

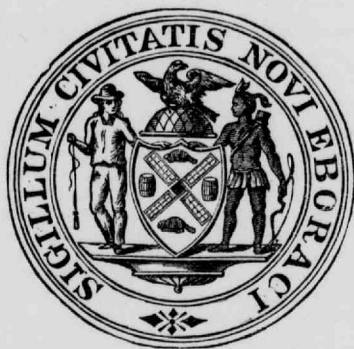
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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

MEETINGS, MARCH 26 TO 31, 1883.

Communications Received.

From Penitentiary—List of prisoners received during week ending March 24, 1883: Males 33; females, 4. On file.

List of 35 prisoners to be discharged from April 1 to 7, 1883. Transmitted to Prison Association.

From City Prison—Amount of fines received during week ending March 24, 1883, \$361. On file.

From Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—History of 11 patients received during week ending March 24, 1883. On file.

From N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—History of 8 patients received during week ending March 24, 1883. On file.

Resolutions.

Whereas, This Board has learned, with deep regret, of the death of Doctor William H. Van Buren, who for over forty years has been connected with Bellevue and other hospitals of this Department; therefore be it

Resolved, That we testify our sincere acknowledgment of his long and faithful service as Visiting and Consulting Surgeon to those institutions, and in his death we deplore the loss of one of the greatest surgeons of the present day.

Resolved, That we bear testimony of the wise counsels and efficient aid received from him in the furtherance of the charitable objects of Bellevue and the other hospitals, and in behalf of medical education his services have been invaluable.

Resolved, That we tender to the family and relations our heart-felt sympathy in the bereavement with which an all-wise and beneficent providence has seen fit to afflict them.

Resolved, That this Board attend the funeral in a body, and that the flags on the Bellevue and Charity Hospitals be displayed at half-mast on the day of the funeral.

Resolved, That these resolutions be entered on the minutes of this Board and a copy, properly engrossed, be sent to the family of the deceased. Adopted unanimously.

Appointments.

March 27. Patrick Gilroy, Guard, Penitentiary. Salary, \$550 per annum.

27. Patrick Hanbury, Deputy Keeper, Penitentiary. Salary, \$600 per annum.

29. John McEntee, Orderly, Bellevue Hospital. Salary \$192 per annum.

30. Andrew McCarron, Attendant, New York City Asylum for Insane. Salary, \$240 per annum.

Resignations.

March 30. Walter Homan, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane.

G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

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

In accordance with section 110, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the Department of Public Works makes the following report of its transactions for the week ending March 31, 1883:

Public Moneys Received and Deposited in the City Treasury.

For Croton water rents.....	\$10,763 87
For penalties on water rents.....	123 75
For tapping Croton pipes.....	226 50
For sewer permits.....	518 00
For vault permits.....	4,620 05
For redemption obstructions removed.....	10 50
Restoring and repaving "Special Fund".....	671 00
Total.....	\$16,933 67

Permits Issued.

59 permits to tap Croton pipes.
107 permits to open streets.
23 permits to make sewer connections.
29 permits to repair sewer connections.
4 permits to construct street vaults.
145 permits to place building material on streets.

Obstructions Removed.

Thirty-five boxes from West Broadway and Read street.
Two push wagons from Ninth street and Third avenue.
Express wagon from 118 Delancey street.
Four telegraph poles from 307 West Forty-seventh street.
Furniture from 357 East Seventy-first street.
Three trucks from Market Slip.
Six barrels lime from Twentieth street and Gramercy Park.
Wagon from 423 East Houston street.
Truck from Market Slip.
Cart from Market Slip.
Nine wheels from 99 Market Slip.
Two pair shafts from 99 Market Slip.

Public Lamps.

17 new lamps lighted.
1 lamp discontinued.
3 lamp-posts removed.
3 lamp-posts reset.
1 lamp-post straightened.
3 columns refitted.
13 columns released.

Report of Photometrical Examinations of Illuminating Gas, for the week ending March 31, 1883, made at the Photometrical Rooms of the Department of Public Works.

