

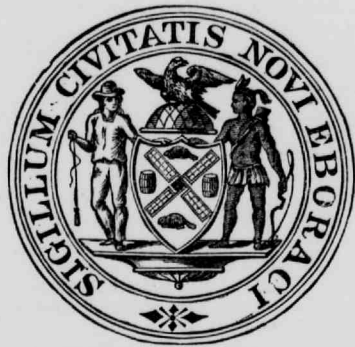
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### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of transactions of the Finance Department for the week ending April 7, 1883:

<i>Deposits in the Treasury.</i>	
To the Credit of the Sinking Fund.....	\$50,291 97
City Treasury.....	601,224 82
Total.....	\$651,516 79

<i>Bonds and Stocks Issued.</i>	
Three and one-half per cent. Bonds.....	\$341,500 00
Four per cent. Bonds.....	60,000 00
Four per cent. Stock.....	66,226 14
Total.....	\$467,726 14

<i>Warrants Registered and Ready for Payment.</i>	
Advertising.....	\$50 00
Armories and Drill Rooms.....	1,107 00
Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance, etc.....	7,258 00
Assessment Commission—Awards.....	1,078 02
Expenses of.....	3,916 66
Assessment Fund, after June 9, 1880.....	37,645 99
Bureau of Permits.....	797 68
Boulevards, Roads, and Avenues, etc.....	1,882 00
Bronx River Bridges.....	243 33
Cleaning Markets.....	2,450 49
Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning.....	8,053 79
Contingencies—Department of Public Works.....	100 00
District Attorney's Office.....	257 77
Clerk of the Common Council.....	13 55
Department of Taxes and Assessments.....	12 96
Comptroller's Office.....	316 23
Law Department.....	1,241 84
College of the City of New York.....	9,052 43
City Record—Salaries and Expenses.....	2,461 74
Children's Fold, etc.....	2,958 28
Common Schools for State.....	219,989 24
Coroners—Salaries and Expenses.....	1,000 00
City Contingencies.....	19 50
Commissioners of Excise Fund.....	4,835 47
Central Park—Transverse Roads.....	86 35
Charges on Arrears of Taxes.....	244 00
Croton Water Rent—Refunding Account.....	30 40
Croton Water Fund.....	6,818 38
Dock Fund.....	21,588 45
Disbursements and Fees of County Officers.....	500 00
Entrances into Central Park.....	421 47
Fire Department Fund.....	115,733 75
For Defraying Expenses, etc.....	416 66
For Surveys for Street Openings.....	1,096 63
For Removal of Night Soil, etc.....	3,000 00
Fulton Market—Alterations, etc.....	6,358 00
Fourth Avenue Parks, Improvement of.....	7 50
Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, etc.....	370 45
Health Fund.....	4,330 87
Hebrew Benevolent and Orphan Asylum Society.....	9,102 88
Hospital for Cure of Contagious Diseases.....	197 06
Interest on City Debt.....	765 00
Jefferson Market—Alterations, etc.....	108 00
Judgments.....	17,198 37
Jurors' Fees.....	164 00
Lamps and Gas, and Electric Lighting.....	346 00
Laying Croton Pipes.....	581 00
Manhattan Square, Improvement of.....	678 21
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places.....	12,745 69
Maintenance—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	658 29
Morningside Park Improvement Fund.....	196 88
Night Medical Service Fund.....	500 00
New York Society for Relief of Ruptured and Crippled.....	6,052 60
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs.....	1,234 03
Charities and Correction.....	34,936 12
Instruction.....	3,948 13
Publication of CITY RECORD.....	4,154 78
Police Station-houses.....	200 00
Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.....	10,251 55
Riverside Avenue.....	498 53
Riverside Park.....	17 50
Refunding Interest, Charges, etc.....	126 30
Rents.....	750 00
Repairs and Renewal of Pavements, etc.....	937 00
Repairs and Renewal of Pipes, etc.....	8,275 59
Refunding Taxes Paid in Error.....	724 48
Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues.....	116 00
Roads, Streets and Avenues—Unpaved.....	1,432 75
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund, Department Public Works.....	616 00
Street Improvements, authorized, etc., after June 9, 1880.....	7,922 03
Above Fifty-ninth street, June 9, 1880.....	16,671 00
Street Improvement Fund—June 9, 1880.....	5,793 88
Street Improvements—For Surveying, etc.....	258 00
Salary of Physician to County Jail.....	83 33
Salaries—Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments.....	83 33
City Courts.....	4,574 97
Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.....	83 33
Department of Public Works.....	14,858 75
Judiciary.....	698 33
Law Department.....	5,108 26

Sewers and Drains.....	\$276 52
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning.....	6,134 85
Surveys, Maps, Plans, etc.....	42 24
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....	4,914 90
State Taxes.....	174,914 70
Support of Prisoners in County Jail.....	1,185 75
Tax Sales—Moneys Refunded.....	172 18
Tenement-house Fund.....	57 00
Walks—Central Park.....	254 63
Water Supply for Twenty-fourth Ward.....	181 50
Total.....	\$794,708 98

### CLAIMS FILED.

NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION.	ATTORNEY.
H. J. Burchell.....	\$1,215 25	For payments made for assessment for sewers in Fifty-first and Fifty-sixth streets, in excess of amounts due therefor: Block Nos. 140, 143, and 189.....	C. C. Higgins.
E. Ayres.....	796 33	Block No. 141, Ward Nos. 1, 2, and 3.....	"
P. Teffinger.....	68 13	" 188, Ward No. 62.....	"
J. Corcoran.....	144 82	" 141, " 58.....	"
".....	139 00	" 142, " 48.....	"
H. Born.....	137 92	" 141, " 57.....	"
L. Friedman.....	158 57	" 141, " 56.....	"
Mrs. Reiner.....	129 10	" 141, " 55.....	"
Dorothea Tremmer.....	155 97	" 141, " 54.....	"
J. Brode.....	136 92	" 141, " 53.....	"
G. Deyer.....	314 84	" 188, Ward Nos. 53 and 54.....	"
C. Hailshone.....	109 52	" 188, Ward No. 61½.....	"
Mrs. O. Hener.....	109 52	" 188, " 63.....	"
F. Siliomann.....	109 22	" 188, " 64.....	"
A. R. Teitgen.....	266 24	" 142, " 1.....	"
G. Senior.....	248 47	" 142, Ward Nos. 59 and 60.....	"
Mary Gretz.....	324 12	" 142, " 12 and 53.....	"
W. Buckner.....	124 66	" 142, Ward No. 49.....	"
E. K. Cowers.....	171 93	" 142, Ward Nos. 47 and 48 B.....	"
P. Ahrens.....	145 22	" 142, Ward No. 45.....	"
Mrs. A. Shannon.....	400 96	" 142, Ward Nos. 36½, 37, and 38.....	"
C. Munneck.....	318 64	" 142, " 15 and 16.....	"
M. Heilzer.....	151 02	" 142, Ward No. 11.....	"
C. Schultz.....	135 39	" 142, " 10.....	"
C. Mehlig.....	157 92	" 142, " 9.....	"
G. A. Zimmermann.....	136 12	" 142, " 8.....	"
H. Selmulker.....	394 33	" 143, " 1.....	"
H. Bieler.....	143 36	" 143, " 2.....	"
J. Buake.....	200 57	" 143, Ward Nos. 3½ and 4.....	"
F. Graner.....	214 99	" 143, " 63 and 64.....	"
L. Garter.....	64 99	" 143, Ward No. 62.....	"
D. Thurston.....	138 54	" 143, " 57.....	"
".....	299 09	" 189, Ward Nos. 33 and 34.....	"
J. Schuman.....	151 47	" 143, " 33 to 36 and 36½.....	"
M. Clinton.....	129 84	" 143, " 29 and 30.....	"
".....	181 47	" 235, Ward No. 33.....	"
H. Kennel.....	154 77	" 143, " 27.....	"
P. Muldoon.....	190 37	" 143, " 26.....	"
B. Stalberg.....	131 62	" 143, " 22.....	"
T. Martin.....	152 62	" 143, " 11.....	"
L. Holzderber.....	145 82	" 143, " 8.....	"
M. McNally.....	189 92	" 143, " 7.....	"
Margaret Hanlon.....	138 88	" 189, Ward Nos. 61, 62, and 63.....	"
C. Sohn.....	365 39	" 189, " 16 and 26.....	"
H. Gesell.....	143 40	" 235, Ward No. 34.....	"
H. Strobe.....	439 09	" 235, Ward Nos. 35 and 36.....	"
M. Rosenthal.....	31 36	" 144, " 29½ and 29.....	"
M. J. Leon.....	27 29	" 144, " 29 B. and 29 A.....	"
M. A. Eaglehardt.....	97 02	" 143, Ward No. 19.....	"
J. Brooks.....	484 10	" 234, Ward Nos. 23 and 28.....	"
Sophia Donnelly and others.....	1,200 00	Claim for portion of awards for closing of Bloomingdale road: Block 1278.....	G. J. Greenfield
".....	2,456 00	" 1280.....	"
".....	2,000 00	" 1281.....	"
".....	4,150 00	" 1282.....	"
Also for a portion of several awards (if any) made for certain Ward numbers:			
		Ward No.	Block No.
		12.....	1276
		27, 36½, 37 to 42.....	1277
		28½, 42.....	1278
		24 to 28, 30 to 39.....	1279
		28 to 37.....	1280
		23 to 27½, 38½ to 45.....	1281
		29 to 32.....	1282
		29, 37.....	1283

NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION.	ATTORNEY.
J. W. Beekman.....	.....	For cancellation of duplicate tax for 1877, on Ward No. 30 1/2, Block 325, Twelfth Ward.....	
Robert V. Mackey.....	\$20 30	Salary as Clerk in Department of Buildings, December 1, 1879, to January 1, 1880.....	R. D. Hatch.
P. Minogue.....	2,600 00	For damages by taking from lots Nos. 20 and 21, on One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, adjoining Mill brook; a portion thereof for the improvement of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street.....	T. H. Hartwell.
B. H. Hutton.....	3,624 00	For award in matter of closing Bloomingdale road, Ward Nos. 24, 5 and 6, Block 1140.....	T. H. Baldwin.
Sarah Short.....	2,500 00	For damages for personal injuries sustained from falling on sidewalk on west side of Ninth avenue, between Fifty-fifth and Fifty-sixth streets, on January 28, 1883.....	E. Bienville.

## CONTRACTS REGISTERED FOR THE WEEK ENDING APRIL 7, 1883.

NO.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT.	NAMES OF CONTRACTORS.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.
6014	Mar. 26, 1883	Public Works.....	Patrick Larney (Special) ...	Flagging sidewalks south side of One Hundred and Sixth street, from Lexington to Fourth avenue. Estimate, \$212.
6015	" 5, "	"	Thomas H. Casey.....	Regulating, grading, curbing, and flagging Tenth avenue, from Ninety-third to Ninety-fifth st. Estimate, \$3,856.25.
6016	" 7, "	"	John Phelan.....	Regulating, grading, curbing, and flagging One Hundred and Twenty-second street, from Fourth to Madison avenue. Estimate, \$18,139.50.
6017	" 9, "	"	James Reilly.....	Regulating, grading, curbing, and flagging One Hundred and Forty-first street, from Eighth avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas. Estimate, \$4,440.50.
6018	" 10, "	"	Patrick Farley.....	Regulating, grading, curbing, and flagging One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue. Estimate, \$6,451.
6019	" 5, "	"	J. D. Moore.....	Flagging sidewalks in Third avenue, from Ninety-third to One Hundred and First street. Estimate, \$2,548.25.
6020	" 20, "	"	"	Flagging sidewalks on Ninety-eighth street, from Ninth avenue to the Boulevard. Estimate, \$2,277.60.
6021	" 22, "	"	James Slattery.....	Regulating, grading, curbing, and flagging One Hundred and Eleventh street, from Sixth to Eighth avenue. Estimate, \$25,230.10.
6022	" 22, "	"	Edward Bradburn.....	Sewer in Bank street, between West street and Hudson river. Estimate, \$6,417.50.
6023	" 22, "	"	"	Sewer in Chambers street, between Chatham and Centre streets. Estimate, \$1,284.
6024	" 22, "	"	Thomas E. Crimmins.....	Sewer in One Hundred and Eleventh street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues. Estimate, \$5,824.
6025	" 22, "	"	Patrick Mulholland.....	Sewer in Front street, between Jackson street and Gouverneur slip. Estimate, \$4,749.50.
6026	" 23, "	"	John McKim & Son.....	Sewer in Broadway, east side, between Thirty-second and Thirty-third sts. Estimate, \$3,938.
6027	" 23, "	"	"	Sewer in Fifty-sixth street, between Fifth and Sixth aves. Estimate, \$4,752.80.
6028	" 23, "	"	"	Sewer in Seventy-seventh street, between Ninth avenue and summit west of Ninth avenue. Estimate, \$3,702.50.
6029	" 23, "	"	"	Sewer in Ninetieth street, north and south sides, between Eighth and Ninth avenues. Estimate, \$13,703.
6030	" 19, "	Charities & Correction	R. M. Masterton.....	50,000 lbs. brown sugar. Estimate, \$3,645.
6031	" 19, "	"	J. L. Chamberlin.....	3,000 yards cadet gray. Estimate, \$1,023.00.
6032	" 19, "	"	Charles P. Woodworth.....	Carrots, turnips, potatoes and onions. Total, \$1,545.
6033	" 19, "	"	Robert Betty.....	Furnishing dry goods. Estimate, \$4,814.50.
6034	Apr. 2, "	Fire.....	John Moonan.....	Furnishing forage. Estimate, \$8,810.

## SUITS, ORDERS OF COURT, JUDGMENTS, ETC.

COURT.	NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION.	ATTORNEY.
Com. Pleas	Alonso T. Decker and another.....	\$63 26	Transcript of Judgment.....	Moore, L. & S.
Supreme..	Patrick H. Jones.....	10,744 24	For recovery of amount claimed.....	N. J. Waterbury, Jr.
"	J. R. Whiting.....	3,253 00	For payment of amount of awards made by Map Nos. 64 and 65, in matter of Spuyten Duyvil parkway.....	Dunning, E. H. F.
"	C. P. Palmer.....	6,549 00	For awards in matter of closing Bloomingdale road, Ward Nos. 24 to 28, 39 to 42, Block 1266.....	J. C. Shaw.
Com. Pleas	E. Wetherill.....	25,000 00	For damages for personal injuries received from falling at intersection of Chatham and Pearl streets, on February 16, 1883.....	Todd & Dayton.
"	The Mayor and others, Henry Wolf.....	1,848 00	For damages sustained in consequence of injuries received by his wife, Rebecca Wolf, on March 21, 1881, from falling into an excavation in sidewalk, in Third avenue, opposite No. 509.....	Morrison & K.
Superior..	E. C. Gates.....	1,025 00	For balance due and unpaid on account of contract with John Kerby, by the Fire Department, dated December 28, 1880, for building engine-house on Thomas avenue.	C. P. Miller.
Supreme..	Mary Roome.....	10,699 40	Transcript of Judgment.....	J. H. Strahan.
"	Thomas Tuomey.....	200 66	"	Breen & S.
Com. Pleas	H. Frohman.....	36 10	Notice of Judgment and execution.....	T. J. Waterman.
Superior..	Victoria Sevestre.....	2,427 10	Transcript of Judgment.....	R. O'Gorman, Jr.
Com. Pleas	J. Blake.....	1,403 50	"	L. L. Kellogg.
Supreme..	A. Blumenthal.....	3,717 72	"	Kitchell & J.
"	J. Brower.....	15,715 00	"	"
"	The Rector, etc., of St. Michael's P. E. Church at Bloomingdale.....	2,871 35	"	"
"	H. C. Van Post and another, ex'rs.....	6,256 82	"	"
"	T. M. Peters.....	3,663 84	"	"
"	Melissa A. Howes.....	3,030 75	"	"
"	Emily Hustace.....	3,479 75	"	"
"	U. S. Trust Co., trustees, etc.....	2,876 96	"	"

