr

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, November 13, 1884.

JACOB HESS.

HENRY H. PORTER,

IHOMAS S. BRENNAN,

Commissioners of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
New York, Nov. 14, 1884.

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

missionlers or route clastical solutions of the follows:

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Eliza Smith or Mooney; aged 45 years; 5 feet a inches high; gray hair; blue eyes.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—B idget Mooney; aged 60 years; committed August 21, 1884.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Sarah Walker; aged 65 years; 4 feet; inches high; gray eyes and hair. Had on when admitted gray dress, light woolen shawl, slate-colored cloak, laced shoes, black straw hat.

gray eyes coat, dark mixed vest, black pants, ganctot hat hat high campbell; aged st years; s feet 6 inches high; any eyes; sandy har. Had on when admitted black coat, white duck overalls; check jumper; laced shoes; black derby hat.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order.

G. F. BRITTON
Secretary.

#### SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks for and in behalf of the Mayor, Alder en and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title to that certain street or avenue, known as Sedgwick avenue, although not yet named by proper authority (and have the companied of the Commission of the City of the Commission of Van Courthaudt avenue, in the Iwenty-fourth Ward of 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 loss and improved or unimproved lands attected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wist:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons laterested 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 47th day of December, 1884, and that we, the said Commissioners, will have parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 47th day of December, 1884, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at three of clock R. More the abstract of the said estimate and

New York, there to remain time the right days to December, 1884.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment afore and are as follows, to wit: Commencing at a point on the westerly side of Sedgwick avenue, distant about 15,000 teets southerly from the intersection of Sedgwick and Boston avenues; running thence westerly in a line at right angles, it nearly so, with Sedgwick avenue about six hundred feet; thence northerly and essertly in a line parallel, or hearly so, with Sedgwick avenue, and distant about six hundred feet therefrom to the westerly side of Van Courtlandt avenue; thence so they along side of Van Courtlandt avenue; thence so therly along side of Van Courtlandt avenue; thence so they along

agaick avenue, and about six hundred best mereures, a point which would be intersected by a line drawn in stimuation of the first course hereinatione mentioned; ence westerly in a straight line to the point or place of ginning, as the slid area of assessment is more fully diparticularly shown upon the benefit map in this pro-eding, filed as above mentioned. Fourth—That our report herem will be presented to e Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a secial Term thereof in the hid at the Chambers therein to be County Court-house, at the City H. H., in the opening of one to the day of Junary, they are opening of the different second counter the state of the County Court-house, at the City H. H., in the opening of the day of Junary, they are opening of the counter that are counted can be heard free, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard

HENRY M. WHITEHEAD, WILLIAM H. BARKER, JOHN D. OTTIWELL,

ARTHUS BERRY, Clerk.

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 and title to certain lands required for a certain public park or parks, square or squares, or pace or places, at or near the intersections of Sedgwick avenue, with Mott and Walton avenues, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

## CEDAR PARK.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL reason of the costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-midled metric of the proceedings in the above-midled metric of the proceeding of the proceeding to the supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the twenty-sixth day of November, 1884, at 10½ o'clock in the forenon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon: and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, November 13, 1884, HENRY M. WHITEHEAD, RICHARD V. HARNETT, JOHN BERRY, Commissioners.

In the matter of the noplication of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City New York, relative to the opening of Rider avenue, from Fast One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to East One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, in the City of

One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, 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, company or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may colorer upon the content of the content of the colorer of

in a line parallel with the westerly line of Third avenu to the southerly line or side of One Hundred and Thirty fifth street, and thence still northerly to the point o place of beginnin, as the same is shown upon the Benefi Map filed as aforesaid. Excepting thererom all the streets and avenues within said area.

streets and avenues within said area.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Sante of New York, at a construction of the Sante of New York, at a construction of the Sante of New York, at the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the ninth day of January, 1885, 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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n the matter of the application of the Mayor, Alder-men and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the widening of Ganseyords street, from Washington street to the intersection of Gansevoort and West Thirteenth street, irom Eghth avenue to the intersection of Gan-sevoort and West Thirteenth streets, in the City of New York, as widened by the Board of Street Open-ing and Improvement of said city.

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

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 upposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, dilly verified, to us at our office, No. 32 Will-ham street (third floor), in the said city, on or before the consistency, will hour parties so objecting within the ten may be upposed to the same of the proceedings, will hour parties so objecting within the ten office on each of said ten days at 2½ day of December, 1884, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2½ day of December, 1884, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2½ of cock r.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 2x dd ay of December, 1884.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment

of New York, there to remain until the 22d day of December, 1884.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment
aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lets, blocks,
pieces or parcels of land, stuate, lying and being in the
City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded
and described as follows: Northerly by the southerly
side of Seventeenth street; assertly by the westerly side
of Seventeenth street; assertly by the westerly side
of Thirteenth avenue; sunderly by the crotheely side of
of Thirteenth avenue, and Eleventh avenue, excepting
therefrom all the streets and avenues within said area.
Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to
the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a
Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers
thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in
the City of New York, on the 3th 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 5, 252.

eard thereon, we confirmed.

