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LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

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BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

WEDNESDAY, November 26, 1884,
1 o'clock P. M.

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

PRESENT :

Hon. William P. Kirk, President.

ALDERMEN

Thomas Cleary,
Robert E. De Lacy,
Charles Dempsey,
Michael Duffy,
Patrick Farley,
Frederick Finck,
Ludolph A. Fullgraff,
Hugh J. Grant,

Henry W. Jaehne,
Patrick Kenney,
William H. Miller,
Francis McCabe,
Michael F. McLoughlin,
Arthur J. McQuade,
John O'Neil,

James Pearson,
Charles H. Reilly,
Thomas Rothman,
Henry L. Sayles,
Thomas Sheils,
Charles B. Waite,
Louis Wendel.

The minutes of the meeting of November 24, 1884, were read and approved.

MOIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

(G. O. 516.)

By Alderman McLoughlin—

Resolved, That the rooms in the County Court-house set apart for the use and occupation of the Justices of the Supreme Court for this district, be altered, painted, thoroughly fitted up and furnished, at an expense not to exceed the sum of \$15,000, to be charged respectively to the appropriations for "Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs" and "Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices" for the year 1885, or other appropriate account, without advertising for estimates or contracting therefor; the work to be done and supplies furnished under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, in a manner satisfactory to the Justices of said Court and subject to their approval.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Fullgraff—

Resolved, That Taesdale place, from North Third avenue to Trinity avenue, be regulated, graded, curbed and flagged, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Sheils—

Resolved, That Marcus Jacobs be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the President—

Resolved, That Arthur Kinnier be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, whose term of office will expire December 14, 1884.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative, as follows :

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Cleary, De Lacy, Dempsey, Duffy, Farley, Finck, Fullgraff, Grant, Kenney, Miller, McQuade, O'Neil, Reilly, Rothman, Sayles, Sheils, Waite, and Wendel—19.

By Alderman Cleary—

Resolved, That Christopher Callan be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Fullgraff—

Resolved, That Albert F. Schwannecke be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Peter P. Decker, who has failed to qualify.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative, as follows :

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Cleary, Dempsey, Duffy, Finck, Fullgraff, Grant, Kenney, Miller, McLoughlin, McQuade, O'Neil, Reilly, Rothman, Sayles, Sheils, Waite, and Wendel—18.

(G. O. 517.)

By Alderman Duffy—

Resolved, That the building on the southeasterly corner of Lexington avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth (125th) street be and is hereby designated as the place for holding the court for the District Court in the City of New York for the Ninth Judicial District, and that the Comptroller of the City of New York be and is hereby requested to take such legal measures as may be necessary to obtain a lease of the said premises for a period of ten years, at an annual rental not to exceed the sum of forty-five hundred dollars.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Grant—

Resolved, That Edward J. O'Gorman be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman McLoughlin—

Resignation of Alexander F. Rogers as a Commissioner of Deeds.

Which was accepted.

Whereupon Alderman McLoughlin offered the following :

Resolved, That Andrew Ward be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Alexander F. Rogers, resigned.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative, as follows :

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Cleary, De Lacy, Dempsey, Duffy, Farley, Finck, Fullgraff, Grant, Jaehne, Kenney, McLoughlin, McQuade, O'Neil, Pearson, Reilly, Rothman, Sayles, Sheils, and Wendel—20.

(G. O. 518.)

By Alderman Fullgraff—

Resolved, That Trinity avenue (Delmonico place), from Clifton or One Hundred and Sixty-first street to One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, be regulated and graded upon the established lines and grades, and that curb-stones be set, and a space four feet wide through the centre of the sidewalks be flagged, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

REPORTS.

(G. O. 519.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of laying Croton water-mains in One Hundred and Thirty-first street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That Croton water-mains be laid in One Hundred and Thirty-first street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue, as provided in chapter 381, Laws of 1879.

MICHAEL DUFFY, } Committee
HENRY L. SAYLES, } on
LOUIS WENDEL, } Public Works.
L. A. FULLGRAFF, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 520.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of laying Croton-mains in Ninety-fifth street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That Croton-mains be laid in Ninety-fifth street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue, as provided in chapter 381, Laws of 1879.

MICHAEL DUFFY, } Committee
HENRY L. SAYLES, } on
LOUIS WENDEL, } Public Works.
L. A. FULLGRAFF, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 521.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of laying water-mains in Kingsbridge road, from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to One Hundred and Ninetieth street, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized to lay water-mains on Kingsbridge road, from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to One Hundred and Ninetieth street, as provided by New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, sections 189 and 194.

MICHAEL DUFFY, } Committee
HENRY L. SAYLES, } on
LOUIS WENDEL, } Public Works.
L. A. FULLGRAFF, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 522.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of laying Croton-mains in One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That Croton water-mains be laid in One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, as provided for in chapter 381 of the Laws of the State of New York, 1879.

MICHAEL DUFFY, } Committee
HENRY L. SAYLES, } on
LOUIS WENDEL, } Public Works.
L. A. FULLGRAFF, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 523.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of laying gas-mains, etc., in Suburban street to Williamsbridge road, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in Suburban street, from where the present main terminates to the Williamsbridge road, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

MICHAEL DUFFY, } Committee
HENRY L. SAYLES, } on
LOUIS WENDEL, } Public Works.
L. A. FULLGRAFF, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 524.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from Public Drive to the Boulevard, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution and ordinance be adopted.

Resolved, That One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from Public Drive to Boulevard, be regulated, graded, curb-stones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

MICHAEL DUFFY, } Committee
HENRY L. SAYLES, } on
LOUIS WENDEL, } Public Works.
L. A. FULLGRAFF, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 525.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Sixty-first street, from Kingsbridge road to Public Drive, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution and ordinance be adopted.

Resolved, That One Hundred and Sixty-first street, from Kingsbridge road to Public Drive, be regulated, graded, curb-stones set and sidewalk flagged a space four feet wide, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

MICHAEL DUFFY, } Committee
HENRY L. SAYLES, } on
LOUIS WENDEL, } Public Works.
L. A. FULLGRAFF, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 526.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from St. Nicholas avenue to Public Drive, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution and ordinance be adopted.

Resolved, That One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from St. Nicholas avenue to Public Drive, be regulated and graded, curb-stones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

MICHAEL DUFFY, } Committee
HENRY L. SAYLES, } on
LOUIS WENDEL, } Public Works.
L. A. FULLGRAFF, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 527.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, from Tenth avenue to Kingsbridge road, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution and ordinance be adopted.

Resolved, That One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, from Tenth avenue to Kingsbridge road, be regulated, graded, curb-stones set, and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

MICHAEL DUFFY, } Committee
HENRY L. SAYLES, } on
LOUIS WENDEL, } Public Works.
L. A. FULLGRAFF, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 528.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of gas-mains, etc., being laid in One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, between Eighth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, from Eighth avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

MICHAEL DUFFY, } Committee
HENRY L. SAYLES, } on
LOUIS WENDEL, } Public Works.
L. A. FULLGRAFF, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 529.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from Tenth avenue to Edgecomb road, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution and ordinance be adopted.

Resolved, That One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from Tenth avenue to Edgecomb road, be regulated, graded, curb-stones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

MICHAEL DUFFY, } Committee
HENRY L. SAYLES, } on
LOUIS WENDEL, } Public Works.
L. A. FULLGRAFF, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 530.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of laying Croton-mains in Kingsbridge road, between Highbridge road and Williamsbridge road, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized to lay mains in Kingsbridge road, between Highbridge road and Williamsbridge road, as provided by New York City Consolidation Act, 1882, sections 189 and 194.

MICHAEL DUFFY, } Committee
HENRY L. SAYLES, } on
LOUIS WENDEL, } Public Works.
L. A. FULLGRAFF, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 531.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of laying Croton-mains in One Hundredth street, from Tenth avenue to Riverside Drive, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That Croton-mains be laid in One Hundredth street, from Tenth avenue to the Riverside Drive, as provided in chapter 381, Laws of 1879.

MICHAEL DUFFY, } Committee
HENRY L. SAYLES, } on
LOUIS WENDEL, } Public Works.
L. A. FULLGRAFF, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 532.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution and ordinance be adopted.

Resolved, That One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, from Tenth avenue to the Public Drive, be regulated and graded, curb-stones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

MICHAEL DUFFY, } Committee
HENRY L. SAYLES, } on
LOUIS WENDEL, } Public Works.
L. A. FULLGRAFF, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 533.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., Fifty-fifth street, from Avenue A to East river, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution and ordinance be adopted.

Resolved, That Fifty-fifth street, from Avenue A to the East river, be regulated and graded, curb-stones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

MICHAEL DUFFY, } Committee
HENRY L. SAYLES, } on
LOUIS WENDEL, } Public Works.
L. A. FULLGRAFF, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 534.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution and ordinance be adopted.

Resolved, That One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue, be regulated and graded, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

MICHAEL DUFFY, } Committee
HENRY L. SAYLES, } on
LOUIS WENDEL, } Public Works.
L. A. FULLGRAFF, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 535.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of laying Croton water-mains in Ninety-ninth street, from the Boulevard to West End avenue, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That Croton water-mains be laid in Ninety-ninth street, from the Boulevard to West End avenue, as provided in chapter 381, Laws of 1879.

MICHAEL DUFFY, } Committee
HENRY L. SAYLES, } on
LOUIS WENDEL, } Public Works.
L. A. FULLGRAFF, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 536.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of paving One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from St. Nicholas place to St. Nicholas avenue, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution and ordinance be adopted.

Resolved, That the roadway of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from Avenue St. Nicholas to the easterly curb-line of St. Nicholas place, extended, be paved with granite-block pavement, with a foundation of broken stone, thoroughly rolled, and that crosswalks be laid at the terminating avenues, where required; also that such grading and the construction of such retaining-walls as may be necessary to perform the work herein mentioned shall be done in connection therewith, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

MICHAEL DUFFY, } Committee
HENRY L. SAYLES, } on
LOUIS WENDEL, } Public Works.
L. A. FULLGRAFF, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 537.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Sixtieth street, from Kingsbridge road to Public Drive, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution and ordinance be adopted.

Resolved, That One Hundred and Sixtieth street, from Kingsbridge road to Public Drive, be regulated, graded, curb-stones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

MICHAEL DUFFY, } Committee
HENRY L. SAYLES, } on
LOUIS WENDEL, } Public Works.
L. A. FULLGRAFF, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 538.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., Ninety-second street, from Boulevard to Riverside Drive, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution and ordinance be adopted.

Resolved, That Ninety-second street, from Boulevard to Riverside Drive, be regulated, graded, curbed and flagged, a space four feet wide, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

MICHAEL DUFFY, } Committee
HENRY L. SAYLES, } on
LOUIS WENDEL, } Public Works.
L. A. FULLGRAFF, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 539.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Seventieth street, from Edgecomb road to Ridge road, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution and ordinance be adopted.

Resolved, That One Hundred and Seventieth street, from Edgecomb road to Ridge road, be regulated, graded, curb-stones set, and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

MICHAEL DUFFY, } Committee
HENRY L. SAYLES, } on
LOUIS WENDEL, } Public Works.
L. A. FULLGRAFF, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 540.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Fiftieth street, from New avenue to Public Drive, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution and ordinance be adopted.

Resolved, That One Hundred and Fiftieth street, from New avenue to Public Drive, be regulated and graded, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

lated, graded, curb-stones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

MICHAEL DUFFY, } Committee
HENRY L. SAYLES, } on
LOUIS WENDEL, } Public Works.
L. A. FULLGRAFF, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 541.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., Washington street, from Twelfth to Fourteenth street, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution and ordinance be adopted.

