

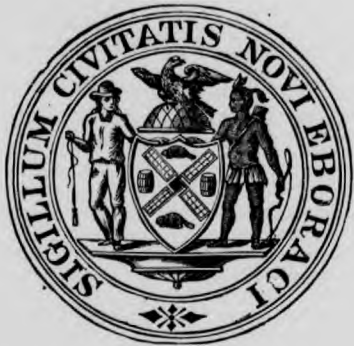
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### LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

#### STATED SESSION.

#### BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

MONDAY, February 9, 1885,  
1 o'clock P. M.

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

#### PRESENT:

Hon. Adolph L. Sanger, President;

#### ALDERMEN

Henry W. Jaehne, Vice-President,	Bartholomew F. Kenney, Patrick H. Kerwin, Peter B. Masterson, Bankson T. Morgan, James B. Mulry, Joseph Murray, Owen McGinnis, Michael McKenna,	Arthur J. McQuade, Patrick N. Oakley, Edward F. O'Dwyer, John Quinn, Charles H. Reilly, Thomas Rothman, James T. Van Rensselaer, Thomas P. Walsh.
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The minutes of the meeting of February 2, 1885, were read and approved.

#### PETITIONS.

By Alderman Hall—

Petition for additional ferry accommodation between the City of New York and Staten Island. In connection therewith Alderman Cleary offered the following:

Whereas, It appears by the petition, this day presented, of a large number of citizens of Staten Island, many of whom are engaged in business and pay taxes in the City of New York, that the present ferry accommodations between this city and Staten Island are inadequate, and that the convenience, comfort, business and property interests of great numbers of such citizens require the establishment and regulation by this Council of two additional ferries from this city to Elm Park, on the North Shore of Staten Island, and certain intermediate points on such shore.

Resolved, That the prayer of said petition, that two such ferries be established and regulated by this Council, be and the same is hereby granted, and that in accordance therewith two ferries be and the same are hereby established and regulated, as follows:

One ferry between Pier No. Eighteen, at or near the foot of Cortlandt street, in the City of New York, and Elm Park, on the North Shore of Staten Island, upon which ferry, when operated, steamboats adapted to the convenient transportation of foot passengers, teams and freight shall make at least ten round trips each day between said termini, touching, on each trip to and fro, at New Brighton, West Brighton and Port Richmond, also on said North Shore.

One ferry between the City of New York at the foot of Barclay street, or at any point between Coenties Slip on the East river and Barclay street on the North river, at which the lessee may be able to obtain proper landing accommodations, and Elm Park on the North Shore of Staten Island, upon which ferry, when operated, steamboats adapted to the convenient transportation of foot passengers, teams and freight, shall make at least ten round trips each day between said termini, touching, on each trip to and fro, at New Brighton, West Brighton, and Port Richmond, also on said North Shore.

Alderman Reilly moved to refer to the Committee on Ferries and Franchises.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Jaehne, Aldermen Cleary, Cowie, De Lacy, Finck, Hartman, Kenney, Kerwin, Masterson, Morgan, Mulry, Murray, McKenna, McQuade, Oakley, O'Dwyer, Reilly, Rothman, Van Rensselaer, and Walsh—21.

Negative—Aldermen Hall and McGinnis—2.

By the President—

Memorial of Michael Cahill, M. D., relating to the practicability of obtaining rain by art, and a river of water from the atmosphere, where required, in the temperate and torrid zones.

Which was referred to the Committee on Law Department.

#### REPORTS.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices respectfully

#### REPORT

for adoption the following resolutions:

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby respectively reappointed to the office of Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, to date from the expiration of their present terms of office, viz.:

Leopold Levy,	Edward Goldsmith,
William Forster,	Patrick McCagney,
Jabish Holmes, Jr.,	Edward J. Rapp.

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in the places respectively of those whose names appear opposite, and whose terms of office have expired, viz.:

Jacob Steinhardt, in place of.....	Nicholas Christie.
John J. Clancy, ".....	Carl Damm.
Peter F. Roland, ".....	Henry L. Joyce.
John P. Taaffe, ".....	William A. Leffingwell.
Charles Griffin, ".....	John H. McCarthy.
William Greenthal, ".....	James E. McLarney.
John H. Gunner, ".....	Michael A. Quinlan.

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in the places respectively of those whose names appear opposite, who were recently appointed, but failed to qualify within the time required by law, viz.:

Solomon D. Epstein, in place of.....	Herman G. Von Alvensleben.
Daniel P. O'Connor, in place of.....	P. Francis Dierckx.
John Werner, ".....	Herman Muelhaus.
Evan Southgate Webster, ".....	Louis J. Piatti.

JAMES T. VAN RENSSELAER,	Committee on Salaries and Offices.
ROBERT HALL,	
PATRICK H. KERWIN,	
PETER B. MASTERTON,	

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

Which was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Jaehne, Aldermen Cleary, Cowie, De Lacy, Finck, Hall, Hartman, Kenney, Kerwin, Masterson, Morgan, Mulry, Murray, McGinnis, McKenna, McQuade, Oakley, O'Dwyer, Quinn, Reilly, Rothman, Van Rensselaer, and Walsh—24.

(G. O. 46.)

The Committee on Lamps and Gas, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of lighting North and South Depot Squares, from Bedford Park R. R. Station to Berrian 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 gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted on North and South Depot Squares, from Bedford Park R. R. Station to (Berrian) or Webster avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

ROBERT E. DE LACY,	Committee on Lamps and Gas.
B. T. MORGAN,	
THOS. CLEARY,	
MICHAEL MCKENNA,	

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 47.)

The Committee on Lamps and Gas, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of lighting Westchester avenue, from Prospect avenue to the Bronx river, 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 Westchester avenue, from Prospect avenue to the Bronx river, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

ROBERT E. DE LACY,	Committee on Lamps and Gas.
B. T. MORGAN,	
THOS. CLEARY,	
MICHAEL MCKENNA,	

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 48.)

The Committee on Lamps and Gas, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of lighting Walnut street, from Wake street to Jerome 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 gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in Walnut street, from Wake street to Jerome avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

ROBERT E. DE LACY,	Committee on Lamps and Gas.
B. T. MORGAN,	
THOS. CLEARY,	
MICHAEL MCKENNA,	

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 49.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed report of a like committee for the year 1884, in favor of changing the grade of Fifty-fifth street, from Avenue A to East river, which failed to pass the Common Council last year, was ordered on file January 5, 1885, before 12 o'clock, M., and was taken from on file and referred to your Committee by your Honorable Body, January 12, 1885, respectfully

#### REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore caused the proposed change of grade to be advertised anew, as required by law, in order to prevent any question as to the validity of the establishment of the new grade, and no objections were made to the change. They therefore recommend that the following resolution be adopted:

Resolved, That the grade of Fifty-fifth street, from Avenue A to the East river, be changed so as to conform to the red lines and figures on the accompanying diagram, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

THOS. P. WALSH,	Committee on Public Works.
THOMAS ROTHMAN,	
MICHAEL MCKENNA,	
ROBERT HALL,	

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 50.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed report of a like Committee for the year 1884, in favor of changing grade of Sixty-fifth street, from First avenue to Avenue A, which failed to pass the Common Council last year, was ordered on file January 5, 1885, before 12 o'clock, M., and was taken from on file and referred to your Committee by your Honorable Body January 12, 1885, respectfully

#### REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore caused the proposed change of grade to be advertised anew, as required by law, in order to prevent any question as to the validity of the establishment of the new grade, and no objections were made to the change. They therefore recommend that the following resolution be adopted:

Resolved, That the grade of Sixty-fifth street, from First avenue to Avenue A, be changed so as to conform to the red lines and figures on the accompanying diagram, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

THOS. P. WALSH,	Committee on Public Works.
THOMAS ROTHMAN,	
MICHAEL MCKENNA,	
ROBERT HALL,	

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 51.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed report of a like committee for the year 1884, in favor of changing the grade of Tenth avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-sixth to One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, which failed to pass the Common Council last year, was ordered on file January 5, 1885, before 12 o'clock, M., and was taken from on file and referred to your Committee by your Honorable Body, January 12, 1885, respectfully

#### REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore caused the proposed change of grade to be advertised anew, as required by law, in order to prevent any question as to the validity of the establishment of the new grade, and no objections were made to the change. They therefore recommend that the following resolution be adopted:

Resolved, That the grade of Tenth avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-sixth to One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, be changed so as to conform to the red lines and figures on the accompanying diagram, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

THOS. P. WALSH,	Committee on Public Works.
THOMAS ROTHMAN,	
MICHAEL MCKENNA,	
ROBERT HALL,	

Which was laid over.



(G. O. 52.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed petition in favor of laying Croton-mains in Anthony avenue and in Ash street, respectfully

## REPORT:

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

Resolved, That Croton-mains be laid in Anthony avenue, between Waverley street and Ash street, and also in Ash street, from Anthony avenue east, for a distance of four hundred feet, as provided in chapter 381, Laws of 1879.

THOS. P. WALSH, } Committee  
THOMAS ROTHMAN, } on  
MICHAEL McKENNA, } Public Works.  
ROBERT HALL,

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 53.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of connecting the Croton-mains in Eightieth street, between Second and Third avenues, with the high-service water-pipes, 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 Croton-mains now in Eightieth street, between Second and Third avenues, be connected with the nearest high-service water-pipes, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

THOS. P. WALSH, } Committee  
THOMAS ROTHMAN, } on  
MICHAEL McKENNA, } Public Works.  
ROBERT HALL,

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 54.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of paving Ninety-third street, from Eighth to Ninth 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 Ninety-third street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, be paved with Belgian pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

THOS. P. WALSH, } Committee  
THOMAS ROTHMAN, } on  
MICHAEL McKENNA, } Public Works.  
ROBERT HALL,

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 55.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Thirty-third street, from Eighth to Ninth 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, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, be regulated, graded, curbed 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.

THOS. P. WALSH, } Committee  
THOMAS ROTHMAN, } on  
MICHAEL McKENNA, } Public Works.  
ROBERT HALL,

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 56.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of laying crosswalks across Sixth avenue, at the southerly and northerly intersections of Fifty-fifth and Fifty-sixth streets, 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 crosswalks be laid across Sixth avenue on the southerly and northerly sides of Fifty-fifth and Fifty-sixth streets, the work to be done under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

THOS. P. WALSH, } Committee  
THOMAS ROTHMAN, } on  
MICHAEL McKENNA, } Public Works.  
ROBERT HALL,

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 57.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of laying a twelve-inch main, with large fire-hydrants in connection therewith, in Worth street, from Broadway to Baxter 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 a twelve-inch water-pipe, with large fire-hydrants connected therewith, be laid in Worth street, from Broadway to Baxter street, as provided in sections 189 and 194 of the Consolidation Act of 1882.

THOS. P. WALSH, } Committee  
THOMAS ROTHMAN, } on  
MICHAEL McKENNA, } Public Works.  
ROBERT HALL,

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 58.)

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

THOS. P. WALSH, } Committee  
THOMAS ROTHMAN, } on  
MICHAEL McKENNA, } Public Works.  
ROBERT HALL,

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 59.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Seventh street, from Tenth avenue 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 Seventh street, from Boulevard to Tenth avenue, be regulated, graded, curbed 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.

THOS. P. WALSH, } Committee  
THOMAS ROTHMAN, } on  
MICHAEL McKENNA, } Public Works.  
ROBERT HALL,

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 60.)

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 avenue 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, from Eighth avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas, be regulated and graded, curbed 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.

THOS. P. WALSH, } Committee  
THOMAS ROTHMAN, } on  
MICHAEL McKENNA, } Public Works.  
ROBERT HALL,

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 61.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of laying Croton-mains in One Hundred and Fifty-first street, from the Boulevard 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 be adopted.

Resolved, That Croton-mains be laid in One Hundred and Fifty-first street, between the Boulevard and St. Nicholas avenue, as provided in chapter 381, Laws of 1879.

THOS. P. WALSH, } Committee  
THOMAS ROTHMAN, } on  
MICHAEL McKENNA, } Public Works.  
ROBERT HALL,

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 62.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of fencing vacant lots on north side of Seventy-fourth street, west of First 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 vacant lots on the north side of Seventy-fourth street, commencing one hundred feet west from First avenue, and running westerly about one hundred and seventy-five feet; also the vacant lots on First avenue, west side, commencing about seventy-five feet north from Seventy-fourth street, and running north about one hundred feet, be fenced in, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

THOS. P. WALSH, } Committee  
THOMAS ROTHMAN, } on  
MICHAEL McKENNA, } Public Works.  
ROBERT HALL,

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 63.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of laying a crosswalk across Forty-second street, opposite the Harmonie Social Club, 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 a crosswalk of two courses of bridge-stone be laid across Forty second street, opposite the entrance to the Harmonie Social Club, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

THOS. P. WALSH, } Committee  
THOMAS ROTHMAN, } on  
MICHAEL McKENNA, } Public Works.  
ROBERT HALL,

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 64.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of laying Croton-mains in Sixty-sixth street, from Eighth to Ninth 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 Sixty-sixth street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, as provided in chapter 381, Laws of 1879.

THOS. P. WALSH, } Committee  
THOMAS ROTHMAN, } on  
MICHAEL McKENNA, } Public Works.  
ROBERT HALL,

Which was laid over.

The majority and minority of the Committee on Law Department each presented a report on the subject of amending or modifying the laws passed to improve the Civil Service in this State, as follows:

*To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York:*

We, the undersigned members of the Committee on Law of the Common Council of the City of New York, to whom was referred the annexed resolutions, marked respectively 8 and 11, do respectfully

## REPORT:

That, in pursuance of notice from the Chairman of our Committee, we met on the 14th, 17th, 21st and 31st days of January, 1885, and considered the advisability of the adoption or rejection of the said resolutions by your Board.

That the Police Commissioners, the President of the Fire Department, and the Secretary of the Civil Service Advisory Board having been requested to appear before your Committee failed to attend and no testimony was adduced.

That the first statute passed by the Legislature of this State to regulate and improve the Civil Service thereof is to be found in chapter 354 of the Laws of 1883; that by section 8 of said act the members of the uniformed force of the Police and Fire Departments were specially exempted from the operation of said statute.

That thereafter, and on the 29th day of May, 1884, by section 2 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1884, section 8 of chapter 354 of the Laws of 1883, was amended so as to include the members of the uniformed force of the Police and Fire Departments of the City of New York for admission into the Civil Service.

That said amendment was not to take effect until after three months after the passage of said act, to wit: August 29, 1884.

That, in pursuance of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1884, the Mayor of the City of New York did, on the 22d day of August, 1884, prescribe the regulations for admission into the Civil Service of the City of New York.

Now, therefore, your Committee is of opinion that inasmuch as the Civil Service laws relating to the Fire and Police Departments of the City of New York have been in force for a period of only five months, it would not be wise at this time to agitate a repeal or modification of the same, but on the contrary, your Committee is of the opinion that it is but just to the members of the Legislature and the Governor who approved of said laws that the same be given a fair trial, and that the aforesaid period of operation is not a sufficient trial of such laws.

And we therefore recommend to this Honorable Board that the annexed preamble and resolutions be not adopted.

And your Committee request to be discharged from the further consideration of the annexed preamble and resolutions.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

New York, February 2, 1885.

EDWARD F. O'DWYER, } Committee  
JAMES T. VAN RENSSELAER, } on  
BANKSON T. MORGAN, } Law Department.

The minority of the Committee on Law Department, to which was referred a preamble and resolutions requesting the Legislature of this State to so amend the laws passed to improve the Civil Service, as to exempt applicants for appointment to the Police and Fire Departments of this city from the operations of said laws, respectfully



## REPORT:

That the preamble to the resolution so referred to the Committee so clearly sets forth the injurious effects of the laws named, upon the departments mentioned, that it appears to be superfluous to add any additional arguments to induce your Honorable Body to adopt the resolution. The reasons given, however, apply with equal force to other departments of the City Government. The Department of Public Parks, that employs policemen, gatemmen, gardeners, etc.; the Department of Charities and Correction, which employs attendants in the asylums, and other minor officers; the Department of Docks, that employs skilled laborers, mechanics, etc., in every one of whom physical perfection is far preferable to mental acquirements, should also be excepted from the provisions of the Civil Service laws. In fact, the undersigned are clearly of opinion that the interests of the city, and the efficiency of its Civil Service will be promoted by excepting all the employees holding minor positions in the several departments and offices of the city from the operation of these laws. Entertaining these opinions and feeling assured that the Civil Service will not be injuriously affected, but, on the contrary, will be improved by the exemptions named above, the undersigned respectfully offers for your adoption the following resolution, in lieu of the preamble and resolution referred to the Committee:

Resolved, That the members of the Common Council, the representatives of the people of this city, hereby respectfully prays the Honorable the Legislature of the State of New York, now in session, to repeal the amendments or modify the existing laws passed to improve the civil service in this State, so as to except applicants for appointment in the Police and Fire Departments of this city from the operations of said laws; and also to except applicants for appointment in all the other departments and branches of the City Government whose wages or compensation will not exceed the sum of one thousand two hundred dollars each per annum, from the operations of said laws; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of the foregoing resolution be duly authenticated by the signature of the Clerk of this Board, and transmitted to the President of the Senate, the Speaker of the Assembly, and to each of the representatives of this city in the Legislature of the State, who are hereby requested to use every honorable means to secure the repeal of the amendments of the Civil Service laws, so as to except the Police and Fire Departments of this city from their provisions, and a modification of said laws, so as to except applicants for appointment in all the other departments and branches of the City Government, whose wages or compensation will not exceed the sum of one thousand two hundred dollars each per annum, from the operations of said laws.

ANTHONY HARTMAN, } Minority of the  
JOHN QUINN, } Committee  
on Law Department.

Alderman O'Dwyer moved that both reports be accepted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Alderman Hartman then moved that the report of the minority be substituted for that of the majority of the Committee.

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

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

Affirmative—Vice-President Jaehne, Aldermen Cleary, Cowie, De Lacy, Finck, Hall, Hartman, Kenney, Kerwin, Masterson, Mulry, Murray, McGinnis, McKenna, McQuade, Oakley, Quinn, Reilly, and Walsh—19.

Negative—The President, Aldermen Morgan, O'Dwyer, and Van Rensselaer—4.

The President then put the question whether the Board would agree with resolutions reported by the minority of the Committee.

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

Affirmative—Vice-President Jaehne, Aldermen Cleary, Cowie, De Lacy, Finck, Hall, Hartman, Kenney, Kerwin, Masterson, Mulry, Murray, McGinnis, McKenna, McQuade, Oakley, Quinn, Reilly, and Walsh—19.

Negative—The President, Aldermen Morgan, O'Dwyer, and Van Rensselaer—4.

## MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Alderman Hall—

Resolved, That the consent of the Common Council heretofore granted for the construction, maintenance, operation, use and extension of the following street surface railways, viz.: Second Avenue Branch Railroad; Chambers Street and Grand Street Ferry Railroad; Bleecker Street and Fulton Ferry Railroad; Thirty-fourth Street Railroad; and Broadway Surface Railroad be and the same is hereby reconsidered, vacated and withdrawn, in accordance with a recommendation of his Honor the Mayor, in a message to the Board of Aldermen, dated January 19, 1885; the said railways not having been constructed or operated.

The Vice-President moved to refer to the Committee on Railroads.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Hartman—

Whereas, Many years' experience has proven that to secure a full enforcement of the Excise law, it must be modified to make it more practicable and certain of the support of all respectable dealers; and

Whereas, We believe that the attainment of such result will be advanced by the adoption of amendments to the Excise law as suggested by the Mayor, in a message presented in this Board, February 2, 1885, which, while providing for a strict enforcement of said law, will permit all public places to be opened only after 2 o'clock P. M., on Sundays; be it, therefore,

Resolved, That the members of the Legislature from this city be and they are hereby requested to do or cause to be done whatever may be necessary and proper for the prompt passage of an act providing for such amendments; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent by the Clerk of this Board to each Senator and Member of Assembly from this city, and to the President of the Senate and Speaker of the Assembly.

Alderman Van Rensselaer moved that the resolution be laid over for one week.