## Approval of Sureties.

The Comptroller approved of the adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties to the following proposals:

- April 2. For furnishing lumber etc., for use of Department of Charities and Correction.  
Jos. W. Duryee, 258 Cherry street, Principal.  
John H. Waydell, 21 Old Slip, { Sureties.  
John J. Coger, 480 Water street, }
- April 2. For furnishing 300 quintals of codfish for use of same Department.  
C. F. Matlage, 276 Greenwich street, Principal.  
J. A. Craig, 312 West Thirtieth street, { Sureties.  
J. S. Corran, 270 Greenwich street, }
- April 2. For repairing Pier 52, East river, and for building a crib bulkhead and platform at foot of East Seventy-fifth street.  
R. Cronin, 138 Luqueer street, Brooklyn, Principal.  
J. Muldoon, 240 West street, { Sureties.  
B. Donegan, 229 West street, }
- April 2. For repairing the small pier, between Piers 51 and 52, at Gouverneur slip, East river.  
John Gillies, 137 Kent street, Greenpoint, Principal.  
W. P. Greenlie, 499 Water street, { Sureties.  
Wm. Gaskell, 400 East Twenty-fifth street, }
- April 4. For repairing the understructure of Pier, new 42, North river.  
Wm. P. Kelly, 187 West street, Principal.  
Thomas Colgan, 18 Chambers street, { Sureties.  
M. Engle, 187 West street, }
- April 6. For furnishing 2,000 feet of hose for use of the Fire Department.  
The Gutta Percha and Rubber Manufacturing Co., 23 Park place, Principals.  
W. H. Fogg, 359 Fifth avenue, { Sureties.  
G. R. Pelton, 4 East Twenty-third street, }
- April 6. For furnishing Engine No. 12 with new boiler and making necessary repairs to said engine.  
The Clapp & Jones Manufacturing Co., Hudson, N. Y., Principals.  
H. A. Rogers, 347 West Fifty-seventh street, { Sureties.  
Thomas J. Pope, 292 Pearl street, }

## Opening of Proposals.

The Comptroller attended the opening of proposals at the following Departments:

- April 4. Fire Department (by representative)—For furnishing new boilers and repairs to Engine No. 12, and 2,000 feet 3 1/4-inch rubber hose.
- April 6. Department of Public Works—For furnishing the illuminating material for and lighting, etc., the public lamps of the city one year from May 1, 1883.

RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

At a meeting of the Board of Docks held April 4, 1883.

Present—The full Board.

The minutes of the meetings held March 28th ultimo were read and approved.

The following communications were received, read, and,

On motion, laid on the table to await action, as stated, to wit:

From Counsel to the Corporation—Submitting form of lease in triplicate to the Union Stock Yard and Market Company, of the Pier at Fifty-eighth street, North river. Secretary directed to request from the Counsel to the Corporation his opinion as to the appropriation of the pier for the special kinds of commerce carried on by the company, as requested by the Board in letter of February 9, 1883.

From Theodore F. Tone, lessee—Requesting permission to transfer lease of the bulkhead, foot of One Hundred and Thirtieth street, North river, to Edward H. Coffin.

From C. H. Eldridge—Application for permission to erect platform and tally-house on the westerly side of Pier 53, East river. Referred to the President.

From Thomas L. Sturges—Requesting permission to fill in with earth and stone filling at One Hundred and Fiftieth street, Harlem river. Referred to the President.

From Engineer-in-Chief—Report on Secretary's Order No. 2981, as to plans for building platforms, etc., at One Hundred and Fiftieth street, Harlem river. Referred to the President and Commissioner Voorhis.

From George W. Wannmaker—In reference to the duties performed by him as Corporation Wharfinger.

The following communications were received, read, and,

On motion, placed on file, action being taken where necessary, as stated, to wit:

From Department of Street Cleaning—Inclosing opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation in reference to dredging at the dumping boards used by the Department of Street Cleaning. Secretary directed to acknowledge the receipt of the communication, and to advise that the Engineer-in-Chief has been directed to examine and report as to the dredging required at the dumping board at Canal street, North river, and to request that a duplicate copy of the opinion be furnished to this Department.

Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to report the amount of dredging required to be done at Canal street, North river.

From Conrad N. Jordan—Agreement accepting terms and conditions of the resolution adopted as to ferry premises at Forty-second street, North river.

From Belloni & Co.—Requesting that a test be made of a barrel of cement, and enclosing \$10 to pay the cost thereof. Secretary stating that by direction of the Commissioners he had granted a permit therefor, and directed the Engineer-in-chief to make a test thereof, his action was approved.

From H. Bertholf—In reference to hoisting engine at Seventh avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, and requesting its removal. Secretary to request Mr. Everard to call and confer with the Commissioners in respect thereto.

From E. M. Payn—In reference to hiring two dumping mud scows of the Department. Secretary directed to advise that the Department has no dumping scows of the size and capacity desired by him.

From Charles A. Bailey—In reference to obstructions on the water-front between Bank street and West Sixteenth street, North river.

From James H. Gillis—Acknowledging receipt of copy of resolution adopted by the Board in reference to boat landing at Twenty-third street, North river.

From H. S. Nichols—Requesting permission to remove tally-house and derricks from Pier 2 to Pier 6, East river. Secretary to advise that the application should be made on the regular form, as required by the Board.

From J. E. Kirk—Enclosing copy of the proposed bill amending chapter 249 of the Laws of 1875, in regard to sheds on piers. Secretary directed to reply thereto that this Board do not object to the enactment of the same into a law if the Legislature deem it advisable so to do.

From Engineer-in-Chief:

1st. Reporting the suspension of William J. Barnum, watchman, and Martin Carroll, deck-hand, on tug "Manhattan," for one week each for neglect of duty; also that he had examined into the reported neglect of duty by Watchman Keenan. Action of Engineer-in-Chief approved.

2d. Reporting as to plank roadway to Pier, new 26, North river, being in bad condition. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to report the cost of paving the same with second-hand stone paving blocks.

3d. Reporting that repairs had not been made to Pier 44, East river, as ordered by the Board. Secretary directed to notify Mr. Alexander Mason and the New York City and Northern Railroad Company to meet and confer with the Commissioners on Monday, 9th instant, at 2 o'clock P. M., in respect to repairing the same.

4th. Reporting as to repairs required to the Pier at Thirty-fourth street, North river. Secretary directed to notify the lessees to commence to repair the same within ten days, under the supervision and direction of the Engineer-in-Chief, or this Department will do the work at their cost and expense.

5th. Reporting as to platform and scales being erected on Pier 53, East river.

6th. Reporting as to removal of gas service pipes to the several piers on the North river, from Pier, new 34, to Pier, new 42, North river. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to have the contractors proceed with the work of paving, under their respective contracts, ample time and opportunity having been given to the gas companies to have their service pipes laid as recommended by the Engineer-in-Chief and directed by this Board.

7th. Reporting the completion of the shed in front of ferry premises at Wall street, East river.

8th. Reporting as to obstruction on the bulkhead between Piers 28 and 29, East river, not having been removed. Secretary directed to send report to the Counsel to the Corporation for collection of the penalty imposed for violation of rule for five days, \$250, and the Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to remove the obstruction to the Department Yard at Seventeenth street, East river.