Resolved, That Washington street, from Twelfth to Fourteenth street, be regulated and graded, curb-stones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

MICHAEL DUFFY, } Committee
HENRY L. SAYLES, } on
LOUIS WENDEL, } Public Works.
L. A. FULLGRAFF, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 542.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Thirty-third street, from Eighth to St. Nicholas avenue, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution and ordinance be adopted.

Resolved, That One Hundred and Thirty-third street, between Eighth and St. Nicholas avenues, be regulated and graded, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

MICHAEL DUFFY, } Committee
HENRY L. SAYLES, } on
LOUIS WENDEL, } Public Works.
L. A. FULLGRAFF, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 543.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, from Tenth avenue to Public Drive, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution and ordinance be adopted.

Resolved, That One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, from Tenth avenue to Public Drive, be regulated, graded, curb-stones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

MICHAEL DUFFY, } Committee
HENRY L. SAYLES, } on
LOUIS WENDEL, } Public Works.
L. A. FULLGRAFF, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 544.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of laying Croton water-mains in Seventy-first street, between Boulevard and Eleventh avenue, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution and ordinance be adopted.

Resolved, That Croton water-mains be laid in Seventy-first street, between Boulevard and Eleventh avenue, as provided in chapter 381, Laws of 1879.

MICHAEL DUFFY, } Committee
HENRY L. SAYLES, } on
LOUIS WENDEL, } Public Works.
L. A. FULLGRAFF, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 545.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of regulating and grading One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street between North Third avenue and Grove avenue, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution and ordinance be adopted.

Resolved, That One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, between North Third avenue and Grove avenue, be regulated and graded, under the direction of the Commissioners of Public Parks; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

MICHAEL DUFFY, } Committee
HENRY L. SAYLES, } on
LOUIS WENDEL, } Public Works.
L. A. FULLGRAFF, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 546.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of regulating and grading One Hundred and Forty-second street, between St. Ann's and Brook avenues, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution and ordinance be adopted.

Resolved, That One Hundred and Forty-second street, between St. Ann's and Brook avenues, be regulated and graded, under the direction of the Commissioners of Public Parks; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

MICHAEL DUFFY, } Committee
HENRY L. SAYLES, } on
LOUIS WENDEL, } Public Works.
L. A. FULLGRAFF, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 547.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Forty-first street, from St. Ann's to Brook avenue, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution and ordinance be adopted.

Resolved, That One Hundred and Forty-first street, between St. Ann's and Brook avenues, be regulated and graded, under the direction of the Commissioners of Public Parks; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

MICHAEL DUFFY, } Committee
HENRY L. SAYLES, } on
LOUIS WENDEL, } Public Works.
L. A. FULLGRAFF, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 548.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., West End avenue, from Ninety-sixth to Ninety-seventh street, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution and ordinance be adopted.

Resolved, That West End avenue, from Ninety-sixth to Ninety-seventh street, be regulated, graded, curbed and flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

MICHAEL DUFFY, } Committee
HENRY L. SAYLES, } on
LOUIS WENDEL, } Public Works.
L. A. FULLGRAFF, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 549.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from North Third avenue to Grove avenue, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution and ordinance be adopted.

Resolved, That One Hundred and Sixty-third street, between North Third avenue and Grove avenue, be regulated and graded, under the direction of the Commissioners of Public Parks; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

MICHAEL DUFFY, } Committee
HENRY L. SAYLES, } on
LOUIS WENDEL, } Public Works.
L. A. FULLGRAFF, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 550.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolutions and ordinance in favor of improving Eleventh avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to Kingsbridge road, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolutions and ordinance be adopted.

Resolved, That in that portion of Eleventh avenue extending from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to the intersection of said Eleventh avenue with Kingsbridge road there shall be laid out parks or centre pieces thirty-two feet in width in the centre of said avenue, and extending in length the distance respectively between the house-line of the intersecting streets, terminating at each end by circular curves with a diameter of thirty-two feet.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized to surround these parks with a granite coping, with beveled edges eight inches in width, and that he be and he is hereby authorized to pave the roadways of the said avenue with Macadam pavement, with Telford foundation, except that the gutter be paved four feet wide with trap-block pavement on all sides of said roadways, and that the space included between the line of the gutter adjoining the sidewalks and the crosswalks of the intersecting streets be also paved with trap-block pavement; also, that the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized to plant elm trees in suitable garden mould, surrounded by suitable iron tree boxes, in such system, and with such spaces as may be necessary to produce the most ornamental effect, and also that crosswalks be laid across the intersecting streets within the lines of the respective sidewalks of the said avenue; the work to be done under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

MICHAEL DUFFY, } Committee
HENRY L. SAYLES, } on
LOUIS WENDEL, } Public Works.
L. A. FULLGRAFF, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 551.)

The Committee on Street Pavements, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of paving Tenth avenue, from Seventy-fourth to One Hundred and Tenth street, with granite blocks, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution and ordinance be adopted.

Resolved, That the roadway of Tenth avenue, from Seventy-fourth to One Hundred and Tenth street, be paved with granite-block pavement and that crosswalks be laid where required, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

PATRICK KENNEY, } Committee
JOHN O'NEIL, } on
WILLIAM H. MILLER, } Street Pavements.

Which was laid over.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The President called up G. O. 496, being a resolution, as follows :

Resolved, That Croton-mains be laid in Riverside Drive, from One Hundred and Eighth to One Hundred and Thirteenth street, as provided in chapter 381, Laws of 1879.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Cleary, De Lacy, Dempsey, Duffy, Farley, Finck, Fullgraff, Grant, Jaehue, Kenney, Miller, McQuade, O'Neil, Pearson, Reilly, Rothman, Sayles, Sheils, Waite, and Wendel—21.

Alderman Pearson called up G. O. 483, being a resolution, as follows :

Resolved, That the avenue commonly known as Kingsbridge road, being the extension of Avenue St. Nicholas, north from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and intersecting Tenth avenue at or near One Hundred and Sixty-first street, shall hereafter be known and designated as Avenue St. Nicholas, and that the roadway of said avenue, between One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and its intersection with Tenth avenue, be and it is hereby established at and with a width of fifty-five feet.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Alderman Pearson called up G. O. 438, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows :

Resolved, That the sidewalk on the east side of Madison avenue, from Seventy-ninth to Eightieth street, be regulated and graded so as to lay an additional course of flagging four feet wide, and that said additional course be laid between the above-described limits, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Cleary, De Lacy, Dempsey, Duffy, Farley, Finck, Fullgraff, Grant, Kenney, Miller, McLoughlin, McQuade, O'Neil, Pearson, Reilly, Rothman, Sayles, Sheils, Waite, and Wendel—21.

REPORTS RESUMED.

Your Committee, to whom was referred the petition of the Chambers Street and Grand Street Ferry Railroad Company for consent to construct, maintain and operate a street surface railroad upon certain streets named in the petition, do respectfully

REPORT :

There were many hearings before your Committee, which were attended by parties interested for and against the proposed road. It is the opinion of your Committee that the prayer of the petition should be granted.

The proposed railroad will furnish direct and much needed communication between the North and East rivers, at points furnishing the greatest accommodation to the public. The road will connect Grand Street Ferry, Roosevelt Street Ferry and James Slip Ferry on the East river with Pavonia Avenue Ferry, foot of Chambers street on the North river, thereby connecting Long Island and its railroad system with the Erie Railroad, and will also supply to the public the only means of crossing the city, from river to river, by a direct route by railroad south of Canal and Walker streets. The railroad of the petitioner is to be a single track road in Chambers and Duane streets, thereby obviating the objections urged against a double track railroad in those streets.

Your Committee therefore offer the accompanying resolution for adoption.

Resolved, That the consent of this Board be and the same is hereby given and granted and the consent, permission and authority of the Common Council is hereby given to the Chambers Street and Grand Street Railroad Company, to construct, maintain and operate a street surface railroad, with the necessary sidings, switches, turn-outs and turn-tables, through, upon and along the surface of the following-named slip, streets and highways in the City of New York, to wit :

Commencing at the foot of Roosevelt street, East river; thence through, upon and along South street, with double tracks to James Slip; thence through, upon and along James Slip, with double tracks to New Chambers street; thence through, upon and along New Chambers street to Chatham

street, with double tracks; thence across Chatham street to Chambers street, with single track; thence through, upon and along Chambers street with single track to Pavonia Avenue Ferry, foot of Chambers street, North river; thence returning, with single or double tracks through, upon and along West street to Duane street; thence through, upon and along Duane street, with single track to and across Chatham street to connect with their double tracks at New Chambers street. Also from New Chambers street, at Madison street, through, upon and along Madison street, with double tracks to Grand street; thence through, upon and along Grand street, with double or single tracks to the ferry at the foot of Grand street. Also from Madison street, at Jackson street, through, upon and along Jackson street, with double or single tracks to Cherry street; thence through, upon and along Cherry street, with double or single tracks to the East river; thence through, upon and along East street, with double or single tracks, to connect with their tracks at the foot of Grand street, East river.

The foregoing consent, authority and permission is given and granted to said company upon the following conditions:

First—The said railroad shall be operated by horse-power.

Second—The said railroad and the said sidings, switches, turn-outs and turn tables, shall be constructed upon the best plan for the construction of street surface railroads, sidings, switches, turn-outs and turn-tables in use in said city at the date of their construction, and the material used in such construction shall be of the best quality and of the most approved pattern, which plan of construction, quality and pattern of material, number and location of sidings, switches, turn-outs and turn-tables, shall be subject to the approval of the Commissioner of Public Works of said city.

Third—The said corporation shall comply with each and every of the provisions of chapter 252 of the Laws of 1884 pertinent thereto.

Fourth—The foregoing consent is given and granted upon the express condition, that the provisions of chapter 252 of the Laws of 1884 pertinent thereto shall be complied with.

M. F. McLOUGHLIN,
CHARLES DEMPSEY, Committee
WILLIAM H. MILLER, on
ROBERT E. DE LACY, Railroads.
C. B. WAITE,

Alderman Grant moved that the report be laid over.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the negative.

The President then put the question whether the Board would agree to accept the report and adopt the resolution reported by the Committee.

Which was decided in the affirmative, on a division called by Alderman Grant, as follows:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Cleary, De Lacy, Dempsey, Duffy, Farley, Finck, Fullgraff, Jaehne, Kenney, Miller, McCabe, McLoughlin, McQuade, O'Neil, Pearson, Reilly, Rothman, Sayles, Sheils, Waite, and Wendel—22.

Negative—Alderman Grant—1.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

By Alderman Finck—

Resolved, That William H. Leonard be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Charles E. Chase, whose term of office has expired.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Cleary, De Lacy, Dempsey, Duffy, Farley, Finck, Fullgraff, Grant, Jaehne, Kenney, Miller, McCabe, McQuade, O'Neil, Pearson, Reilly, Rothman, Sayles, Sheils, Waite, and Wendel—22.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS RESUMED.

Alderman McQuade called up G. O. 501, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Bechstein & Co. to extend vault in front of their premises, Nos. 3 and 5 Leonard street, a distance of three feet beyond the curb-line, as shown in the accompanying diagram, upon payment of the usual fee, provided the work be done in a durable and substantial manner, and that the said Bechstein & Co. shall stipulate with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the city harmless from any loss or damage that may occur in consequence of the building or extension of said vault during the progress or subsequent to the completion of the work, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Alderman McQuade called up G. O. 515, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in One Hundred and Seventieth street, from Third avenue to Washington avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Cleary, De Lacy, Dempsey, Duffy, Farley, Finck, Fullgraff, Grant, Jaehne, Kenney, Miller, McQuade, O'Neil, Pearson, Reilly, Rothman, Sayles, Waite, and Wendel—20.