Dated New York, November 8, 1884.

ELLIOT SANDFORD,
JUHN BOYD,
BERNARD CASSERLY,
Commissioner

#### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE PROPERTY CLERK (ROOM NO. 39),
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, 1884.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY
Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New
York, 1894.

Owners Wanted Department of the City of New
tollowing 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.

JOHN F. HARRIOT, Property Clerk

# AQUEDUCT COMMISSION

QUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, ROOM 78, TSIBUNE BUILDING, NEW YORK, November 18, 1884

## TO CONTRACTORS.

DIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR CONSTRUCTING the New Croton Aqueduct in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, and in Westchester County, 8, 1884, at 12 of dock at, at which place and hour hey will be publicly opened and read by the Aqueduct Commissioners, and the award of the contracts will be made by said Commissioners as soon thereafter as practicable. The portion of the New Aqueduct for which bids are hereby invited is mostly in Tunnet, and is divided into ten sections.

by said Commissioners as soon thereafter as practicable. The portroin of the New Aqueduct for which bids are hereby invited is mostly in Tunner, and is divided into ten sections.

Bidders are bid for either one or for more of the section bid for either one or for more of the awarded, separately. Any bidder for more than one section who will not accept an award for one section only must so state in his bid.

Each bid must be inclosed in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the name of the person or persons making the same and the section for which it is made.

Each bid must state the name and place or residence of the person making the same and the names of all persons any connection with any either section for the person making the same and the names of all persons any connection with any either section for the control of the formation of the forma

The surety required is that of two or more householders or resident freeholders of the State of New York (who must collectively qualify for double the am unt of the bond), or approved surery companies incorporated under the laws of this State

The names and residences of the sureties must be stated in the bids.

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THE AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS RESERVE THE RICHT TO REJECT ANY AND ALL BIDS IF THEY DEEM IT FOR THE BEST INTEREST OF THE CITY SO TO DO.

Brank forms of bid or proposal, and proper envelopes for their inclosure, forms of the contract, specifications and bond, and all other information required, can be obtained at the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners, Room 75, Tribune Building, New York.

By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners.

JAMES W. McCULLOH,

Secretary

COMMISSIONERS OF APPRAISAL OF REAL ESTATE TO BE TAKEN FOR THE NEW AQUEDUCT WITHIN THE COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

Accepter withins the County of New York.)

EVERY OWNER OR PERSON IN ANY WAY
interested in any real estate between the Harlem
river and the northern boundary of the City and County
of New York, intended to be taken or entered upon and
used and occupied for the purposes of the new Aqueduct; also any owner or person interested in any real estate
construction, and maintenance of said aqueduct, or of any
of the works connected therewith, is hereby required to
present his claim to the Commissionners of Appraisal
appointed for the purpose of appraising such lands and
easements, or ascertaining such damages, at the offices of
said Commissioners, Room So, in the Mutual Life Insurance Bulding, No. 32 Nassau street, in the City of
New York.

All said claims may be filed on and after the first day
of October, 1634, The maps showing the location of the
Aqueduct, and the lands and interests to be acquired
will be on file at the said offices of and defer that date.

E. ELLERY ANDERSON,

E. ELLERY ANDERSON, HENRY F. SPAULDING, ROBERT MURRAY,

#### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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In PURSUANCE OF SECTION 997 OF THE Comprehens of the City of New York revels give publishments to all prevents of the City of New York hereby gives publishments to all prevents of the City of New York hereby gives publishments of the City of

S. HASTINGS GRANT Comptre

NOTICE OF POSTPONEMENT OF SALE OF LANDS AND TENEMENTS FOR UNPAID ASSESSMENTS FOR LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

PURSUANT TO SECTION 9:8 OF THE NEW York City Consolidation Act of 1882, the Computroller of the City of New York hereby gives PUBLIC NOTICE that the sale at public auction of lands and tenements in sa d City for impair and prior thereto, for local improvements, which sale is advertised to be held at the County Court-house, in the City Hall Park, in the City New York, on Monday, November 24, 1884, at 12 o'clock, noon, has been and is hereby postponed by him until 3 honday, May 25, 1885, to be held on that day at the same hour and place.

A pamphet containing a detailed statement of the property advertised for sa c may be obtained at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arease of Taxes and Assessments and G Water Rents.

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SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION OF THE RIGHT, TITLE AND INTEREST OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, IN AND TO CERTAIN REAL ESTATE IN THE TWELFTH WARD.