9th. Reporting as to plank roadway to Pier, new 21, North river, and estimate as to the cost of repairing the same. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to relay the same thirty-two feet in width, in place of fifty feet, and to do the work by the force of the Department.

10th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 2844, in reference to the repairs made to the bulkhead between Piers 49 and 50, East river, and recommending that additional repairs be made thereto to make the same safe. Secretary directed to notify the Glen Cove Manufacturing Company to make the necessary additional repairs thereto at once, under the supervision and direction of the Engineer-in-Chief.

11th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 2860, as to repairs made to Piers 12 and 13, North river, under his supervision.

12th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 2876, submitting diagrams of ferry premises at Twenty-third street, East river.

13th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 2921, as to dredging done at the coal dock at Randall's Island, East river.

14th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 2926, as to repairs to Pier, new 39, North river.

15th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 2947, as to awning shed on the ferry premises at Wall street, East river.

16th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 2950, as to repairs required to the bulkhead between Piers 49 and 50, East river. Secretary directed to notify the owners to commence to repair the same within ten days, under the supervision and direction of the Engineer-in-Chief, or this Department will do the work at their cost and expense.

17th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 2953, that repairs were made to Pier 24, East river, under his supervision.

18th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 2954, that repairs were made to Pier 23, East river, under his supervision.

19th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 2967, that he had superintended the repairs made to the bulkhead, between Piers 2 and 3, East river.

20th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 2973, that he had superintended the repairs made to Pier 27, North river.

21st. Report on Secretary's Order No. 2982, as to condition of the pavement on the easterly half of the approach to Pier 15, East river. Secretary directed to notify the Union Ferry Company to repair the same within ten days, under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief, or this Department will do the work and charge the cost thereof to them.

From George W. Wanmaker, Corporation Wharfinger—Reporting as to incumbrances on the bulkhead, between Piers, new 26 and old 39, North river.

From William L. McConkey, Corporation Wharfinger—Reporting as to ice bridge being erected on Pier 53, East river.

A communication from the Comptroller of the city, remitting penalty imposed against Flaherty & O'Connell for delay in completing their contract for reopening piers at Fifty-first, One Hundred and Thirty-first, and One Hundred and Fifty-second streets, North river, was received, read, and ordered on file, and the following preamble and resolution, offered by the President, was unanimously adopted:

Whereas, By virtue of the power vested in the Finance Department by section 31, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the Comptroller has decided to remit the penalty imposed by this Department against Flaherty & O'Connell for non-completion of work within the time agreed upon under their contract for repairing piers at Fifty-first street, One Hundred and Thirty-first street and One Hundred and Fifty-second street, North river, dated April 19, 1882, and numbered 154 "A," and for which there was deducted from Audited Claim No. 7559, on August 9, 1882, the sum of \$600; therefore

Resolved, That a requisition be and is hereby directed to be drawn upon the Comptroller for the sum of \$600, being the amount due said Flaherty & O'Connell under said audited claim consequent upon the penalty being remitted, and that the bookkeeper charge the amount to the said contract, so that the accounts of the Department shall exhibit Estimate No. 2 (final) under said contract paid in full in the sum of \$13,540.

A communication from the Comptroller of the city, remitting the penalty imposed against John Gillies for delay in completing his contract for repairing the Pier at Forty-sixth street, North river, was also received, read, and ordered on file, and the following preamble and resolution, offered by the President, unanimously adopted:

Whereas, By virtue of the power vested in the Finance Department by section 31, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the Comptroller has decided to remit the penalty imposed by this Department against John Gillies, for non-completion of work within the time agreed upon, under his contract No. 158, for building Pier at West Forty-sixth street, North river, dated June 10, 1882, and for which there was deducted from Audited Claim No. 7677, on November 8, 1882, the sum of \$600; therefore

Resolved, That a requisition be and is hereby directed to be drawn upon the Comptroller for the sum of \$600, being the amount due said John Gillies, under said audited claim, consequent upon the penalty being remitted, and that the bookkeeper charge the amount to the said contract, so that the accounts of the Department shall exhibit Estimate No. 4 (final) under said contract settled and paid in full, the sum of \$41,182.06.

Two communications from the Comptroller of the city, approving of the sureties on the estimates respectively made by Richard Cronin, for building a bulkhead platform at Seventy-fifth street, East river, and for repairing Pier 52, East river; and of John Gillies, for repairing the small pier between Piers 51 and 52, East river; also of William P. Kelly, for repairing the understructure of Pier, new 42, North river, was received, read, and, together with the bids received and publicly opened on the 28th ultimo, for doing the said work, which were taken from the table, were ordered to be placed on file, and the following resolutions, offered by Commissioner Voorhis, were unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the contract for building a crib bulkhead and platform at the foot of Seventy-fifth street, East river, also the contract for repairing Pier 52, East river, be and are hereby awarded to Richard Cronin, his bids for doing the said work being the lowest under estimates publicly opened 28th ultimo, and the Comptroller having approved of the sureties thereto on the 2d instant.

Resolved, That the contract for repairing the small pier between Piers 51 and 52, East river, be and is hereby awarded to John Gillies, his bid for doing said work being the lowest under estimates publicly opened the 28th ultimo, and the Comptroller having approved of the sureties thereto the 2d instant.

Resolved, That the contract for repairing the understructure of Pier, new 42, North river, be and is hereby awarded to William P. Kelly, his bid for doing said work being the lowest under estimates publicly opened the 28th ultimo, and the Comptroller having approved of the sureties thereto this date.

A report from the Engineer-in-Chief on Secretary's Order No. 2977, submitting specifications and form of contract for dredging on the north side of the Pier at Thirty-seventh street, North river, was received, read, and ordered on file, and the following resolution, offered by the President, was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the specifications and form of contract, as prepared by the Engineer-in-Chief, for dredging the slip on the north side of the Pier at Thirty-seventh street, North river, be and is hereby approved and adopted, subject to the approval of the Counsel to the Corporation as to form, and that the Secretary be and hereby is directed to have a sufficient number of blank forms of proposals printed, and proper advertisements inviting bids for doing the said work inserted in the papers designated by law.

A report from the Engineer-in-Chief on Secretary's Order No. 2930, as to amount of dredging necessary to give twenty feet at mean low water from the north side of West Thirteenth street to the south side of West Twenty-first street, North river, was received, read, and ordered to be placed on file, and the following resolution unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the several and respective owners and lessees of the piers and bulkheads on the North river water-front, from the north side of West Thirteenth street to the south side of West Twenty-first street, North river, be and are hereby notified and directed to have the premises respectively owned or leased by them, dredged to a depth of fifteen feet at mean low water, within sixty days after service of notice hereof, the work to be done under the supervision and direction of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department, and in default of their so doing, that the same will be done by this Department, and the cost thereof charged to them.

A communication from S. R. Filley, President of the Suburban Rapid Transit Railway Company, in reference to the application for permission to erect a bridge across the Harlem river at Second avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, was received, read, and together with all previous communications in regard thereto, were

On motion, taken from the table and ordered to be placed on file, and the following preamble and resolution was offered by Commissioner Voorhis.

Whereas, Application was made to this Board in June, 1882, by the Suburban Rapid Transit Company, for permission to erect a pier for the support of a bridge in the Harlem river at Second avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street; and

Whereas, The Second Avenue Railway Company subsequently entered a formal protest against the granting of such permission to the Suburban Rapid Transit Company on the ground that it would be an unlawful interference with their rights and privileges as conferred on them by the Legislature of this State; and

Whereas, It is desirable that the action of the Board in the premises should be in strict accordance with the law upon the subject; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Secretary transmit to the Counsel to the Corporation all communications, papers and documents in the possession of the Board relating to the application of the Suburban

Rapid Transit Company for permission to construct a bridge across and a pier or piers in the Harlem river, at or near Second avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, and the protest of the Second Avenue Railroad Company against the granting of said application, with a request that he advise the Board at his earliest convenience, as to its powers to lawfully grant the aforesaid application of the Suburban Rapid Transit Company.