Alderman Dempsey called up G. O. 435, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That an improved iron fountain (for man and beast) be placed on the southwest corner of Third avenue and Eighty-ninth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Cleary, De Lacy, Dempsey, Duffy, Farley, Finck, Fullgraff, Grant, Jaehne, Kenney, Miller, McCabe, McLoughlin, McQuade, O'Neil, Pearson, Reilly, Rothman, Sayles, Sheils, and Wendel—22.

Alderman Dempsey called up G. O. 419, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Michael Evers to erect two gas-lamps in front of his premises, No. 1414 Third avenue, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Sheils moved that the Board do now adjourn.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the negative.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Wendel called up G. O. 490, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in Forty-sixth street, between Eleventh avenue and North river, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Cleary, De Lacy, Dempsey, Duffy, Farley, Finck, Fullgraff, Grant, Jaehne, Kenney, McQuade, O'Neil, Pearson, Reilly, Rothman, Sayles, Sheils, Waite, and Wendel—20.

The President called up G. O. 480, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the roadway of Ninth avenue, from Seventy-seventh to One Hundredth street, be paved with granite-block pavement, with a foundation of broken stone thoroughly rolled, and that crosswalks be laid at the intersecting and terminating streets, where required, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen De Lacy, Dempsey, Duffy, Farley, Finck, Fullgraff, Grant, Jaehne, Kenney, Miller, McQuade, O'Neil, Pearson, Reilly, Rothman, Sheils, Waite, and Wendel—19.

Alderman Wendel called up G. O. 462, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the roadway of Eighty-eighth street, from First to Second avenue, be paved with granite-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at the terminating avenue, where required, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

(Alderman Waite was here called to the chair.)

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Cleary, De Lacy, Dempsey, Duffy, Farley, Finck, Fullgraff, Grant, Jaehne, Kenney, Miller, McQuade, O'Neil, Pearson, Reilly, Rothman, Sayles, Sheils, Waite, and Wendel—21.

Alderman Kenney called up G. O. 454, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to J. Christian G. Hupfel to lay a six-inch iron pipe in East Thirty-eighth street, for the purpose of conveying salt water only, from the East river to his premises, No. 227 East Thirty-eighth street, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Alderman Kenney called up G. O. 444, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the roadway of Forty-first street, from First avenue to the East river, be regulated, graded, curbed, and flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Cleary, De Lacy, Dempsey, Duffy, Farley, Finck, Fullgraff, Jaehne, Kenney, Miller, McQuade, O'Neil, Pearson, Reilly, Rothman, Sayles, Sheils, Waite, and Wendel—19.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Duffy moved that this Board do now adjourn.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the negative.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Waite called up G. O. 474, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to T. H. Lee to lay a crosswalk of two courses of blue stone across Sixth avenue, from opposite No. 363 to No. 364, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Finck moved that this Board do now adjourn.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the negative, on a division called by Alderman Fullgraff, as follows:

Affirmative—Aldermen Dempsey, Farley, Finck, Pearson, Rothman, and Wendel—6.

Negative—Aldermen De Lacy, Duffy, Fullgraff, Grant, Jaehne, Kenney, Miller, McQuade, Reilly, Sayles, and Waite—11.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Grant called up G. O. 475, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That One Hundred and Twelfth street, from Eighth to New avenue, be regulated, graded, curb-stones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen De Lacy, Dempsey, Duffy, Farley, Finck, Fullgraff, Grant, Jaehne, Kenney, Miller, McQuade, Pearson, Reilly, Rothman, Sayles, Waite, and Wendel—18.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Miller moved that the Board do now adjourn.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the negative.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Grant called up G. O. 440, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That One Hundred and Thirty-third street, from Eighth avenue to St. Nicholas avenue, be regulated and graded, curb-stones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote, three-fourths of all the members not voting in favor thereof:

Affirmative—Aldermen De Lacy, Dempsey, Duffy, Farley, Finck, Fullgraff, Grant, Jaehne, Kenney, Miller, McQuade, Pearson, Reilly, Rothman, Sayles, Waite, and Wendel—17.

On motion of Alderman Grant the above vote was reconsidered and the paper again laid over.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Pearson moved that the Board do now adjourn.

The President pro tem. put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

Affirmative—Aldermen De Lacy, Duffy, Farley, Grant, McQuade, Pearson, Rothman, Sayles, Waite, and Wendel—10.

Negative—Aldermen Dempsey, Finck, Fullgraff, Jaehne, Kenney, Miller, and Reilly—7.

And the President pro tem. announced that the Board stood adjourned until Monday, December 1, 1884, at 1 o'clock P. M.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

ARMORY BOARD, CITY OF NEW YORK,
November 21, 1884.

A meeting of the Armory Board was held at the office of the Secretary, No. 301 Mott street, this day, all the members of the Board being present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The estimate prepared by the Secretary in accordance with instructions from the Board and the request of the Comptroller, giving an estimate of the amounts required for Armories and Armory sites in the year 1885, was adopted, and the Secretary was instructed to forward the same to the Comptroller.

The application of Colonel Porter and the officers of the Twenty-second Regiment to be heard in reference to the selection of plans for their Armory, was considered and granted, and the Secretary instructed to notify Colonel Porter that such a hearing would be given at the office of his Honor the Mayor, City Hall, at 3 P. M. Monday, the 24th instant.

Resolved, That the Secretary is hereby instructed to invite the officers of the Eighth Regiment and of the Second Battery to examine the plans for their Armory, and report their preference at as early a day as possible.

After a further examination of the plans for Twenty-second Regiment and Eighth Regiment Armory, the meeting adjourned to meet Monday, 24th instant, at 3 P. M., for the purpose of hearing the officers of the Twenty-second Regiment, with reference to plans for their regiment.

(Signed)

ALEXANDER SHALER, Secretary.

NEW YORK CITY, November 24, 1884.

A meeting of the Armory Board was held at the office of his Honor the Mayor, City Hall, this date, all the members of the Board being present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The officers of the Twenty-second Regiment, who were present, then presented the claims of the regiment for certain accommodations in the proposed armory which did not seem to be provided for in all the plans submitted.

The plans, with estimates and specifications, for the Twenty-second Regiment Armory were referred to the Secretary for careful examination, and to report upon the merits and demerits of each set of plans.

The Secretary then reported that, in accordance with instructions, he had invited the officers of the Eighth Regiment and Second Battery to examine the plans for their armory, and that the regiment expressed a preference for the plans marked "Gibraltar No. 1." The Battery preferred the plan marked "Sentinel."

The report was received.

Adjourned, subject to the call of the President.

(Signed)

ALEXANDER SHALER, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, CITY OF NEW YORK,
NOS. 31 AND 32 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK, November 18, 1884.

In accordance with the provisions of section 51, chapter 410, of the Laws of 1882, the Commissioner of Street Cleaning makes the following report of the transactions of the Department of Street Cleaning for the week ending November 15, 1884:

Number of loads of ashes removed	14,460
" " rubbish removed	5,881
" " material received from Department of Public Works	202
" " " " Markets	182
" " " " Permits	3,020
Total	23,745

Public moneys received and deposited in the City Treasury for trimming scows, etc. . . \$205 40

Bills

—audited and transmitted to the Finance Department, chargeable to the appropriation for "Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning" for the year 1884:

Schedule No. 272—	
Thos. O. Avery, repairs	\$99 37
Joseph Chicerelli, unloading scows	204 00
Gilchrest & Toby, supplies	429 21
C. F. Hodson	41 50
Hamilton Jones, newspapers	8 10
J. L. Kipp, wheels	90 00
S. L'Hommedieu, towing	727 00
P. Lenane & Bro., feed	457 88
Manhattan District Telegraph Co., services	11 67
M. J. Morrisson, disbursements	35 58
Mutual District Messenger Co., services	4 10
Patterson Bros., supplies	21 42
Jos. Sanguinetto, watchman	40 00
C. H. Simmons, carriage hire	67 25
W. G. Short & Co., supplies	31 29
Jas. Sherman, repairs	120 98
The "World," rent and gas	217 78
The Barney Boat Co., use of boats	780 00
" " " "	900 00
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" " " "	690 00
" " " "	840 00
The Communipaw Coal Co., coal	71 33
The Manhattan Gas-light Co., gas	291 67
Vanderbilt & Hopkins, lumber	798 48
Henry Crew, repairs	
Total	\$7,878 61

Appointments.

Con. Mahoney, Scow Captain.
Patrick Reilly, Hired Cartman.
George King, Hired Cartman.
Thos. Selfordge, Fireman.
John Reilly, Hired Cartman.
Thos. O'Connell, Hired Cartman.
John Lestrangle, Hired Cartman.
Edward Higgins, Hired Cartman.

Discharges.

Nick Snell, Scow Captain.
Nick Meyers, Scow Captain.

J. S. COLEMAN, Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of transactions of the Finance Department for the week ending November 22, 1884:

Deposited in the Treasury.

To the Credit of the Sinking Fund	\$112,105 77
" " City Treasury	4,836,330 77
Total	\$4,948,436 54

Bonds Issued.

Two and one-half per cent. Bonds	\$3,000,000 00
Three per cent. Bonds	679,000 00
Total	\$3,679,000 00

Warrants Registered for Payment.

The Common Council—	
City Contingencies	\$12 50
The Finance Department—	
Contingencies—Comptroller's Office	37 36
Interest on the City Debt	69,999 26
Redemption of the Principal of the City Debt	2,950,000 00
Aqueduct Commissioners—	
Additional Water Fund	20,903 75
The Law Department—	
Contingencies—Law Department	500 00
The Department of Public Works—	
Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening	\$2,266 31
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of	538 94
Contingencies—Department of Public Works	2,605 20
Croton Water Fund	32,433 98
For Repairs and Alterations on Essex Market Court-house	5,400 00
Free Floating Baths	840 00
Lamps and Gas, and Electric Lighting	1,360 25
Laying Croton Pipes (Chapter 381, Laws of 1879)	542 50
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs	1,368 00
Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.	3,689 63
Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading	15,054 92
Repaving Streets and Avenues (Chapter 476, Laws of 1875)	27,288 63
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund, Department of Public Works	1,134 00
Roads, Streets and Avenues Unpaved—Maintenance of and Sprinkling	2,541 37
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning	2,881 16
Street Improvement Fund—June 9, 1880	1,450 00
Street Improvements Authorized, etc., after June 9, 1880	42,104 34
Street Improvements—For Surveying, etc., Streets	101 00
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices	29 35
Water Meter Fund, No. 2	355 58
Total	143,985 16

The Department of Public Parks—

Bronx River Bridges—For Rebuilding, Repairing, etc., of Bridges over the Bronx river	\$38 58
Construction of Bridge over the Harlem River	5 30
Drainage and Irrigation of the Central Park	132 35
Entrances into Central Park on Eighth Avenue at Seventy-seventh and Eighty-first Streets, Completion of	182 75
Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvements and Maintenance	247 36
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places	2,007 38
Maintenance—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards	12,949 28
Mount St. Vincent Refreshment House	1,310 57
Music—Central Park and the City Parks	624 00
Rents—Department of Public Parks	675 00
Riverside Avenue	419 50
Riverside Park	994 61
Sewers and Drains—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards	571 11
Surveying, Laying-out, etc.—Tax and Assessment Maps—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards	36 96
Surveys, Maps and Plans—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards	64 20
Telephonic Service—Department of Public Parks	937 50
Walks—Central Park and the City Parks and Places	1,701 25
Total	\$22,897 70

The Department of Public Charities and Correction—

Public Charities and Correction	37,368 89
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The Health Department—