DATE.	TIME.	Thermometer.	Barometer.	GAS COMPANY.	BURNER.	Pressure as Delivered to Burner.	Consumption of Gas, Rate per hour.	Consumption of Candle, Grs. per hour.	ILLUMINATING POWER.	
									Observed.	Corrected.
Mar. 26	4 P.M.	73.	29.92	Manhattan....	Empire 5 ft.....	.86	CU. FT. 5.00	126.0	18.94	19.89
" 27	2 P.M.	72.	29.84	" .....	" .....	.89	5.00	123.0	19.00	19.47
" 28	4 P.M.	74.	29.94	" .....	" .....	.89	5.00	120.0	19.56	19.56
" 29	2 P.M.	72.	30.03	" .....	" .....	.87	5.00	120.0	20.44	20.44
" 30	4 P.M.	70.	29.76	" .....	" .....	.86	5.00	126.0	18.68	19.61
" 31	4 P.M.	70.	29.95	" .....	" .....	.86	5.00	121.2	19.28	19.47
									Average.	19.74
Mar. 27	12 M.	60.	29.85	Harlem.....	" .....	.77	5.00	123.0	18.20	18.66
" 28	5.30 P.M.	60.	29.98	" .....	" .....	.74	5.00	126.0	18.44	19.36
" 29	5.30 P.M.	61.	29.98	" .....	" .....	.76	5.00	121.8	18.84	19.12
" 30	5 P.M.	64.	29.88	" .....	" .....	.76	5.00	120.0	18.94	18.94
" 31	12 M.	72.	30.04	" .....	" .....	.76	5.00	120.6	19.08	19.17
									Average.	19.05
Mar. 26	2 P.M.	70.	29.92	New York.....	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.80	5.00	120.0	27.79	27.79
" 27	4 P.M.	75.	29.84	" .....	" .....	.80	5.00	121.2	26.98	27.25
" 28	2 P.M.	74.	29.94	" .....	" .....	.81	5.00	126.0	26.60	27.93
" 29	3 P.M.	72.	30.03	" .....	" .....	.81	5.00	120.0	27.34	27.34
" 30	2 P.M.	68.	29.76	" .....	" .....	.81	5.00	118.2	28.02	27.60
" 31	2.30 P.M.	69.	29.95	" .....	" .....	.80	5.00	120.0	30.98	30.98
									Average.	28.15
Mar. 26	3 P.M.	73.	29.92	N. Y. Mutual..	" .....	.85	5.00	124.2	27.18	28.13
" 27	2.30 P.M.	72.	29.84	" .....	" .....	.86	5.00	120.0	27.97	27.97
" 28	3 P.M.	74.	29.94	" .....	" .....	.85	5.00	117.0	30.22	29.46
" 29	2.30 P.M.	72.	30.03	" .....	" .....	.85	5.00	126.0	27.60	28.98
" 30	3 P.M.	69.	29.76	" .....	" .....	.84	5.00	123.0	29.36	30.09
" 31	2 P.M.	68.	29.95	" .....	" .....	.85	5.00	120.0	28.00	28.00
									Average.	28.77
Mar. 25	2.30 P.M.	72.	29.92	Municipal.....	" .....	.80	5.00	120.0	30.16	30.16
" 27	3 P.M.	74.	29.84	" .....	" .....	.80	5.00	121.8	29.48	29.92
" 28	2.30 P.M.	74.	29.94	" .....	" .....	.80	5.00	123.0	29.20	29.93
" 29	4 P.M.	73.	30.03	" .....	" .....	.80	5.00	119.4	30.50	30.35
" 30	2.30 P.M.	68.	29.76	" .....	" .....	.80	5.00	121.8	28.90	29.33
" 31	3 P.M.	70.	29.95	" .....	" .....	.80	5.00	121.8	28.04	28.46
									Average.	29.69
Mar. 27	11.30 A.M.	59.	29.85	Metropolitan...	" No. 6	.70	5.00	126.0	21.43	22.50
" 28	6 P.M.	60.	29.98	" .....	" .....	.70	5.00	120.0	21.64	22.72
" 29	5 P.M.	60.	29.98	" .....	" .....	.70	5.00	123.0	21.66	22.20
" 30	5.30 P.M.	65.	29.88	" .....	" .....	.71	5.00	121.8	21.56	21.88
" 31	12.30 P.M.	73.	30.04	" .....	" .....	.71	5.00	120.0	21.64	21.64
									Average.	22.19

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

Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.

53 receiving-basins and culverts cleaned.
575 lineal feet of sewer cleaned.
241 lineal feet of sewer rebuilt.
17 lineal feet of culvert rebuilt.
3 manholes rebuilt.
5 manholes repaired.
5 new manhole heads and covers put on.
13 new manhole covers put on.
2 manhole heads reset.
855 cubic yards of earth excavated and refilled.
248 square yards of pavement relaid.
3 cart loads of earth refilled.
192 cart loads of dirt removed.

Statement of Laboring Force Employed in the Department of Public Works during the Week ending March 31, 1883.

NATURE OF WORK.	MECHANICS.	LABORERS.	TEAMS.	CARTS.
Maintenance of Aqueduct and Reservoirs.....	13	114	8	5
In Pipe Yard, foot of East Twenty-fourth street.....	2	15	2	..
Laying and repairing pipes, etc.....	10	69	..	8
Repairing pavements.....	11	25	..	..
Repairing and cleaning sewers.....	3	32	..	16
Maintenance and construction of boulevards and aves.	2	39	7	2
Repairing streets.....	..	14	6	1
Total.....	41	308	23	32
Increase over previous week.....	..	..	..	..
Decrease from previous week.....	..	..	..	..

Appointments.

William E. Pallister, Inspector on Regulating, etc.
Samuel A. McKinley, Temporary Clerk.

Removed upon Completion of Work.

F. R. Purcell, Inspector on Street Numbering.
F. M. Reynolds, Inspector on Street Numbering.

Requisitions on the Comptroller.