A.L. THE RIGHT, TITLE AND INTEREST OF the Corporation of the City of New York in and to certain lots, pieces and parcels of land, situate in the Twelth Ward of said city, will be sold at public auction to the inglase bidder, at the office of the Compression; a noon, on Tuesday, the 9th day of December, 1884, by order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, as by lows, to wit:

Eight lots of ground designated by the Ward Numbers 11, 12, 13, 14, 35, 36, 37, and 38, on Block No. 307, in the Twelth Ward of the City of New York.

Terms of Sale.

Cash for the amount bid and the auctioneer's fee, with the expenses attending the sale and preparation of the deed, to be paid by the purchaser at the time and place of sale.

S. HASTINGS GRANT, Comptroller

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMEN COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, November 6, 1884

FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,
NO. 32 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, NOV. 1, 1884.

#### NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE REceiver of Taxes of the City of New York to all
persons whose taxes for the year 1884 remain unpaid on
the first day of November of s id year, that unless the
same shall be paid to him at his office on or b-fore the
first day of December of said year he wil charge, receive
and collect upon such taxes so remaining unpaid on that
day, in addition to the amount of such taxes, one per
centum on the amount thereof; and charge, receive and
collect upon such taxes or emaining unpaid on the first
day of January thereafter, interest u on the amount
thereof at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be
calculated from October 1, 1824, the day on which the
sassessment rolls and warrants therefor were delivered to
be according to the first of the New York
City Consolidation Act of 1825.

MARTIN T. McMAHON,
Receiver of Taxes.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LANDS AND TENE-MENTS FOR UNPAID ASSESSMENTS.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSISSMENTS AND
ARREARS OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS
AND OF WATER RENTS,
OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR OF ASSESSMENTS
AND CLERK OF ARREARS,
August 20, 1884.

OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR OF ASSESSMENTS
AND CLERK OF ARREADS 20, 1884.

UNDER THE DIRFCTION OF S. HASTINGS
Grant, Comptroller of the City of New York, the
undersigned hereby gives Public Notice, pursuant to the
provisions of Section 956 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, that the respective owners of all the
lands and tenements on which assessments have been
laid and confirmed during the year 1879, and prior thereto,
upon which such assessments are now due and unpaid and have remained due and unpaid since the
confirmation of said assessments, are required to pay
ing unpaid to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of
Arrears, at his office in the Finance Department, in the
Court-house, in the City of New York, together
with the interest thereon, at the rate of 7 per cent, per
annum, to the time of payment, with the charges of this
notice and advertisement.

And if default shall be made in such payment, such
lands and tenements will be sold at public auction, at
the Court-house, in the City Idal Park, in the City
of New York, Monday, Novomber 24, 1854, at 12 o'clock
the Court-house, in the City Idal Park, in the City
of New York, Monday, Novomber 24, 1854, at 12 o'clock
shall offer to take the same in consideration of alwayme
the amount of the assessment so due and unpaid, and the
therest thereon as aloresaid to the time of the sale, together with the charges of this notice and advertisement,
and all other costs and charges accrued thereon, and
that such sale will be continued from time to time until
all the lands and tenements advertised for sale shall be
sold.

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

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS AND
ARREARS OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS AND
AND OF WATER RENTS,
OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR OF ASSESSMENTS
AND CLERK OF ARREAS.
SUPERMENT SAND CLERK OF ARREAS.
NOTICE OF SALE OF LANDS AND TENEments for unpaid taxes of 1880, and Croton water
rents of 1870, under the direction of S. HASTINGS GRANT,
Compartoller of the City of New York. The undersigned
hereby gives public notice, pursuant to the provisions of
Section 926 of the New York City Consolidation Act of
1852.

comptroller of the City of New York. The undersugned hereby gives public notice, pursuant to the provisions of Section 926 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1832.

That the respective owners of all lands and tenements in the city of New York on which taxes have been laid and confirmed, situated in the wards Nos 1 to 24, inclusive, for the year 1850, and new remaining due and tenements in the city of New York situated in the wards aforesaid on which the regular Croton water rents was been laid for the year 1870, and are now remaining due and unpaid, are required to pay the said taxes and Croton water rent so remaining due and unpaid are required to pay the said taxes and Croton water rent so remaining due and unpaid are required to pay the said taxes and Croton water rent so remaining due and unpaid and the treat of 7 per cent. Per annua, from the time when the same became due to nouce and advertise ment, and if default shall be made in such payment, such lands and tenements will be sold at the city of New York, on Monday, December 22, at which any person shall offer to take the same in consideration of advancing the amount of tax or Croton water rent, as the case may be, so due and unpaid, and the interest thereon as aforesaid to the time of sale, together which the costs and charges accrued thereon, and that such a such payments so divertised for sale shall be sold.

Notice is hereby further given that a detailed statement f the taxes and the Croton water rents, the ownership of the payment of the same and the content of the taxes and Croton water rents remain unpaid, is published in a pamphlet, and that copies of the said pamphlet are deposited in the office of the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.

Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.

# REAL ESTATE RECORDS.