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 with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Morgan—

Whereas, During the past ten years the sum of \$97,500 has been appropriated to the Law Department, "For Procuring and Presenting Evidence relative to Frauds on the City and County of New York, prior to January 1, 1872;" and

Whereas, The taxpayers of this city have an undoubted right to know how this large sum of money was expended; be it therefore

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby respectfully requested to report to this Board, at his earliest convenience, a statement in detail, showing the expenditures from this appropriation, each year, from January 1, 1875, to January 1, 1885; the name of the person in whose favor each warrant was drawn, the amount of each warrant, the nature of the services rendered in each case, and such other information connected with the expenditure of the moneys so appropriated as he may deem of interest to the people of this city.

Alderman Kerwin moved to refer to the Committee on Finance.

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 with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Hartman—

Whereas, Nineteen-twentieths of the present immense and constantly augmenting traffic between both sides of the Harlem river passes over the bridge at Third Avenue, and much loss of time and annoyance is occasioned when this means of communication is interrupted, as is frequently the case, by the opening of the "draw" of the bridge to afford passage for tug-boats and other vessels; and

Whereas, More than one-half of the time lost and annoyance suffered, could be prevented, if tug-boats were compelled to lower their pipes, or "smoke-stacks," and pass beneath the bridge, thus obviating the necessity for opening the "draw"; be it therefore

Resolved, That the Committee on Law Department be and is hereby instructed to prepare and present to this Board an ordinance which, by its provisions, will compel owners, captains, or persons in charge of tug-boats to have the pipes or "smoke-stacks" of their boats constructed so that they may be lowered when approaching the Third Avenue Bridge over the Harlem river, and raised, after passing beneath, thereby obviating the necessity of opening the "draw," in order to admit of the passage of such boats when not engaged in towing vessels which, by reason of their size or construction, cannot pass beneath the bridge.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

## MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor:

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, February 9, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted February 2, 1885, giving permission to Enoch Evans to lay a crosswalk of two courses of blue stone across West street, opposite No. 398. There already is a crosswalk at the corner about sixty feet south, and

there is therefore no necessity for another within so short a distance, and though it is proposed to be laid without expense to the city, its maintenance would be a city charge.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Enoch Evans to lay a crosswalk, of two courses of blue stone, across West street, opposite No. 398, 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.

Which was laid over, ordered to be printed in the minutes and published in full in the CITY RECORD.

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor:

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, February 9, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted February 2, 1885, giving permission to Teresa Logomarsino to keep a stand for the sale of flowers in the square or open space at the lower terminus of the Third Avenue Railroad, opposite the Post Office building. This space is already so encumbered that the proposed stand would be a great obstruction.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Teresa Logomarsino to keep a stand, not to exceed four feet long by three feet wide, for the sale of flowers, near the lamp-post in the square or open space at the lower terminus of the Third Avenue Railroad, opposite the Post-Office building; such stand to be so placed and kept only when in use by the owner thereof; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Which was laid over, ordered to be printed in the minutes and published in full in the CITY RECORD.

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor:

MAYOR'S OFFICE, }  
NEW YORK, February 9, 1885. }

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted February 2, 1885, giving permission to John H. Feldscher to place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk near the curb-stone in front of No. 787 Eleventh avenue. A similar resolution was vetoed by the Mayor, August 15, 1884, on account of the necessity for economy in the use of water, which objection still exists.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John H. Feldscher to place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk, near the curb-stone, in front of No. 787 Eleventh avenue, the work to be done and water supplied at own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Which was laid over, ordered to be printed in the minutes and published in full in the CITY RECORD.

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor:

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, February 9, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted February 2, 1885, giving permission to G. Barney Heitzman to place a watering-trough in front of his premises, No. 968 Tenth avenue. The inadequacy of the supply of water, and the necessity for economy in its use, is a sufficient objection to the granting of this privilege.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to G. Barney Heitzman to place a watering-trough in front of his premises, No. 968 Tenth avenue, the work to be done and water supplied 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.

Which was laid over, ordered to be printed in the minutes and published in full in the CITY RECORD.

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor:

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, February 3, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

In accordance with the Laws of 1857, chapter 31, I have the honor to transmit herewith the annual report of the Trustees of the Cooper Union for the Advancement of Science and Art for the year ending December 31, 1884.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

The Trustees of the Cooper Union for the Advancement of Science and Art, as required by the charter, submit the following report of the receipts and expenditures of the corporation for the year ending December 31, 1884.

To the Legislature of the State of New York and the Common Council of the City of New York:

RECEIPTS.		GENERAL CASH STATEMENT.	
Rent from stores, rooms and offices.	\$29,648 15	Dr.	
Large hall .....	2,866 00	Balance in Treasury, January 1, 1884.	\$3,231 36
Miscellaneous receipts .....	2,538 20	Receipts .....	56,102 35
Interest on Town of Pompton bonds.	15,750 00	Money borrowed .....	11,000 00
Interest on Long Island Railroad bonds .....	550 00		\$70,333 71
Interest on Peter Cooper Endowment Fund .....	4,500 00		
Donations .....	250 00		
	\$56,102 35		
EXPENDITURES.		Cr.	
For Free Night Classes .....	\$10,381 42	Expenditures .....	\$52,224 73
" " Art School for Women .....	10,758 93	Loans paid off .....	11,000 00
" " Reading Room .....	2,001 14	Balance in Treasury, January 1, 1885.	7,108 98
" " Library .....	5,317 02		\$70,333 71
" Chemical Department .....	175 16		
" Laboratory .....	401 92		
" Lecture expenses .....	815 27		
" Care of building .....	7,034 11		
" Heat and ventilation .....	5,361 38		
" Repairs and improvements .....	2,234 26		
" Office expenses .....	647 00		
" Stationery .....	364 16		
" Printing .....	729 67		
" Postage .....	114 50		
" Rewards to employees .....	250 00		
" Women's Centennial Union Fund .....	108 00		
" Gas .....	5,327 75		
" Advertising .....	9 20		
" Sundries .....	193 84		
	\$52,224 73		

In addition to the current receipts above stated, the Trustees have received from the executors of the Estate of Peter Cooper, deceased, one hundred and fifty thousand dollars, which has been invested in securities as an endowment fund. The Trustees have also received fifteen thousand dollars from the Township of Pompton, on the principal of the bonds held by them as an endowment fund.

City and County of New York, ss.:

Wilson G. Hunt, Daniel F. Tiemann, Edward Cooper, John E. Parsons and Abram S. Hewitt, being duly and severally sworn, do each for himself doth depose and say, that they are Trustees of the Cooper Union for the advancement of Science and Art, and that the foregoing is a true account of all the receipts and expenditures of the said Trustees for the year ending December 31, 1884, to the best of their knowledge and belief.

WILSON G. HUNT.  
DANIEL F. TIEMANN.  
EDWARD COOPER.  
JNO. E. PARSONS.

Sworn to before me, this 26th }  
day of January, 1885. }

DANIEL R. GARDEN (24),

Notary Public, City and County of New York.

Which was ordered on file.



## MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

(G. O. 65.)

By the President—

Resolved, That the rooms in the County Court-house set apart for the use and occupation of the Judges of the Superior Court of the City of New York be altered, painted and fitted up and furnished at an expense not to exceed the sum of four thousand five hundred dollars, to be charged to the appropriation for "Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices," for the year 1885, 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 Judges of said Court and subject to their approval; the said sum being the amount appropriated for that purpose in the tax levy for the year 1885.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman McKenna—

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby requested to include in the list of streets to be repaved during the present year, as provided in chapter 476, Laws of 1875, Thirty-first street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Kenney—

Resolved, That the Commission for lighting the city be and is hereby requested to cause Eighth avenue, from Fourteenth street to Fifty-ninth street, to be lighted with electric-lights.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the same—

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and is hereby requested to include in the list of streets to be repaved this year Washington street, from Canal to Thirteenth street, as provided in chapter 476, Laws of 1875.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Cleary—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Richard Uffelman to place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk near the curb-stones, in front of No. 24 Varick street, the work to be done and water supplied 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.

(G. O. 66.)

By Alderman Morgan—

Resolved, That a twelve-inch water-pipe, with large fire-hydrants connected therewith, be laid in Thirteenth street, from Third to Eleventh avenue, and in Twenty-second street, from Third to Eleventh avenue, as provided in sections 189 and 194 of the Consolidation Act of 1882.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Brown—

Resolved, That the Commission for lighting the city be and is hereby requested to cause Third avenue, from One Hundred and Sixth to One Hundred and Thirtieth street, to be lighted with electric-lights.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 67.)

By the same—

Resolved, That Croton-mains be laid in Lexington avenue, from One Hundred and Seventeenth to One Hundred and Eighteenth street, as provided in chapter 381, Laws of 1879.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 68.)

By the same—

Resolved, That One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue, 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.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Rothman—

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby requested to include in the list of streets to be repaved this year, as provided in chapter 476, Laws of 1875:

First street, from the Bowery to Avenue A;  
Third street, from the Bowery to Avenue B;  
Fourth street, from the Bowery to Avenue B;  
Fifth street, from the Bowery to Avenue B;  
Sixth street, from the Bowery to Avenue B;  
Stanton street, from the Bowery to Clinton street;  
Essex street, from Stanton to Houston street;  
Ludlow street, from Stanton to Houston street; and  
Orchard street, from Stanton to Houston street.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 69.)

By Alderman Hartman—

Resolved, That Croton-mains be laid in Anthony (formerly Prospect) avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street to Gray street, as provided in chapter 381, Laws of 1879.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 70.)

By the same—

Resolved, That One Hundred and Fortieth street, from North Third avenue to Morris avenue, be regulated, graded, curbed and flagged a space four feet wide, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 71.)

By Alderman Masterson—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted, in Eighty-fifth street, from the Boulevard to the Riverside Drive, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 72.)

By the same—

Resolved, That Croton water-mains be laid in One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, from Tenth avenue to St. Nicholas avenue, as provided in chapter 381, Laws of 1879.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 73.)

By the same—

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

Which was laid over.

By the same—

Resolved, That the Commission for lighting the city be and is hereby requested to cause the drives in the Central Park to be lighted with electric lights.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 74.)

By the same—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in Eighty-fifth street, from the Boulevard to Riverside Drive, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 75.)

By Alderman Reilly—

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to cause the lamp-post and lamp now in front of No. 1091 First avenue to be moved from its present location and placed a distance of three feet further north, as it is at present located an obstruction to the free use of the sidewalk by the owner of the premises.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 76.)

By the same—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Eighty-seventh street, from Avenue B to the East river, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 77.)

By Alderman Walsh—

Resolved, That a crosswalk of four courses of blue-stone be laid across Forty-second street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, opposite the main entrance to the West Presbyterian Church, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

By the same—

Whereas, Pier No. 12, East river, is used by the Commissioner for Cleaning the Streets as a dumping-board, and is occupied every night by carts and cartmen, and others, engaged in the work of street cleaning, south of Chambers street, as a dumping-board, and a due regard for the lives and property of those so engaged renders it necessary that the pier should be effectively lighted during the night; be it therefore

Resolved, That the Commissioners for Lighting the City be and are hereby requested to cause said Pier No. 12, East river, to be lighted during the night time, by an electric light.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the same—

Resolved, That William B. Anderson be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, whose term of office expired January 26, 1885.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Van Rensselaer—

Resolved, That John H. Stoker be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Michael Fleischer, who died October 23, 1884.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Mulry—

Resignation of Edward F. Reilly as a Commissioner of Deeds.

Which was accepted.

Whereupon Alderman Mulry offered the following:

Resolved, That John J. Reilly be and is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in place of Edward F. Reilly, resigned.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative on a division, as follows:

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Jaehne, Aldermen Cleary, Cowie, De Lacy, Finck, Hall, Hartman, Kenney, Kerwin, Masterson, Morgan, Mulry, Murray, McGinnis, McKenna, McQuade, Oakley, O'Dwyer, Quinn, Reilly, Van Rensselaer, and Walsh—23.

By the President—

Resolved, That Artemas S. Cady be and he is hereby reappointed 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 Hall—

Resolved, That Louis H. Mayer be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Kerwin—

Resolved, That William M. Watson be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of William M. Watson, whose term of office expired January 26, 1885.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Rothman—

Resolved, That Edward C. Taylor 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 De Lacy—

Resolved, That Alexander H. Roemer 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 Hall—

Resolved, That John Wallace 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 Quinn—

Resolved, That Jeremiah Holmes 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 Walsh—

Resolved, That Oliver Keane, Patrick Wolf, Francis T. Fitzgerald, and John F. Shea be and they are hereby respectively appointed Commissioners 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 Charles E. O'Connor 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 Oakley—

Resolved, That Francis J. Gallagher 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 same—

Resolved, That the name of Vincenzo Palumbo, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be and is hereby corrected, so as to read Vincenzo Palumbo.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

## COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Department of Finance:

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, January 31, 1885.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen:

Weekly statement, showing the appropriations made under the authority contained in section 189, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, for carrying on the Common Council from January 1 to December 31, 1885, both days inclusive, and of the payments made up to and including the date hereof, for and on account of each appropriation, and the amount of unexpended balances.

Titles of Appropriations.	Amount of Appropriations.	Payments.	Amount of Unexpended Balances.
City Contingencies.....	\$1,000 00	.....	\$1,000 00
City Contingencies—Expenses of a Public Reception of the Bartholdi Statue.....	5,000 00	.....	5,000 00
Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council.....	250 00	.....	250 00
Salaries—Common Council.....	71,000 00	\$5,834 64	65,165 36

EDWARD V. LOEW, Comptroller.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Department of Public Works:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, February 6, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—In answer to the resolution adopted by your Board, passed on the 2d instant, requesting me to report by what right or authority the New York Mutual Gas-light Company has



constructed a fence across Twelfth street at the easterly line of Avenue D, which prevents free access to said street by the public, I respectfully report:

There is no record to show any authority or permit for the erection of this fence, which has been in position about thirteen years. There is a large gateway in its centre, through which any one is allowed to pass who has occasion to use the street east of Avenue D, the gas company having a watchman stationed there. The company does not claim a legal right to keep the fence there, but claims to have built and since maintained the roadway east of it. No complaint has ever been made to this Department in reference to the fence, but if such complaint should be made, or if, in the opinion of your Board, it should not be allowed to remain, the Department will see that it is promptly removed.

Very respectfully,

ROLLIN M. SQUIRE, Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Department of Finance:

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
February 9, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York:

In compliance with section 5, article 1 of chapter 3 of the Revised Ordinances of 1880, I have the honor to transmit herewith to your Honorable Body a "Statement of all contracts made by the Corporation or directed or authorized by the Common Council and not performed or completed, or upon which any money remains unpaid, with the amount of moneys so remaining unpaid on each," which were filed in the Comptroller's office during the year 1884.

Respectfully,

EDWARD V. LOEW, Comptroller.

Statement of Contracts Filed in the Comptroller's Office during 1884, upon which Balances are Unpaid.