Health Fund	\$465 00
Hospital Fund—For Completion of Hospital Building at foot of Sixteenth Street, East River	507 37
Hospital Fund—For Erection of Hospital Buildings at North Brother Island	97 25
Hospital Supplies and Transportation for Care of Contagious Diseases	279 56
Total	1,349 18

The Police Department—

Police Station-houses—Rents	425 00
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The Department of Street Cleaning—

Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning	23,117 85
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The Fire Department—

Fire Department Fund	8,108 06
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The Dock Department—

Dock Fund	17,141 24
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The Board of Education—

College of the City of New York	\$300 01
Public Instruction	35,064 22
Public Instruction—For Purchasing and Procuring Sites for and Erecting New Buildings	14,202 50
Total	49,566 73

The Board of Excise—

Commissioners of Excise Fund	145 03
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The Judiciary—

Salaries—Judiciary	190 65
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Charitable Institutions—

For Support of Committed Children, etc., from Excise Licenses	30,784 36
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Advertising, Printing, Stationery and Blank Books—

Advertising	\$51 15
Printing, Stationery and Blank Books	5,111 00
Total	5,162 15

Miscellaneous—

American Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals	\$178 00
Assessment Commission, Awards	3,847 22
Assessment Fund—After June 9, 1880	1,339 36
Charges on Arrears of Assessments	158 40
Civil Service of the City of New York, Expenses of	797 76
Contingencies—District Attorney's Office	219 90
Croton Water Rent—Refunding Account	89 00
Election Expenses	3,229 05
For Burial of Honorably Discharged Soldiers, Sailors or Marines	35 00
For Copying Worn-out Indexes, etc., in Office of Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas	253 00
Judgments	6,931 09
New York Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Children	550 00
Refunding Interest and Charges on Lands sold for Taxes and Assessments	70 41
Tax Sales—Moneys Refunded	425 40
Total	18,123 59

Total \$3,399,818 46

SUITS, ORDERS OF COURT, JUDGMENTS, ETC.

COURT.	NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION.	ATTORNEY.
Supreme.	Peter T. Masterton	\$3,031 74	Transcript of judgment	Horace Barnard.
Com.Pleas	Hannah A. Kelly, administratrix of Bernard Kelly, deceased.	72 70	Transcript of judgment	Charles P. Miller.
"	William H. Ricketts	250 00	Summons and complaint. To recover the amount retained on account of his salary as Crier of the Supreme Court for the First Judicial District, for the months of July, August, and September, 1884.	John C. Shaw.
Supreme	Joseph H. Choate	66 45	Summons and complaint. For services as an expert witness in the suit of Noonan against the Mayor, etc., November 21 and 22, 1883.	Gherardi Davis.
Superior.	Isabella Garvey	993 74	Summons and complaint. To recover the amount of principal and interest paid March 8, 1879, for an assessment for One Hundred and Fifty-second street sewer, Tenth avenue to Boulevard, on Ward Nos. 18 to 21, in Block 1294, Twelfth Ward.	A. B. Johnson.
Supreme.	The American Female Guardian Society against the Mayor, etc.	90 60	Certificate of taxation of the costs of plaintiff in said matter.	A. P. & W. Man.
Com.Pleas	Jane Driscoll	5,000 00	Summons and complaint. For damages for personal injuries sustained from falling on the sidewalk in front of No. 5 James street, on May 18, 1884.	Charles S. Spencer. Hawkins & Gedney.
Superior.	Anna Louisa Snell	1,117 95	Transcript of judgment	
Supreme.	Hamilton Fish	185 64	Orders vacating assessment for paving Twentieth street, between Third avenue and East river, on Ward Nos. 4778 and 5021.	R. Ray Hamilton, Isidor Grayhead.
Superior.	Louisa Watts	150 00	Transcript of judgment	
Supreme.	John F. Pupke	48 82	Summons and complaint. For excess of principal and interest paid March 17, 1881, for an assessment for outlet sewer in One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, between Eighth avenue and One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, on Ward Nos. 28 to 32, Block 719.	E. M. Neville.

COURT.	NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION.	ATTORNEY.	DATE.	NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.
Supreme..	In the matter of opening One Hundred and Sixth street, between the Boulevard and Riverside avenue	\$205 00	Certified copy of order confirming the report of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in said matter. Also certified copy of order taxing the bill of costs of the Commissioners at \$205.....	E. Henry Lacombe, Counsel to the Corporation.	1884.			Claims and demands of the following-named persons, for excess of principal and interest paid for certain assessments, as follows: Eighty-sixth street regulating, etc., First avenue to East river— Ward Nos. Block No. Paid. 41, 42 48 Mar. 20, 1883	John C. Shaw.
			Orders reducing assessments in the matters of the following-named petitioners, viz.: Boulevard tree planting, from Fifty-ninth to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street— Ward Nos. Block No. 1 to 4, 62 to 64 1151		Nov. 17..	John W. Russell	\$192 97	Eighty-sixth street paving, Third avenue to East river— Ward Nos. Block No. Paid. 41, 42 48 Mar. 20, 1883	"
"	Charles E. Loew.....	16 76	31 to 36 207		" 17..	"	624 16	Ninety-sixth street regulating, etc., Second to Fifth avenue— Ward Nos. Block No. Paid. 7 B, 8 300 May 19, 1884	"
"	Daniel D. Lord and others, trustees...	14 59	4, 62 to 64 1179		" 17..	James Hay	482 17	One Hundred and Fourth street regulating, etc., Fifth avenue to Harlem river— Ward Nos. Block No. Paid. 20 to 22, 24 to 26 225 Dec. 10, 1880	"
"	J. Watts De Peyster ..	26 93	1 1172		" 17..	Randolph B. Martine, executor	541 88	Ninth avenue regulating, etc., Seventy-second to Eighty-first street— Ward Nos. Block No. Paid. 29 and 32 167 Jan. 12, 1884	"
"	Mary E. Baker.....	9 49	1 to 4 1182		" 17..	Alfred Wagstaff and another.....	77 85	Eighth avenue regulating, etc., One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street to Harlem river— Ward Nos. Block Nos. Paid. { 1 to 16, 49 to 64 836 } { 1 to 16, 49 to 64 837 } Jan. 19, 1884	"
"	Jacob K. Lockman, executor, etc.....	9 49	33 to 36 1308		" 17..	Michael Winters.....	5,000 00	Claim and demand. For damages for personal injuries received	F. & C. A. H. Bartlett.
"	Richard C. Combes, trustee, etc.....	18 98	29 to 36 1309		" 18..	James L. Walsh.....	15,000 00	Second demand. For damages for injuries received by him on October 10, 1884, on Morris avenue, between One Hundred and Thirty-ninth and One Hundred and Fortieth streets, by falling into a hole or excavation in said avenue	B. F. Mudgett.
"	Robert L. Kennedy...	10 96	33 to 36 206		" 18..	Henry Bradhurst....	390 00	Claim and demand. For an award for damages to lot known as No. 43 in Block 1072, for the closing of Bloomingdale road	Vedder Van Dyck.
"	Nathan L. McCready	9 49	30 to 32 and 36 1287		" 18..	David McKeon.....	20,000 00	Claim. For damages for personal injuries received on November 13, 1884, occasioned by the improper condition of Pine street pavement, between Broadway and Nassau street	Wm. J. Lardner.
"	Solomon L. Mayer and others.....	8 63	1 to 4 1164					Claims and demands of the following-named persons for amounts paid by them for assessments, to wit: Sewer in Fifty-fifth street, between Sixth avenue and Broadway— Ward Nos. Block No. Paid. 24 to 28 16 April 7, 1871	John F. Kavanagh.
"	Jordan L. Mott and another, executors.	22 01	28 to 36 and 36 1/2 1277		" 19..	Lambert Suydam.....	2,071 25	Broadway widening, between Thirty-fourth and Fifty-ninth streets— Ward Nos. Block No. Paid. 24 to 28 16 } 37 to 40, 9, 43 & 44 18 } Mar. 7, 1873	"
"	Edwin D. Morgan and others, executors..	18 98	1 to 4, 59 to 62 1192		" 19..	"	1,372 00	Paving, etc., Eighth avenue, from Fifty-ninth to One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street— Ward Nos. Block No. Paid. 29 to 32 127 Nov. 25, 1878 37 to 48 9-9 July 27, 1877	"
"	George G. De Witt and others, executors...	9 49	29 to 32 1308		" 19..	Enoch Pratt.....	684 58	Regulating, grading, etc., Eighth avenue, from Fifty-ninth to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street— Ward Nos. Block No. Paid. 30 and 31 114 Oct. 10, 1876	"
"	Catharine Bradley...	2 74	46 107		" 19..	Meredith Howland, executor.....	970 52	Regulating, grading, etc., Eighth avenue, from Fifty-ninth to One Hundred and Twenty-second street— Ward Nos. Block No. Paid. 29 to 32 127 June 19, 1877 37 to 48 909 Oct. 25, 1877	"
"	Adolph Bernheimer...	9 71	49 to 52 215		" 19..	Enoch Pratt.....	2,555 38	Outlet sewer in Sixty-sixth street— Ward Nos. Block No. Paid. 63 and 64 116 Mar. 10, 1874	"
"	Ellen Rhines	19 09	27, 29 to 32 1282		" 19..	Adam W. Spies.....	748 35	Claim and demand. For damages to his coupe and harness, and for expenses, caused by driving into a hole in Cortlandt street, opposite No. 49.....	Jos. N. Goldbacher.
			Concord avenue regulating and grading, from Home street to Westchester avenue— Ward Nos. Map Nos. 27 B 68 27 C, 27 D, 27 E 69 to 71		" 20..	Anna M. Menke.....	880 42	Claims and demands of the following-named persons for excess of principal and interest paid for certain assessments, as follows: Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets— Ward Nos. Block No. Paid. 29 to 32 1027 Mar. 6, 1883 32 to 34 1022 Aug. 29, 1877	James A. Deering.
"	Francis McCabe.....	42 12			" 20..	Gustav Ramsperger..	103 08	Boulevard regulating, etc., from Fifty-ninth to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street— Ward Nos. Block No. Paid. 1, 5 to 8 1147 Nov. 4, 1881	"
"	"	44 16			" 21..	C. G. Stone.....	1,046 54	Claim and demand. For the amount paid for an assessment for regulating, grading, etc., of Tenth avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth to One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street, on Ward Nos. 33, 38 and 38 1/2, Farm 6, Twelfth Ward, paid November 19, 1884.....	"
			Eighth avenue regulating and grading One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street to Harlem river— Ward Nos. Block No. 49 to 63 849 57, 58 844		" 22..	J. P. Paulison	808 19	Claim and demand. For return of amount paid March 8, 1884, for an assessment for regulating, etc., Eighth avenue, from Fifty-ninth to One Hundred and Twenty-second street, on Ward No. 35, Block 127.	John F. Kavanagh.
"	William T. De Forest	501 61							
"	Henry Gitterman.....	12 23							
			Forty-fourth street regulating and grading, between First and Third avenues— Ward No. Block No. 23 248						
"	Edward McQuade....	102 50							
			Tenth avenue regulating and grading, from Eighty-second to Ninety-third street— Ward Nos. Block No. { 29 to 44 219 } { 45 173 }						
"	Max Freund.....	639 01							
			Thirteenth avenue paving, between West Eleventh and West Sixteenth streets— Ward Nos. Map Nos. 4050-4444 15 and 84 K						
"	John Taylor Johnston.	901 92							
			Ward Nos. Map Nos. 4089 H to Q, 20 to 22, 84 H } { 4447 A-4445 A, and 4165 84 J, 101 to 107, 28 }						
"	John S. McLean.....	295 05							
			Seventy-sixth street regulating and grading, Eighth avenue to Riverside Drive— Ward Nos. Block No. 50 to 54 210						
"	Caroline W. Fisher..	129 25							
			Seventy-sixth street paving, from Eighth avenue to Riverside Drive— Ward Nos. Block No. 50 to 54 210						
"	"	104 99							
			Seventy-eighth street regulating, grading, etc., between Boulevard and Ninth avenue— Ward Nos. Block No. 40-41 212						
"	M. W. Borland.....	105 58							
			Ninety-seventh street regulating and grading, Fifth avenue to Harlem river— Ward Nos. Block No. 37 to 53, 57 to 59 481						
"	Wm. B. Lawrence....	1,586 24							
			One Hundred and Third street regulating and grading, from First to Fifth avenue— Ward Nos. Block No. 25 and 26 488						
"	Lavinia Cudlipp and others	100 00							
			One Hundred and Sixth street regulating and grading, between Fourth and Madison avenues— Ward Nos. Block No. 21 to 33 and 32 1/2 431						
"	Joseph F. Barnard, ex'r, etc.....	222 30							
			One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street flagging, from Third to Eighth avenue— Ward No. Block No. 69 609						
"	Matthew Byrnes.....	25 00							
			One Hundred and Thirty-first street regulating and grading, between Sixth and Eighth avenues— Ward Nos. Block No. 27 and 29 832						
"	Calvin A. Stevens and others, ex'rs.....	58 81							
			One Hundred and Forty-fourth street regulating, grading, etc., between Tenth avenue and Boulevard— Ward Nos. Block No. 1 to 11 1186						
"	Wm. J. Sherwood and Chas. M. Romaine	90 88							
"	Max Freund.....		Order vacating assessment for sewer on the Boulevard, from Seventy-seventh to Ninety-second street, on Ward Nos. 29 to 44, Block 219.....						