The total amount of requisitions drawn by the Department on the Comptroller during the week, is \$40,269.41.

FRED. H. HAMLIN, Deputy Commissioner of Public Works.

LAWS OF NEW YORK, 1883.

CHAPTER 34.

AN ACT to amend chapter three hundred and sixteen of the laws of eighteen hundred and sixty, entitled "An act supplementary to the act entitled 'An act to incorporate the Hebrew Benevolent Society of the city of New York,'" passed February second, eighteen hundred and thirty-two.

Passed February 20, 1883; three-fifths being present.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. Section one of the act entitled "An act supplementary to the act entitled 'An act to incorporate the Hebrew Benevolent Society of the city of New York,'" passed February second, eighteen hundred and thirty-two," passed April twelve, eighteen hundred and sixty, is hereby amended so as to read and shall hereafter read as follows:

§ 1. The Hebrew Benevolent and Orphan Asylum Society of the city of New York may take, have, hold, and enjoy real and personal estate of the annual income of not exceeding fifty thousand dollars.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

CHAPTER 56.

AN ACT to amend the Code of Civil Procedure.

Passed February 23, 1883; three-fifths being present.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. Section twenty-four hundred and seventy-nine of the Code of Civil Procedure is amended so as to read as follows:

§ 2479. Where a new county has been heretofore, or is hereafter, erected, or territory has been heretofore, or is hereafter, transferred from one county to another, the jurisdiction of the surrogate's court of each of the counties affected thereby, to take the proof of a will, or to grant letters, depends upon the locality, when the petition is presented, of the place where the property of the decedent is situated, or where the event occurred, as the case may be, which determines jurisdiction. If, before the erection of the new county, or the transfer of the territory, letters have been granted, upon the ground that the decedent died or resided within the county, the surrogate's court from which they were issued has exclusive jurisdiction of the estate, and of all matters incidental thereto; and if the place where the decedent died or resided is embraced within another county, certified copies of any papers or proceedings, filed, entered, or recorded in the surrogate's court thereof, must be furnished on the payment of the fees therefor, by the proper officer, to any person interested in the estate; and upon the latter's request and payment of the fees therefor, the proper officer of the court so having jurisdiction must file, enter or record the same, in like manner and with like effect as the originals. Where the letters were granted upon any ground other than the decedent's death or residence within the county, the jurisdiction of the court from which they were issued remains unaffected by any change in the territorial limits of its county.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

CHAPTER 57.

AN ACT for the preservation of public records, maps, and papers.

Passed February 23, 1883; three-fifths being present.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. Whenever by reason of age, exposure, or any casualty, any public records, maps, or papers in the custody of the county clerk, surrogate, register, or other county officer in the county of New York shall become mutilated, obliterated, or rendered unfit for public service, it shall be the duty of the officer having the official custody or control of any such records, maps, or papers to cause copies thereof to be made and certified for the public use, and the officer making such transcripts or copies shall be paid a sum as may be just, but which in no case shall exceed a sum to be certified by a justice of the supreme court for the first judicial district, to be reasonable, for the service rendered. And no payment shall be made for any service rendered under this act until the work shall be examined and approved of as to its manner and form of execution by a justice of the supreme court of the said first district, nor shall any such work be done until a justice of the supreme court of the first judicial district shall, after an examination, certify that such work is necessary for the security and safety of the public records. And such new copies when so made and approved shall for all purposes take the place of the original records.

Sec. 2. The board of estimate and apportionment in the city of New York shall make appropriations to meet the expenses incurred by this act.

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

CHAPTER 62.

AN ACT to authorize the board of estimate and apportionment of the city of New York to transfer certain unexpended balances to the credit of the board of education, and to provide for payment of teachers' salaries and repairs for the year eighteen hundred and eighty-three.

Passed February 27, 1883; three-fifths being present.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. The board of estimate and apportionment of the city of New York is hereby authorized, within ten days after the passage of this act, to transfer to the board of education such portion of unexpended balances, remaining to its credit from previous years, as may be necessary to meet any deficiency for teachers' salaries and repairs for the present year.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

CHAPTER 65.

AN ACT in relation to sales of real estate made and to be made by executors under authority given them by will.

Passed February 27, 1883; three-fifths being present.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. Sales of real estate situate in the city and county of New York, or at any other place within the state of New York, made by executors in pursuance of an authority given by any last will, unless otherwise directed in such will, may be public or private and on such terms as in the opinion of the executor shall be most advantageous to those interested therein.

Sec. 2. All such sales made since the first day of September, eighteen hundred and eighty, are hereby ratified and confirmed and declared to be as valid in every respect as if section one of this act had been in force on and at all times since said first day of September, eighteen hundred and eighty.

Sec. 3. This act shall not prejudice or invalidate any suit or proceeding already commenced and now pending to set aside any private sale made by any executor since said first day of September, eighteen hundred and eighty.

Sec. 4. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

Sec. 5. This act shall take effect immediately.

CHAPTER 71.

AN ACT to promote building in the cities of this state, and to enable certain corporations to hold real estate therein.