Contract No.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT MAKING CONTRACT.	NAME OF CONTRACTOR.	PURPOSE OF CONTRACT.	COST.	PAYMENTS TO DEC. 31, 1884.	BALANCE UNPAID.	REMARKS.
6386	Nov. 17, 1883	Public Works.....	William E. Dean.....	Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Third street, from Tenth avenue to Riverside Drive.....	\$8,734 30	\$3,150 00	\$5,584 30	Cost estimated in contract.
6387	" 20, "	" .....	John Slattery.....	Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, from St. Nicholas to Eleventh avenue....	5,928 16	5,635 16	293 00	
6388	" 21, "	" .....	John McKim & Son.....	Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Sixty-fourth street, from First avenue to East river .....	16,066 45	7,700 00	8,366 45	Cost estimated in contract.
6389	Dec. 7, "	" .....	William E. Dean.....	Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.....	7,439 85	6,613 60	826 25	" "
6390	" 7, "	" .....	" .....	Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, from Tenth avenue to Boulevard.....	12,868 50	5,216 40	7,652 10	" "
6392	Nov. 21, "	" .....	Patrick Reilly.....	Sewer in One Hundred and Forty-first street, between the Boulevard and Diagonal avenue.....	2,035 95	None.	2,035 95	" "
6393	" 21, "	" .....	John McKim & Son.....	Sewer in Eighth avenue, east side, between One Hundred and Forty-seventh and One Hundred and Forty-ninth streets..	5,779 78	5,586 03	193 75	
6394	Dec. 7, "	" .....	Joseph A. Devlin.....	Sewer in Front street, between Broad and Whitehall streets..	2,224 35	2,117 51	106 80	
6395	Nov. 22, "	" .....	John G. Smith .....	Regulating and paving, with granite-blocks, Eighth avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-fifth and One Hundred and Forty-fifth streets.....	67,251 10	63,958 70	3,292 40	
6399	Dec. 11, "	" .....	The Harlem Gas-light Co.....	Furnishing illuminating gas for lighting public markets, armories, buildings and offices in the City of New York, from January 1, 1884 to December 31, 1884 .....	1,800 00	1,630 10	169 90	Cost estimated in contract.
6400	" 12, "	" .....	The New York Gas-light Co.....	Furnishing illuminating gas for lighting public markets, armories, offices, etc., from January 1, 1884, to December 31, 1884 .....	14,000 00	12,798 72	1,201 28	" "
6401	" 12, "	" .....	The Manhattan Gas-light Co.....	Furnishing illuminating gas for lighting markets, armories and public buildings, from January 1, 1884, to December 31, 1884 .....	12,000 00	10,153 95	1,846 05	" "
6402	" 12, "	" .....	The Metropolitan Gas-light Co.....	Furnishing illuminating gas for the markets, armories, offices and buildings in the City of New York, from January 1, 1884, to December 31, 1884.....	5,500 00	5,127 12	372 88	" "
6403	Jan. 2, 1884	Public Charities and Correction.	Solomon Sayles .....	Furnishing fresh meats, from January 1, 1884, to December 31, 1884.....	206,060 00	189,061 51	16,998 49	" "
6404	" 2, "	" .....	William H. Thomas.....	Furnishing fresh fish, from January 1, 1884, to December 31, 1884.....	12,874 00	12,003 39	870 61	" "
6407	" 19, "	Public Parks .....	George F. Doak.....	Paving with trap blocks, Courtland avenue, from North Third avenue to One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street .....	17,215 65	16,002 10	1,213 55	
6409	" 22, "	Fire.....	Henry E. Bowns.....	Furnishing 6,000 tons of coal.....	25,140 00	17,242 45	7,897 55	
6410	" 24, "	Health.....	Jacob Jamer and Geo. P. Jacobs.....	Constructing a heating apparatus for a hospital building at foot of E. 1st Sixteenth street.....	4,060 00	1,800 00	2,260 00	
6411	Dec. 21, 1883	Board of Education.....	Michael McNamara.....	Delivering janitors' and school supplies during the year 1884..	1,749 96	1,604 33	145 63	
6412	Jan. 2, 1884	Public Charities and Correction.	Henry E. Bowns.....	Furnishing 920 tons of white ash coal.....	4,312 40	3,267 10	1,045 30	
6417	" 31, "	Public Parks.....	Wm. E. Dean.....	Sewer and appurtenances in One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, between Brook and St. Ann's avenue.....	2,806 00	2,697 81	108 20	
6418	" 31, "	" .....	Denis W. Moran.....	Regulating, grading, curbing, guttering, flagging, and laying crosswalks in One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, from North Third to St. Ann's avenue.....	10,003 51	5,637 14	4,366 37	Cost estimated in contract.
6420	" 18, "	Public Charities and Correction.	N. Millard & Co.....	Furnishing 70 barrels of whiskey.....	4,130 80	4,015 54	115 26	
6422	" 2, "	" .....	Martin Engel.....	Furnishing poultry for the year 1884.....	4,980 00	4,947 15	32 85	
6424	" 18, "	" .....	Henry E. Bowns.....	Furnishing 2,000 tons of coal for out-door poor.....	10,660 00	10,468 12	191 88	
6426	" 2, "	" .....	American Condensed Milk Co.....	Furnishing condensed cows' milk during the year 1884 .....	47,600 00	44,900 78	2,699 22	Cost estimated in contract.
6431	" 18, "	" .....	David B. Duncan.....	Furnishing 20,000 tons of coal to institutions, etc.....	79,790 00	72,84 16	6,895 84	
6434	Feb. 18, "	Public Parks.....	Dennis W. Moran.....	Regulating, grading, curbing, guttering, flagging and laying crosswalks in One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from St. Ann's to College avenue.....	15,541 90	11,218 20	4,323 70	Cost estimated in contract.
6445	" 15, "	" .....	William E. Dean.....	Constructing sewer and appurtenances in Lincoln avenue, between the Harlem river and One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, and in the Southern Boulevard, between Lincoln and Willis avenues, with branches in Alexander and Willis avenues, between the Southern Boulevard and One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street.....	15,039 50	9,949 59	5,089 91	" "
6448	" 27, "	Health.....	Charles Jones .....	Building an administration building on North Brothers' Island.	10,000 00	6,600 00	3,400 00	
6450	" 20, "	Public Charities and Correction.	Henry E. Bowns.....	Furnishing 450 tons of coal for out-door poor.....	2,083 50	1,981 64	101 85	
6458	Mar. 5, "	Street Cleaning.....	John S. Brown.....	Cleaning the streets, etc., in the First Street Cleaning District, from March 11, 1884, to March 10, 1886, inclusive.....	275,000 00	99,828 75	175,171 24	
6459	" 10, "	" .....	Wm. F. Hayward & Edward Duffy.....	Cleaning the streets in the Second Street Cleaning District, from March 11, 1884, to March 10, 1886, inclusive.....	459,980 00	163,587 32	296,392 61	
6475	" 26, "	Public Works.....	Bernard Gallagher.....	Furnishing material and performing work in the erection of portion of Washington Market.....	168,550 00	135,000 00	33,550 00	
6476	Feb. 20, "	" .....	William Kelly.....	Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Ninety-third street, from West End avenue and Riverside Drive .....	33,987 73	None.	33,987 73	Cost estimated in contract.
6478	Mar. 21, "	" .....	George D. Lord .....	Laying water-mains in Morris, Railroad, Sedgwick, Seventh, Eighth, and Tenth avenues, in Morris, Orchard, and One Hundred and Seventy-fifth streets, in Kings-bridge road and Riverside Drive.....	27,516 50	10,727 30	16,789 20	" "
6479	" 26, "	" .....	Fox & Drummond .....	Furnishing cast-iron water-pipes, branch pipes, and special castings .....	68,940 00	51,996 83	16,943 17	
6482	Apr. 8, "	Public Parks.....	The Metropolitan Telephone and Telegraph Co.....	Furnishing telephone communication for one year.....	3,750 00	1,739 38	2,010 62	
6495	" 9, "	Public Works.....	Joseph K. Wells.....	Furnishing 3,800 tons of Wilkesbarre coal.....	17,764 00	6,525 07	11,238 93	
6496	" 19, "	" .....	Matthew Baird.....	Alteration and improvement to sewer in Fifty-seventh street, from a point 220 feet west of Madison avenue to meet the present sewer east of Fifth avenue.....	408 00	393 50	14 50	
6497	" 26, "	" .....	John Slattery.....	Regulating and grading intersection of One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Public Drive.....	574 35	525 60	48 75	Cost estimated in contract.
6499	May 2, "	" .....	William J. Reilly.....	Regulating, grading, setting curb-stone and flagging side walks in One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street, from Tenth avenue to Kingsbridge road .....	12,336 64	1,421 35	10,915 29	" "
6502	" 16, "	Police .....	James Duffy.....	Alteration and repairs to Eleventh Precinct Station-house, on Houston street, known as "Union Market" Building.....	21,229 00	.....	.....	Payable by the Police Department.
6508	Apr. 29, "	Public Works.....	The United States Illuminating Company.....	Furnishing electric lights on Broadway, from Battery place to Twelfth street; West street, from Battery place to West Eleventh street; South street, from Whitehall to Grand street; East Broadway, from Chatham Square to Grand street; Beecker street, from Bowery to Eighth avenue; Eighth avenue, from Beecker street to Fourteenth street; Fifth avenue, from Washington Square to Thirtieth street; Gansevoort Market Square, Battery Park, City Hall Park, Washington Park, and Tompkins Park, from May 1, 1884, to April 30, 1885 .....	75,000 00	32,210 50	42,789 50	Cost estimated in contract.
6509	" 29, "	" .....	The Brush Electric Illuminating Company.....	Furnishing electric lights on Fourteenth street, from East river to Hudson river; Twenty-third street, from East river to Hudson river; Thirty-fourth street, from East river to Hudson river; Forty-second street, from East river to Hudson river; Fifty-ninth street, from Third to Ninth avenue; Seventh avenue, from Fourteenth to Fifty-ninth street; Fifth avenue, from Fourteenth to Fifty-ninth street; Broadway, from Fourteenth to Fifty-ninth street; Fourth avenue, from Eighteenth to Forty-second street; Union Park and Madison Park, from May 1, 1884, to April 30, 1885 .....	88,000 00	40,123 30	47,876 70	" "
6510	" 29, "	" .....	The New York Gas-light Company .....	Furnishing gas, etc., for public lamps in the district lying south of Grand street, from East river to Sullivan street; through Sullivan street to Canal street, through Canal street to Hudson river, excepting lamps on Battery Park, City Hall Park, Broadway, from Battery place to Grand street; South street, from Whitehall to Grand street; West street, from Battery place to Canal street, and East Broadway, from Chatham Square to Grand street, from May 1, 1884, to April 30, 1885 .....	58,000 00	27,700 31	30,299 69	" "



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6511	Apr. 29, 1884	Public Works.....	The Manhattan Gas-light Company.....	Furnishing gas, etc., for public lamps in the district bounded on the north by Thirty-fourth street, on the east by the East river, on the south by Grand, Sullivan and Canal streets, and on the west by the Hudson river, excepting the lamps on public parks, Broadway, from Grand to Thirty-fourth street; Fifth avenue, from Washington Square to Thirty-fourth street; Fourth avenue, from Fourteenth to Thirty-fourth street; West street, from Canal to West Eleventh street; Gansevoort Market Square; Bleecker street, from Bowery to Eighth avenue; Eighth avenue, from Bleecker to Fourteenth street; Seventh avenue, from Fourteenth to Thirty-fourth street; Fourteenth street, from river to river; Twenty-third street, from river to river, and Thirty-fourth street, from river to river, from May 1, 1884, to April 30, 1885.....	\$100,000 00	\$52,524 71	\$47,475 29	Cost estimated in contract.
6512	May 1, "	"	The Central Gas-light Company.....	Furnishing gas, etc., for public lamps in that part of the City of New York comprising the Twenty-third Ward, from May 1, 1884, to April 30, 1885.....	60,000 00	37,414 63	22,585 37	"
6513	April 29, "	"	The Metropolitan Gas-light Company.....	Furnishing gas, etc., for public lamps in part of the district bounded on the north by Seventy-ninth street, on the east by the East river, on the south by Thirty-fourth street, and on the west by the Hudson river, from May 1, 1884, to April 30, 1885.....	83,000 00	39,804 12	43,195 88	"
6514	" 30, "	"	The New York Mutual Gas-light Company....	Furnishing gas, etc., for public lamps in part of the district bounded on the north by Seventy-ninth street, on the east by the East river, on the south by Thirty-fourth street, and on the west by the Hudson river, from May 1, 1884, to April 30, 1885.....	8,300 00	4,881 46	3,418 54	"
6515	" 25, "	"	The Harlem Gas-light Company.....	Furnishing gas, etc., for public lamps in the district bounded on the south by Seventy-ninth street, on the west by Hudson river, on the north by Spuyten Duyvil Creek and Harlem river, including High Bridge, and on the east by the Harlem river and East river, from May 1, 1884, to April 30, 1885.....	112,000 00	65,406 92	46,593 08	"
6516	" 29, "	"	The Northern Gas-light Company.....	Furnishing gas, etc., for public lamps in that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward, formerly constituting the town of West Farms, from April 1, 1884, to May 30, 1885.....	50,000 00	27,982 64	22,017 36	"
6517	" 29, "	"	The Yonkers Gas-light Company.....	Furnishing gas, etc., for public lamps in that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward formerly constituting the town of Kingsbridge, from May 1, 1884, to April 30, 1885.....	10,000 00	5,845 16	4,154 84	"
6518	May 16, "	Board of Education.....	Samuel G. French.....	Furnishing coal to the schools during the year ending May 1, 1885.....	59,020 00	35,069 75	3,950 25	"
6519	" 16, "	Public Works.....	Joseph A. Devlin.....	Sewer in Avenue B, between Fourth and Fifth streets.....	1,081 80	1,021 80	60 00	
6520	" 20, "	"	Joseph Moore.....	Sewer in Broadway, west side, between Battery place and Morris street.....	2,194 69	1,483 69	711 00	
6521	" 20, "	"	Patrick Farley.....	Regulating, grading, setting curb-stones, and flagging sidewalks in One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, from Seventh avenue to first new avenue west of Eighth avenue.....	12,600 70	8,046 50	4,554 20	Cost estimated in contract.
6522	" 20, "	"	"	Regulating, grading, setting curb-stones, and flagging sidewalks in Madison avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street.....	6,031 40	2,310 00	3,721 40	"
6523	" 20, "	"	John G. Smith.....	Regulating, grading, setting curb-stones, and flagging sidewalks in One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, from St. Nicholas avenue to Eighth avenue.....	1,641 36	1,551 73	89 63	
6524	" 20, "	"	Patrick Farley.....	Regulating, grading, setting curb-stones, and flagging sidewalks in One Hundred and Twelfth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.....	7,848 40	1,050 00	6,798 40	Cost estimated in contract
6525	" 31, "	"	F. Thilemann, Jr.....	Regulating, grading, setting curb-stones, and flagging sidewalks in One Hundred and Thirty-second street, from Tenth avenue to Broadway.....	9,168 56	2,254 00	6,914 56	"
6526	" 31, "	"	"	Regulating, grading, setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks in One Hundred and Sixty-second street, from Tenth avenue to Edgecomb avenue.....	10,804 25	1,361 50	9,442 75	Cost estimated by contracts
6527	June 2, "	"	John Slattery.....	Regulating, grading, setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks in Ninety-fifth street, from Ninth avenue to Tenth avenue.....	7,548 14	7,338 14	210 00	
6528	May 26, "	"	Edward N. Lynch.....	Sewer in Eighty-ninth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.....	6,161 48	5,915 18	246 30	
6529	" 28, "	"	G. M. Dean.....	Sewer in One Hundred and Twentieth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.....	1,712 96	1,555 76	157 20	
6530	" 16, "	Board of Education.....	Frederick Buse.....	Furnishing wood to the schools, from May 1, 1884, to May 1, 1885.....	10,165 00	9,894 64	270 36	Cost estimated in contract.
6533	" 12, "	Public Works.....	John Cornwell, Jr., and George Borstman.....	Laying water-mains in West street, between Battery place and West Eleventh street, and in South street, between Whitehall street and Jackson street.....	19,838 50	15,509 24	4,329 26	"
6534	June 12, "	Public Parks.....	J. D. Moore.....	Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging sidewalks, and laying crosswalk in One Hundred and Forty-third street, between Brook and St. Ann's avenues. Plumbing of a hospital at the foot of East Sixteenth street.....	3,161 50 4,250 00	3,021 42 2,700 00	140 08 1,550 00	
6535	" 13, "	Health.....	James Fay.....					
6537	May 31, "	Public Works.....	Dennis W. Moran.....	Regulating, grading sidewalks and setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks in St. Nicholas place, from One Hundred and Fiftieth street to the intersection with St. Nicholas avenue.....	1,097 35	978 70	118 65	
6538	June 11, "	Health.....	William F. Croft.....	Building a disinfecting-house and boiler-house at the hospital foot of East Sixteenth street.....	15,400 00	10,800 00	4,600 00	
6539	" 11, "	"	Jacob Jamer and George P. Jacobs.....	Steam boilers and other steam-fitting work required for the hospital building at the foot of East Sixteenth street.....	3,736 00	1,800 00	1,936 00	
6541	" 14, "	Public Parks.....	Robert Hall and Ferdinand V. Morrison.....	Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, flagging and laying crosswalks in One Hundred and Forty-first street, between North Third and Rider avenues.....	2,847 97	2,613 91	234 06	
6542	" 14, "	"	"	Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, flagging and laying crosswalks in One Hundred and Forty-second street, between North Third and Rider avenues.....	3,402 14 2,118 50	3,127 88 1,955 23	274 26 163 27	
6546	" 13, "	Public Charities and Correction	The Knickerbocker Ice Company.....	Furnishing 950 tons ice.....				
6547	" 21, "	Health.....	Charles Jones.....	Building a kitchen building and gas-house on North Brother's Island.....	16,000 00	7,920 00	8,080 00	
6549	" 15, "	Public Charities and Correction	The Metropolitan Telephone and Telegraph Co.	Furnishing telephone service from June 15, 1884, to June 15, 1885.....	3,420 48	1,282 68	2,137 80	
6550	" 25, "	Public Parks.....	Allen, O'Grady & Co.....	Sewer and appurtenances in Washington avenue, between Brook avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street.....	25,839 40	10,584 00	15,255 40	Cost estimated in contract.
6551	" 20, "	Public Works.....	John Slattery.....	Sewer in One Hundred and Twentieth and One Hundred and Twenty-first streets, between Seventh avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.....	5,945 92	5,588 92	357 00	
6552	" 23, "	"	Joseph A. Devlin.....	Sewer in Second avenue, west side, between Sixty-sixth and Sixty-seventh streets, and in Sixty-seventh street, between Second and Third avenues.....	5,196 25	2,318 23	2,878 02	Cost estimated in contract.
6553	" 23, "	"	"	Sewer in Macdougall street, between West Third and West Fourth streets.....	922 64	865 64	57 00	
6554	" 24, "	"	Thomas Murray.....	Sewer in Lexington avenue, between One Hundred and Eighth and One Hundred and Ninth streets.....	895 68	834 93	60 75	
6555	" 25, "	"	John McKim.....	Sewers in Eighty-sixth street, between Tenth and Riverside avenues.....	10,922 85	7,305 67	3,617 18	Cost estimated in contract.
6556	" 25, "	"	William E. Dean.....	Sewers in One Hundred and Twelfth, One Hundred and Thirtieth and One Hundred and Fourteenth streets, between Eighth avenue and new avenue west of Eighth avenue, and additional receiving-basin and culverts, between New avenue and Morningside Park.....	3,909 93	3,555 93	354 00	
6557	" 25, "	"	"	Sewers in Tenth avenue, east side, between One Hundred and Sixty-second and One Hundred and Seventieth streets, and west side, between Kingsbridge road and One Hundred and Seventy-third street.....	38,385 00	None.	38,385 00	Cost estimated in contract.
6558	" 23, "	"	Denis McGrath.....	Regulating, grading, setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks in One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, from St. Nicholas to Eighth avenue.....	1,471 70	1,370 32	101 38	
6559	" 23, "	"	Charles Guidet.....	Regulating and paving (trap-block) One Hundred and Thirty-first street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.....	6,625 71	6,358 55	267 16	
6560	" 23, "	"	"	Regulating and paving (trap-block) Eighty-first street, from Boulevard to Riverside Drive.....	6,256 26	None.	6,256 26	Cost estimated in contract.
6561	" 12, "	"	Geo. W. Powe & Co.....	Furnishing 7,000 cubic yards clean sharp sand.....	4,480 00	"	4,480 00	"
6562	" 6, "	"	James H. Sullivan and Hugh H. Moore.....	Building a reservoir at Williamsbridge, in Twenty-fourth Ward.....	457,775 00	13,329 00	444,446 00	"
6565	" 27, "	Public Parks.....	Charles Jones.....	Sewer, with appurtenances and branches, in Webster avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-fifth and One Hundred and Eighty-fourth streets.....	172,758 90	None.	172,758 90	"
6566	Apr. 30, "	Board of Education.....	Thomas Cockerill.....	Erection of an addition to Grammar School Building No. 33, on West Twenty-eighth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues, Twenty-fifth Ward.....	64,900 00	60,000 00	4,900 00	
6569	June 12, "	"	Edward Gustafson.....	Altering yards and play-rooms in Grammar School Building No. 40, in East Twenty-third street, in Eighteenth Ward.....	687 00	None.	687 00	
6615	" 11, "	"	John Neal & Co.....	Heating apparatus in Grammar School Building No. 14, in Twenty-first Ward.....	6,993 00	5,000 00	1,993 00	
6670	" 10, "	Public Works.....	Charles Guidet.....	Regulating and paving (granite-block) Mulberry street, from Spring to Houston street, and Bond street, from Bowery to Broadway.....	19,712 35	19,042 45	669 90	
6671	" 10, "	"	Denis McGrath.....	Regulating and paving (trap-block) Thirty-ninth street, from Broadway to Sixth avenue.....	3,244 27	3,106 95	137 32	
6672	" 10, "	"	Charles Guidet.....	Regulating and paving (granite-block) Twelfth street, from Sixth avenue to Fourth street.....	14,513 92	13,980 32	533 60	
6673	" 10, "	"	"	Regulating and paving (granite-block) Jane street, from Greenwich avenue to Hudson street.....	5,633 52	5,428 14	205 38	
6674	" 19, "	"	William Kelly.....	Regulating and paving (granite-block) Fourth street, from Avenue D to Lewis street.....	3,438 20	3,313 35	124 85	
6675	" 19, "	"	"	Regulating and paving (granite-block) Clinton street, from Division street to Houston street.....	18,365 10	17,726 71	638 39	