CONTRACTS REGISTERED FOR THE WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 22, 1884.

DATE.	NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.
1884.			Claims and demands of the following-named persons, for excess of principal and interest paid for certain assessments, as follows: Seventy-sixth street regulating, etc., Eighth avenue to Riverside Drive— Ward Nos. Block No. Paid. 12 to 16 165 April 1, 1884	John C. Shaw.
Nov. 17..	Darius G. Crosby....	\$914 37	Eightieth street paving, between Third and Fourth avenues— Ward No. Block No. Paid. 70 370 Nov. 17, 1882	"
" 17..	Erastus Brainerd....	33 70	Eightieth street curb, gutter and flagging, Fourth to Madison avenue— Ward No. Block No. Paid. 70 370 Nov. 28, 1881	"
" 17..	"	2 76		"

NO.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT.	NAMES OF CONTRACTORS.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.
6835	June 2, 1884	Public Works.....	The Board of Water Commissioners of the City of Yonkers.....	Furnishing a supply of water for the Twenty-fourth Ward, from June 1, 1884, to June 1, 1885. Estimate, \$6,000.
6836	Oct. 25, "	Fire.....	John Mooney..... (Sureties: Hartwell A. Wilkins, Louis Schortemeier. Bond, \$1,500.)	Furnishing 120,000 pounds hay, 22,000 pounds rye straw, 1,200 bags oats, and 700 bags bran. Total, \$2,926.
6837	" 27, "	"	Robert J. Wright..... (Sureties: Benjamin Wright, W. W. Culver. Bond, \$3,000.)	Furnishing 230,000 pounds hay, 43,000 pounds rye straw, 2,300 bags oats, and 1,300 bags bran. Total, \$5,047.20.
6838	Nov. 20 "	Public Parks.....	Charles Jones..... (Sureties: Michael Noonan, John Haffen. Bond, \$3,000.)	Constructing pile foundation for sewer and appurtenances and branches in Webster avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-fifth and One Hundred and Eighty-fourth streets; per lineal foot for piles, 45c.; per lineal foot for cast-iron shoes, etc., etc., 3c.

Certificates of the Assessment Commission of the Reduction by them of Assessments, received as follows :

DATE.	NAME OF OBJECTOR.	TITLE OF ASSESSMENT.	REDUCED FROM.	REDUCED TO.
Nov. 17	Margaret M. Brennan	Boulevard regulating, grading, etc., between Fifty-ninth and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth streets.....	\$3,264 97	\$2,092 24
" 17	George Brandon....	New avenue, east and west, regulating, grading, etc., between One Hundred and Twentieth and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth streets.....	1,500 07	930 04
" 17	Joseph Freedman....	Eighth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Fifty-ninth and One Hundred and Twenty-second streets.....	56 25	46 13
" 17	Samuel Schafer.....	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	1,061 55	615 70
" 17	Augustus Blumenthal	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	956 31	554 46
" 17	Smith Ely, Jr.....	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	488 45	283 30
" 17	Catharine A. Anthony	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	306 68	177 88
" 17	Michael H. Cashman.	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	1,377 67	799 04
" 17	Joseph Bierhof.....	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	1,372 48	796 05
" 17	George W. Douglas..	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	460 02	266 82
" 17	James F. Ruggles....	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	12 76	7 40
" 17	Edward G. Moran....	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	1,377 67	799 04
" 17	Anna M. Menke.....	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	985 50	565 58
" 17	Charles A. Hamilton.	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	7 42	4 30
" 17	The Citizens' Fire Insurance Co.....	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	1,377 67	799 04
" 17	James Murtaugh....	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	675 14	391 57
" 17	Gustav Ramsperger..	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	675 12	391 57
" 17	Simon Wormser.....	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	79 28	45 98
" 17	James C. Fitzpatrick..	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	472 46	274 02
" 17	Charles F. Chickering	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	941 86	546 27
" 17	John B. Conley	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	82 40	47 80
" 17	The Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States.	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	2,909 33	1,687 01
" 20	Samuel Lockwood....	Eight avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Fifty-ninth and One Hundred and Twenty-second streets.....	777 76	637 76
" 20	Maria Wood, et al....	One Hundred and Fifteenth street regulating, grading, etc., between Seventh and Eighth avenues.....	6,241 91	3,932 40

Certificates of the Assessment Commission of Awards made by them for the Return of Moneys paid for Assessments, received, as follows :

DATE.	NAME OF PETITIONER.	TITLE OF ASSESSMENT.	AMOUNT OF AWARD.
Nov. 20	Edward Kearney, executor, etc....	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	\$63 34
" 20	Edward Kearney.....	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	300 36
" 20	Bernard Cohen	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	56 93
" 20	"	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	107 10
" 20	John L. Hasbrouck...	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	34 48
" 20	John Nicholson.....	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	4 92
" 20	Michael H. Cashman.	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	391 02
" 20	Maria L. Patterson) and Anna N. Aebly)	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	545 98
" 20	William Hogan.....	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	149 67
" 20	B. K. Murphy	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	8 65
" 20	John H. Tingle.....	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	391 02
" 20	William Bruce.....	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	132 91
" 20	John N. Hayward....	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	11 10
" 20	John L. Carbrey	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	10 42
" 20	Hester H. Railton....	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	11 10
" 20	Philander Palmer	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	99 64
" 20	John Boyd.....	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	10 42
" 20	George W. Powers....	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	22 30
" 20	Mary B. De Frece....	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	194 59
" 20	Samuel H. Waugh....	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	29 23
" 20	Mary E. Barry.....	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	29 23
" 20	Perry Coe, adm'r. etc.	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	29 23
" 20	Coleman Benedict, executor, etc....	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	99 25
" 20	Mary Diersen, executrix, etc....	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	219 78
" 20	Isaac and Simon Bernheimer.....	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	1,579 78
" 20	Ignatz Goetz.....	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	296 35
" 20	Pearson S. Halstead executor, etc....	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	993 30
" 20	Susan A. King.....	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	137 09
" 20	Robert Kennedy.....	Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.....	118 18

Certificates of the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments of the remission by them of Taxes of 1884, received, as follows :

ON REAL ESTATE.

DATE.	OWNER OF PROPERTY.	DESIGNATION OF PROPERTY.	WARD NO.	VALUATION.	TAX REMITTED.
Nov. 18..	Fourth Avenue Presbyterian Church.....	341 and 343 Fourth street.	1854, 1855	\$7,500 00	\$168 75
" 18..	St. Philips Protestant Episcopal Church.....	127 West Thirtieth street.	2563	3,500 00	78 75
" 18..	Free Home for Destitute Young Girls.....	47 East Eleventh street...	1156	15,000 00	337 50
" 18..	Baptist Ministers Home Society	West Farms.....	35	700 00	15 75
" 18..	New York Cancer Hospital....	One Hundred and Fifth and One Hundred and Sixth streets, and Eighth avenue.....	27 to 38 Block 917	52,000 00	1,170 00

ON PERSONAL ESTATE.

DATE.	NAME.	ADDRESS.	ASSESSED VALUATION.	TAX REMITTED.
Nov. 18..	Riker R. James.....	79 West Twelfth street.....	\$4,000 00	\$91 60
" 18..	American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions.....	12 shares of the American Exchange National Bank.....	1,320 00	29 70

Certificates of the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments of the reduction by them of Taxes of 1884, received, as follows :

ON REAL ESTATE.

DATE.	STREET.	WARD NO.	ASSESSED VALUATION.	CORRECTED VALUATION.	TAX REMITTED.
Nov. 18	116 East Nineteenth street.....	4359	\$16,000 00	\$14,500 00	\$33 75
" 18	10 East Fourteenth street.....	1431	50,000 00	47,000 00	135 00
" 18	12 " ".....	1432	50,000 00	47,000 00	
" 18	195 Elizabeth street.....	970	11,500 00	9,000 00	56 25

Filed.

November 17. Agreement between Augustus Van Cortlandt and Hubert O. Thompson, Commissioner of Public Works, dated September 11, 1884, relative to laying waste and weir pipes on land of said Van Cortlandt.

Opening of Proposals.

The Comptroller attended the opening of proposals at the following Departments, viz.

November 19. The Fire Department (by representative)—For constructing a house on Old Slip, between Front and Water streets, for Hook and Ladder Company No. 15.
November 19. The Department of Docks—For dredging at the following places on the North and East rivers, viz. :

NORTH RIVER.

Piers at West Seventeenth, Eighteenth, Nineteenth, Twenty-first, Thirty-fourth, Thirty-fifth, One Hundred and Twenty-ninth, and One Hundred and Fifty-second streets.

EAST RIVER.

Slip between Piers 56 and 57.
November 21. The Department of Public Parks (by representative)—For furnishing uniforms for the Police Force of the Department.
November 21. The Department of Public Charities and Correction (by representative)—For furnishing about 15,000 pounds poultry for use on Thanksgiving Day, 300 sides each waxed upper and kip leather, lumber, and miscellaneous groceries and dry goods, for said Department.

Approval of Sureties.

The Comptroller approved of the adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties on the following proposals, viz. :

November 17. For repairing the pier and its approach at the foot of West Forty-sixth street, North river.
P. Sanford Ross, Principal.
Charles L. Bucki, No. 312 West Fourteenth street, surety in the place of Louis Bucki, one of the original sureties.
November 20. For construction of sewers in Eighty-eighth, Eighty-ninth and Ninetieth streets, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.
Michael Noonan, No. 230 East One Hundred and Sixteenth street, Principal.
James Mulry, No. 307 East Twelfth street,
William H. McCarthy, No. 153 East One Hundred and Ninth street, } Sureties.
November 20. For piling for foundation for sewer in Webster avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-fifth and One Hundred and Eighty-fourth streets, under direction of the Department of Public Parks.
Charles Jones, No. 257 Alexander avenue, Principal.
Michael Noonan, No. 230 East One Hundred and Sixteenth street, } Sureties.
John Haffen, No. 642 East One Hundred and Fifty-second street, }
November 21. For dredging at the following-named places on the North and East rivers :

NORTH RIVER.