Which, on a vote being taken, was not adopted, Commissioner Voorhis voting in the affirmative, and the President and Commissioner Vanderpoel in the negative.

The President then offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the resolution adopted December 4, 1882, whereby action on the application made by the Suburban Rapid Transit Railway Company was deferred, be and the same is hereby reconsidered and rescinded.

Which was adopted by the affirmative votes of the President and Commissioner Vanderpoel, Commissioner Voorhis voting in the negative.

The President also offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of the Department of Docks consents to and permits the erection by the Suburban Rapid Transit Company of the structures necessary for the crossing of the Harlem river, near Second avenue, by said company, as shown on the plan of such crossing this day filed in this Department, and signed by the president of said company, the said structure hereby permitted to be and remain only during the pleasure of this Board; also upon the express condition that the said company shall file in this office an agreement in writing, within five days after notice hereof, that they will pay as rent for the use of the bulkhead under the same, the sum of \$500 a year, from May 1, 1883, payable quarterly, in advance, for such period of time as the same may be permitted to remain.

Which was adopted by the affirmative votes of the President and Commissioner Vanderpoel, Commissioner Voorhis voting in the negative.

The President offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That in the opinion of this Board the piece of ground known as Coenties Slip being desirable for storage purposes, and that by making it applicable for that purpose it would relieve the wharf property in that section very much and greatly promote the interests of commerce, that the Counsel to the Corporation be requested to give his opinion as to the authority or right of this Department to lease the same for business purposes.

Commissioner Voorhis offered the following preamble and resolution as a substitute therefor, which, being accepted by the President, was unanimously adopted:

Whereas, Under the direction of the Board a crib bulkhead was constructed during the past year across Coenties Slip, on a line with the easterly side of South street, and the area embraced in said slip westerly of said new crib bulkhead has been filled in with earth to the grade of the adjoining streets, forming a quantity of land equal to about 32,000 square feet or 12 8-10 city lots, which can be utilized if required for the purposes of the city, or may be productive of revenue by a lease thereof for business purposes; therefore be it

Resolved, That the opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation be and hereby is requested as to the right of the Department of Docks to set aside or appropriate such reclaimed land for the uses of the city, or to lease the same for business purposes, at public auction or otherwise, as may be determined, and if no power as above expressed is vested in the Board that he advise as to what Department or branch of the city government the jurisdiction and control the said property should be assigned.

The President offered the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That George W. Nicholson be and hereby is appointed as Temporary Clerk, with compensation at the rate of \$1,000 per annum, to take effect from April 2d instant, and that he be assigned to duty with the Engineer-in-Chief.

Commissioner Vanderpoel offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Engineer-in-Chief be and hereby is directed to proceed at once with the dredging for the sites of piers to be built between new 57, North river, and northerly of West Thirtieth street.

Which was laid over for consideration.

On motion, the communication from the Ridgewood Ice Company, requesting permission to erect an ice bridge on Pier 43, East river, was taken from the table and referred to the President.

The President offered the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the Engineer-in-Chief be and hereby is directed to prepare, as soon as practicable, plans and specifications for the extension of the Pier at the foot of One Hundred and Thirty-first street, North river, seventy-five or one hundred feet in length, westerly from the end of the said pier as at present existing, and of such width as may be requisite to properly connect therewith.

On motion, the Engineer-in-Chief was authorized to expend, not to exceed \$150, for the construction of a float for the boat landing at Twenty-third street, North river, for use by the United States training ship "Minnesota."

Commissioner Voorhis presented the balance sheet for the month of March, 1883, and the Secretary was directed to transmit the same to the Comptroller of the City.

A communication from the Comptroller of the City, remitting the penalty imposed on Warren Roosevelt for delay in completing his contracts for repairing Piers 44, 46, 60, 61 and 62, East river, and for building crib bulkhead at Coenties Slip, East river, was received, read, and,

On motion, laid on the table.

Commissioner Voorhis, the Treasurer pro tem. of the Board, presented his report of receipts for the week ending April 3d inst, which was received, read, and,

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

DATE.	FROM WHOM.	FOR WHAT.	AMOUNT.	TOTAL.	DATE DEPOSITED.
1883.					1883.
Mar. 28	Corporation Counsel—Scott & Co	One quarter's rent, pier at 35th street, N. R. ....	\$1,125 00	\$1,125 00	Mar. 28
April 2	New York, Ontario and Western Railway Co. ....	Use of Borer Woodcock. ....	576 00		
" 2	Twenty-third Street Railway Co.	One month's rent of platform north of 23d street. ....	100 00		
" 2	Belloni & Co. ....	Test of cement. ....	10 00		
" 2	Funch, Edye & Co. ....	One quarter's rent, Pier, new 54, N. R. ....	5,000 00		
" 2	Wm. L. McConkey. ....	Wharfage, Dist. No. 1, E. R. ....	419 01		
" 2	James Fitzpatrick. ....	" 2, N. R. ....	236 62		
" 2	John Butler. ....	" 3, E. R. ....	229 05		
" 2	George W. Wanmaker. ....	" 1, N. R. ....	411 63		
" 3	Glen Cove Manufacturing Co. ...	One quarter's rent, platform between Piers 49 and 50, E. R. ...	250 00	6,982 31	April 2
			\$8,357 31	\$8,357 31	" 3.

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

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

Register No.	Estimated cost
4059. For repairing Dredge No. 3. ....	\$795 00
4060. For repairing Dredge No. 4. ....	" 795 00
4093. For services of dredges, scows, etc., foot West 55th street. ....	2,900 00
4094. For 2 coils manila rope. ....	" 256 00
4095. For 1 barrel lard oil. ....	" 53 00
4096. For 10 barrels Star pitch. ....	" 25 00
4097. For 3 dozen No. 2 steel shovels (Ames). ....	" 33 75
4098. For 1,000 cubic yards rip-rap. ....	620 00
4099. For 1,000 cubic yards cobbles. ....	980 00
4100. For 1 dozen maple handles for concrete rammers. ....	12 00
4101. For 35 pieces best quality Georgia yellow pine. ....	90 00
4102. For stationery, Engineer-in-Chief's office. ....	

Requisition No.

180. For 8 pieces clear white pine shelving. ....

On motion, John Burns was appointed as a watchman.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

JOHN T. CUMING, Secretary.



JOHN T. NAGLE, M. D., Deputy Register of Records.



## Births \* reported during the week ending April 7, 1883.

TOTAL	COLOR.		SEX.			NATIVITY OF PARENTS.								NAME OF CHILD.		
	White.	Colored.	Male.	Female.	Not stated.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign Father only.	Foreign Mother only.	NATIVITY OF FATHER STATED ONLY		NATIVITY OF MOTHER STATED ONLY		Not stated.	Stated.	Not stated.
										Native.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign.			
491	488	3	271	220	..	254	138	68	25	..	..	3	3	..	405	87

## Marriages \* reported during the week ending April 7, 1883.

TOTAL.	COLOR.				NATIVITY.								CONDITION.									
	WHITE.		COLORED.		FOREIGN.		NATIVE.		BORN AT SEA.		NOT STATED.		FIRST MARRIAGE.		SECOND MARRIAGE.		THIRD MARRIAGE.		FOURTH MARRIAGE.		NOT STATED.	
	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.
220	215	215	128	5	128	108	92	112	..	..	..	..	195	197	24	22	..	..	..	..	1	1

\* The returns of births, marriages, and still-births are incomplete.

## Nativity of those who were Married, and the Parents of the Births and Still-Births, for the week ending April 7, 1883, and those who Died (actual mortality), week ending March 31, 1883.