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6682	July 17, 1884	Public Parks.....	B. C. Murray .....	Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, flagging sidewalks, laying crosswalks in One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, between North Third avenue and Railroad avenue (East).....	\$7,958 70	\$3,210 62	\$4,748 08	Cost estimated in contract.
6687	" 23, "	" .....	" .....	Sewer and appurtenances in One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, from the summit between Willis and Alexander avenues to Brook avenue.....	7,385 30	1,448 65	5,936 65	" "
6688	June 17, "	Public Charities and Correction.	Arthur O'K. Horgan.....	Erecting a stable building on south side of East Twenty-eighth street, Bellevue Hospital grounds.....	7,985 00	5,670 00	2,315 00	" "
6690	" 30, "	Public Works.....	Bernard Maloney.....	Receiving-basin, southwest corner Seventy-eighth street and Lexington avenue.....	256 00	247 60	8 40	" "
6693	July 14, "	" .....	Camden Iron Works .....	Furnishing cast-iron water-pipes, branch pipes, and special castings.....	2,719 04	1,919 04	800 00	" "
6695	June 23, "	" .....	Joseph A. Devlin.....	Sewer in Tenth avenue, between Fifty-sixth and Fifty-seventh streets.....	2,728 00	None.	2,728 00	Cost estimated in contract.
6696	July 26, "	Public Parks.....	Dennis W. Moran.....	Regulating, grading, and setting curb-stones in Transverse Road No. 2, crossing the Central Park from Fifth avenue entrance at Seventy-ninth street, to Eighth avenue at Eighty-first street.....	3,843 08	3,239 08	604 00	" "
6697	" 24, "	" .....	John A. Bouker .....	Furnishing and delivering broken trap-rock stone and screenings along the roads, streets and avenues in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	22,481 25	16,211 25	6,270 00	" "
6698	" 15, "	Public Works.....	Morton Hayden and Berkowitz.....	Regulating and paving (granite-block) One Hundred and Twenty-third street, from Third to Madison avenue.....	11,190 15	10,770 65	419 50	" "
6699	June 30, "	" .....	Michael Casey.....	Sewer in Eighty-fifth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues	10,575 00	1,963 50	8,611 50	Cost estimated in contract.
6700	" 26, "	" .....	Thomas Cavanagh .....	Regulating and paving (trap-block) Sixth street, from Avenue B to Lewis street, and Stanton street, from Columbia to Clinton street.....	22,109 57	21,172 16	937 41	" "
6701	July 11, "	" .....	Charles Guidet.....	Regulating and paving (trap-block) Cliff street, from Hague to Frankfort street; Baxter street, from Canal to Grand street, and Oak street, from Catharine to Pearl street.....	10,761 09	10,324 97	436 12	" "
6702	" 11, "	" .....	" .....	Regulating and paving (trap-block) Allen street, from Grand to Division street, and Suffolk street, from Stanton to Houston street.....	9,974 79	9,569 75	405 04	" "
6703	" 11, "	" .....	" .....	Regulating and paving (trap-block) Clarke street, from Broome to Spring street; Minetta street, from Minetta lane to Bleecker street; Minetta lane, from Macdougall street to Carmine street, and Leroy street, from Bleecker to Hudson street.....	12,917 31	13,397 07	520 24	" "
6704	" 11, "	" .....	" .....	Regulating and paving (trap-block) Division street, from Norfolk to Grand street, and Twenty-sixth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.....	17,086 00	None.	17,086 00	Cost estimated in contract.
6705	" 15, "	" .....	Leonard W. Johnson .....	Regulating and paving (granite-block) Avenue A, from Seventh to Fourteenth street.....	19,517 01	18,794 62	722 39	" "
6706	" 17, "	" .....	Denis McGrath.....	Regulating and paving (granite-block) Eleventh avenue, from Fifty-second to Fifty-third street.....	3,285 86	3,152 68	133 18	" "
6709	" 10, "	Docks.....	The Union Dredging Company.....	Dredging at bulkhead south of Pier, old 54, Pier at Jane street, Pier at Horatio street, Pier at Little West Twelfth street, Pier at West Fifteenth street, Pier at West Sixteenth street, Pier at West Forty-sixth street, North river, and at Pier 60 and bulkhead north side of Rivington street, East river.....	19,800 00	15,654 17	4,145 83	" "
6716	" 30, "	Fire.....	John Moonan.....	Furnishing 123,000 pounds hay, 20,000 pounds straw, 1,200 bags oats, 700 bags bran.....	2,866 00	2,118 85	747 15	" "
6716	Aug. 13, "	Public Parks.....	Thomas Murray.....	Sewer and appurtenances in Walton avenue, from One Hundred and Fiftieth street to a point five hundred feet northerly.....	1,889 95	1,792 20	97 75	" "
6720	July 29, "	Public Works.....	Joseph Moore.....	Sewer in One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, between the first new avenue west of Eighth avenue and Eighth avenue, with branches in said new avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-fifth and One Hundred and Fifty-first streets.....	14,420 00	9,987 60	4,432 40	Cost estimated in contract.
6721	" 29, "	" .....	James Fitzpatrick.....	Laying crosswalks in Sixty-ninth street, at Ninth avenue, Boulevard, and Eleventh avenue.....	381 41	360 08	21 33	" "
6722	" 29, "	" .....	" .....	Regulating and paving with granite-block pavement, Eighty-first street, from Avenue A to First avenue.....	5,328 66	None.	5,328 66	Cost estimated in contract.
6723	" 29, "	" .....	" .....	Regulating and paving (granite-block) pavement, Sixty-ninth street, from Ninth to Eleventh avenue.....	12,071 20	11,459 10	592 10	" "
6724	" 31, "	" .....	Allen O'Grady & Co.....	Regulating, grading, etc., Kingsbridge road, from One Hundred and Fifty-ninth to One Hundred and Ninetieth street.....	71,697 00	16,222 50	55,474 50	Cost estimated in contract.
6725	Aug. 5, "	" .....	James Slattery.....	Regulating, grading, etc., Seventy-fourth street, from Eighth avenue to Riverside Drive, except between West End avenue and Riverside Drive.....	29,825 41	None.	29,825 41	" "
6726	" 7, "	" .....	Patrick Reilly.....	Sewers in Fourth avenue, east and west sides, between Twenty-seventh and Thirtieth streets, with connections.....	7,354 60	4,039 66	3,254 94	" "
6727	July 15, "	" .....	John Cornwell and George Borstman.....	Laying water mains in Riverdale avenue, Barney and Dash's lane, in Twenty-fourth Ward.....	3,816 51	None.	3,816 51	" "
6728	" 24, "	" .....	Thomas Gearty.....	Regulating and paving with trap-block pavement Twelfth street, from Avenue A to Avenue D, except between Avenue C and Avenue D.....	8,258 96	7,806 84	452 12	" "
6729	" 24, "	" .....	" .....	Regulating and paving with trap-block pavement Twentieth street, from Seventh to Ninth avenue.....	9,970 44	9,429 70	540 74	" "
6730	" 28, "	" .....	Michael Shannon.....	Regulating and paving with trap-block pavement Sheriff street, from Stanton to Second street, and Willett street, from Rivington to Houston street.....	8,701 50	8,311 28	290 22	" "
6731	" 28, "	" .....	" .....	Regulating and paving with trap-block pavement Forty-ninth street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, and from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.....	10,429 04	9,889 75	539 29	" "
6732	" 29, "	" .....	William A. Cumming.....	Regulating and paving with trap-block pavement Twenty-ninth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue, and Thirty-second street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.....	10,339 85	9,799 83	540 02	" "
6733	" 29, "	" .....	John White.....	Regulating and paving with trap-block pavement Bank street, from Bleecker street to Greenwich avenue.....	5,611 97	5,328 88	283 09	" "
6734	" 29, "	" .....	William A. Cumming.....	Regulating and paving with trap-block pavement Ninth street, from First to Second avenue, and Forty-first street, from Second to Third avenue.....	8,098 77	7,672 71	426 06	" "
6735	" 29, "	" .....	John White.....	Regulating and paving with trap-block pavement One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.....	4,988 38	4,722 54	265 84	" "
6736	Aug. 5, "	" .....	M. J. Drummond.....	Furnishing 476 tons straight iron pipe, and 30 tons branch pipe and special castings.....	16,856 02	10,538 27	6,317 75	Cost estimated in contract.
6738	Sept. 1, "	Public Parks.....	Dennis W. Moran.....	Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging sidewalks in East One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, from easterly curb-line of North Third avenue to westerly curb-line of Willis avenue.....	2,203 80	None.	2,203 80	" "
6739	" 1, "	" .....	John S. Masterson.....	Sewer and appurtenances from the sewer on the easterly side of the Riverside avenue at One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, across the avenue, and westerly into the Riverside Park.....	1,631 65	1,593 75	37 50	" "
6741	" 3, "	" .....	Denis McGrath.....	Regulating and grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging sidewalks in One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, from west curb-line of North Third avenue to east curb-line of Railroad avenue (East).....	14,610 17	None.	14,610 17	Cost estimated in contract.
6742	" 4, "	" .....	Bernard Mahon.....	Sewers and appurtenances across the Eighth avenue, and in Central Park, at Eighty-eighth street.....	4,130 00	"	4,130 00	" "
6743	" 5, "	" .....	Denis McGrath.....	Laying crosswalks at Willis and Morris avenues, at their junction with Third avenue.....	1,684 87	"	1,684 87	" "
6744	Aug. 20, "	Public Works.....	Thomas Hayden.....	Sewer in Eighteenth street, between Second and Third avenues, from end of present sewer.....	621 40	"	621 40	" "
6746	Sept. 4, "	Public Parks.....	George F. Doak.....	Paving (trap-block) Transverse Road No. 2, crossing the Central Park, from Fifth avenue entrance at Seventy-ninth street to Eighth avenue at Eighty-first street.....	18,228 90	"	18,228 90	" "
6747	" 16, "	Police .....	Winant & Terhune.....	Supplying 2,100 tons of coal.....	8,190 00	"	"	Payable by the Police Department.
6750	" 5, "	Public Charities and Correction.	Rowland A. Robbins.....	Furnishing 2,000 yards striped prison cloth, 2,500 yards Canton flannel, and 100 dozen hasting cotton.....	1,878 01	204 33	1,673 68	" "
6751	" 20, "	Public Parks.....	John McQuade .....	Regulating and grading Brook avenue, from the New York and Harlem Railroad to a point 487 feet southerly from One Hundred and Thirty-second street, together with the approaches thereto and including the construction of a wooden bridge to carry said avenue over One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street and the Port Morris branch of the New York and Harlem Railroad.....	106,705 00	None.	106,705 00	Cost estimated in contract.
6753	" 9, "	Public Charities and Correction.	J. N. Potter.....	Furnishing 300 quintals Grand Bank codfish.....	1,179 00	1,100 40	78 60	" "
6754	Aug. 18, "	Public Works.....	Patrick Larney.....	Sewers in Beekman place, between Forty-ninth and Fifty-first streets.....	3,302 50	None.	3,302 50	Cost estimated in contract.
6755	" 18, "	" .....	William D. Lenihan.....	Sewer in First avenue, between Forty-eighth and Forty-ninth streets.....	2,131 00	"	2,131 00	" "
6756	" 19, "	" .....	John McKim & Son.....	Sewer in Ninety-seventh street, between Third and Fourth avenues, from end of present sewer east of Lexington avenue.....	4,553 70	"	4,553 70	" "
6757	" 20, "	" .....	Thomas Murray.....	Sewer in One Hundred and Twenty-third street, between Ninth and Manhattan avenues.....	1,507 50	"	1,507 50	" "
6758	" 20, "	" .....	" .....	Sewer in One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, between Avenue St. Nicholas and Tenth avenue.....	5,548 00	"	5,548 00	" "
6759	" 21, "	" .....	Denis McGrath.....	Sewer in One Hundred and Twentieth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.....	2,439 55	"	2,439 55	" "
6760	" 21, "	" .....	Denis McGrath.....	Sewer in One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, between Seventh avenue and summit west of Seventh avenue.....	1,045 77	947 22	98 55	" "
6761	" 25, "	" .....	Samuel Smyth.....	Completing unfinished sewer in One Hundred and Forty-first street, between Boulevard and Diagonal avenue.....	4,782 00	None.	4,782 00	Cost estimated in contract.
6762	" 25, "	" .....	Nutt & Kearns.....	Sewer in One Hundred and First street, between Ninth avenue and Manhattan avenue.....	1,374 18	1,287 18	87 00	" "
6763	" 25, "	" .....	John McKim & Son.....	Sewer in Eighty-fourth street, between Tenth avenue and Riverside avenue.....	9,709 75	1,139 08	8,570 67	Cost estimated in contract.
6764	" 27, "	" .....	I. D. Miner .....	Sewer in Fifty-ninth street, between Eighth avenue and end of present sewer east of Eighth avenue.....	5,891 20	1,633 90	4,257 30	" "



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6765	Sept. 1, 1884	Public Works.....	Edward N. Lynch.....	Receiving basins on southwest corner of Seventieth, Seventy-first and Seventy-second streets, and Boulevard; at the junction of Boulevard and Tenth avenue; at Seventy-second street and north of Seventh street, and on the southwest corner of Seventy-third street and Tenth avenue.....	\$1,378 00	\$1,313 50	\$64 50	
6766	" 1, "	"	William J. Reilly.....	Sewer in One Hundred and Forty-first street, between Avenue St. Nicholas and Tenth avenue.....	9,642 50	None.	9,642 50	Cost estimated in contract.
6767	Aug. 25, "	"	Patrick Farley.....	Regulating, grading, setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks in One Hundred and Third street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.....	7,076 64	1,179 50	5,897 14	" "
6768	Sept. 4, "	"	Mairs & Daly.....	Regulating, grading, setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks in Eleventh avenue, from Kingsbridge road to Dyckman street.....	109,138 69	23,149 00	85,989 69	Cost estimated in contract.
6771	" 9, "	"	Gillis & Geoghegan.....	Furnishing materials and apparatus and performing work for the heating by steam of rooms and offices in the City Hall building in the City Hall Park.....	5,498 00	None.	5,498 00	
6772	Aug. 29, "	"	Charles C. Field.....	Furnishing and delivering composition stops, cast-iron extension boxes, wrought-iron connecting rods, and lead pipes..	6,967 21	5,159 20	1,808 01	
6773	" 29, "	"	"	Furnishing and delivering stop-cocks, stop-cock boxes, and hydrants.....	7,661 00	5,273 78	2,387 22	
6774	Sept. 1, "	"	William Kelly.....	Regulating and paving (granite-block) Houston street, from Bowery to North river, except from Washington street to North river.....	33,804 50	23,467 50	10,337 00	Cost estimated in contract.
6775	" 3, "	"	Thomas G.arty.....	Regulating and paving (trap-block) Twelfth street, from Avenue C to Avenue D.....	4,509 32	4,261 72	247 60	
6776	" 3, "	"	John G. Smith.....	Regulating and paving (granite-block) Fifth avenue, from Thirty-third to Thirty-seventh street.....	17,374 00	11,484 20	9 80	Cost estimated in contract.
6788	" 22, "	Board of Education.....	Samuel Booth.....	New boilers, etc., in Grammar School Building No. 32, in Thirty-fifth street, near Ninth avenue, in Twentieth Ward.	1,850 00	800 00	1,050 00	
6789	" 25, "	"	Terence Kiernan.....	Erection of a new school-house on northwest corner of First avenue and East Seventieth street, in Nineteenth Ward....	109,994 00	19,000 00	90,994 00	
6790	" 19, "	Public Charities and Correction.	M. J. Drummond.....	Locomotive tubular boiler for laundry building connected with Branch Lunatic Asylum, Hart's Island.....	2,620 00	None.	2,620 00	
6791	" 1, "	Public Works.....	William Kelly.....	Regulating and paving (granite-block) Fifteenth street, from First avenue to 225 feet east of Avenue A.....	6,197 75	5,912 14	285 61	
6792	" 8, "	"	Wheeler H. Bristol.....	Building a gate-house and keeper's house and appurtenances at Kensico Reservoir, Westchester County, N. Y.....	10,000 00	7,650 00	2,350 00	
6793	Oct. 11, "	Public Parks.....	B. C. Murray.....	Excavation and removal of earth, rock and all surplus material from the site of the proposed enlargement of the Metropolitan Museum of Art, in the Central Park, including the approaches, areas, court, boiler, coal and elevator pits, trenches and subway connected therewith, and laying sewer or drain.....	20,150 00	None.	20,150 00	Cost estimated in contract.
6794	" 14, "	"	Denis McGrath.....	Paving (trap-block) Willis avenue, from the Southern Boulevard to North Third avenue.....	35,309 50	"	35,309 50	" "
6795	" 14, "	"	"	Paving (trap-block) One Hundred and Forty-third street, from Alexander avenue to Brook avenue.....	9,919 05	2,720 70	7,216 35	" "
6796	" 15, "	Fire.....	James Duffy.....	Erection of a fire-proof building for Hook and Ladder Company No. 16, headquarters of the Life Saving Corps, and for duplicate fire-alarm telegraph, on north side of Sixty-seventh street, between Third and Lexington avenues....	60,229 00	None.	60,229 00	
6797	" 20, "	Public Parks.....	John S. Masterson.....	Sewer and appurtenances in One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, between Boston road and Trinity avenue.....	4,240 25	"	4,240 25	Cost estimated in contract.
6799	Sept. 9, "	Public Works.....	Warren Foundry and Machine Company.....	Furnishing cast-iron water-pipes, branch pipes and special castings.....	10,428 00	7,327 64	3,100 36	
6800	Oct. 1, "	"	Joseph D. Nutt.....	Receiving-basin northeast corner of Beaver and William streets.....	243 50	None.	243 50	No quantities given, price for receiving-basin, \$175; price for culvert, per lineal foot, \$3; price for rock, per cubic yard, \$4.
6801	" 17, "	" (bond).....	John S. Masterson.....	Receiving-basin southwest corner One Hundred and Twenty-third street and Fourth avenue.....	"	"	"	
6803	" 14, "	"	James A. Branegan.....	Furnishing and delivering stop-cocks, stop-cock boxes and covers and hydrants.....	4,190 00	2,411 42	2,178 58	Cost estimated in contract.
6804	" 15, "	"	George F. Doak.....	Regulating and paving (macadam) St. Nicholas place, from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to the intersection of St. Nicholas place with Avenue St. Nicholas.....	10,226 60	None.	10,226 60	" "
6805	" 20, "	Public Charities and Correction.	Robert M. Masterton.....	Furnishing 2,000 bushels oats, 15,000 pounds rice, 15,000 pounds Rio coffee, 1,500 pounds Maracaibo coffee, 2,500 pounds prunes.....	3,121 93	3,117 05	34 88	
6806	" 25, "	"	Thurber, Whyland & Co.....	Furnishing 25,000 pounds hard soap, 25,000 pounds brown sugar, 40 boxes macaroni.....	2,209 97	2,006 10	203 87	
6807	" 21, "	Public Works.....	Michael Shannon.....	Regulating and paving (granite-block) One Hundred and Eighth street, from Second to Third avenue.....	5,507 60	3,770 13	1,737 47	Cost estimated in contract.
6808	" 21, "	"	"	Regulating and paving (granite-block) One Hundred and Eleventh street, from Seventh avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas	5,925 21	None.	5,925 21	" "
6809	" 14, "	"	Andrew Low.....	Laying an additional course of flagging in Tenth avenue, from One Hundred and Seventh to One Hundred and Tenth street.....	1,039 50	"	1,039 50	" "
6810	" 14, "	"	Dennis W. Moran.....	Laying an additional course of flagging on east side of Boulevard, from Sixty-seventh to Seventy-fifth street.....	1,545 75	"	1,545 75	" "
6811	" 15, "	"	Matthew Baird.....	Regulating and paving (granite-block), First avenue, from Ninety-second street to One Hundred and Ninth street....	78,925 18	"	78,925 18	" "
6812	" 15, "	"	George F. Doak.....	Regulating and paving (macadam) One Hundred and Fifty-second street, from St. Nicholas place to Avenue St. Nicholas	830 80	"	830 80	" "
6813	" 15, "	"	"	Regulating and paving (macadam) One Hundred and Fifty-third street, from St. Nicholas place to Avenue St. Nicholas	1,108 72	"	1,108 72	" "
6814	Sept. 25, "	"	Michael Egan.....	Sewers in Eighty-eighth street, between Madison and Fifth avenues, and in Madison avenue, between Eighty-seventh and Ninety-first streets.....	12,248 70	1,471 49	10,777 21	" "
6815	Oct. 17, "	"	Michael Casey.....	Sewers in One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, and between Eighth avenue and summit east of Eighth avenue.....	3,858 00	None.	3,858 00	" "
6816	" 17, "	"	"	Sewer in One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, between Convent avenue and Lawrence street.....	2,175 00	"	2,175 00	" "
6817	" 17, "	"	Cornelius Smith.....	Repairs to sewer in Sixty-third street, between Madison and Fifth avenues.....	3,403 80	"	3,403 20	" "
6818	" 9, "	"	William A. Cumming.....	Regulating and paving (trap-block) Rivington street, between Clinton street and East river.....	17,151 00	11,002 60	6,148 40	" "
6819	" 13, "	"	Thomas Gearty.....	Regulating and paving (trap-block) Water street, between Clinton street and Corlears street.....	14,782 90	9,948 40	4,834 50	" "
6820	" 15, "	"	John White.....	Regulating and paving (trap-block) Ninth street, between Avenues B and D.....	8,602 00	5,890 50	2,711 50	" "
6821	" 13, "	"	Morton & Fay.....	Laying water-mains in One Hundred and Forty-sixth, Bridge, One Hundred and Fortieth, Ninety-fourth, One Hundred and Twenty-eighth, One Hundred and Thirtieth, One Hundred and Forty-fifth streets, and in Lind, Anderson, Marcher, Claremont, Sixth, Union, St. Nicholas, Cliff, First and College avenues.....	10,347 00	None.	10,347 00	" "
6822	" 15, "	"	Bernhard Mahon.....	Laying 36-inch waste weir in Twenty-fourth Ward, through lands late of Van Courland Estate, from the Croton Aqueduct to Tibbet's brook.....	8,565 80	"	8,565 80	" "
6823	" 21, "	"	Henry E. Bowns.....	Furnishing 1,225 tons of coal.....	6,177 25	"	6,177 25	
6824	" 28, "	Public Charities and Correction.	Thurber, Whyland & Co.....	Furnishing 4,000 barrels of flour.....	14,740 00	6,401 96	8,338 04	
6825	" 17, "	Docks.....	James D. Leary.....	Repairing Pier 44, East river.....	2,490 00	None.	2,490 00	
6826	" 20, "	"	John W. Flaherty and Thomas O'Connell.....	Repairing Pier 43 and the pier at East Thirty-first street and East Thirty-second street, East river.....	7,255 00	1,597 50	5,657 50	
6827	" 31, "	Public Parks.....	Dennis W. Moran.....	Sewer and appurtenances in Southern Boulevard, from North Third avenue to Lincoln avenue.....	8,110 00	None.	8,110 00	Cost estimated in contract.
6828	Nov. 1, "	"	Michael Macgrath.....	Erection of a skate building on the Central Park.....	7,932 50	"	7,932 50	
6829	Oct. 30, "	Docks.....	James D. Leary.....	Repairing and extending the pier at the foot of Thirty-fifth street, North river.....	24,430 00	"	24,430 00	
6830	Sept. 13, "	Public Works.....	John Duke.....	Furnishing materials and performing work in the alteration and repairing of the Essex Market Police Court building.....	7,465 00	5,400 00	2,065 00	
6831	" 6, "	"	Cook & Radley.....	Furnishing materials and performing work in the erection of an iron awning around the Jefferson Market building.....	2,340 00	None.	2,340 00	
6832	Oct. 14, "	"	John Flanagan.....	Furnishing materials and performing work in the putting up of eleven (11) new ventilators and painting and repairing the roof of the New County Court-house in the City Hall Park.	1,475 00	"	1,475 00	
6833	Sept. 3, "	Public Parks.....	James Brady.....	Erection of a ladies' cottage at Central Park.....	4,950 00	"	4,950 00	
6834	Nov. 14, "	Public Charities and Correction.	J. L. Chamberlin.....	Furnishing dry goods.....	1,717 30	1,463 27	254 03	
6835	June 2, "	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.....	6,000 00	1,308 00	4,692 00	Cost estimated in contract.
6836	Oct. 25, "	Fire.....	John Moorman.....	Furnishing 120,000 pounds hay, 22,000 pounds rye straw, 1,200 bags oats and 700 bags bran.....	2,926 00	None.	2,926 00	
6837	" 27, "	"	Robert J. Wright.....	Furnishing 230,000 pounds hay, 43,000 pounds rye straw, 2,300 bags oats and 1,300 bags bran.....	5,047 20	1,773 90	3,273 30	
6838	Nov. 20, "	Public Parks.....	Charles Jones.....	Constructing pile foundation for sewer with appurtenances and branches in Webster avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-fifth to One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street—per cubic foot for piles, 45 cents; per cubic foot cast-iron shoes, 3 cents.....	"	None.	"	No quantities stated in contract.
6839	" 11, "	Board of Education.....	J. W. Jones.....	Alterations and repairs of drainage in Grammar School Building No. 26, in West Thirtieth street, near Sixth avenue, in Twentieth Ward.....	4,213 00	2,600 00	1,613 00	
6840	Oct. 1, "	Health.....	James D. Leary.....	Building a steam propeller.....	28,990 00	6,522 75	22,467 25	
6841	Nov. 14, "	Public Charities and Correction.	Robert Betty.....	Furnishing 400 dozen knit shirts, and 100 dozen women's stockings.....	1,354 00	1,280 00	74 00	