Piers at West Seventeenth, Eighteenth, Nineteenth, Twenty-first, Thirty-fourth, Thirty-fifth, One Hundred and Twenty-ninth and One Hundred and Fifty-second streets.

EAST RIVER.

Slip between Piers 56 and 57.
The Atlantic Dredging Company, No. 361 Fulton street, Brooklyn, N. Y., Principals.
James D. Leary, No. 73 William street, } Sureties.
Thomas Walsh, No. 114 Wall street, }
November 22. For regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging, and laying crosswalks in Westchester avenue, from North Third avenue to Prospect avenue.
Dennis W. Moran, No. 349 East Seventy-second street, Principal.
Frederick Folz, No. 1395 Washington avenue,
John Eichler, One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and Third } Sureties.
avenue, }

Substitution of Surety.

November 19. On contract of Charles Jones, for putting in piling for foundation of sewer to be built in Webster avenue.
Consent and affidavit of Michael Noonan, No. 230 East One Hundred and Sixteenth street, submitted to the Department of Public Parks for action on his substitution as surety thereon, in the place of James J. Jones, No. 430 East Eighty-ninth street, originally proposed.

Return of Proposal.

November 17. Proposal of Dennis W. Moran, for regulating, grading, etc., in Westchester avenue, from North Third avenue to Prospect avenue, returned to the Department of Public Parks for action on the proposed substitution of Frederick Folz, No. 1395 Washington avenue, as a surety thereon, in the place of James J. Jones, No. 430 East Eighty-ninth street, one of the original sureties.

S. HASTINGS GRANT, Comptroller.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

OFFICE OF THE
COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS,
1 NEW COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, NOV. 24, 1884.

THOMAS COSTIGAN, Esq.,
Supervisor of the City Record:

The following-named person has been appointed as a Messenger to the Commissioners of Accounts:

Frederick Hess, No. 137 East Twenty-seventh street, New York City.

GEO. EDWIN HILL,
ANDREW B. MARTIN,
Commissioners of Accounts.

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.

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FRANKLIN EDSON, Mayor; WILLIAM E. LUCAS, Secretary; AUGUSTUS WALSH, Chief Clerk.

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GEORGE A. McDERMOTT, First Marshal.

Permit Bureau Office.

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HUBERT O. THOMPSON, Commissioner; DEPUTY COMMISSIONER.

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

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

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

Engineer in Charge of Sewers.

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

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.
DAVID L. SMITH, Water Purveyor.

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.
GEO. E. BABCOCK, Superintendent.

Bureau of Incumbents.

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

Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.

MARTIN J. KEENE, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

No. 15 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
S. HASTINGS GRANT, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.

Auditing Bureau.

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

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

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

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenues and of Markets.

No. 6 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
FRANCIS TOMES, Collector of the City Revenue 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.

Nos. 25, 27 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HENRY B. LAIDLAW, City Chamberlain.

Office of the City Paymaster.

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

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

Staats Zeitung Building, third floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
E. HENRY LACOMBE, 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; WILLIAM H. KIPP, 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.
JACOB HESS, President, GEORGE F. BRITTON, Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Office hours for all except where otherwise noted from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, to 3 P. M.

Headquarters.

Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.
CORNELIUS VAN COTT, President; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

Bureau of Chief of Department.

CHARLES O. SHAY, Chief of Department.

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

Bureau of Fire Marshal.

GEORGE H. SHELTON, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

WM. P. ESTERBROOK, Inspector of Buildings.

Attorney to Department.

WM. L. FINDLEY, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

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

Central Office Fire Alarm Telegraph open at all hours.

Repair Shops.

Nos. 128 and 130 West Third street.
JOHN CASTLES, Foreman-in-Charge, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Hospital Stables.

99th street, between 9th and 10th avenues.
JOSEPH SHEA, Foreman-in-Charge.
Open at all hours.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

ALEXANDER SHALER, President; EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

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

EGBERT L. VIELE, President; 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.
14th street and 3d avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

LUCIUS J. N. STARK, President; JOHN T. CUMING, Secretary.

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

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

Staats Zeitung Building, Tryon Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 3 P. M.

THOMAS B. ASTEN, President; FLOYD T. SMITH, Secretary.

Office Bureau Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.

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

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

31 and 32 Park Row, "World" Building, Rooms and 9, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JAMES S. COLEMAN, Commissioner; A. H. ROGERS, Deputy 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 ENCISE.

Corner Bond street and Bowery, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

NICHOLAS HAUGHTON, President; JOHN K. PERLEY, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Nos. 3 and 4 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

ALEXANDER V. DAVIDSON, Sheriff; JOEL O. STEVENS, Under Sheriff; DAVID MCGONIGAL, Order Arrest Clerk.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

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

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

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

No. 17 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

GEORGE CAULFIELD, Commissioner; JAMES E. CONNER, Deputy Commissioner.

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

PATRICK KEENAN, County Clerk; H. S. BEATTIE, Deputy County Clerk.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

Second floor, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

PETER B. OLNEY, District Attorney; HUGH DONNELLY, Chief Clerk.

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

And Bureau of Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.

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

THOMAS COSTIGAN, Supervisor; R. P. H. ABELL, Book-keeper.

CORONERS' OFFICE.

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

SUPREME COURT.

Second floor, New County Court-house, 10½ A. M. to 3 P. M.

General Term, Room No. 9.
Special Term, Room No. 10.
Chambers, Room No. 11.
Circuit, Part I., Room No. 12.
Circuit, Part II., Room No. 13.
Circuit, Part III., Room No. 14.
Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 15.

NOAH DAVIS, Chief Justice; PATRICK KEENAN, Clerk.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.

General Term, Room No. 35.
Special Term, Room No. 33.
Chambers, Room No. 33, 10 A. M.
Part I., Room No. 34.
Part II., Room No. 35.
Part III., Room No. 36.

Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 30.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 32.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 31, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN SEDGWICK, Chief Judge; THOMAS BOESE, Chief Clerk.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.

Assignment Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 22, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
General Term, Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

Special Term, Room No. 21, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

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

Part I., Room No. 25, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Part II., Room No. 26, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Part III., Room No. 27, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES P. DALY, Chief Justice; NATHANIEL JARVIS, Jr., Chief Clerk.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

No. 32 Chambers street. Parts I. and II. Court opens at 11 o'clock A. M.

FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder; HENRY A. GILDER-SLEEVE and RUFUS B. COWING, Judges of the said Court. Terms, first Monday each month.

JOHN SPARKS, Clerk. Office, Room No. 11, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

CITY COURT.—CITY HALL.

General Term, Room No. 20.

Trial Term, Part I., Room No. 20.

Part II., Room No. 19.

Part III., Room No. 15.

Special Term, Chambers, Room No. 21, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Clerk's Office, Room No. 10, City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

DAVID McADAM, Chief Justice; JOHN REID, Clerk.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

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

Clerk's Office, Tombs.

DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.

First District—First, Second, Third, and Fifth Wards, outwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets.

MICHAEL NORTON, Justice.

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

CHARLES M. CLANCY, Justice.

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

GEORGE W. PARKER, Justice.

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

ALFRED STECKLER, Justice.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
117 AND 119 DUANE STREET.

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 219.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRING THE PIER AT THE FOOT OF WEST ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-NINTH STREET, NORTH RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRING THE PIER AT the foot of West One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, North 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

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1884,

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 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, 8"x16".....	171
" " " " 8"x15".....	580
" " " " 12"x14".....	1,470
" " " " 6"x14".....	1,078
" " " " 12"x12".....	59,818
" " " " 10"x12".....	1,380
" " " " 10"x10".....	468
" " " " 8"x8".....	3,413
" " " " 6"x12".....	4,113
" " " " 5"x10".....	6,637
" " " " 5" plank.....	112,120
" " " " 4"x10".....	320
Total.....	191,589

2. White Oak Timber, 8"x12", 2,800 feet, B. M. measured in the work.

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

3. White Pine, Yellow Pine, or Cypress Piles..... 117

NOTE.—It is expected that the piles will run from 40 feet in length at the inner end of the pier to 70 feet in length at the outer end of the pier, but all piles must be long enough to bring up in driving, as required by the specifications.

4. White or Yellow Pine Mooring Piles, from 50 to 75 feet in length..... 9

5. White Oak Pile Piles, about 55 feet long..... 20

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.

LUJUS J. N. STARK,
WILLIAM LAMBEER,
JOHN R. VOORHIS,

Commissioners of the Department of Docks.
Dated, New York, November 28, 1884.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
117 AND 119 DUANE STREET.)

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 220.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRING PIERS AT WEST FIFTEENTH STREET AND WEST SIXTEENTH STREET, NORTH RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRING PIER AT WEST FIFTEENTH STREET, North river, and for repairing Pier at West Sixteenth street, North 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

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1884,

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, or for either class thereof, 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 Engineer's estimate of the nature, quantities and extent of the work is as follows:

	CLASS 1.	CLASS 2.
	Repairs to Pier at West Fifteenth street, North river.	Repairs to Pier at West Sixteenth street, North river.
1. 12"x12" Yellow Pine, feet B. M.	26,040	28,140
2. 8"x12" Yellow Pine, feet B. M.	160	160
3. 6"x12" Yellow Pine, feet B. M.	2,440	2,496
4. 5"x10" Yellow Pine, feet B. M.	4,617	4,617
5. 5" plank, Yellow Pine, feet B. M.	40,000	39,705
NOTE.—The above quantities are exclusive of extra lengths required for Scarfs, Laps, etc., and of Waste.		
6. Spruce, Pine or Cypress Piles, 55 to 60 feet long.....	14	40
NOTE.—These lengths are approximate only. The piles must be long enough to bring up in driving as required in the specifications.		
7. Mooring piles, White or Yellow Pine, about 55 feet long.....	10	8
8. Half-round Oak Fenders.....	35	34
9. Oak Fender Piles, about 50 feet long	8	6
10. 8"x12" White Oak Timber, feet B. M.	224	224
11. 7/8"x26", 7/8"x24", 7/8"x22", 7/8"x16", 7/8"x18", 7/8"x14", 7/8"x12", 7/8"x10", 7/8"x9" square, and 3/4"x12", and 3/4"x6" round dock spikes, about lbs.	5,200	5,400
12. 1 1/2" and 1" wrought-iron Screw Bolts, about lbs.	1,310	1,472
13. Cast-iron Washers or 1 1/2" and 1" Screw Bolts, about lbs.	931	1,095
14. Armature Plates and Corner Bands, wrought-iron, about lbs.	2,150	2,150
15. Labor and material of removing old crib work and of building new crib work, complete, about cubic feet	4,470	*****
16. Labor and materials in removing, grading for and relaying old pavement and approach, about square yards	82	41
17. Labor in both classes of framing and carpentry, including all moving of timber, jointing, planing, bolting, spiking and labor of every description.		
18. Labor in each class, respectively, of removing from the premises all the old material, except that to be used in the work under this contract.		

Estimates may be made for either or both of the above two classes.

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.

2d. 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, in either or both classes, to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

The bidder to whom an award is made shall give security for the faithful performance of his contract, in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance, in the sum of Twelve Hundred Dollars for Class 1, and in the sum of Twelve Hundred Dollars for Class 2, and in case the contract for both of the above-named classes be awarded to him, in the sum of Two Thousand Four Hundred Dollars.

The work to be done under Class 1 of the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and all the work to be done under Class 2 is to be fully completed on or before the fourteenth day of February, 1885; and the work to be done under Class 2 of the contract is to be commenced not earlier than thirty days after the date of the contract, and not later than thirty-

five days after the date of the contract, and all the work to be done under Class 2 is to be fully completed on or before the fourteenth day of March, 1885; 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 or times fixed for the fulfillment thereof have expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

All the old material from the said structures to be removed under the contract, will be relinquished to the contractor, and bidders must estimate the value of such material when considering the price for which they will do the work under the contract.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price for the whole of the work to be done in either or both of the above two classes, respectively, 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 of the two classes of 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, Chief 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 to 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 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 is to be approved 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 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 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 to 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.