NATIVITY OF DECEASED.	COUNTRY.	DEATHS.		BIRTHS.		MARRIAGES.		STILL-BIRTHS.	
		Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.	Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.	Nativity of Groom.	Nativity of Bride.	Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.
9	Austria .....	21	19	8	7	10	8	..	..
5	British America .....	6	6	7	7	..	2	..	..
22	England .....	25	22	18	20	2	7	1	..
10	France .....	25	20	6	3	1	3	1	1
84	Germany .....	158	158	156	123	70	52	9	89
148	Ireland .....	261	256	61	62	20	13	7	..
11	Italy .....	26	26	8	8	1	1	3	3
6	Poland .....	1	2	8	6	1	1	..	..
6	Scotland .....	16	12	8	5	5	2	..	..
1	Switzerland .....	3	2	3	3	..	1	..	..
419	United States .....	146	164	163	209	92	112	17	19
2	Unknown or not stated .....	36	39	..	..	..	..	3	1
..	West Indies .....	2	1	..	..	1	..	..	..
10	Other countries .....	15	12	39	42	17	18	..	..

## Still-Births reported during the week ending April 7, 1883.

TOTAL.	SEX.			COLOR.		NATIVITY OF						PERIOD OF UTERO-GESTATION.										
	Male.	Female.	Not stated.	White.	Colored.	FATHER.			MOTHER.			MONTH.										Unknown or stated
						Native.	Foreign.	Not stated.	Native.	Foreign.	Not stated.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
41	26	15	..	39	2	17	21	3	19	21	1	..	..	1	5	2	8	5	4	16	..	..

## Deaths reported during the week ending April 7, 1883.

TOTAL.	PLACE OF DEATH.													RESIDENCE.		CONDITION.						
	Institutions.	Tenement-houses (four families or more).	Houses containing three families or less.	Hotels and Boarding-houses.	In Rivers, Streets, Boats, etc.	Not stated.	FLOORS.							New York City.	Outside New York City.	Not stated. †	STATED.			Not stated.		
							Basement.	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.				Top.	Single.	Married.		Widowed.	
746	161	404	168	7	4	..	13	123	177	151	81	33	1	..	..	733	13	..	105	193	98	350

† Principally children and deaths in institutions.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 11th day of April, 1883.  
Present—Commissioners French, Nichols, Mason, and Matthews.

## Leave of Absence Granted.

Patrolman Martin Fay, Mounted Squad, three months, without pay.  
The following applications for promotion to Second Grade were referred to the Superintendent report as to efficiency, etc.:

Patrolman John T. Cole, Thirteenth Precinct.

“ Patrick F. Gargan, Twenty-first Precinct.

“ Thomas F. Hayes, Twenty-seventh Precinct.

Application of Patrolman Michael McLaughlin, Twenty-first Precinct, for leave to employ counsel, was granted.

Communication from R. J. Morrison, for Corporation Counsel, relative to claim of Thomas H. Sullivan, executor of estate of Patrick H. Calhoun, for back sick pay, was referred to the Chief Clerk to answer.

Communication from John Gillen, protesting against his retirement upon \$450 per year, was ordered on file.

On reading communication from the Corporation Counsel, it was  
Resolved, That the amended writ of mandamus in case of James Cowan, be referred to the Treasurer for payment.

Resolved, That the Treasurer be and is hereby directed to pay to Ellen Lahey, widow of late Patrolman William Lahey, the amount withheld from her husband on account of sick time—all aye.

Resolved, That the communication from the Counsel to the Corporation relative to Patrolman Edward Hussey, Fourth Precinct, be referred to the Superintendent, with the direction to make charges against the officer.

Resolved, That Rivington M. Wood be and he is hereby appointed Doorman, and assigned to the Twenty-first Precinct for duty.

Resolved, That Roundsman William R. Haughey, Twenty-ninth Precinct, be and he is hereby promoted to the rank of Sergeant, and assigned to the Twenty-third Precinct for duty.

## Transfer.

Sergeant Thomas C. Huff, from Twenty-third Precinct to Thirty-fourth Precinct.

In the matter of  
Application of Thomas J. Curley for mandamus. } Affidavit and notice of motion for reinstatement.  
Referred to the Corporation Counsel.  
Commissioner Matthews here retired.

Resolved, That John F. Harriot be and he is hereby appointed Property Clerk in this Department, with compensation of \$2,000 per annum—this appointment to take effect upon filing a bond in the amount of \$25,000 (with two sureties) in pursuance of Rule 630 as amended—in place of Charles A. St. John, whose resignation is hereby accepted—all present voting aye.

Adjourned.

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, April 13, 1883.

THOMAS COSTIGAN, Esq., Supervisor City Record:

SIR—Pursuant to section 44, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, I hereby submit the following list of appointments, and applicants for appointment, in the Police Department of the City of New York, for the nine weeks ending Thursday, April 12, 1883:

## Appointments.

As Laborer, T. Morrison.  
As Doorman, Edward Travers.  
“ Rivington M. Wood.  
As Property Clerk, John F. Harriot.

## Applicants for Appointment as Patrolmen.

George Wendel, clerk, 411 East Ninth street. Passed.  
John Kenny, laborer, 739 East Ninth street. Passed.  
Michael F. Cusack, laborer, 16 Washington street. Rejected.  
William Smith, weaver, 224 West Sixteenth street. Rejected.  
Patrick J. Hinchy, bartender, 176 East One Hundred and Eleventh street. Passed.  
Albert W. Robinson, hackman, 3 Bridge street. Passed.  
Timothy Brosnan, machinist, 6 Dover street. Rejected.  
Charles Johnson, morocco finisher, 314 East Seventy-third street. Passed.  
Edward J. Hevey, plasterer, 899 First avenue. Passed.  
William Kennedy, waiter, 46 Grand street. Passed.  
William H. Genet, ex-policeman, 116 East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street. Passed.  
William S. Tilston, stage driver, 338 Ninth avenue. Passed.  
John Jose, seaman, 105 Cherry street. Passed.  
Michael Florey, clerk, 82 East Third street. Rejected.  
Alexander Shields, truckman, 250 West Twenty-eighth street. Rejected.  
George H. Stephenson, fireman, 1264 First avenue. Passed.  
John Ryan, bath attendant, 311 Seventh avenue. Passed.  
Charles Reiser, teamster, 100 Essex street. Passed.  
John Cusick, Jr., ex-policeman, 413 West street. Passed.  
Patrick J. Smith, mechanic, 10 Prince street. Rejected.  
Thomas F. Murphy, sawyer, 260 Division street. Rejected.  
William Shevlin, teamster, 508 West Sixteenth street. Passed.  
Michael Cuff, laborer, 307 East Fifty-sixth street. Rejected.  
William E. Kirkland, conductor, 2331 Second avenue. Rejected.  
Samuel Bailey, salesman, 213 East Twenty-first street. Passed.  
John T. Breen, clerk, 43 Division street. Rejected.  
John P. Boinford, foreman, 62 Columbia street. Rejected.  
John Kirzinger, barber, 403 East Fourteenth street. Passed.  
George T. Sherwood, painter, 10 Prince street. Passed.  
Edward S. Walsh, teamster, 645 East Twelfth street. Passed.  
Thomas Baily, conductor, 1103 Third avenue. Rejected.  
James Goodwin, car driver, 238 Avenue A. Passed.  
John J. Butler, machine operator, 244 Elizabeth street. Passed.  
Thomas F. O'Rourke, printer, 58 Leroy street. Rejected.  
Charles Wirely, express, 236 East Thirty-first street. Rejected.  
John J. Fitzpatrick, porter, 1945 Third avenue. Passed.  
Herman Solms, teamster, 514 East Fourteenth street. Passed.  
Thomas Byrne, bar-tender, 208 Elm street. Passed.  
George Deecken, manufacturer, 215 Seventh street. Rejected.

Respectfully submitted,

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

## APPROVED PAPERS.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 20, 1883.  
Approved by the Mayor, April 2, 1883.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 20, 1883.  
Approved by the Mayor, April 2, 1883.