Passed March 1, 1883; three-fifths being present.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. Any association or corporation duly organized under the laws of this state for the purpose of acquiring, maintaining and improving real estate for residences, homesteads and apartment houses in any city having over twenty-five thousand inhabitants may hold at any one time real estate in excess of the amount now limited by law, by filing with the clerk of the county where its certificates of incorporation is filed a resolution of its board of trustees, duly attested, fixing the amount desired to be held, together with a consent in writing of its members or stockholders representing two-thirds in amount of its capital stock, and the approval of a justice of the supreme court in said county. And thereupon it shall be lawful for such corporation to hold at any one time the amount of real estate so fixed, assented to and approved, but no such corporation or association shall hold real estate to exceed in value three millions of dollars.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

CHAPTER 88.

AN ACT to enable courts of justice to receive in evidence in actions or proceedings involving a question as to the situs of any lot of the common lands, so called, in the city of New York, certain evidence heretofore received in causes involving such a question.

Passed March 10, 1883; three-fifths being present.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. In any pending or future action or proceeding involving a question as to the situs of any lot of the common lands, so called, in the city of New York, the court may, upon the offer of any party, receive in evidence any evidence which was received in the action heretofore prosecuted in the superior court of the city of New York, by Russel D. Miner, and continued by the personal representatives of the said Russel D. Miner, deceased, against the mayor, aldermen and commonality of the city of New York, or in the action in said court between certain heirs at law of the said Russel D. Miner, deceased, and Jacob Scholle and others, and also the deposition of Isaac T. Ludlam, deceased, verified before E. Henry Lacombe, as referee, upon the fourteenth day of November, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, in an action in the said court by Hester Sherman and others, against Thomas Kane and others; provided that the testimony of a witness shall not be admissible, under the provisions of this act, until the court is satisfied that such witness has heretofore died; and provided further, that no provision of this act shall give to any documentary evidence introduced in connection with any former testimony any greater or different effect than may be due to it by reason of the testimony relative thereto.

Sec. 2. Such evidence may be introduced, as before provided, in any mode established by the practice of the courts for the introduction of testimony given upon a former trial, by a witness who has since died, or by reading from the printed cases on appeal, heretofore filed in the office of the clerk of the superior court of the city of New York.

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

CHAPTER 93.

AN ACT to improve the public health in the city of New York by prohibiting the manufacture of cigars and preparation of tobacco in any form in the tenement-houses of said city.

Passed March 12, 1883; three-fifths being present.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. The manufacture of cigars, or preparation of tobacco in any form, in any rooms or apartments which, in the city of New York, are used as dwellings, for the purpose of living, sleeping, or doing any household work therein, is hereby prohibited.

Sec. 2. No part of any section of any floor in any tenement-house in the city of New York, in which the manufacture of cigars or the preparation of tobacco is carried on, shall be used for dwelling purposes.

Sec. 3. The term "any section of any floor" shall be construed to comprehend any number of rooms on any floor of a tenement-house that adjoin each other, and extend in a contiguous line from the windows opening into the street to the windows opening into the yard of such tenement-houses.

Sec. 4. The first floor of said tenement-houses on which there is a store for the sale of cigars and tobacco shall be exempt from the prohibition provided in sections one and two of this act.

Sec. 5. It shall be the duty of every sanitary inspector of said city to report any violation of this act coming to his knowledge forthwith to a police magistrate, and to procure the punishment of the person or persons having committed such violation; but this provision shall not be construed to preclude any other citizen from performing the duty herein assigned to said sanitary inspectors.

Sec. 6. Every person who shall be found guilty of a violation of this act, or of having caused another to commit such violation, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be punished for every offense by a fine of not less than ten dollars and not more than one hundred dollars, or by imprisonment for not less than ten days and not more than six months, or both such fine and imprisonment.

Sec. 7. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

Sec. 8. This act shall take effect on the first day of October, eighteen hundred and eighty-three.

CHAPTER 110.

AN ACT reappropriating money for the erection of an armory in the city of New York.

Passed March 16, 1883; three-fifths being present.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. The sum of one hundred thousand dollars, heretofore appropriated by chapter two hundred and seventy-two of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-nine, "for the erection of an armory in the city of New York for the use of the eighth regiment, national guard, state of New York, a battery of artillery, a troop of cavalry, and for the head-quarters of the third brigade," is hereby reappropriated for the erection of an armory in the city of New York, for the use of the eighth regiment, national guard of the state of New York, to be expended under the direction of the adjutant-general, the inspector-general and the chief of ordnance of this state; but no part of this appropriation shall be expended by them except upon a contract for the completion of such armory at a cost not to exceed one hundred thousand dollars, nor until an indefeasible title to a suitable site for such armory, free from all incumbrance, shall be vested in the people of this state, without cost to the state, and to be approved by the above-named officials, or a majority of them; provided that if the city of New York is the owner of any real estate, by indefeasible title, suitable as a site for an armory for said eighth regiment, and acceptable to the above-named officials, the city of New York may lease the same to the state of New York for such purpose for the term of ninety-nine years, at one dollar per year, and the above-named officials may accept the same for said purpose. Such contract shall be awarded by them to the lowest responsible bidder therefor, after reasonable and public advertisement for such work.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY
OF THE
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS
CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK.