LUJUS J. N. STARK,
WILLIAM LAMBEER,
JOHN R. VOORHIS,

Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

Dated, New York, November 28, 1884.

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

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

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT THIS DEPARTMENT has placed off the Battery and south of Pier, new 1, North river, two wooden floats or buoys, cubical in shape, six feet on each side, painted black, and anchored on a line bearing S. 7 1/2° east from southwest corner of Pier, new 1, North river, the first float being anchored about 209 feet and the second about 335 feet distant therefrom.

By order of the Board.

JOHN T. CUMING,
Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, November 22, 1884.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE materials and labor, and doing the work required for constructing a house for the Fire Department, to be erected on Old Slip, between Front and Water streets, for Hook and Ladder Company No. 15, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 155

and 157 Mercer street, in the City of New York, until 11 o'clock A. M., Thursday, December 11, 1884, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

No estimate will be received or considered after the hour named.

For information as to the amount and kind of work to be done, bidders are referred to the specifications and drawings, which form part of these proposals.

The house to be completed and delivered in one hundred and sixty (160) days after the date of the contract.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at twenty-five (\$25) dollars per day.

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

Any person making an estimate for the work shall present 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 Fire Department reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000); and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made, and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the national banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of seven hundred and fifty dollars (\$750). 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 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 to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but, if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

The form of the agreement and specifications and drawings, and showing the manner of payment for the work, may be seen and forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Department.

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

Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, Nov. 21, 1884.

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

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

Commissioners

CARL JUSSEN,
Secretary

CORPORATION NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all house, 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.:

List 1871, No. 1. Sewer in Sixth avenue, east side, between Fifty-third and Fifty-fourth streets.

List 1910, No. 2. Paving One Hundred and Eleventh street, from First to Second avenues.

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

List 1954, No. 4. Alteration and improvement to sewer in Fifth avenue, between Fifty-ninth and Sixtieth streets.

List 1968, No. 5. Sewer in Beekman street, between Water and South streets.

List 1978, No. 6. Sewer in Seventieth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, from end of present sewer west of Ninth avenue.

List 1993, No. 7. Sewer in West Tenth street, between Greenwich and Sixth avenues.

List 2020, No. 8. Sewer in Fifty-sixth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

List 2053, No. 9. Flagging sidewalks on westerly side First avenue, between Fifty-sixth and Sixty-fourth streets, and on the easterly side First avenue, between Fifty-ninth and Sixtieth streets, and between Sixty-fourth and Sixty-fifth streets, where there is now only one four feet course of flagging.

List 2082, No. 10. Receiving-basins west side Eighth avenue, between Seventy-seventh and Eighty-first streets.

List 2084, No. 11. Sewer in One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, between Eighth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.

List 2086, No. 12. Flagging One Hundred and Nineteenth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenues.

List 2087, No. 13. Sewer in One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, between Eighth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.

List 2094, No. 14. Flagging both sides of Sixty-Eighth street, between First and Second avenues.

List 2095, No. 15. Flagging both sides Eleventh avenue, between Fifty-eighth and Fifty-ninth streets, and on the north side Fifty-eighth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

List 2099, No. 16. Sewer in Spring street, between Broadway and Mercer street.

List 2100, No. 17. Flagging sidewalks east side of Fifth avenue, from Sixty-sixth street to Sixty-seventh street, and north side Sixty-sixth street, from Fifth to Madison avenues.

List 2101, No. 18. Flagging east side of Fifth avenue, from Sixty-seventh to Sixty-eighth streets, and on the south side Sixty-eighth street, from Madison to Fifth avenues.

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

List 2103, No. 20. Sewer in One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, between Eighth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.

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

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

List 2106, No. 23. Receiving-basins on the northeast and southeast corners of Avenue A and Fourteenth street, and on the southeast corner of Goerck and Stanton streets.

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

List 2108, No. 25. Receiving-basin and sewer connection on the northeast corner of Alexander avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street.

List 2111, No. 26. Sewer and appurtenances in One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, between Brook and St. Ann's avenues, with branch in St. Ann's avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-sixth and One Hundred and Forty-seventh streets.

List 2112, No. 27. Sewer and appurtenances in Washington avenue, between East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth and East One Hundred and Seventieth streets.

List 2113, No. 28. Flagging sidewalk and setting curb and gutter street, and laying crosswalk on the southerly side of One Hundred and Fifty-first street, from Courtland to Morris avenues.

List 2117, No. 29. Sewer in Fifth avenue, east side, between Thirtieth and Fourteenth streets.

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

No. 1. East side Sixth avenue, between Fifty-third and Fifty-fourth streets.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Eleventh street, from First to Second avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenue.

No. 3. Both sides of Seventy-third street, from First to Third avenues.

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

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

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

No. 7. Both sides of West Tenth street, between Greenwich and Sixth avenues, including property situated on both sides of Patchin place.

No. 8. Both sides of Fifty-sixth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

No. 9. West side of First avenue, between Sixty-third and Sixty-fourth streets; east side First avenue, between Sixty-fourth and Sixty-fifth streets; west side First avenue, between Fifty-eighth and Fifty-ninth streets; east side First avenue, between Fifty-ninth and Sixtieth streets, and west side First avenue, between Sixty-first and Sixty-second streets, and west side First avenue, between Fifty-sixth and Fifty-eighth streets.

No. 10. Manhattan Square.

No. 11. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, between Eighth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.

No. 12. Both sides of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenues.

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

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

No. 15. Both sides of Eleventh avenue, between Fifty-eighth and Fifty-ninth streets; and on the north side of Fifty-eighth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

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

No. 17. East side of Fifth avenue, between Sixty-sixth and Sixty-seventh streets; and north side of Sixty-sixth street, from Fifth to Madison avenues.

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

No. 19. Both sides of One Hundred and Eighteenth street, from First to Second avenues.

No. 20. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, between Eighth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas; also, west side of Avenue St. Nicholas, from centre line of One Hundred and Twenty-eighth to the centre line of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street.

No. 21. East side of Third avenue, between Eighty-eighth and Eighty-ninth streets.

No. 22. Both sides of Front street, between Broad and Whitehall streets.

No. 23. East side of Avenue A, between Thirtieth and Fifteenth streets; also, east side of Goerck street, extending 260 feet south of Stanton street.

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

No. 25. North side of One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, from Willis to Alexander avenues, and east side of Alexander avenue, between One Hundred and Thirty-sixth and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh streets.

No. 26. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, between Brook and St. Ann's avenues, and west side of St. Ann's avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-sixth and One Hundred and Forty-seventh streets.

No. 27. Both sides of Washington avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-ninth and One Hundred and Seventieth streets.

No. 28. South side of One Hundred and Fifty-first street, from Courtland to Morris avenues.

No. 29. East side of Fifth avenue, between Thirtieth and Fourteenth streets.

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. 11 1/2 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 25th of December ensuing.

JOHN R. LYDECKER,
JOHN W. JACOBUS,
JOHN MULLALLY,
HENRY A. GUABLETON,

Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 11 1/2 CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, November 22, 1884.

THE CITY RECORD.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, NOV. 25, 1884.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until Tuesday, December 3, 1884, at 12 o'clock M., at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read for the following:

- No. 1. SEWER IN FOURTH AVENUE, east side, between Fifty-fourth and Fifty-fifth streets.
- No. 2. SEWERS IN EIGHTH AVENUE, between One Hundred and Fifth and One Hundred and Fourteenth streets, with connection to existing sewer in One Hundred and Tenth street, east of Eighth avenue.
- No. 3. SEWERS IN NINETY-SECOND STREET, between Ninth avenue and Boulevard, AND IN TENTH AVENUE east and west sides, between Ninety-second and Ninety-third streets.
- No. 4. SEWERS IN ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SIXTH AND ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SEVENTH STREETS, between Tenth avenue and Kingsbridge road, AND IN KINGSBRIDGE ROAD, between One Hundred and Fifty-sixth and One Hundred and Sixty-second streets.
- No. 5. REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTEENTH STREET, from Fourth to Eighth avenue, and setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks therein.

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

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

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

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

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

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

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

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

- No. 1. REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTEENTH STREET, from Eighth avenue to New avenue, and setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks therein.
- No. 2. PAVING MADISON AVENUE, from the northerly line of Eighty-sixth street to the northerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, where not already paved, with granite-block pavement, with a foundation broken stone thoroughly rolled, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting streets, where required.
- No. 3. PAVING NINTH AVENUE, from Seventy-seventh street to One Hundred and Tenth street, where not already paved, with granite-block pavement, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting and terminating streets, where required.
- No. 4. PAVING EIGHTY-THIRD STREET, from the Boulevard to the Riverside Drive, with granite-block pavement, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting and terminating avenues, where required.

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

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

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

No. 8. LAYING CROSSWALKS ON BOTH SIDES OF SIXTH AVENUE across the intersecting streets, from One Hundred and Twenty-fifth to One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, where not already laid.

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

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

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

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained for regulating and grading, at Room 5; and for paving, at Room 7, No. 31 Chambers street.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, NOVEMBER 22, 1884.

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

All persons interested in the above change of grade, and having objections thereto, are requested to present the same in writing to the undersigned at his office on or before the 6th day of December, 1884.

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

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

TO ILLUMINATING GAS MANUFACTURERS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, for furnishing illuminating gas for lighting the Public Markets, Armories, Buildings, and Offices of the City of New York, or any of them, for the period from January 1, 1885, to December 31, 1885, both days inclusive, will be received at this office until Friday, December 5, 1884, at 12 o'clock M., at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read for the following:

- Washington Market.
Catharine " "
Fulton " "
Essex " "
Centre " "
Clinton " "
Union " "
Tompkins Market.
Jefferson " "
First District Police Court.
Second " "
Third " "
Fourth " "
Fifth " "
First District Civil Court.
Second " "
Fourth " "
Fifth " "
Sixth " "
Eighth " "
Ninth " "
Tenth " "
Clock, Third District Court-house Tower.
Armory, Seventh Regiment.
" Eighth " "
" Ninth " "
" Eleventh " "
" Twelfth " "
" Twenty-second Regiment.
" Sixty-ninth " "
" Seventy-first " "
" First Battery Artillery.
" Second " "

Court of Special Sessions.
New Court-house.
Brown-stone (Court-room) Building.
City Hall.
Corporation Counsel's Office.
Corporation Attorney's Office.
Receiver of Taxes' Office.
Offices of Department of Public Works.
Offices of Department of Taxes.
Office of Assessment Commission.
County Jail.
Rivington street Pipe Yard.
Repair Shop of Water Purveyor, Thirtieth street.
Repair Shop of Water Purveyor, Eighty-third street.
Repair Shop of Water Purveyor, One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street.
South Gate-house.
Engine-house of High Water Service at High Bridge.
Engine-house of High Water Service at Ninety-eighth street.
Public Bath, Battery.
" Gouverneur slip, E. R.
" Duane street, N. R.
" foot of Fifth street, E. R.
" Nineteenth street, N. R.
" Horatio street, N. R.
" Twenty-seventh street, N. R.
" Thirty-seventh street, E. R.
" Fifty-first street, N. R.
" One Hundred and Twelfth street, E. R.
Harlem River.
Photometrical Room, Grand street and Bowery.
Seventy-ninth street.