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6842	Oct. 28, 1884	Public Works.....	Patrick Larney.....	Sewer in Beekman place, from 150 feet to 170 feet 10 inches south of Fifth street.....	\$183 87	None.	\$183 37	
6843	Nov. 20, "	"	"	Fencing vacant lots on the northwest corner of Lexington avenue and eighty-seventh street.....	46 05	"	46 05	Cost estimated in contract.
6844	" 20, "	" (special).....	"	Fencing vacant lots at Nos. 114 and 116 East One Hundred and Twenty-third street.....	21 50	"	21 50	"
6845	" 14, "	Public Charities and Correction.	B. W. Lederer.....	Furnishing 7,000 pounds dairy butter and 1,500 pounds cheese.....	1,257 40	\$1,025 09	232 31	"
6846	" 15, "	"	Brainard Shaler.....	Furnishing 300 sides sole leather and 2,000 pounds offal leather.....	2,187 94	None.	2,187 94	
6847	Oct. 20, "	Public Works.....	J. W. & J. Phelan.....	Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging sidewalks in One Hundred and Seventeenth street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.....	6,830 79	"	6,830 79	Cost estimated in contract.
6848	" 31, "	"	Thomas Murray.....	Regulating, grading, setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks, in One Hundred and Twentieth street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue.....	2 633 12	"	2,633 12	"
6849	" 31, "	"	Dennis W. Moran.....	Regulating, grading, setting curb-stone, and flagging sidewalks in One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, from First avenue to Second avenue.....	2,698 66	"	2,698 66	"
6850	Nov. 19, "	"	Thomas Murray.....	Regulating, grading, setting curb-stones, and flagging sidewalks, in One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, between Tenth avenue and the Boulevard.....	7,330 10	"	7,330 10	"
6851	" 18, "	"	Thomas Garty.....	Regulating and paving (granite-block) Ninety-third street, from Avenue A to Second avenue, except between First and Second avenues.....	4,610 20	"	4,610 20	"
6852	" 18, "	"	"	Regulating and paving (granite-block) Eighty-eighth street, from Second to Third avenue.....	5,180 70	None.	5,180 70	"
6853	" 18, "	"	"	Regulating and paving (granite-block) Eighty-ninth street from First avenue to Avenue A.....	4,997 95	"	4,997 95	"
6854	" 18, "	"	"	Regulating and paving (granite-block) One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, from Madison to Fifth avenue.....	3,604 50	"	3,604 50	"
6855	" 22, "	"	Matthew Baird.....	Regulating and paving (trap-block) Eighty-ninth street, from Second to Fifth avenue.....	14,618 50	"	14,618 50	"
6856	" 22, "	"	"	Regulating and paving (granite-block) One Hundred and Fifteenth street, from Fifth to Sixth avenue.....	7,911 66	"	7,911 66	"
6857	" 7, "	"	Joseph A. Devlin.....	Sewer in One Hundred and Thirty-first street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.....	2,181 00	"	2,181 00	"
6858	" 11, "	"	Matthew Baird.....	Extension of sewer a foot of Forty-eighth street, East river.	844 00	"	844 00	"
6859	" 14, "	"	Patrick Carlin.....	Sewer in One Hundred and Fifty-first street, between Avenue St. Nicholas and Tenth avenue, and in Tenth avenue, east side, between One Hundred and Fifth and One Hundred and Fifty-first streets.....	3,842 00	"	3,842 00	"
6860	" 21, "	"	Nutt & Kearns.....	Sewer in One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, north side, between Boulevard and Tenth avenue, and in Tenth avenue, west side, between One Hundred and Forty-fifth and One Hundred and Forty-sixth streets.....	8,039 00	"	8,039 00	"
6861	" 22, "	"	Michael Noonan.....	Sewers in Eighty-eighth, Eighty-ninth and Ninetieth streets, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.....	20,252 50	"	20,252 50	"
6862	" 26, "	Public Parks.....	Dennis W. Moran.....	Regulating, grading, setting curb-stones, flagging sidewalks, and laying crosswalks in Westchester avenue, from the easterly crosswalk of North Third avenue to easterly curb-line of Prospect avenue.....	43,884 00	"	43,884 00	"
6863	Oct. 20, "	Public Works.....	J. W. & J. Phelan.....	Regulating, grading, setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks in Ninety-fourth street, from Second to Third avenue.....	3,026 10	"	3,026 10	"
6864	Nov. 7, "	"	William A. Cumming.....	Regulating and paving (trap-block) Eightieth street, from Madison to Fourth avenue.....	2,724 90	"	2,724 90	"
6865	Oct. 31, "	"	Thomas Hayden & Co.....	Repairs to sewer in Sixty-second street, between Madison and Fifth avenue.....	1,350 00	"	1,350 00	"
6866	Nov. 17, "	"	John Slattery.....	Sewer in Fourth avenue, east side, between Fifty-seventh and Fifty-eighth streets.....	2,145 00	"	2,145 00	"
6867	Dec. 1, "	Public Parks.....	B. Stern & Son.....	Furnishing and delivering 125 police uniform overcoats.....	2,655 00	"	2,655 00	"
6868	Nov. 28, "	Public Charities and Correction.	Robert M. Masterton.....	Furnishing 40,000 pounds brown sugar, 2,000 pounds prunes, 4,000 pounds Oolong tea, and 1,500 gallons molasses.....	2,905 40	"	2,905 40	"
6869	Dec. 1, "	"	Wm. E. Webb.....	Furnishing 500 pairs of gray blankets.....	1,205 00	"	1,205 00	"
6870	Nov. 29, "	"	William D. Andrews & Bro.....	Constructing driven wells on Hart's Island.....	6,000 00	"	6,000 00	"
6871	Oct. 31, "	Docks.....	P. Sanford Ross.....	Repairing the pier and its approach at the foot of West Forty-sixth street, North river.....	3,850 00	"	3,850 00	"
6872	Nov. 29, "	Public Charities and Correction.	Charles H. Hyde.....	Furnishing 300 sides waxed upper leather, and 300 sides waxed hip leather.....	1,014 32	"	1,014 32	"
6873	" 25, "	Board of Education.....	Joseph Spears.....	Enlargement of a school-house on the north side of First street, between First and Second avenues, on Lots Nos. 38 to 42, in Seventeenth Ward.....	66,970 00	"	66,970 00	"
6874	" 26, "	"	James Curran.....	Heating apparatus in new building for Grammar School No. 33, on West Twenty-eighth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues, in Twentieth Ward.....	4,740 00	"	4,740 00	"
6875	" 29, "	"	Baker, Pratt & Co.....	Furniture, Part I and II, in new building for Grammar School No. 33, in West Twenty-eighth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues, in Twentieth Ward.....	5,233 00	"	5,233 00	"
6876	Dec. 9, "	Public Parks.....	John Redmond.....	Sewer and appurtenances in Westchester avenue, from Brook to St. Ann's avenue, with branches in St. Ann's avenue, between the Port Morris Branch Railroad and Carr street.....	7,865 00	"	7,865 00	Cost estimated in contract.
6877	" 9, "	"	"	Sewer and appurtenances in One Hundred and Sixty-second street, between Brook and Courtland avenues, with a branch in Courtland avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-second and One Hundred and Sixty-first streets.....	10,840 60	"	10,840 60	"
6878	" 9, "	"	"	Sewer and appurtenances in One Hundred and Seventieth street, between North Third and Franklin avenues, with a branch in Fulton avenue, between One Hundred and Seventieth and One Hundred and Sixty-ninth streets.....	15,777 86	"	15,777 86	"
6879	Sept. 8, "	Public Works.....	Michael Shannon.....	Regulating and paving (trap-block) Thirty-second street, from Ninth to Eleventh avenue.....	8,650 00	5,933 90	2,716 10	"
6880	Dec. 11, "	Board of Education.....	George B. Christman.....	Erection of a new school-house on the south side of East One Hundred and Tenth street, in Twelfth Ward.....	112,889 00	None.	112,889 00	"
6881	" 6, "	"	Thomas Lyons.....	Alt. ring and fitting-up premises No. 926 Washington street for the use of Primary School No. 7, in Ninth Ward.....	2,319 00	"	2,319 00	"
6882	" 12, "	Docks.....	Metropolitan Telephone and Telegraph Co.....	Furnishing telephone service to January, 1886.....	685 00	"	685 00	"
6883	" 1, "	Public Charities and Correction.	Charles H. Webb.....	Furnishing 1,500 pairs of blankets.....	3,983 75	"	3,983 75	"
6884	" 23, "	Public Parks.....	Dennis W. Moran.....	Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, flagging sidewalks and laying crosswalks in East One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, between the western curb-line of North Third avenue and the eastern curb-line of Courtland avenue.....	3,861 10	"	3,861 10	Cost estimated in contract.
6885	" 20, "	"	Stiles W. Saunders.....	Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, flagging sidewalks and laying crosswalks in East One Hundred and Fifty-first street, between North Third avenue and Courtland avenue.....	1,996 50	"	1,996 50	"

Which was ordered to be printed in full in the CITY RECORD and ordered on file.

## UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Alderman Cleary called up G. O. 6, being a preamble and resolution, as follows:  
Whereas, It has been found necessary to raise the height of the awning about to be built on the westerly side of Washington Market, so as to facilitate the transaction of business; and  
Whereas, It is important that this work should be done without the delay incident to advertising; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized to have said work done and the materials furnished by one or several contracts or orders, without public advertising and letting, provided the cost so expended shall not exceed the sum of three thousand dollars, to be paid from the appropriation of "Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs," as provided by section 64 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

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, Vice-President Jaehne, Aldermen Cleary, Cowie, De Lacy, Finck, Hall, Hartman, Kenney, Kerwin, Masterson, Morgan, Mulry, Murray, McGinnis, McKenna, McQuade, Oakley, O'Dwyer, Quinn, Reilly, Van Rensselaer, and Walsh—23.

Alderman Reilly called up G. O. 12, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:  
Resolved, That the south side of Sixty-second street, between First and Second avenues, be flagged full width, 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, Vice-President Jaehne, Aldermen Cleary, Cowie, De Lacy, Finck, Hall, Hartman, Kenney, Kerwin, Masterson, Morgan, Mulry, Murray, McGinnis, McKenna, McQuade, Oakley, O'Dwyer, Quinn, Reilly, Van Rensselaer, and Walsh—23.

Alderman McKenna called up G. O. 35, being a resolution, as follows:  
Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized to lay water-mains in the Southern Boulevard, between St. Ann's avenue and Lincoln avenue, pursuant to the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, sections 189 and 194.

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, Cowie, De Lacy, Finck, Hall, Hartman, Kenney, Kerwin, Masterson, Morgan, Mulry, Murray, McGinnis, McKenna, McQuade, Oakley, O'Dwyer, Quinn, Reilly, Van Rensselaer, and Walsh—22.

Alderman Oakley called up G. O. 18, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from Morris avenue to the Southern Boulevard, be regulated and graded, the curb-stones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks; 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, Cowie, De Lacy, Finck, Hall, Hartman, Kenney, Kerwin, Masterson, Morgan, Mulry, Murray, McGinnis, McKenna, McQuade, Oakley, O'Dwyer, Quinn, Reilly, Van Rensselaer, and Walsh—22.

Alderman Kerwin called up G. O. 10, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the sidewalk on the north side of Seventy-ninth street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue, be flagged 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 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, Cowie, Finck, Hall, Hartman, Kenney, Kerwin, Masterson, Mulry, Murray, McGinnis, McKenna, McQuade, Oakley, O'Dwyer, Quinn, Reilly, Van Rensselaer, and Walsh—20.

The President called up G. O. 14, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the sidewalk on the south side of Fifty-ninth street, commencing at Fourth avenue and extending east about one hundred and ten feet, be flagged full width, 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, Cowie, Finck, Hall, Hartman, Kenney, Kerwin, Masterson, Morgan, Mulry, Murray, McGinnis, McKenna, McQuade, Oakley, O'Dwyer, Reilly, Van Rensselaer, and Walsh—20.



Alderman Masterson called up G. O. 32, being a resolution, as follows:  
Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized to lay water-pipes in One Hundredth street, from Tenth avenue to the Riverside Drive, pursuant to the New York City Consolidation Act, sections 189 and 194.  
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, Cowie, Finck, Hall, Hartman, Kenney, Kerwin, Masterson, Morgan, Mulry, Murray, McGinnis, McKenna, Oakley, O'Dwyer, Quinn, Reilly, Van Rensselaer, and Walsh—20.

Alderman Hartman called up G. O. 7, being a resolution, as follows:  
Resolved, That Croton-mains be laid and fire-hydrants erected in Summit street, from Williams-bridge road to Anthony street; in Anthony street, from Summit street to Rockfield street, and in Rockfield street, from Anthony street (or Marion avenue) to the Williamsbridge road, 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, Cowie, Finck, Hall, Hartman, Kenney, Kerwin, Masterson, Morgan, Mulry, Murray, McGinnis, McKenna, McQuade, Oakley, O'Dwyer, Quinn, Reilly, Van Rensselaer, and Walsh—21.

Alderman Cleary called up veto message of his Honor the Mayor (No. 1), of resolution, as follows:  
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to J. F. Niclas to place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk, near the curb-stone, in front of No. 454 Washington street, the work to be done and water supplied 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 Board then, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, proceeded to reconsider the same, and, upon a vote being taken thereon, was adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, as follows:  
Affirmative—Vice-President Jaehne, Aldermen Cleary, Cowie, De Lacy, Finck, Hall, Hartman, Kenney, Kerwin, Masterson, Morgan, Mulry, Murray, McGinnis, McKenna, McQuade, Oakley, O'Dwyer, Quinn, Reilly, and Walsh—21.  
Negative—Alderman Van Rensselaer—1.

Alderman Kenney called up G. O. 13, being a resolution, as follows:  
Resolved, That an improved iron drinking-fountain (for man and beast) be placed on the northwest corner of Hudson and Leroy streets, 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, Vice-President Jaehne, Aldermen Cleary, Cowie, De Lacy, Finck, Hall, Hartman, Kenney, Morgan, Murray, McGinnis, McKenna, McQuade, Oakley, O'Dwyer, Quinn, Reilly, Van Rensselaer, and Walsh—20.

## MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Walsh moved that the Board do now adjourn.  
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.  
Which was decided in the negative, on a division called by Alderman Hartman, as follows:  
Affirmative—Vice-President Jaehne, Aldermen Cowie, De Lacy, Finck, Kerwin, O'Dwyer, Reilly, and Walsh—8.  
Negative—The President, Aldermen Hall, Hartman, Kenney, Masterson, Morgan, Mulry, Murray, McGinnis, McKenna, McQuade, Oakley, Quinn, and Van Rensselaer—14.  
Vice-President Jaehne rose to a point of order and stated it to be, that the Board was not proceeding in order in allowing General Orders to be called up indiscriminately, as Rule XI. provided that each member was entitled to call up two in rotation, beginning with the First District.  
The President ruled the point of order to be well taken.

## UNFINISHED BUSINESS RESUMED.

Whereupon Alderman Cleary called up G. O. 44, being a resolution, as follows:  
Resolved, That two lamp-posts be erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in front of the Bellevue Hospital Medical College, Nos. 338 and 340 East Twenty-sixth 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, Vice-President Jaehne, Aldermen Cleary, De Lacy, Finck, Hall, Hartman, Kenney, Kerwin, Masterson, Morgan, Murray, McGinnis, McKenna, McQuade, Oakley, Quinn, Reilly, Van Rensselaer, and Walsh—20.

## MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Hall moved that the Board do now adjourn.  
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.  
Which was decided in the negative, on a division called by Alderman Hartman, as follows:  
Affirmative—Vice-President Jaehne, Aldermen De Lacy, Finck, Hall, Morgan, McQuade, Reilly, Van Rensselaer, and Walsh—9.  
Negative—The President, Aldermen Cleary, Hartman, Kenney, Kerwin, Masterson, Mulry, Murray, McGinnis, McKenna, Oakley, and Quinn—12.

## UNFINISHED BUSINESS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Cleary called up G. O. 36, being resolution, as follows:  
Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized to lay water-pipes in Gerard avenue, between Jerome avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-first street, pursuant to New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, sections 189 and 194.  
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, Vice-President Jaehne, Aldermen Cleary, De Lacy, Finck, Hall, Hartman, Kenney, Kerwin, Masterson, Morgan, Murray, McGinnis, McKenna, McQuade, Oakley, Quinn, Reilly, Van Rensselaer, and Walsh—20.

Alderman Walsh called up G. O. 16, being a resolution, as follows:  
Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized to lay a twelve-inch water-pipe, with large fire-hydrants connected therewith, in Mulberry street, from Bleeker street to Chatham Square, and on the west side of the carriageway of the Bowery, from Bleeker street to Catharine street, pursuant to New York City Consolidation Act, 1882, sections 189 and 194.