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

ABSTRACT OF REGISTERS FROM SELF-RECORDING INSTRUMENTS,
For the Week ending April 7, 1883.

Barometer.

DATE APRIL.	7 A. M.			2 P. M.			9 P. M.			Mean for the Day.			MAXIMUM.			MINIMUM.		
	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.
Sunday, 1	29.910	29.930	30.010	29.950	30.018	12 P. M.	29.792	0 A. M.										
Monday, 2	30.068	30.010	29.985	30.021	30.078	9 A. M.	29.982	12 P. M.										
Tuesday, 3	30.008	29.988	30.018	30.005	30.054	12 P. M.	29.964	3 A. M.										
Wednesday, 4	30.158	30.092	30.050	30.100	30.186	9 A. M.	30.016	12 P. M.										
Thursday, 5	29.900	29.686	29.664	29.750	30.016	0 A. M.	29.648	12 P. M.										
Friday, 6	29.526	29.690	29.818	29.678	29.818	9 P. M.	29.504	4 A. M.										
Saturday, 7	29.656	29.674	29.778	29.716	29.800	0 A. M.	29.650	9 A. M.										

Mean for the week..... 29.888 inches.
Maximum " at 9 A. M., April 4..... 30.186 "
Minimum " at 4 A. M., April 6..... 29.504 "
Range "682 "

Thermometers.

DATE APRIL.	7 A. M.			2 P. M.			9 P. M.			MEAN.			MAXIMUM.			MINIMUM.			MAX- IMUM.
	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Time.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Time.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	In Sun.
Sunday, 1	27	24	35	30	35	31	32.3	28.3	42	6 P. M.	33	6 P. M.	25	6 A. M.	23	6 A. M.	103.		
Monday, 2	30	26	41	33	40	34	37.0	31.0	44	5 P. M.	36	5 P. M.	29	6 A. M.	25	6 A. M.	105.		
Tuesday, 3	33	29	46	36	41	33	40.0	32.7	50	5 P. M.	38	5 P. M.	31	6 A. M.	28	6 A. M.	111.		
Wednesday, 4	37	31	51	40	51	42	46.3	37.6	55	5 P. M.	43	5 P. M.	35	5 A. M.	30	5 A. M.	108.		
Thursday, 5	47	40	68	54	64	54	59.7	49.3	68	3 P. M.	55	3 P. M.	45	1 A. M.	38	1 A. M.	116.		
Friday, 6	61	53	54	45	53	42	56.0	46.7	62	0 A. M.	53	0 A. M.	51	12 P. M.	42	12 P. M.	78.		
Saturday, 7	44	40	39	36	39	36	40.7	37.3	51	0 A. M.	42	0 A. M.	39	12 P. M.	35	12 P. M.	52.		

Mean for the week..... 44.6 degrees..... 37.5 degrees.
Maximum for the week, at 3 P. M., 5th..... 68. " at 3 P. M., 5th..... 55. "
Minimum " " at 6 A. M., 1st..... 25. " at 6 A. M., 1st..... 23. "
Range " " 43. " 32. "

Wind.

DATE APRIL.	DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.			Distance for the Day.	FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.			Time.
	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	
Sunday, 1....	N	NW	WNW	87	68	23	178	0	0	0	2 1/4
Monday, 2....	NNE	NNE	SSW	36	40	26	102	0	0	0	1/4
Tuesday, 3....	NNW	NW	NNE	44	47	49	140	0	0	0	1 3/4
Wednesday, 4....	NW	W	S	32	58	52	142	0	1	0	4 3/4
Thursday, 5....	SSE	SW	SW	85	76	69	230	0	1/2	1 1/2	4 1/2
Friday, 6....	WSW	NNW	NNE	127	78	30	235	2 1/2	1	0	14
Saturday, 7....	ENE	ENE	E	62	85	58	205	1/4	1/2	0	8

Distance traveled during the week..... 1,232 miles.
Maximum force " " 14 pounds.

DATE APRIL.	Hygrometer.			Clouds.			Rain and Snow.		
	FORCE OF VAPOR.	RELATIVE HUMIDITY.		CLEAR, O.	OVERCAST, IO.		DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES.		
	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration.
	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.			Amount of Water.
Sunday, 1	.095	.109	.128	64	53	63	0	0	0
Monday, 2	.095	.084	.118	57	32	47	6 Cir. Cu.	8 Cir. Cu. S.	0
Tuesday, 3	.114	.082	.084	60	26	32	0	1 Cir.	0
Wedn'day, 4	.105	.104	.149	47	27	40	3 Cir.	2 Cir. Cu.	10
Thursday, 5	.156	.232	.285	48	34	48	10	0	9 Cir. Cu.
Friday, 6	.297	.181	.123	55	43	30	8 Cir. Cu.	9 Cu. S.	9 Cir. Cu.
Saturday, 7	.195	.173	.173	67	72	72	10	10	10

Total amount of water for the week..... .26 inch.