## OFFICIAL DIRECTORY

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

## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

*Mayor's Office.*  
No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 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. 13½ City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
HENRY WOLTMAN, Registrar.

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

## LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

*Office of Clerk of Common Council.*  
No. 8 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN REILLY, President Board of Aldermen.  
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.  
*City Library.*  
No. 12 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

*Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.*  
MARTIN J. 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 CADDY, Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.

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

THOMAS F. DeVOR, 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 Bureau of Elections.

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.  
*Central Office.*

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

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

## Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

## Bureau of Fire Marshal.

GEORGE H. SHELTON, Fire Marshal.

## Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

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

## Attorney to Department.

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

## Fire Alarm Telegraph.

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

## Repair Shops.

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

## Hospital Stables.

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

## HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

No. 36 Union Square, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
EDWARD P. BARKER, Secretary.

## Civil and Topographical Office.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
WILLIAM 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. 11½, 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.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.  
No. 66 Third Avenue,  
NEW YORK, April 13, 1883.

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

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—William Barrett, aged 44 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; dark brown hair; dark eyes. Had on when admitted brown coat, gray pants and vest, white shirt, gaiters.

Ellen Hanley, aged 40 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; black hair; brown eyes. Had on when admitted black shawl, striped calico dress, black straw hat.

At Work-house, Blackwell's Island—Christian F. Ties, aged 66 years. Committed February 8, 1883.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Margaret Ewen, aged 53 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; gray hair; brown eyes.

Michael McKenna, aged 54 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; blue eyes; brown hair. Had on when admitted black coat, brown mixed pants and vest, black Derby hat.

Kate Rogers, aged 24 years; 5 feet 3 inches high; blue eyes, brown hair. Had on when admitted black dress, brown check sacque, buttoned shoes.

John Thompson, aged 48 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; gray eyes, dark hair. Had on when admitted blue overcoat, brown knit jacket, blue vest, dark mixed pants.

Daniel Deever, colored; aged 75 years; 5 feet 2 inches high; brown eyes, gray hair. Had on when admitted black overcoat, black coat, dark mixed pants, black Derby hat.

Dominic Mitali; aged 30 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; brown eyes and hair. Had on when admitted black frock coat, dark mixed pants and vest, blue overalls, black Derby hat.

At Hart's Island Hospital—Mary A. Crow; aged 40 years.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.  
By order.

G. F. BRITTON,

Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 Third Avenue,  
NEW YORK, March 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; aged 73 years; 5 feet ½ inch high; gray hair; blue eyes.

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

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

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

Michael Callahan; aged 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 Pietor; 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; aged 57 years; brown eyes and hair.

Jennie Bennett; aged 36 years; 5 feet 1 ¼ 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 ZEITUNG 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.

## CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

No. 1. Sewer in Fortieth street, between Tenth avenue and Hudson river, with alterations and improvements to existing sewers.

No. 2. Extension of sewers in Forty-fourth and Forty-fifth streets at Hudson river, with alterations to existing sewers in Sewerage District No. 2.

No. 3. Regulating and grading One Hundred and Seventeenth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

No. 4. Sewer in One Hundred and Fifteenth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

No. 5. Paving Eighty-seventh street, between First avenue and Avenue A.

No. 6. Paving One Hundred and Second street, between Third and Lexington avenues.

No. 7. Paving One Hundred and Third street, between Second and Lexington avenues.

No. 8. Paving One Hundred and Twelfth street, between Fourth and Madison avenues.

No. 9. Paving Eighty-fourth street, between Eighth and Tenth avenues.

No. 10. Paving intersection of Fourth avenue and One Hundred and Twelfth street.

No. 11. Sewer in One Hundred and Sixteenth street, between Eighth and New avenues (between Eighth and Ninth avenues).

No. 12. Sewer in Ninety-second street, between First and Second avenues, from end of present sewer in First avenue.

No. 13. Regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, from Manhattan street to Boulevard.

No. 14. Regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging Eighty-second street, between Avenue A and Avenue B.

No. 15. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Fifteenth street, from Tenth to Morning-side avenue.

No. 16. Regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging One Hundred and Twelfth street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

No. 17. Curbing and flagging Eighty-seventh street, between Eighth and Tenth avenues.

No. 18. Flagging One Hundred and Nineteenth street, between Second and Third avenues.

No. 19. Fencing vacant lots on west side of Sixth avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-second and One Hundred and Twenty-third streets; south side of One Hundred and Twenty-third street and north side of One Hundred and Twenty-second street, 140 feet west of Sixth avenue.

No. 20. Fencing vacant lots both sides of Seventy-first street and Seventy-second street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, and both sides of Eighth and Ninth avenues, between Seventy-first and Seventy-second streets.

No. 21. Paving One Hundred and Eighteenth street, from Third to Fourth avenue.

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

No. 1. Property situated between the north side of Thirty-third street and south side of Fifty-fourth street, and between Fifth avenue and Hudson river; also property between north side of Fifty-fourth street and south side of Sixty-first street, from (and including) east side of Seventh avenue to (and including) west side of Ninth avenue.

No. 2. Property situated between the north side of Thirty-third street and south side of Fifty-fourth street, and between Fifth avenue and Hudson river; also property between north side of Fifty-fourth street and south side of Sixty-first street, from (and including) east side of Seventh avenue to (and including) west side of Ninth avenue.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Seventeenth street, from Fifth to Sixth avenue.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifteenth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

No. 5. Both sides of Eighty-seventh street, between First avenue and Avenue A, and to the extent of half of the block at the intersection of said avenues.

No. 6. Both sides of One Hundred and Second street, from Third to Lexington avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersection of said avenues.

No. 7. Both sides of One Hundred and Third street, from Second to Lexington avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersection of said avenues.

No. 8. Both sides of One Hundred and Twelfth street, between Fourth and Madison avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersection of said avenues.

No. 9. Both sides of Eighty-fourth street, from Eighth to Tenth avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersection of said avenues.

No. 10. Both sides of One Hundred and Twelfth street, extending half way between Fourth and Madison avenues and Fourth and Lexington avenues; also both sides of Fourth avenue to the extent of half the block between One Hundred and Twelfth and One Hundred and Thirteenth and One Hundred and Twelfth and One Hundred and Eleventh streets.

No. 11. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixteenth street, between Eighth and New avenues; also block bounded by One Hundred and Fifteenth and One Hundred and Sixteenth streets, Eighth and New avenues, (between Eighth and Ninth avenues).

No. 12. Block bounded by Ninety-first and Ninety-second streets, First and Second avenues, and both sides of Ninety-second street, between First and Second avenues.

No. 13. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, from Manhattan street to Boulevard.

No. 14. Both sides of Eighty-second street, between Avenues A and B.

No. 15. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifteenth street, from Tenth to Morning-side avenue.

No. 16. Both sides of One Hundred and Twelfth street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

No. 17. Both sides of Eighty-seventh street, between Eighth and Tenth avenues.

No. 18. Both sides of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, between Second and Third avenues.

No. 19. West side of Sixth avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-second and One Hundred and Twenty-third streets, and north side of One Hundred and Twenty-second and south side of One Hundred and Twenty-third streets, extending 140 feet westerly from Sixth avenue.

No. 20. Both sides of Seventy-first and Seventy-second streets, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

No. 21. Both sides of One Hundred and Eighteenth street, between Third and Fourth avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted as provided by law to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 15th May ensuing.

JOHN R. LYDECKER,

JOHN W. JACOBUS,

JOHN MULLALLY,

HENRY A. GUMBLETON,

Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 11½ City Hall,  
NEW YORK, April 13, 1883.

## GAS COMMISSION.

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

## PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR LIGHTING THE PUBLIC LAMPS.

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

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

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

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

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



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

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

The amount of security required is \$26,000. No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate Box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk, and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but, if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

FRANKLIN EDSON,

Mayor

ALLAN CAMPBELL,

Comptroller.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,

Commissioner of Public Works.