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, Vice-President Jaehne, Aldermen Cleary, De Lacy, Finck, Hall, Hartman, Kenney, Kerwin, Masterson, Morgan, Mulry, Murray, McGinnis, McKenna, McQuade, Oakley, Quinn, Reilly, Van Rensselaer, and Walsh—21.

Alderman Walsh called up G. O. 26, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:  
Resolved, That One Hundred and Fiftieth street, from North Third avenue to Railroad avenue, be regulated and graded, the curb-stones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks; 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, Vice-President Jaehne, Aldermen Cleary, De Lacy, Finck, Hall, Hartman, Kenney, Kerwin, Masterson, Morgan, Mulry, Murray, McGinnis, McKenna, McQuade, Oakley, Quinn, Reilly, Van Rensselaer, and Walsh—21.

## MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Mulry moved that the Board do now adjourn.  
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.  
Which was decided in the affirmative, on a division called by Alderman Hartman, as follows:  
Affirmative—Vice-President Jaehne, Aldermen Cleary, De Lacy, Finck, Hall, Morgan, Mulry, Murray, Quinn, Reilly, Van Rensselaer, and Walsh—12.  
Negative—The President, Aldermen Hartman, Kenney, Kerwin, Masterson, McGinnis, McKenna, McQuade, and Oakley—9.

And the President announced that the Board stood adjourned until Monday, the 16th instant, at 1 o'clock P. M.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

## METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY

OF THE

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK.

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

## ABSTRACT OF REGISTERS FROM SELF-RECORDING INSTRUMENTS,

For the Week ending January 31, 1885.

## Barometer.

DATE.	JANUARY.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	MEAN FOR THE DAY.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.	
		Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.
Sunday,	25	29.550	29.514	29.532	29.532	29.598	6 A. M.	29.488	12 P. M.
Monday,	26	29.462	29.414	29.608	29.494	29.682	12 P. M.	29.410	1 P. M.
Tuesday,	27	30.008	30.050	29.998	30.018	30.122	11 A. M.	29.682	6 A. M.
Wednesday,	28	29.500	29.402	29.862	29.588	29.984	12 P. M.	29.376	12 M.
Thursday,	29	30.192	30.206	30.288	30.228	30.300	12 P. M.	29.984	6 A. M.
Friday,	30	30.108	30.014	29.988	30.056	30.300	6 A. M.	29.980	10 P. M.
Saturday,	31	30.088	30.058	29.990	30.045	30.100	9 A. M.	29.800	12 P. M.

Mean for the week..... 29.833 inches.  
Maximum " at 12 P. M., January 29..... 30.300 "  
Minimum " at 12 M., " 28..... 29.376 "  
Range " ..... .924 "

## Thermometers.

DATE.	JANUARY.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	MEAN.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.		MAXIMUM.
		Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	
Sunday,	25	34	33	38	37	37	36.6	39	4 P. M.	37
Monday,	26	31	30	30	26	18	27.0	24.6	38	0 A. M.
Tuesday,	27	9	9	11	11	15	11.6	11.6	19	12 P. M.
Wednesday,	28	26	26	23	23	7	18.6	18.6	26	7 A. M.
Thursday,	29	5	5	13	13	14	10.6	10.6	15	4 P. M.
Friday,	30	15	15	25	24	28	22.6	22.3	29	12 P. M.
Saturday,	31	28	28	31	29	30	28.3	28.3	32	3 P. M.

Dry Bulb. Wet Bulb.  
Mean for the week..... 22.3 degrees..... 21.6 degrees.  
Maximum for the week, at 4 P. M., 25th..... 39. " at 4 P. M., 25th..... 37. "  
Minimum " at 8 A. M., 29th..... 5. " at 8 A. M., 29th..... 5. "  
Range " ..... 34 " ..... 32. "

## Wind.

DATE.	JANUARY.	DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.			FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.		
		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.
Sunday,	25	SW	SW	WSW	73	68	51	192	0	3/4
Monday,	26	W	W	W	86	113	124	323	1 3/4	7 3/4
Tuesday,	27	W	NNW	ENE	161	72	36	269	1 3/4	0
Wednesday,	28	NE	NW	WNW	113	81	175	369	1	9 1/2
Thursday,	29	W	WNW	W	144	99	82	325	1	2 3/4
Friday,	30	NNW	WSW	W	71	20	37	128	0	1 3/4
Saturday,	31	NNW	NE	E	30	34	30	94	0	0

Distance traveled during the week..... 1,700 miles.  
Maximum force " " ..... 20 pounds.

DATE.	JANUARY.	Mygrometer.			Clouds.			Rain and Snow		
		FORCE OF VAPOR.	RELATIVE HUMIDITY.		CLEAR, O. OVERCAST, 10.			DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES.		
		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration.
Sunday,	25	.175	.207	.207	89	90	90	10	10	10
Monday,	26	.155	.095	.076	89	57	70	3 Cir. Cu.	0	0
Tuesday,	27	.065	.071	.086	100	100	100	0	10	10
Wed'n'day,	28	.141	.123	.059	100	100	100	10	10	0
Thursday,	29	.055	.078	.082	100	100	100	0	0	0
Friday,	30	.086	.117	.153	100	87	100	8 Cir. Cu.	10	10
Saturday,	31	.153	.137	.130	100	79	78	2 Cir. S.	1 S.	8 Cir. Cu.

Total amount of water for the week..... .07 inch.

DANIEL DRAPER, Ph. D., Director.



## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of the transactions of the Bureau of the City Chamberlain for the week ending January 10, 1885.

OFFICE OF THE CITY CHAMBERLAIN,  
NEW YORK COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, NEW YORK, January 19, 1885.

Hon. WM. R. GRACE, Mayor:

DEAR SIR—In pursuance of section 165, Consolidation Act of 1882, I have the honor to transmit herewith a report of all moneys received by me and the amount of all warrants paid by me since my last report and the amount remaining to the credit of the City of New York on the 10th instant.

Very respectfully,

H. B. LAIDLAW, Chamberlain.

\* DR. THE MAYOR, ALDERMEN AND COMMONALTY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with HENRY B. LAIDLAW, Chamberlain, during the week ending January 10, 1885. CR.

1885. Jan. 10	To	1884. Dec. 31 1885. Jan. 10	By	1885. Jan. 10
	Additional Water Fund.....	\$2,942 55	Balance.....	\$4,342,654 95
	Assessment Commission Awards.....	33 97	Arrears of Taxes.....	Cady..... \$49,800 39
	American Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.....	105 00	Interest on Taxes.....	"..... 7,725 89
	Croton Water Fund.....	22,277 75	Assessment Fund.....	"..... 699 25
	Croton Water Rent—Refunding Account.....	65 73	Street Improvement Fund.....	"..... 6,997 77
	Commissioners of Accounts, Expenses of.....	1,925 00	Interest on Assessments.....	"..... 6,083 52
	Commissioners of Excise Fund.....	5,549 95	Charges on Arrears of Taxes.....	"..... 115 00
	Charges on Arrears of Assessments.....	1,041 20	Charges on Arrears of Assessments.....	"..... 169 00
	Charges on Arrears of Taxes.....	140 00	Land Drainage Fund.....	"..... 182 26
	Dock Fund.....	7,466 83	Gansevoort Market.....	"..... 56 00
	Excise Licenses.....	14,783 28	Water Meter Fund No. 1.....	"..... 37 40
	Land Drainage Fund.....	96 00	Taxes.....	McMahon..... 135,497 55
	Morningside Park Improvement Fund.....	599 04	Interest on Taxes.....	"..... 2,502 34
	Revenue Bonds, 1884.....	739,225 00	Licenses.....	Byrnes..... 1,482 25
	Restoring and Repaving—Department of Public Works.....	1,242 50	Permits.....	Woltman..... 334 00
	Refunding Taxes Paid in Error.....	990 05	Dog License Fund.....	"..... 12 00
	School-house Fund.....	26,200 33	Tapping Pipes.....	Chambers..... 76 50
	Street Improvements above Fifty-ninth Street—June 9, 1880.....	445 00	Water Meter Fund No. 2.....	"..... 359 74
	Street Improvement Fund.....	20,014 29	Restoring and Repaving.....	Department of Public Works..... 322 00
		\$845,133 47	Dock Fund.....	Voorhis..... 124 00
	Association for Befriending Children and Young Girls.....	1884. \$1,024 86	Excise Licenses.....	Clarke..... 17,980 00
	Advertising.....	" 265 05	General Fund.....	Comptroller..... 4 75
	Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening.....	" 582 39	".....	Thompson..... 4 00
	Armories and Drill Rooms—Wages.....	" 93 00	".....	Golderman..... 189 15
	Bureau of Permits.....	" 1,571 36	".....	Abell..... 83 36
	Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	" 461 18	".....	Britton..... 151 50
	Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Expenses of.....	" 200 00	".....	Findlay..... 241 00
	Contingencies—Comptroller's Office.....	" 53 22	".....	Squire..... 202 20
	Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council.....	" 11 60	".....	Coleman..... 197 00
	Contingencies—District Attorney's Office.....	" 178 77	2½ cent. Revenue Bonds, 1885.....	Greenwich Savings Bank..... 300,000 00
	Contingencies—Department of Taxes and Assessments.....	1883. 5 00	".....	Dry Dock Bank..... 300,000 00
	Contingencies—Department of Taxes and Assessments.....	1884. 5 00	".....	J. B. Adams..... 15,225 00
	Contingencies—Department of Public Works.....	" 296 17	".....	W. H. Hoople..... 150,000 00
	Contingencies—Law Department.....	" 145 50	".....	Kings County Savings Bank..... 150,000 00
	Contingencies—Mayor's Office.....	" 103 68	".....	East River Savings Bank..... 500,000 00
	Contingencies—Public Administrator's Office.....	" 78 00	New York Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Children.....	Wood..... 90 00
	CITY RECORD—Salaries and Contingencies.....	" 583 33	American Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.....	"..... 40 00
	Coroners—Salaries and Expenses.....	" 2,953 36	County Clerk's Fees.....	Keenan..... 1,147 91
	Central Park Construction.....	" 300 49		
	Central Park Transverse Roads.....	" 2,653 97		
	Cleaning Markets.....	" 2,333 37		
	Civil Service.....	" 50 58		
	College of the City of New York.....	" 8,967 42		
	Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning.....	" 4,543 23		
	Drainage and Irrigation of the Central Park.....	" 898 00		
	Entrances—Central Park.....	1881. 996 33		
	Expenses of Detectives, etc.....	1884. 1,041 74		
	Election Expenses.....	" 1,477 12		
	Free Floating Baths.....	" 36 00		
	For Fitting-up Union Market.....	" 1,000 00		
	For Removal of Night-soil, etc.....	" 3,000 00		
	Flagging Sidewalks, etc.....	" 93 52		
	For the Preservation of Public Records.....	" 2,333 70		
	Fire Department Fund—Apparatus.....	" 7,979 19		
	Fire Department Fund—Salaries.....	187,342 95		
	Health Fund.....	" 17,317 15		
	Hospital for the Care of Contagious Diseases.....	" 1,238 60		
	Hospital Fund—North Brother Island.....	" 100 00		
	Hospital Fund—Sixteenth Street.....	" 364 83		
	Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvements and Maintenance.....	" 600 88		
	Interest on Revenue Bonds, 1883, 1884.....	" 12,333 11		
	Interest on the City Debt—Before January, 1884.....	" 259,967 50		
	Judgments.....	1885. 33,954 73		
	Laying Croton Pipes.....	1884. 12,907 71		
	Lamps and Gas and Electric Lighting.....	" 44,668 84		
	Maintenance—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	" 6,302 58		
	Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places—Supplies.....	1883. 12 70		
	Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places—Supplies.....	1884. 3,586 92		
	Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places—Museums.....	" 12 57		
	Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places—Police.....	" 6,443 18		
	Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places—Salaries.....	" 3,467 26		
	Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places—Zoological Department.....	1883. 27 00		
	Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places—Zoological Department.....	1884. 565 99		
	Manhattan Square, Improvement of.....	" 36 28		
	New York Catholic Protectorate.....	" 17,464 15		
	New York Infant Asylum.....	" 5,458 26		
	Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs.....	" 1,070 65		
	Printing, Stationery and Blank Books.....	" 929 08		
	Police Fund.....	1884. 283,883 80		
	Police Station-house—Alterations, etc.....	" 1,333 37		
	Public Charities and Correction—Salaries.....	" 29,094 52		
	Public Charities and Correction—Supplies.....	1881. 535 30		
	Public Charities and Correction—Supplies.....	1884. 24,410 56		
	Public Instruction.....	" 19,265 45		
	Riverside Avenue.....	" 458 97		
	Riverside Park.....	" 28 29		
	Repaving Streets and Avenues.....	" 29,590 24		
	Roads, Streets and Avenues—Unpaved.....	" 1,671 75		
	Repairs and Renewal of Pavements, etc.....	" 912 55		
	Repairs and Renewal of Pipes, etc.....	" 12,013 33		
	Salaries—Board of Assessors.....	" 1,500 11		
	Salaries—Chamberlain's Office.....	" 2,083 37		
	Salaries—Commissioners of Accounts.....	" 333 40		
	Salaries—Common Council.....	" 5,705 23		
	Salaries—City Courts.....	" 44,774 97		
	Salaries—Department of Taxes and Assessments.....	" 7,423 55		
	Salaries—Department of Finance.....	" 14,505 03		
	Salaries—Department of Public Works.....	" 23,745 11		
	Salaries—Judiciary.....	" 75,083 44		
	Salaries—Judiciary.....	1885. 1,121 53		
	Salaries—Law Department.....	1884. 7,993 20		
	Salaries—Mayor's Office.....	" 2,631 96		
	Skate Building.....	" 573 63		
	Seventh Regiment New Armory Fund.....	1885. 15,000 00		
	Storage Building for Disinfectants.....	1884. 54 50		
	Steam Heating—City Hall.....	" 5,495 00		
	Surveys, Maps, etc.—Street Openings.....	" 1,679 63		
	Supplies for Police.....	" 6,250 00		
	Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning.....	" 5,993 99		
	Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....	1883. 3 30		
	Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....	1884. 7,515 31		
	To Refund to Insurance Companies, etc.....	" 1,628 43		
	Telephone Service.....	" 125 00		
	Walks—Central Park and City Parks.....	" 28 00		
	Balance.....	1,224,526 06		
		3,921,464 16		
		\$5,991,123 69		
				\$5,991,123 69

1885.  
Jan. 10 By Balance..... \$3,921,464 16

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NEW YORK, January 10, 1885.

H. B. LAIDLAW, Chamberlain.



THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUNDS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with HENRY B. LAIDLAW, Chamberlain, during the week ending January 10, 1885.

		SINKING FUND FOR THE REDEMPTION OF THE CITY DEBT.		SINKING FUND FOR THE PAYMENT OF INTEREST ON THE CITY DEBT.	
1884. Dec. 31	By Balance as per last account current		\$404,645 92		\$386,051 67
1885. Jan. 10	Assessment Fund	Cady	\$666 00		
	Street Improvement Fund	Tomes	21,021 37		
	Market Rent and Fees	Byrnes	6,654 60		
	Licenses	Voorhis	2,013 00		
	Dock and Slip Rent	Importers and Traders' National Bank	28,643 07		
	Interest on Deposits	Bank of the State of New York	2,187 46		
		Bank of New York	349 31		
		Hanover National Bank	1,127 53		
		Bowery National Bank	289 39		
		Third National Bank	212 35		
		United States Trust Company	53 08		
		Continental National Bank	100 16		
		Farmers' Loan and Trust Company	375 14		
		Central Trust Company	668 86		
		Mercantile National Bank	212 33		
		Oriental Bank	178 08		
		Fourth National Bank	139 38		
		Chatham National Bank	1,013 50		
		Bank of North America	84 93		
		Phenix National Bank	506 01		
		Produce Exchange National Bank	212 33		
		Union Trust Company	342 10		
		First National Bank	849 32		
		United States Bank	726 03		
		Central National Bank	375 03		
		Gallatin National Bank	243 15		
		Squire	530 80		
	Street Vaults		422 63		
	Croton Water Rent and Penalties	Chambers	\$30,973 25		
	Croton Water Arrears and Interest	Cady	1,076 60		
	Croton Water Arrears	McMahon	1,401 45		
	Fines	Boyd	184 82		
		Finn	1,122 00		
	Court Fees and Fines	Jarvis	320 00		
		Carroll	196 50		
		Wood	959 00		
		Gardner	281 13		
		Smyth	414 00		
		Oregan	187 00		
		Perley	117 00		
		Bigelow	24 50		
		Deane	166 00		
		Archibald	200 00		
		Dunphy	171 50		
		McAfee	752 00		
		Reid	1,670 01		
		Boese	495 23		
		Gilroy	167 00		
		Bruns	246 00		
		McCarthy	244 00		
		Boese	318 00		
		Keenan	564 00		
		Jarvis	171 00		
		Tomes	941 66		
		"	50 00		
	To Sinking Fund Redemption		\$30,500 00		43,423 65
	Balances		444,349 86	\$429,475 32	
			\$474,849 86	\$429,475 32	\$429,475 32
1885. Jan. 10	By Balances		\$444,349 86		\$429,475 32
	E. & O. E.				
	NEW YORK, January 10, 1885.				
		H. B. LAIDLAW, Chamberlain.			

## HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
NEW YORK, January 30, 1885.

The Board met this day.

## Reports.

From the Sanitary Superintendent—Report on adulteration of quinine; on condition of premises No. 324 East Sixtieth street, No. 18 Norfolk street, No. 350 Water street, and No. 328 East Sixtieth street; on condition of premises No. 351 West Eighteenth street and No. 314 West Seventeenth street; Schools Nos. 11 and 56; on condition of certain streets; on application for relief from certain orders; on application for permit to dump street sweepings.

## Communications from other Departments.

From the Department of Public Works—In answer to complaints against sewers in One Hundred and Twenty-second street and East river, etc.

## Miscellaneous Communications.

From B. D. Bowles, Secretary Livery Stable Association—In respect to the removal of manure by the baling process.

## Resolutions.

Resolved, That copies of the reports of inspectors upon the condition of certain premises be forwarded to the Fire Department for the necessary action, as follows:

- No. 324 East Sixtieth street.
- No. 18 Norfolk street.
- No. 350 Water street.
- No. 328 East Sixtieth street.

Resolved, That copies of the reports of Inspectors upon the condition of premises No. 351 West Eighteenth street and No. 314 West Seventeenth street, Grammar Schools Nos. 11 and 56, be forwarded to the Board of Education for the necessary action.

Resolved, That copies of the reports of Inspectors upon the condition of Broadway alley, No. 328 East Seventy-fifth street, and Ninety-first street, between Fifth and Madison avenues, be forwarded to the Department of Street Cleaning for the necessary action.

Resolved, That Order No. 974, on premises Nos. 207 and 217 Franklin street, be and is hereby extended to May 1, 1885.

Resolved, That application to dump street sweepings on lots on Eighth avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street be and is hereby denied.

Resolved, That Charles S. Welles be and is hereby employed as Clerk, provisionally, with salary at the rate of \$1,200 per annum, and assigned for duty as Burial Permit Clerk to the Seventh Division, pursuant to the provisions of the New York City Civil Service Regulations.

Resolved, That John J. Lenehan be and is hereby employed as Clerk, provisionally, with salary at the rate of \$1,200 per annum, and assigned for duty to the Sixth Division, pursuant to the provisions of the New York City Civil Service Regulations.

Resolved, That Jacob W. Schwartz be and is hereby employed as Clerk, provisionally, with salary at the rate of \$1,200 per annum, and assigned for duty to the First Division, pursuant to the provisions of the New York City Civil Service Regulations.

Resolved, That Peter J. Smith be and is hereby employed as Clerk, provisionally, with salary at the rate of \$1,200 per annum, and assigned for duty to the Seventh Division, pursuant to the provisions of the New York City Civil Service Regulations.

Inspector Elliot appeared before the Board in answer to notice and made a statement; which was accepted.

Action of the Board on Plans for Light and Ventilation of New Tenement-houses.  
(Adopted January 28, 1885.)