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

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

The gas shall have an illuminating power of not less than sixteen sperm candles when tested on the improved form of the Bunsen Photometer, by a Sugg-Letheby 15-hole argand burner, calculated on a consumption of five cubic feet of gas per hour. The regular daily tests however will be made with a burner that will obtain from the gas the greatest amount of light, and practicable for use by the consumer and consuming at the rate of five cubic feet of gas per hour. The testing candle shall be of sperm of six to the pound, and consuming, as near as possible, one hundred and twenty grains of spermaceti per hour, and no candle shall be used for testing which consumes less than one hundred and fourteen or more than one hundred and twenty six grains of spermaceti per hour. And as regards purity, the gas shall be free, within limits not injurious to the public health, from ammonia, sulphuretted hydrogen, and other sulphurous and noxious compounds.

Bidders are required to state in their estimates the several markets, armories, buildings, and offices to which they propose to furnish gas in accordance with the terms, conditions and specifications contained herein, and in the proposed form of contract, and the illuminating power of the gas they propose to furnish.

Bidders are also required to state one definite and distinct price for each thousand cubic feet of gas furnished (whether the quantity be more or less) to each or any of the public markets, armories, buildings, and offices of the city, and this price must be written out in full, and also inserted in figures.

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

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

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

The amount of security required is \$20,000, but the same may be reduced at the option of the parties of the first part if an award is made warranting a less amount of security.

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

Blank forms of bids or estimates, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired can be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Lamps and Gas, Room 11, No. 31 Chambers street.

The Commissioner of Public Works reserves the right to reject all proposals, if in his judgment the same may be for the best interests of the city.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT a petition of the property-owners, with map and plan, for changing the grade of "Tenth avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-sixth to One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street," is now pending before the Common Council.

All persons interested in the above change of grade, and having objections thereto, are requested to present the same in writing to the undersigned at his office on or before the 2d day of December, 1884.

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

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

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

- No. 1. SEWER IN EIGHTH AVENUE, between One Hundred and Fourteenth and One Hundred and Sixteenth streets.
- No. 2. SEWER IN KINGSBRIDGE ROAD, between One Hundred and Fifty-fifth and One Hundred and Fifty-sixth streets.
- No. 3. SEWER IN SIXTY-SIXTH STREET, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.
- No. 4. RECEIVING-BASINS ON THE EAST SIDE OF NINTH AVENUE, opposite Seventy-eighth, Seventy-ninth and Eightieth streets; and alterations and improvements to basins on the northeast corner of Seventy-seventh street and southeast corner of Eighty-first street and Ninth avenue.
- No. 5. REGULATING AND GRADING FOURTH AVENUE, between the northern curb-line of Ninety-seventh street and the southerly curb-line of One Hundred and Second street.
- No. 6. REGULATING AND GRADING THE SIDEWALKS IN EIGHTY-FIFTH STREET, from Ninth to Tenth avenue, and setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks therein.
- No. 7. REGULATING AND GRADING NINETY-NINTH STREET, from Eleventh avenue to the east line of Riverside Drive, and setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks therein.
- No. 8. REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIRST STREET, from Tenth avenue to Diagonal avenue, and setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks therein.
- No. 9. LAYING AN ADDITIONAL COURSE OF FLAGGING four feet wide on the SIDEWALKS OF SIXTH AVENUE, from One Hundred and Twenty-fifth to One Hundred and Forty-fifth street.
- No. 10. PAVING SEVENTY-THIRD STREET, from Ninth avenue to a line about two hundred and twenty-five feet west of Eighth avenue, with granite-block pavement, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting streets and avenues where required.
- No. 11. PAVING EIGHTY-SECOND STREET, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, with granite-block pavement, with a foundation of broken stone thoroughly rolled.

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

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

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

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained for sewers, at Room 8; for regulating and grading, at Room 5; paving, at Room 7, No. 31 Chambers street.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

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

All persons interested in the above change of grade, and having objections thereto, are requested to present the same in writing to the undersigned at his office on or before the 26th day of November, 1884.

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

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, NOV. 1, 1884.

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

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

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

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

JURORS

NOTICE

IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, JUNE 1, 1883.

APPLICATIONS FOR EXEMPTIONS WILL BE heard here, from 10 to 3 daily, from all persons hitherto liable or recently serving who have become exempt, and all needed information will be given.

Those who have not answered as to their liability, or proved permanent exemption, will receive a "jury enrollment notice," requiring them to appear before me this year. Whether liable or not, such notices must be answered (in person, if possible, and at this office only) under severe penalties. If exempt, the party must bring proof of exemption, if liable, he must also answer in person, giving full and correct name, residence, etc., etc. No attention paid to letters.

Persons "enrolled" as liable must serve when called or pay their fines. No more excuse will be allowed or interference permitted. The fines if unpaid will be entered as judgments upon the property of the delinquents.

All good citizens will aid the course of justice, and secure reliable and respectable jurors, and equalize their duty by serving promptly when summoned, allowing their clerks or subordinates to serve, reporting to me any attempt at bribery or evasion, and suggesting names for enrollment. Persons between sixty and seventy years of age, summer absentees, persons temporarily ill, and United States and District Court jurors are not exempt.

Every man must attend to his own notice. It is a misdemeanor to give any jury paper to another to answer. It is also punishable by fine or imprisonment to give or receive any present or bribe, directly or indirectly, in relation to a jury service, or to withhold any paper or make any false statement, and every case will be fully prosecuted.

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

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the School Trustees of the Twelfth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Thursday, the 11th day of December, 1884, and until 4 o'clock P. M. on said day, for erecting an Addition to Grammar School-house No. 43, on the north side of West One Hundred and Twenty-ninth 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 West One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, in the Twelfth Ward."

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place and time for iron stairways, etc., at Grammar School-house No. 57, on East One Hundred and Fifteenth street, between Third and Lexington avenues.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place and time for alterations at Grammar School-house No. 68, on West One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.

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 party submitting a proposal, and the parties proposing to become sureties, must each write his name, place of residence, and place of business 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 or antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful.

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

ANDREW L. SULLARD,
DAVID H. KNAPP,
CHARLES CRARY,
JOHN WHALEN,
G. W. DEBEVOISE,

Board of School Trustees, Twelfth Ward.

Dated New York, November 26, 1884.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, by the School Trustees of the Twenty-third Ward, until 9½ o'clock A. M., on Thursday, the 11th day of December, 1884, for Iron Stairways at Primary Department Grammar School-house No. 60, on Courtland avenue, near One Hundred and Forty-eighth 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, third floor.

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

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

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WILLIAM HOGG,
A. FAHS,
L. A. FULLGRAFF,
SAMUEL SAMUELS,
WILLIAM R. BEAL,

Board of School Trustees, Twenty-third Ward.

Dated, New York, November 26, 1884.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the office of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until MONDAY, the 8th day of December, 1884, at 4 P. M., for supplying for the use of the schools under the jurisdiction of said Board, books, stationery, and other articles required for one year, commencing on the 1st day of January, 1885. City and country publishers of books, and dealers in the various articles required, are notified that preference will be given to the bids of principals, the Committee being desirous that commissions, if any, shall be deducted from the price of the articles bid for. A sample of each article must accompany the bid. A list of articles required, with the conditions upon which bids will be received, may be obtained on application to the Clerk of the Board. Each proposal must be addressed to the Committee on Supplies, and indorsed "Proposals for Supplies." The Committee reserve the right to reject any bid if deemed for the public interest.

Dated New York, November 22, 1884.

EDWARD J. H. TAMSEN,
FREDERICK W. DEVOE,
HOSEA B. PERKINS,
HENRY SCHMITT,
DAVID WETMORE,

Committee on Supplies.

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

Dated, New York, November 22, 1884.

EDWARD J. H. TAMSEN,
FREDERICK W. DEVOE,
HOSEA B. PERKINS,
HENRY SCHMITT,
DAVID WETMORE,

Committee on Supplies.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the School Trustees of the Ninth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Wednesday, the 3d day of December, 1884, and until 9½ o'clock A. M. on said day, for altering and fitting up the building No. 626 Washington street, for the use of Primary School No. 7.

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

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

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

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

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

CHARLES S. WRIGHT,
JOHN S. SCULLY,
GEORGE B. LAWTON,
GEORGE E. HORNE,
JAMES A. SEAMAN,

Board of School Trustees, Ninth Ward.

Dated New York, November 19, 1884.

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

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blanks for proposals 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.

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 Third avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward."

The party submitting a proposal, and the parties proposing to become sureties, must each write his name, place of residence and place of business 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 or antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful.

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

WILLIAM HOGG,
A. FAHS,
L. A. FULLGRAFF,
SAMUEL SAMUELS,
WILLIAM R. BEAL,

Board of School Trustees, Twenty-third Ward.

Dated New York, November 17, 1884.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES.

5,000 pounds Dairy Butter; sample on exhibition Friday, December 5, 1884.

500 pounds best quality kettle rendered Leaf Lard.

2,700 pounds Rio Coffee.

4,000 pounds Hominy (including packages).

2,000 pounds Granulated Sugar.

1,000 pounds Crushed Sugar.

1,500 pounds Coffee Sugar.

12,000 pounds Hard Soap.

1,200 pounds Chicory.

33,000 Fresh eggs, all to be candled.

500 barrels good, sound Irish Potatoes, to weigh 168 pounds net per barrel, to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.

50 barrels Crackers.

10 barrels Vinegar.

12 dozen Sea Foam.

20 dozen Canned Corn, 2 pounds.

20 dozen Canned Peaches, 3 pounds.

8 dozen Canned Peas, 2 pounds.

12 dozen Canned Peas, 3 pounds.

100 quarts prime quality Grand Bank Codfish, to average not less than 5 pounds, to be delivered as required in boxes of four quarts each.

700 gallons Molasses.

100 bags Coarse Meal (100 pounds each).

100 bags Bran (50 pounds each).

—will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9 o'clock A. M., of Saturday, December 6, 1884. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 64, CHAPTER 410, LAWS OF 1882.

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; and the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, November 17, 1884.

JACOB HESS,
HENRY H. PORTER,
THOMAS S. BRENNAN,
Commissioners of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR THE EQUIPMENT OF AN INCANDESCENT ELECTRIC LIGHT PLANT ON WARD'S ISLAND

will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 9 o'clock A. M., of Friday, December 12, 1884. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Electric Light on Ward's Island," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 64, CHAPTER 410, LAWS OF 1882.

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

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

Dated New York, November 24, 1884.

JACOB HESS,
HENRY H. PORTER,
THOMAS S. BRENNAN,
Commissioners of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.

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

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 Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Mary Martin; aged 56 years. Committed May 23, 1884.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Mary Hickey; aged 45 years; 5 feet 1 inch high; dark hair, blue eyes. Admitted July 30, 1879.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Cornelius O'Connell; aged 26 years; 6 feet 2 inches high; gray eyes, brown hair. Had on when admitted brown overcoat, blue coat, dark striped pants, gaiters, black cap.

Robert McMahon; aged 35 years; 5 feet 10 inches high; blue eyes; brown hair. Had on when admitted black coat, black pants, blue check jumper, brogan shoes, black derby hat.

At Randall's Island Hospital—John Driscoll; aged 22 years; 3 feet 1 inch high; blue eyes; brown hair. Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order. G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract and guarantee the successful working of the Plant and system accepted, for six months after the completion of the contract for the equipment of said Plant or system, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of ten thousand (\$10,000) dollars.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance and for the successful working of the said Plant or system for the period of six months from the date of the completion thereof; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, November 17, 1884.

JACOB HESS,
HENRY H. PORTER,
THOMAS S. BRENNAN,
Commissioners of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
NEW YORK, November 26, 1884.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN ORDINANCE OF

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

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Mary Martin; aged 56 years. Committed May 23, 1884.