DANIEL DRAPER, PH. D., Director.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.
No. 6 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.
FRANKLIN EDSON, Mayor; S. HASTINGS GRANT, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

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

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

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

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents.
No. 5 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ARTEMAS 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.
THOMAS F. DeVoe, Collector of City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets.

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

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

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

LAW DEPARTMENT

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

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

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Headquarters.
Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.
JOHN J. GORMAN, President; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.
Bureau of Chief of Department.
ELI BATES, Chief of Department.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

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

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, City Hall, Room No. 11 1/2, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN R. LYDECKER, Chairman; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

BOARD OF EXCISE.

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

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

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

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

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

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

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

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

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

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

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

CORONERS' OFFICE.

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

SUPREME COURT.

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

SUPERIOR COURT.

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

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

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

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

No. 33 Chambers street. Parts I. and II.
FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder, Presiding Judge of the
General Sessions; HENRY A. GILBERTSLEEVE and RUFUS
B. COWING, Judges.
Terms first Monday each month.
JOHN SPARKS, Clerk.

MARINE COURT.

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

OVER AND TERMINER COURT.

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

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

At Tombs, corner Franklin and Centre streets, Tues-
days, Thursdays, and Saturdays, 10 A. M.
Clerk's Office, Tombs.

DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.

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

GAS COMMISSION.

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

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR LIGHTING
THE PUBLIC LAMPS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Bidders are also required to state a price for which they
will repair lamp-posts, including straightening and releas-
ing, and for each new lamp fitted up, as follows:

For each lamp-post straightened, stating the price per
post.

For each column released, stating the price per post.

For each lamp-post refitted, stating the price per post.

For each lamp-post reset, stating the price per post.

For each new lamp fitted up, stating the price per post.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

No estimate will be received or considered unless
accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the
National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the
order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five
per centum of the amount of the security required for the
faithful performance of the contract.

Such check or money must not be inclosed in the
sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be
handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who
has charge of the Estimate Box, and no estimate
can be deposited in said box until such check or money
has been examined by said officer or clerk, and found to
be correct. All such deposits, except that of the success-
ful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the
same, within three days after the contract is awarded.
If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect within five
days after notice that the contract has been awarded to
him to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made
by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of
New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or re-
fusal; but, if he shall execute the contract within the
time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned
to him.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as prac-
ticable after the opening of the bids.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
117 AND 119 DUANE STREET.

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 181.)

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

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

THURSDAY, APRIL 19, 1883.

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

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

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

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

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

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

2. White Pine, Yellow Pine, Cypress or Spruce Piles 46

(It is expected that the piles will have to be from
about 30 to about 35 feet in length, to comply with
the specifications for driving.)

3. Oak Fender and Spring Piles..... 15

4. Half-round Oak Fenders..... 3

5. 5/8x22, 3/4"x16", 3/4"x12", 3/4"x10", Square
Wrought-iron Spike-pointed Dock
Spikes, and 3/4" Chain, or Wire Rope,
about..... 1,566 pounds.

6. 1" Wrought-iron Screw Bolts, about..... 439 "

7. Cast-iron Washers for 1" Screw Bolts,
about..... 308 "

8. Labor of framing and carpentry, including all moving
of timber, jointing, bolting, spiking, painting, oiling
or tarring, and furnishing the materials for paint-
ing, oiling or tarring, and labor of every descrip-
tion, for an area of about 2,425 square feet of plat-
form.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifi-
cations will be allowed, unless under the written instruc-
tions of the Engineer-in-Chief.

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

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

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

WILLIAM LAIMBEER,
JACOB VANDERPOEL,
JOHN R. VOORHIS,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.
Dated New York, April 6, 1883.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 182.)

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

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

THURSDAY, APRIL 19, 1883.

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

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

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

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

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

CLASS 2. Crib Bulkhead and Return complete, and fill-
ing in rear of same, containing about the following quan-
tities:

1. About 70,000 cubic feet, more or less, of crib work,
complete, including fenders, tender piles, mooring
posts, backing logs, and armature plates.

2. Clean earth or stone filling in rear of the crib and its
return—about 4,400 cubic yards (of this about 500
cubic yards must be of rip-rap stone, and about
125 cubic yards of this 500 cubic yards must be
laid up in a dry wall).

3. Labor of framing and carpentry, including all moving
of timber, jointing, plank, bolting, spiking,
painting, and furnishing the materials for painting,
and labor of every description, for the crib bulk-
head and its return, and for the filling in rear of
the same.

N. B.—As the above-mentioned quantities, though stated
with as much accuracy as is possible, in advance, are
approximate only, bidders are required to submit their
estimates upon the following express conditions, which
shall apply to and become part of every estimate received:
1st. Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal ex-
amination of the location of the proposed work and by
such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy
of the foregoing Engineer's estimate, and shall not, at any
time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or com-
plain of the above statement of quantities, nor assert that
there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature
or amount of the work to be done.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation, upon
debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or other-
wise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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mates, to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the
Department, a copy of which, together with the form of
the agreement, including specifications, and showing the
manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon
application therefor at the office of the Department.