Resolved, That the following plans for light and ventilation of new tenement-houses be and are hereby approved upon the conditions described in the permits issued in each case, and said plans are modified in accordance therewith:

- Plan No. 3064, for one tenement-house at northeast corner of Clinton and Henry streets.
- Plan No. 3068, for one tenement-house at southeast corner of Seventy-seventh street and Madison avenue, as amended.
- Plan No. 3070, for one tenement-house at No. 427 East Seventeenth street.

Plan No. 3071-2, for one tenement-house at northwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and Eleventh avenue.

Plan No. 3072-2, for one tenement-house on west side of Eleventh avenue, twenty-five feet north of Fifty-fifth street.

Plan No. 3073, for one tenement-house at No. 203 East Forty-third street.

Plan No. 3076, for eight tenement-houses on east side of Tenth avenue, between Sixty-fourth and Sixty-fifth streets.

Plan No. 3079, for one tenement-house at No. 51 Hester street, as amended.

Plan No. 3080, for two tenement-houses at south side of Delancey street, twenty-five feet west of Sheriff street, conditionally.

Plan No. 3081, for four tenement-houses on and adjoining southwest corner of Ninth avenue and Fifty-sixth street.

Plan No. 3082, for one tenement-house on northwest corner of Seventy-second street and First avenue.

Plan No. 3083, for two tenement-houses on north side of Seventy-second street, seventy-six feet six inches east of First avenue.

Plan No. 3084, for two tenement-houses at Nos. 116 and 118 Norfolk street.

Plan No. 3085, for one tenement-house at No. 28 Columbia street, as amended.

Plan No. 3086, for five tenement-houses at north side of Seventy-first street, one hundred feet east of First avenue.

Plan No. 3087, for one tenement-house at No. 184 Franklin street.

Plan No. 3099, for one tenement-house at No. 142 East Seventh street, conditionally.

## Disapproved.

Resolved, That plans for light and ventilation of the following tenement-houses be and are hereby disapproved.

Plan No. 3075, for two tenement-houses at Nos. 342 and 344 East Sixty-first street.

Plan No. 3077, for four tenement-houses on and adjoining southwest corner of Sixty-second street and Tenth avenue.

Plan No. 3078, for five tenement-houses at east side of Sixty-first street, one hundred and twenty-five feet east of Eleventh avenue.

## Action of the Board on Plans for the Plumbing and Drainage of New Houses.

Resolved, That plans for the plumbing and drainage of the following houses be and are hereby approved upon the conditions contained in the statement of the action of the Board attached in each case to the specifications submitted with the plans, and the said plans and specifications are hereby modified in accordance therewith:

Plan No. 3208, for one tenement-house at No. 443 West Fifty-sixth street.

Plan No. 3209, for eight tenement-houses on east side of Tenth avenue, between Sixty-fourth and Sixty-fifth streets, as amended.

Plan No. 3213, for one tenement-house at south side of Fiftieth street, two hundred feet west of Ninth avenue.

Plan No. 3216, for one tenement-house at No. 52 Macdougall street, as amended.

Plan No. 3217, for one dwelling at east side of Courtland avenue, fifty feet south of One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, as amended.

Plan No. 3219, for five tenement-houses at south side of Fifty-fifth street, two hundred and twenty-five feet east of Eleventh avenue.

Plan No. 3220, for one dwelling at north side of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, four hundred feet east of Tenth avenue.

Plan No. 3223, for one studio building on south side of Fifty-fifth street, one hundred feet west of Sixth avenue.

Plan No. 3229, for one store and dwelling at No. 240 Fifth avenue, conditionally.

Plan No. 3231, for one business building at Nos. 24, 26 and 28 Broadway.

## Tabled for Amendment.

Resolved, That plans for the plumbing and drainage of the following houses be and are hereby tabled for amendment:

Plan No. 3221, for one tenement-house at south side of One Hundred and Eighth street, two hundred and eleven feet west of Third avenue.

Plan No. 3222, for two tenement-houses at Nos. 342 and 344 East Sixty-first street.

Resolved, That violations of law in the plumbing and drainage of the following houses be and are hereby referred to the Attorney:



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DISEASE.	WARDS.																			TOTAL DEATHS.
	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.	Seventh.	Eighth.	Ninth.	Tenth.	Eleventh.	Twelfth.	Thirteenth.	Fourteenth.	Fifteenth.	Sixteenth.	Seventeenth.	Eighteenth.	Nineteenth.	
Small-pox.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Measles.....	1	..	..	..	..	1	2	1	1	..	3	22	1	1	2	..	2	..	4	41
Scarlatina.....	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	4	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	3	..	13
Diphtheria.....	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	1	..	4	..	..	..	1	3	1	7	28
Membranous Croup..	1	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	1	1	3	..	1	..	..	1	2	3	1	19
Whooping Cough....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	1	6
Typhus Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Typhoid Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	7
Cerebro-Spinal Fever	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	5
Malarial Fevers.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	2

## Hours at which Deaths Occurred.

DISEASE.	A. M.												P. M.										TOTAL.
	1 o'clock.	2 o'clock.	3 o'clock.	4 o'clock.	5 o'clock.	6 o'clock.	7 o'clock.	8 o'clock.	9 o'clock.	10 o'clock.	11 o'clock.	12 o'clock.	1 o'clock.	2 o'clock.	3 o'clock.	4 o'clock.	5 o'clock.	6 o'clock.	7 o'clock.	8 o'clock.	9 o'clock.	10 o'clock.	
Small-pox.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Measles.....	..	2	1	2	..	2	2	3	1	1	3	1	4	4	2	..	1	..	3	1	4	3	41
Scarlatina.....	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	2	1	1	1	..	..	..	1	1	1	..	1	1	1	1	13
Diphtheria.....	1	2	1	1	1	3	2	3	2	..	1	..	4	..	..	1	1	1	1	1	2	..	28
Membranous Croup..	1	2	2	1	..	1	1	1	2	2	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	19
Whooping Cough....	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	6
Typhus Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Typhoid Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	1	..	2	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	7
Cerebro-Spinal Fever	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
Malarial Fevers.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2

Of the total number of deaths reported for the week, 127 were in institutions, 386 in tenement-houses, 152 in houses containing three families or less, 7 in hotels and boarding-houses, 3 in rivers, streets, boats, etc.; 11 were on the basement floor, 112 on the first, 177 on the second, 135 on the third, 72 on the fourth, 32 on the fifth, 3 on the sixth; 677 were stated to be residents of New York City, and 0 non-residents; 83 were stated to be single, 161 married, 81 widowed, and the condition of 352 was not stated; these were children who had not attained a marriageable age.

The total number of burial permits issued during the week are as follows, viz.: City deaths, 677; still-births, 64; bodies in transit, 14; of the total burial permits issued for city and still-births, 74 were upon certificates received from the Coroners; 579 births, 282 marriages, 64 still-births, 677 deaths; 14 applications for transit permits were recorded, indexed and tabulated; 139 searches of the registers of births, marriages, and deaths were made, and 7 transcripts of the birth record, 14 of marriage, and 93 of death were issued during the week.

The mean temperature for the week ending January 31, 1885, was 22.3 degrees Fahr., the mean reading of the barometer was 29.853, the mean humidity was 91, saturation being 100, the number of miles traveled by the wind was 1,700, and the total amount of rain-fall was 0.07 inch depth of water, as reported by D. Draper, Ph. D., Director of the New York Meteorological Observatory, Central Park.

The disposition of 610 deaths and still-births, or 82.32 per cent. of the total number reported, was in the following 14 cemeteries: Bayside (Jewish), 25; Calvary (Roman Catholic), 245; City pauper burial-ground (undenominational), 90; Greenwood (undenominational), 35; Lutheran (undenominational), 103; Cypress Hills (undenominational), 13; Evergreen (undenominational), 37; Woodlawn (undenominational), 17; St. Michael's (Protestant Episcopal), 14; Union (Methodist Protestant), 5; Holy Cross (Roman Catholic), 6; Machpelah, L. I. (Jewish), 7; St. Raymond's (Roman Catholic), 4; Washington (undenominational), 9.

The distribution of deaths (actual mortality) for the week ending January 24, 1885, was in the following Wards, viz.: First, 6; Second, 0; Third, 2; Fourth, 9; Fifth, 10; Sixth, 14; Seventh, 23; Eighth, 13; Ninth, 22; Tenth, 26; Eleventh, 24; Twelfth, 75; Thirteenth, 18; Fourteenth, 9; Fifteenth, 12; Sixteenth, 14; Seventeenth, 49; Eighteenth, 26; Nineteenth, 144; Twentieth, 38; Twenty-first, 45; Twenty-second, 58; Twenty-third, 7; Twenty-fourth, 10.

The actual mortality for the week ending January 24, 1885, was 654; this is 47 more than the number that occurred during the corresponding week of the year 1884, and 6.4 more than the average of the corresponding weeks of the past five years, and represents an annual death-rate of 24.64 per 1,000 persons living, the population estimated at 1,379,987.

The annual death-rate per 1,000 persons living, of the estimated or enumerated population, according to the most recent weekly returns of Philadelphia was 24.60; Brooklyn, 19.44; Baltimore, 16.40; Boston, 24.01; New Orleans, 34.44; Richmond, 14.56; Charleston, 36.80; Erie, 12.65; Lowell, 18.92; Worcester, 20.25; Cambridge, 20.45; Fall River, 24.04; Lawrence, 20.60; Lynn, 12.74; Springfield, 12.29; Pittsburgh, 21.96. Monthly return—San Francisco, 22.51. Foreign cities, weekly returns—Dublin, 31.2; Belfast, 25.9; Cork, 36.3; Brussels, 28.1; Antwerp, 19.9; Ghent, 27.6; Copenhagen, 27.1; Geneva with suburbs, 19.9; Basel, 44.6; Bern, 39.3; Salford, 22.2; Liege, 34.2; Berlin, 23.8; Munich, 29.0; Breslau, 29.52; Vienna, 25.5; Stockholm, 30.1; Christiania, 19.81; Prague and suburbs, 28.3; Madrid, 47.6; Palma, 32.4. Monthly returns, Melbourne and suburbs, 21.1; Sydney, 25.5; Hamburg (State), 26.9.

By order of the Board.

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

## ASSESSMENT COMMISSION.

No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,  
THURSDAY, February 5, 1885—2 o'clock P. M.

The Commission created by chapter 550 of the Laws of 1880, to revise, vacate, or modify assessments for local improvements in the City of New York, met pursuant to adjournment.

Present—Commissioners Daniel Lord, Jr. (chairman), Allan Campbell and Joseph Garry.

The Clerk presented copies of the CITY RECORD and "Daily Register" of February 4 and 5, 1885, showing the publication of notices of the meeting.

The minutes of the meetings held on January 20, 23, and 27, 1885, were read and approved.

## Calendar.

No. 5266. Application of Annie Stafford—For an award on assessment paid for Ninth avenue regulating, grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth streets; confirmed June 1, 1876.

On motion of James K. Hill, Esq., a certificate of award was directed to issue in this case.

No. 1998. Matter of John F. Pentz, trustee, etc.—Assessment for St. Nicholas avenue regulating, grading, etc., between One Hundred and Tenth and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth streets; confirmed February 3, 1876.

Commissioner Lord called up the motion made by James A. Deering, Esq., counsel for the petitioner, on January 20, 1885, to amend the petition by striking out lots known as Ward Nos. 64 and 65, in Block No. 947; Ward Nos. 7, 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 60, 61, 62, 63 and 64, in Block No. 951; Ward Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, and 36, in Block No. 952; Ward No. 57½, in Block No. 954; Ward Nos. 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 36½, in Block No. 1068; and Ward Nos. 28¾, 29½, 30½, 31½, and 32½, in Block No. 1069, and inserting in

place thereof Ward Nos. 1, 64 and 65, in Block No. 949; Ward Nos. 3 and 4, in Block No. 951; and Ward Nos. 28 and 36, in Block No. 1067.

Which motion was granted by the following vote, viz.:

Affirmative—Commissioners Lord, Campbell, and Garry—3.

## Decisions.

Commissioner Campbell presented the following resolution, viz.:

Resolved, That the decisions made by the Commissioners on February 9, 1882, and on March 27 and November 19, 1884, reducing certain assessments for local improvements in the City of New York, be made the decisions of the Commissioners in the following similar cases, proof of title having been furnished, viz.:

Assessment for Sixth Avenue Macadamizing, from One Hundred and Tenth to One Hundred and Fifty-fourth Street; confirmed December 10, 1874.

No. 1027. Jacob Scholle.....reduced from \$883 72 to \$532 00

Assessment for Ninth Avenue Regulating, Grading, etc., from Eighty-sixth to One Hundred and Tenth Street; confirmed June 1, 1876.

No. 1672. Mary A. Maujer.....reduced from \$866 27 to \$502 44

Assessment for One Hundred and Sixteenth Street (Eastern Boulevard) Regulating, Grading, etc., from Sixth Avenue to Avenue A; confirmed July 12, 1878.

No. 3792. Mary Cornelia Wood.....reduced from \$2,261 14 to \$1,967 20

Which was adopted by the following vote, viz.:

Affirmative—Commissioners Lord, Campbell, and Garry—3.

## Awards.

Commissioner Garry presented the following resolution, viz.:

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of section 10, chapter 550, Laws of 1880, and under decisions rendered by the Commissioners reducing certain assessments for street improvements, the following amounts are hereby awarded and adjudged to the following persons who paid, prior to June 9, 1880, assessments on their property for said improvements, viz.:

Assessment for Seventh Avenue Sewer, between One Hundred and Twenty-first and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh Streets; confirmed July 3, 1875.

No. 5050. John Lynch.....amount paid \$14 75; amount of award, \$9 59

Assessment for Ninth Avenue Regulating, Grading, etc., between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Tenth Streets; confirmed June 1, 1876.

No. 5266. Annie Stafford.....amount paid, \$553 79; amount of award, \$232 59

" 5366. Ann Reilly....." 286 34 " 120 26

" 5367. Catherine A. Grube....." 82 40 " 34 61

Assessment for Seventy-second Street (Eastern Boulevard) Regulating, Grading, etc., from Fifth Avenue to Avenue A; confirmed July 12, 1878.

No. 121. Edward Mulvany.....amount paid, \$353 43; amount of award, \$88 36

Assessment for One Hundred and Sixteenth Street (Eastern Boulevard) Regulating, Grading, etc., from Sixth Avenue to Avenue A; confirmed July 12, 1878.

No. 4463. Moses Bruhl, Exr., etc.....amount paid \$193 64; amount of award, \$25 17

Which was adopted by the following vote, viz.:

Affirmative—Commissioners Lord, Campbell, and Garry—3.

## Special Day Calendar.

Commissioner Lord presented the following order, viz.:

Ordered, That the Clerk be directed to prepare a special day calendar for February 17, 1885, to consist of the first one hundred cases now on the general calendar, and as yet undisposed of. The fifth rule will be enforced in reference to all cases placed on the special day calendar.

Which was adopted by the following vote, viz.:

Affirmative—Commissioners Lord, Campbell and Garry—3.

## Bills.

The following bills, presented by the Clerk, were, on motion of Commissioner Lord, approved, and ordered to be transmitted to the Finance Department for payment, viz.:

Theodore W. Morris & Co., \$300, for rent of room in building No. 27 Chambers street, from November 1, 1884, to January 31, 1885.

Martin B. Brown, \$80.40, for printing minutes from June 10 to December 22, 1885.

## Motions.

On motion of Commissioner Lord, it was

Resolved, that when the Commission adjourns it do so to meet for consultation and decision on Tuesday, February 10, 1885, at two o'clock, P. M.

On motion of Commissioner Campbell, the Commission adjourned.

JAMES J. MARTIN, Clerk.

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

At a meeting of the Board of Docks, held January 28, 1885.

Present—The full Board.

The minutes of the meeting held January 21st, instant, were read and approved.

A communication from Thomas Ward, requesting a lease of a small piece of bulkhead property at the foot of West Seventy-eighth street, North river, for ten years from May 1, 1885, was received, read, and

On motion, laid on the table, and the Secretary directed to advise Mr. Ward that his application will receive due attention.

The following communications were received, read, and

On motion, ordered to be placed on file, action being taken where necessary, as stated, to wit: From Comptroller of the City—In reference to completion of contract at Pier 43, East river, by Flaherty & O'Connell, and requesting to be informed if penalty for overtime should not be enforced. Secretary directed to advise that at the time of passing and auditing the claim referred to, the Board were fully advised of and duly considered all the facts, and did not deem it necessary or proper to make any deductions for the failure on the part of the contractors to complete their contract within the time specified, and therefore audited and allowed the same at the amount stated in the estimate.

From Department of Public Works—In reference to and stating that the necessary repairs will be made to the pavement between Piers 49 and 51, East river.

From Civil Service Advisory and Examining Boards—In reference to qualifications requisite for Clerk of Surveying Force. Secretary directed to furnish the information desired.

From CITY RECORD—In reference to advertising notices for sale of old material.

From Pennsylvania Railroad Company:

1st. Requesting permission to repair bulkhead and put in fender piles north of Thirty-fifth street, North river. Permission granted to drive ten fender piles thereat, the work to be done under the supervision and direction of the Engineer-in-Chief.

2d. Requesting permission to drive protection piles at the two outer corners of Pier, new 27, North river. Permission granted, the work to be done under the supervision and direction of the Engineer-in-Chief.

From Jennings & Russell, attorneys Hudson Tunnel Railway Company—In reference to the agreement for renewal of lease of wharf property at foot of Morton street, North river.

From A. R. Whitney & Co.—In reference to and requesting payment for material furnished for Pier "A," North river. Secretary directed to advise that the claim has been audited and sent to the Finance Department for payment.

From Lehigh Valley Railroad Company—Requesting permission to repair bulkhead platform north of Pier 2, North river. The Secretary stating that by direction of the Commissioners he had issued a permit therefor, the said work to be done under the supervision and direction of the Engineer-in-Chief, his action was approved.

From John Moran—Requesting position as Inspector of Dredging.

From Arkell & Douglas, agents Beaver Line—In reference to and requesting dredging at south side of Pier, new 46, North river. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to make requisition for the necessary dredging thereat, and Secretary directed to advise Messrs. Arkell & Douglas of the action of the Board.

From John Hooper—Requesting an extension of leave of absence to March 1, 1885. Leave of absence granted, without pay, and Secretary directed to advise Mr. Hooper that the Board granted his request for leave of absence, without pay, but that there is but little hope of his services being required by the Department in the future.

From Engineer-in-Chief:

1st. Reporting assignment of employees to special duty other than that to which they were appointed. Secretary directed to notify the Bookkeeper.

2d. Reporting amount of work done during the week ending January 17, 1885.



3d. Reporting that a cluster of five piles driven at the north end of Beach street section had been carried away, and also stating that the damage was reported as having been caused by one of the lighters belonging to A. L. King, chartered by the Old Dominion Steamship Company. Secretary directed to notify Mr. King to repair and replace the same forthwith, under the supervision and direction of the Engineer-in-Chief, or this Department will do the work and charge the cost thereof to him.