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,  
117 AND 119 DUANE STREET.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 181.)

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

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

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

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

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

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

	Feet B.M. measured in the work.
1. Yellow Pine Timber, 12"x12".....	7,662
" " " 8"x8".....	219
" " " 5"x10".....	12,170
" " " 4"x10".....	2,375
Total.....	22,533

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

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

N. B.—As the above-mentioned quantities, though stated with as much accuracy as is possible, in advance, are approximate only, bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become part of every estimate received: 1. Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal examination of the location of the proposed work, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

WILLIAM LAMBEER,  
JACOB VANDERPOEL,  
JOHN R. VOORHIS,

Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

Dated New York, April 6, 1883.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,  
117 AND 119 DUANE STREET.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 182.)

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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 both classes of the work before mentioned, which shall be actually performed, at the price therefor, to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

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

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

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

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

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

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

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned by the Comptroller to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded.

If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him by the Comptroller.

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

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

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

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

WILLIAM LAMBEER,  
JACOB VANDERPOEL,  
JOHN R. VOORHIS,

Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

Dated New York, April 6, 1883.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,  
117 AND 119 DUANE STREET.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 183.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR BUILDING A BULKHEAD PLATFORM AT THE FOOT OF ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTH STREET, HARLEM RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR BUILDING A BULKHEAD Platform, at the foot of One Hundred and Fourth street, Harlem river, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M., of

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

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

The bidder to whom the award is made shall give security for the faithful performance of the contract, in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance, in the sum of Five 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"x12".....	7,416
" " " 8"x8".....	267
" " " 5"x10".....	1,166
" " " 4"x10".....	7,500
Total.....	16,403

- Spruce, Yellow Pine, White Pine, or Cypress Piles, about..... 20
- White Pine Mooring Piles..... 2
- Oak Fender Piles..... 14

(It is expected that the bearing piles will be about 35 feet in length, but all of them must be of sufficient length to comply with the specifications for driving.)

- Half-round Oak Fenders..... 2
- 3/4"x22", 3/4"x16", 3/4"x12", 3/4"x10", and 3/4"x8", Square Wrought-iron Dock Spikes, about..... 1,152 pounds.
- 1" Wrought-iron Screw Bolts, about..... 233 pounds.
- Cast-iron Washers for 1" Screw Bolts, about..... 160 pounds.
- Stone Filling, about..... 160 cubic yds.

(About 10 cubic yards of this will be laid up in a rubble wall.)

- Earth or Gravel Filling, about..... 15 cu. yards.
- Labor of framing and carpentry, including all moving of timber, jointing, planing, bolting, spiking, painting, oiling or tarring, and furnishing the materials for painting, oiling or tarring, and labor of every description, for an area of about 1,500 square feet of bulkhead platform, and about 10 linear feet of open box-drain.

Labor of laying up about 50 cubic feet of random rubble wall, of depositing rip-rap and earth filling, of relaying flag-stones in pavement, now on site, but out of place, and of properly grading approach with gravel for about 30 linear feet, the width between the curb lines of the street.

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

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

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and the entire work is to be fully completed on or before the 30th day of June, 1883, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract or any part thereof may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

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

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

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

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

Each estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders 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 or persons making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation of the City of New York, any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled on its completion, and that which said Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount, in each case, to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work to be done by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his



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



## BOARD OF EDUCATION.

**SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY** the School Trustees of the Nineteenth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Friday, the 27th day of April, 1883, and until 4 o'clock P. M. on said day, for erecting two iron stairways to Grammar School-house No. 18, on East Fifty-first street, near Lexington avenue.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blanks for proposals and all necessary information may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand, corner of Elm street, third floor.

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

The party submitting a proposal, and the parties proposing to become sureties, must each write his name and place of residence on said proposal.

Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, are required in all cases.

No proposal will be considered from persons whose character and antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful.

CHARLES L. HOLT,  
ISAAC P. CHAMBERS,  
JOSEPH KOCH,  
ABRAHAM COWDNEY,  
C. E. SIMMONS, M. D.,  
Board of School Trustees, Nineteenth Ward.

Dated New York, April 12th, 1883.

**SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY** the School Trustees of the Twelfth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Thursday, the 26th day of April, 1883, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on said day, for the erection of a New School-house on the northeast corner of Avenue A, and East One Hundred and Nineteenth street.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blanks for proposals, and all necessary information may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand, corner of Elm street.

Proposals will be received *only* for the entire work and materials required for the erection of the building, and must be indorsed "Proposals for the Erection of a School-house on Avenue A, in the Twelfth Ward."

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

The party submitting a proposal, and the parties proposing to become sureties, must each write his name and place of residence on said proposal.

Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, are required in all cases.

No proposal will be considered from persons whose character and antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful.

ANDREW L. SOULARD,  
DAVID H. KNAPP,  
CHARLES CRARY,  
JOHN WHALEN,  
G. W. DEBEVOISE,  
Board of School Trustees, Twelfth Ward.

Dated New York, April 12, 1883.

**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 proposers. 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.

## 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 COTT,  
HENRY D. PURROY,  
Commissioners.  
CARL JUSSEN,  
Secretary

## SUPREME COURT.

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

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

Dated, New York, April 7, 1883.

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

Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

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

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

Dated New York, April 7, 1883.

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

Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

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

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

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, No. 73 William street, 3d 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, 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 in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, between Avenue St. Nicholas and Tenth avenue, in the City of New York.

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

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, No. 73 William street, 3d floor, in the said city, on or before the 16th day of May, 1883, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 16th day of May, 1883, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 2 o'clock P. M.

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

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Commencing at a point in the easterly side of Tenth avenue, distant southerly 99 feet and 11 inches from a point formed by the intersection of the southerly side of One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street with the easterly side of Tenth avenue; running thence easterly and parallel with One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street along the 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 2½ 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 Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of Beekman place, between Forty-ninth street and Fifty-first street in the City of New York.

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

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

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of Forty-ninth street distant three hundred and fifty (350) feet easterly from the easterly line of First avenue; thence northerly and parallel to First avenue two hundred 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 Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, between Avenue St. Nicholas and Tenth avenue.

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

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

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

Dated, New York, April 5, 1883.

GEORGE 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 Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Third street, from Eighth avenue to Riverside avenue, in the City of New York.

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

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these 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 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 a 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 as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated, New York, April 4, 1883.

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

Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.



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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, April 4, 1883.

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

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL** of the costs, charges, and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter will be presented for taxation and certification to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, to be held in the County Court-house, in the City and County of New York, on the third Monday of April, 1883, being the 15th 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") to the easterly line of Avenue B; thence northerly along said line sixty (60' 0") feet to the point or place of beginning.

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

Dated New York, March 27, 1883.  
GEORGE P. ANDREWS,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
Tryon Row, New York.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and 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.

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

Dated New York, March 6, 1883.  
WILLIAM F. SMITH,  
WILLIAM R. GRACE,  
JAMES D. FISH,  
Commissioners.

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

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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 lists for the opening of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, from First to Second avenue, and One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, from Eighth to St. Nicholas avenue, were confirmed by the Supreme Court on the twenty-ninth day of March, 1883, and entered on the third day of April, 1883, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents.

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

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Comptroller.

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

## NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

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

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Comptroller.

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

## NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

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

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Comptroller.

## INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

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

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Comptroller.

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

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

## NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

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

One Hundred and Second street regulating, grading, etc., from Fifth avenue to Harlem river.

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

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

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Comptroller.

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

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

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

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

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

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

## POSTPONEMENT.

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Comptroller.

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

## REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

**THE ATTENTION OF LAWYERS, REAL** Estate Owners, Monetary Institutions engaged in making loans upon real estate, and all who are interested in providing themselves with facilities for reducing the cost of examinations and searches, is invited to these Official Indices of Records, containing all recorded transfers of real estate in the City of New York from 1653 to 1887, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

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ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Comptroller