WILLIAM LAIMBEER,
JACOB VANDERPOEL,
JOHN R. VOORHIS,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.
Dated New York, April 6, 1883.

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

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

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

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

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

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

IRON-GRANITE-MASONRY WORK.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH OF THE following-named works:

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

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

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

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

NUMBER 1. ABOVE MENTIONED.

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

NUMBER 2. ABOVE MENTIONED.

825 lineal feet of Iron Railing.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

For No. 1. Above-mentioned mason and granite work.....\$3,000 00
For No. 2. Above-mentioned iron work..... 1,000 00

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

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

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

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

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

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

EGBERT L. VIELE,
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Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks.
E. P. BARKER,
Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, September 23, 1881.

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 business.

By order of
JOHN J. GORMAN, President.
CORNELIUS VAN COTE,
HENRY D. PURROY,
Commissioners.

CARL JUSSEN,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

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

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

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

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

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

TO PAINTERS AND CONTRACTORS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

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

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

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

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS.

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

DRY GOODS.

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

LUMBER, CROCKERY, ETC.

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

To be delivered at Blackwell's Island.

- 3 gross Chambers.
- 5 " Bowls.
- 1 " Male Urinals.
- 2 " Bed Pans.
- 20 coils 9-thread Manila Rope, best quality.
- 20 " 13-thread "
- 6 dozen Manure Forks.
- 20 gross Table Spoons.

PAINTS.

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

—or any part thereof, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M., of Friday, April 13, 1883. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Lumber, etc.," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department, and read.

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

The award of the Contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids. Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, at such times and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Department.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, April 2, 1883.
HENRY H. PORTER,
THOMAS S. BRENNAN,
JACOB HESS,
Commissioners of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.

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

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

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Augusta Schroeder; age 73 years; 5 feet 1/2 inch high; gray hair; blue eyes.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order.

G. F. BRITTON,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,
STAATZ ZIEITUNG BUILDING,
NEW YORK, January 8, 1883.

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 9, CHAPTER 302, Laws of 1859, it is hereby advertised that the books of "The Annual Record of the Assessed Valuations of Real and Personal Estate" of the City and County of New York, for the year 1883, are now open for examination and correction from the second Monday of January, 1883, until the first day of May, 1883.

All persons believing themselves aggrieved must make application to the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments, at this office, during the period said books are open, in order to obtain the relief provided by law.

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

THOMAS B. ASTEN,
GEORGE B. VANDERPOEL,
EDWARD C. DONNELLY,
Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

NEW YORK, April 2, 1883.

SUPREME COURT.

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

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved or

unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

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

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

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being northerly and southerly of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, and bounded westerly by the easterly side of Avenue St. Nicholas, southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Thirty-third street and One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, easterly by the westerly side of Eighth avenue, and northerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street and One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a special term thereof, to be held in the County Court-house at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 8th day of June, 1883, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, April 10, 1883.

PATRICK DALY,
JOHN CARLIN,
NEVIN W. BUTLER,
Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

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

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

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, No. 73 William street (3d floor), in the said city, on or before the 18th day of May, 1883, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 18th day of May, 1883, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 2 P. M.

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

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being northerly and southerly of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, and bounded westerly by the easterly side of New avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas, southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street and One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, easterly by the westerly side of Eighth avenue, and northerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a special term thereof, to be held in the County Court-house at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 8th day of June, 1883, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, April 10, 1883.

PATRICK DALY,
JOHN CARLIN,
NEVIN W. BUTLER,
Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of the costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the Twenty-first day of April, 1883, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated, NEW YORK, April 7, 1883.

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

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of the costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof in the County Court-house at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the twenty-first day of April, 1883, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, April 7, 1883.

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

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Commencing at a point in the easterly side of Avenue St. Nicholas, distant one hundred and one foot and one-fourth of an inch southerly from a point formed by the intersection of the southerly side of One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street with the easterly side of Avenue St. Nicholas; running thence easterly and parallel with One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street and along the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street and One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street to the westerly side of Eighth avenue; thence northerly along the westerly side of Eighth avenue, and across One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street to a point in the westerly side of Eighth avenue, distant ninety-nine feet and eleven inches northerly from a point formed by the intersection of the northerly side of One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street with the westerly side of Eighth avenue; running thence westerly and parallel with One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, and along the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, to the easterly side of Avenue St. Nicholas; thence southerly and along the easterly side of Avenue St. Nicholas, and across One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the County Court-house at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 1st day of June, 1883, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, April 7, 1883.

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

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Commencing at a point in the easterly side of Tenth avenue, distant southerly 99 feet and 11 inches from a point formed by the intersection of the southerly side of One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street with the easterly side of Tenth avenue; running thence easterly and parallel with One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, and along the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Fifty-third street and One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, to the westerly side of Avenue St. Nicholas; thence northerly along the westerly side of Avenue St. Nicholas, and across One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, to a point in the westerly side of Avenue St. Nicholas, distant 102 feet and 2 1/2 inches northerly from a point formed by the intersection of the northerly side of One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street with the westerly side of Avenue St. Nicholas; running thence westerly and parallel with One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, and along the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to the easterly side of Tenth avenue; thence southerly and along the easterly side of Tenth avenue, and across One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a special term thereof, to be held in the County Court-house at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 1st day of June, 1883, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated, NEW YORK, April 7, 1883.

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

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the fourth

day of May, 1883, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of Beekman place, between Forty-ninth street and Fifty-first street, in the City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

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

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

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

Dated, NEW YORK, April 5, 1883.

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

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

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

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

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

Dated, New York, April 5, 1883.

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

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

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

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these 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 eleventh day of May, 1883, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said eleventh day of May, 1883, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at two o'clock P. M.

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

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

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

Dated, NEW YORK, April 4, 1883.

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

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, April 4, 1883.

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

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

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

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

Dated New York, April 3, 1883.

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, March 31, 1883.

FRANCIS BLESSING,
GEORGE W. McLEAN,
NATHANIEL JARVIS,
Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

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

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

New York, March 28, 1883.

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

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 20th day of April, 1883, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of Eighty-fourth street, between Avenue B and the bulkhead line, East river, in the City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Avenue B distant four hundred and sixty-eight feet and eight inches (468' 8") southerly from the southerly line of Eighty-sixth street; thence easterly and parallel with said street three hundred and eighty-seven feet five and one-quarter inches (387' 5¼") to the bulkhead line, East river; thence southerly along said bulkhead line sixty feet ten inches and three-quarters (60' 10¾"); thence westerly three hundred and seventy-seven (377' 7") feet to the easterly line of Avenue B; thence northerly along said line sixty (60' 0") feet to point or place of beginning.

Said street to be sixty (60' 0") feet wide between the easterly line of Avenue B and bulkhead line, East river.

Dated New York, March 27, 1883.

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

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

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

New York, March 28, 1883.

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

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

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

That the abstract of our said assessment, containing the names of the owners of the parcels of land affected thereby, so far as the same can be ascertained, the number and description of such parcels as they appear upon the map which we have caused to be made, showing the limits of the area of assessment laid out and determined upon by us, the names of the parties owning or in possession of the lands within the same, so far as the same can be ascertained, and the quantity of land belonging to such owner, and the quantity belonging to such unknown owners whose names cannot be ascertained, and the location of the same on such map, as nearly as we can ascertain the same, together with such map, the amount of assessments made against each owner or party in interest, and also all affidavits, estimates, and other documents which were used by us in making our said report of assessment, have been filed and deposited in the Clerk's Office of the City and County of New York, for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern, there to remain until the eleventh day of April, 1883.

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

That the limits of the area of said assessment which has been laid out and determined upon by us, are as follows:

"All those lots, pieces, or parcels of land lying and being in the City of New York, and which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning at a point in the bulkhead line on the westerly side of the Harlem River, where the same would be intersected by the prolongation easterly of a line drawn through the center line of the block between Ninety-ninth and One Hundredth streets, thence running westerly along the center line of the blocks between Ninety-ninth and One Hundredth streets, and crossing Avenue A and First Avenue on the prolongation of said center line of the blocks, to a point which is intersected by a line drawn parallel to and one thousand feet westerly from the said westerly bulkhead line of the Harlem River, thence running in a general northerly direction parallel to and always distant one thousand feet westerly from the westerly bulkhead line of the Harlem River to the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-third street, thence still in a general northerly direction parallel to and always distant one thousand feet westerly from the westerly line of the proposed improvement of the Harlem River, and Spuyten Duyvil Creek to the Hudson River, thence in a northeasterly direction along the Hudson River to a point which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to and distant one thousand feet easterly from the easterly line of the said proposed improvement, thence in a general southerly direction parallel to and always distant one thousand feet easterly from the easterly line of the said proposed improvement, to a point which would be intersected by the prolongation easterly of the aforesaid center line of the block between Ninety-ninth and One Hundredth streets, thence westerly along the prolongation of said center line of the block between Ninety-ninth and One Hundredth streets, to the westerly bulkhead line of the Harlem River at the point or place of beginning."

Dated New York, March 6, 1883.

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

THOMAS L. OGDEN, Attorney for Petitioner,
No. 41 Wall street, New York City.

THE CITY RECORD.

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FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

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

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

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

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

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

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

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

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

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

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

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

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

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

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

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

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

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

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

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

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

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

Eighty avenue regulating, grading, etc., from One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street to Harlem River.

One Hundred and Second street regulating, grading, etc., from Fifth Avenue to Harlem River.

One Hundred and Third street regulating, grading, etc., from First to Fifth Avenue, etc.

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

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

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

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

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

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

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

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

POSTPONEMENT.

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

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

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