4th. Reporting the condition of and repairs required to certain piers and bulkheads on the North river, as follows: at Pier, old 23, Pier, old 34, Pier, new 43, Pier at Little West Twelfth street, Pier at West Eighteenth street, and the bulkhead at the north and south side of West Eleventh street, the bulkhead between West Sixteenth and West Seventeenth streets, and between West Seventeenth and West Eighteenth streets, and the bulkhead south of and Pier at West Seventy-ninth street; also reporting that on the 20th instant Thomas Cunningham, of No. 447 West Seventeenth street, used a horse on the Pier at foot of West Eighteenth street; on the 22d instant Michael Murray, of No. 35 Tenth avenue, used two horses on Pier foot of Jane street; and Richard Fitzpatrick, of No. 417 West Thirteenth street, used one horse on Pier at Horatio street; and on the 23d instant the Salamander Works, No. 61 Bethune street, had one horse hoisting on Pier foot of Bethune street—without having platforms for the use of the said horses. Penalty of \$5 imposed on Thomas Cunningham, \$10 on Michael Murray, \$5 on Richard Fitzpatrick, and \$5 on the Salamander Works, for violation of Rule 7, in using horses on the said piers without using platforms for the protection of the same, and the Secretary directed to notify the said parties to call and pay the amount of the penalty imposed upon them to the Treasurer of this Department, within five days, or the claims will be sent to the Counsel to the Corporation for collection. In respect to the repairs reported as required to the said piers and bulkheads, the Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to repair the south half of Pier, old 23, Pier, old 34, Pier, new 43, Pier at Little West Twelfth street, and Pier at foot of West Eighteenth street, and the bulkhead at the south side of West Eleventh street, and bulkhead south of and Pier at West Seventy-ninth street, North river, and the Secretary directed to notify the owner or owners of the north half of Pier, old 23, North river, and bulkhead north of same, and of the bulkhead between West Sixteenth and West Seventeenth, and West Seventeenth and West Eighteenth streets, and the bulkhead north side of West Eleventh street to one hundred feet north of the north side of Bank street (except at the foot of Bank street) to repair the same within sixty days, under the supervision and direction of the Engineer-in-Chief, or the penalty for violation of the rules will be imposed. The Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to repair the bulkhead at the foot of Bank street at the same time and in conjunction with the owners of the adjoining bulkhead.

5th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 3897, that the order to superintend dredging at pier on north side of Harlem river, east of Third Avenue Bridge, had been superseded by Secretary's Order No. 4117.

6th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 3963, that he had moved the surveying party from the office at Gansevoort Street Yard to office on Pier, new 43, North river.

7th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 4098, that he had repaired Pier foot of West Eighteenth street, North river.

8th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 4103, that he had superintended the replacing of two piles at Pier 8, North river.

9th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 4104, as to the condition of and repairs required to the roof of shed on Pier, new 46, North river. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to repair.

10th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 4105, reporting condition of the mooring posts at Piers foot of West Seventeenth and West Eighteenth streets, North river, and also stating that he had replaced mooring piles at south side of Pier foot of West Eighteenth street, North river.

11th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 4106, that he had examined the north side of Pier 62, East river, and could not find any piles that were out of place or that required repairing.

12th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 4108, as to the condition of sewer-box underneath Pier, old 42, North river. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to repair.

From Abram Duryee, Dock Master:

1st. Reporting that on January 23d, instant, canal boat No. 39, consigned to Eben W. Ostendorff, and loaded with coal, sunk at south side of Pier, foot of West Ninety-sixth street, North river. Secretary decided to notify the consignees to remove the same forthwith.

2d. Reporting that he had served a notice on Michael Cummings to remove the building on the west of the railroad track north of West Seventy-eighth street, North river.

From Edward Gilon, Dock Master—Reporting that two of the heavy pieces used as temporary backing logs on Pier foot of West Thirty-fourth street, North river, are displaced. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to replace.

A communication from the Comptroller of the city approving the sureties of Joseph Walsh to his estimate for repairing Pier 61, East river, was received, read, and ordered to be placed on file, and the following resolution, offered by Commissioner Voorhis in relation thereto, unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the contract for repairing Pier 61, East river, be and hereby is awarded to Joseph Walsh, his bid for doing the said work being the lowest under estimates publicly opened the 21st instant, and the Comptroller having approved of the sureties thereto January 24th, instant.

Commissioner Voorhis, to whom was referred the application of the Citizens' Steamboat Company requesting permission to berth the steamer "Saratoga" at the south side of Pier, new 59, North river, reported thereon in favor of granting the application, they having agreed to pay as wharfage for the vessel \$7 per day.

On motion, the report was received and the recommendation adopted.

The parties in occupation of the buildings between Seventy-eighth and Seventy-ninth streets, North river, appeared, and, having agreed to remove the same before April 1, 1885,

On motion, the time in which to remove the buildings on the new-made land between Seventy-eighth and Seventy-ninth streets, North river, was extended to April 1, 1885.

Commissioner Voorhis reported orally that he had received estimates for furnishing coal for the use of the Department for the month of February, as follows:

	Egg.	Stove.
Meeker & Co.	\$3 90	\$4 75 per ton.
Communipau Coal Co.	3.90	5.00 "

—and recommended that the order be given to Meeker & Co., they being the lowest bidders. Report received and recommendation adopted.

Commissioner Voorhis also reported orally that he had received estimates for repairing the bulkhead at Second avenue, Harlem river, as follows:

James D. Leary	\$1,740 00
T. and A. Walsh	1,390 00
Walls & Van Riper	1,100 00

—and that the Suburban Rapid Transit Company, who were required to assume and pay six-elevenths of the cost of the work, had also received bids for doing the work, but that the bids received by this Department were found to be the lowest; and he therefore recommended that the order for doing the work be given to Walls & Van Riper, the lowest bidders, and that a Treasurer's order be issued to them for doing the work thereat for the sum of \$500, that being the proportion belonging to this Department to do. On motion, the report was received and the recommendation adopted.

The Secretary presented a report of the sale of old material belonging to the Department sold on the 27th inst., by Messrs. J. W. Campbell & Co., auctioneers, which realized the sum of \$1,877.40. The report was received, read and ordered to be placed on file, and the Secretary directed to enter the same in full on the minutes, as follows:

No. 1. 1 lot, about 31,453 pounds, old cast iron.	\$130 00
" 2. 1 " " 49,010 " " wrought iron	250 00
" 3. 1 " " 358 " " zinc	7 50
" 4. 1 " " 592 " " brass	17 00
" 5. 1 " " 137 " " lead pipe.	2 75
" 6. 1 " " 1,773 " " rope	34 00
" 7. 1 " " 29 in number, old lanterns.	60
" 8. 1 " " 59 pairs in number, rubber boots	5 25
" 9. 1 " " 22 lengths in number, rubber hose.	2 25
" 10. 1 " " 298 old files	1 00
" 11. 1 " " 80 in number, shovels	75
" 12. 1 " " 6 " " hoes	10
" 13. 1 " " 15 " " pulley blocks	2 50
" 14. 1 " " 7 " " suction pipes	15 00
" 15. 1 " " 23 lengths in number, old leather hose.	14 00
" 16. 1 " " 21 " " " earthen pipe.	3 75
" 17. 1 " " 96 yards Brussels carpet	6 50
" 18. 1 " " 12 in number, canal barrows.	50
" 19. 1 " " 3 old blacksmith's bellows.	1 50
" 20. 1 " " 1 " mattress	
" 21. 1 " " 1 tug boat steering wheel.	4 50
" 22. 1 " " 1 dish rack	15
" 23. 1 " " 1 cement shed, 80.6 long x 26.4 wide x 10.5 high, on old Pier 57, North river.	70 00
" 24. 1 " " 1 blacksmith's shop, 54.5 long x 29.3 wide x 15 high, on corner of Bogart street and Thirteenth avenue.	42 50
" 25. 1 " " 1 storehouse, 165.0 long x 49.0 wide x 11.0 high, running through from Bogart street to Bloomfield street, near Thirteenth avenue.	197 50
" 26. 1 " " 1 fence and gates, 183 feet long x 9 feet high, running from the westerly side of storehouse on Bloomfield street, down Thirteenth avenue to westerly side of storehouse on Bogart street.	37 50

No. 27. 1 lot, old hose reel,	\$0 30
" 28. 2 " " oil cans,	
" 29. 1 " " diver's scow, on bulkhead at Gansevoort Street Yard.	17 50
" 30. 1 " " water cooler,	50
" 31. 1 " " old stove,	
" 32. 1 " " mud scow, No. 4, not sold.	
" 33. 1 " " " No. 6, "	
" 34. 1 " " " No. 7, "	
" 35. 1 " " " No. 8.	500 00
" 36. 1 " " " No. 9.	500 00
" 37. 1 " " " No. 10.	

#### AT OR NEAR YARD AT FOOT OF FIFTY-SEVENTH STREET, NORTH RIVER.

No. 38. 1 lot of old broken logs and lumber	12 00
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Total	\$1,877 40
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On motion, the appointment of the following employees of the Department were, in accordance with the provisions of Regulation 35 of the Civil Service Rules, made permanent:

John Bundick, Driver.

William J. Carle, Driver.

Patrick M. Dowd, Draughtsman.

Abram Duryee, Dock Master.

David F. McCarthy, Inspector of Pier Building.

The Auditing Committee presented an audit of 17 bills or claims, amounting in the aggregate to the sum of \$25,382.47, which was accepted and adopted, and the Secretary directed to enter the same in full on the minutes, as follows:

Audit No.	Bills or Claims.	Amount.
8819.	A. R. Whitney & Co., iron girders, etc., for Pier A, North river.	\$13,437 42
8820.	Alsen's Portland Cement Works, A. C. Babson, agent, Portland cement.	3,735 00
8821.	James D. Leary, Estimate No. 4, under Contract No. 216.	1,003 76
8822.	George H. Irving & Bro., repairs to roof, etc., of West Twenty-seventh street office.	60 00
8823.	F. W. Devoe & Co., draughtsmen's supplies.	35 84
8824.	W. & J. Sloane, cocoa matting, etc.	21 50
8825.	T. G. Sellew, desk.	20 00
8826.	James S. Barron & Co., brooms, etc.	14 20
8827.	McNab & Harlin Mfg. Co., globe valves, etc.	14 02
8828.	Wm. Wall's Sons, oars.	12 22

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8829.	Atlantic Dredging Co., Estimate No. 2, under Contract No. 218.	\$3,354 82
8830.	James D. Leary, Estimate No. 3, under Contract No. 216.	1,542 18
8831.	John W. Flaherty and Thomas O'Connell, Estimate No. 1, under Contract No. 220 "A".	986 33
8832.	Union Dredging Co., dredging.	502 00
8833.	Atlantic Dredging Co., removing sunken wreck.	290 00
8834.	Alfred J. Murray, spruce piles.	247 50
8835.	Decker & Rapp, yellow pine.	105 68

On General Repairs Account	\$7,028 51
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#### RECAPITULATION.

10 Bills or Claims on Construction Account	\$18,353 96
7 " " " General Repairs Account	7,028 51
17 " " " amounting to	\$25,382 47

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN R. VOORHIS, } Auditing Committee.  
WM. LAIMBEER, }

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

Commissioner Voorhis, the Treasurer of the Board, presented his report of receipts for the week ending January 27, 1885; which was received, read, and ordered to be placed on file, and the Secretary directed to enter the same in full on the minutes, as follows:

DATE.	FROM WHOM.	FOR WHAT.	AMOUNT.	TOTAL.	DATE DEPOSITED.
1885.					1885.
Jan. 21	Stewart & Co.	50 filling-in tickets, at 20 cents.	\$10 00		
" 21	E. & P. Marrin	110 " "	22 00		
" 21	Edward Mallon	10 " "	2 00		
" 22	James McCarthy	100 " "	20 00		
" 22	Chas. H. Todd	1 qr's rent, bhd. at E. 40th st.	100 00		
" 23	James McCarthy	100 filling-in tickets, at 20 cents.	20 00		
23	E. & P. Marrin	140 " "	28 00		
23	John Brown	100 " "	20 00		
24	Phil. O'Brien	100 " "	20 00		
26	Chas. H. Thompson	Whfg. Dist. No. 1, to 24th inst, incl	283 27		
" 26	Geo. W. Wanmaker	" 2, " "	284 40		
" 26	Edward Abeel	" 3, " "	391 48		
" 26	John M. Smith	" 4, " "	558 90		
" 26	Bernard Kenney	" 5, " "	184 92		
" 26	Edward Gilon	" 6, " "	311 06		
" 26	Bernard Kenney	" 7, " "	152 63		
" 26	Abram Duryee	" 8, " "	115 87		
" 26	John Callan	" 9, " "	71 15		
			\$2,595 68	\$2,595 68	

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN R. VOORHIS, Treasurer.

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

Register No.	Estimated cost,
5095. For stationery, office Engineer-in-Chief.	\$6 00
5096. For 1 lot of boards	" 18 00
5097. For 2 rolls "Paragon" egg-shell paper.	" 10 00
5098. For repairs Surveyors' transit	" 600 00
5099. For dredge, scow and labor dumping board, Seventeenth street, East river.	1,098 00
5100. For about 16,770 feet first quality spruce.	" 11 00
5101. For 110 pieces of white pine.	" 24 00
5102. For 14 pieces of yellow pine.	" 150 00
5103. For one lot of screw bolts, nuts, washers, iron, etc.	"
5104. For books, stationery, etc., office Engineer-in-Chief.	"
5105. For dredging on south side of Pier, new 46, N. R.	900 00



The Engineer-in-Chief having reported that the services of the following-named laborers were not at the present time required in the Department, they were discharged, to take effect on January, 31st instant:

Alexander, Samuel  
Alling, Wm. J.  
Buchanan, James  
Burke, William  
Butler, Patrick  
Campbell, John W.  
Curran, Charles  
Devine, Patrick  
Dickson, Patrick  
Duggan, Timothy  
Finnegan, Edward  
Finnegan, Frederick  
Fitzpatrick, Jeremiah  
Foley, William B.  
Fox, John  
Glenn, Samuel  
Gilmore, John  
Griffin, Martin  
Grimes, Cornelius  
Harrison, Peter  
Hartig, Frederick  
Hawkes, Charles A.  
Hayes, Michael  
Hogan, Peter  
Hogan, Michael  
Kane, James  
Keenan, Owen  
Kelly, Michael (No. 2.)  
Lynch, Owen  
McCormick, John J.  
McGrath, Hugh  
McMullen, Henry  
Maher, Michael

Mahon, Thomas  
Mallon, John  
Meehan, Dennis  
Mitchell, Thomas  
Moran, Richard  
Morrison, Samuel  
Murphy, John (No. 1.)  
Murphy, John (No. 2.)  
Murray, John  
Monahan, Martin  
O'Donald, Dennis  
O'Neil, John  
Quinlan, Thomas  
Quinn, Frank  
Quinn, Michael  
Reeves, John  
Reeves, William H.  
Rice, John  
Rinn, Patrick  
Robinson, Henry  
Roddy, John (No. 1.)  
Roddy, John (No. 2.)  
Seery, Patrick  
Shanahan, Thomas  
Smith, Charles  
Tyrrell, Edward  
Walsh, Edward  
Ward, Samuel  
Waters, Roger  
Whelan, John  
Whelan, James J.  
Wiseman, John

On motion, the Board adjourned.

JOHN T. CUMING, Secretary.

## LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Counsel to the Corporation, for the week ending February 7, 1885:

*The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York are defendants, unless otherwise mentioned.*

### SCHEDULE "A."

#### SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED.

##### SUPREME COURT.

Whitman Phillips—For an award made for damages to Ward Nos. 8, 9, 10 and 11, in Block 1172, by change of grade of Broadway, between Manhattan and One Hundred and Third-third streets, \$250.  
People ex rel. James A. Buchanan vs. Stephen B. French et al., Police Commissioners of the City of New York—Certiorari to review removal of relator, a patrolman, from the force.  
People ex rel. Daniel F. McMahon vs. The Comptroller of the City of New York—To compel the Comptroller, to pay McMahon salary as Clerk of Eleventh Judicial District Court for January, 1885, \$250.  
People ex rel. William R. Gilbert vs. Henry B. Laidlaw, County Treasurer of the County of New York—Application for mandamus to compel respondent to pay relator \$300, deposited by him as security for appearance of Charles Nye at Court of Special Sessions.

##### SUPERIOR COURT.

John Webber—To recover back amount of reduction of assessment paid for Ninth avenue regulating, etc., Eighty-sixth to One Hundred and Tenth streets on Ward Nos. 30 to 36 in Block No. 1021, \$1,512.25.

### SCHEDULE "B."

#### JUDGMENTS ENTERED AND ORDERS OF THE GENERAL AND SPECIAL TERMS.

In re John Kennedy, sewer in Seventieth street—General Term order, affirming order of Special Term, entered.  
Matter Patrick Minogue—Order entered directing payment of award into Court, and referring to Meyer Butzel, Esq., as Referee, to ascertain title.  
Matter Publius V. Rogers, Mill Brook drains—Order entered directing payment of award into Court and referring to Wm. H. Dedy, Esq., to ascertain title.  
Matter of Charles C. Holcombe, Mill Brook drains—Order entered directing payment of award into Court and referring to Wm. H. Dedy, Esq., to ascertain title.  
In re Jacob Scholle et al., Boulevard sewers—Order entered to vacate assessment.  
Mayor, etc. agst. Charles H. Eldridge—Order entered granting an extra allowance of \$300.  
Oliver Van Courtlandt—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$255.07.  
Eliza M. Gregory—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$2,342.77.  
Howard W. Coates et al.—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$6,442.92.  
James F. Malcolm—Judgment decree entered in favor of plaintiff, directing delivery to him of the bond and for \$126 costs.  
Samuel Regua vs. Kenneally—Order entered changing place of trial from Westchester to New York county.  
People ex rel. Michael H. Swift, agst. Police Commissioners, etc.—Entered order of substitution of E. H. Lacombe as attorney for respondent.  
Peter M. Ledwith—Judgment entered dismissing the complaint and for \$117.12 costs.  
Joseph Fay—Judgment entered dismissing the complaint and for \$117.12 costs.  
Nathan G. Bennett—Judgment entered dismissing the complaint and for \$117.12 costs.  
Terence Smith—Judgment entered dismissing the complaint and for \$117.12 costs.  
Constantine Donoho—Judgment entered dismissing the complaint and for \$117.12 costs.  
John E. McQuaid—Judgment entered dismissing the complaint and for \$22.12 costs.  
Fredk. M. Vincent—Judgment entered dismissing the complaint and for \$22.12 costs.  
Patrick White—Judgment entered dismissing the complaint and for \$22.12 costs.  
Joseph D. Bliss—Judgment entered dismissing the complaint and for \$22.12 costs.  
Wm. Cornell—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$149.62.  
Edwd. F. Denike—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$256.45.  
John Vanderbeck—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$22.74.  
Robt. McGinnis—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$54.13.  
Samuel T. Webster—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$127.05.

### SCHEDULE "C."

#### SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED OR ARGUED.

Eli Samuels et al. agst. Rollin M. Squire, Commissioner of Public Works et al.—Motion for mandamus argued before Donohue, J.  
People ex rel. Christopher and Tenth Street Railroad Company agst. Tax Commissioners—Submitted to Beach, J.  
People ex rel. Bleecker Street, etc., Railroad Company agst. Tax Commissioners—Submitted to Beach, J.  
People ex rel. Broadway and Seventh Avenue Railroad Company agst. Tax Commissioners—Submitted to Beach, J.  
People ex rel. Ninth Avenue Railroad Company agst. Tax Commissioners—Submitted to Beach, J.  
People ex rel. Eighth Avenue Railroad Company agst. Tax Commissioners—Submitted to Beach, J.  
People ex rel. Third Avenue Railroad Company agst. Tax Commissioners—Submitted to Beach, J. (Thirty-six proceedings.)  
Roosevelt agst. Edson—Motion to punish defendant Evans as for contempt argued before Freedman, J.; decision reserved.  
Frank O. Burridge—Tried before Ingraham, J., and jury; verdict directed for the city.  
People ex rel. James S. T. Stranahan vs. H. O. Thompson, as Commissioner, etc.—Motion to amend remittitur argued at Court of Appeals.

People ex rel. John J. McCarthy vs. Police Commissioners—Argued at Court of Appeals; decision reserved.  
Edwin B. Wilcox—Tried before Freedman, J.; decision reserved.  
Jane Ann Reilly—Tried before Truax, J.; complaint dismissed.  
John Brady—Tried before Truax, J., and jury; verdict directed for plaintiff for full amount claimed with interest.  
Henry M. Bradhurst—Reference proceeded.  
John Ward, et al.—Reference proceeded.  
E. HENRY LACOMBE, Counsel to the Corporation.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

MEETINGS, JANUARY 19 TO 24, 1885.

### Communications Received.

From Penitentiary. List of prisoners received during week ending January 17, 1885: Males, 43; females, 5. On file.  
List of 43 prisoners to be discharged from January 25, to 31, 1885. Transmitted to Prison Association.  
From Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island. History of 24 patients received during week ending January 17, 1885. On file.  
From New York City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. History of 12 patients received during week ending January 17, 1885. On file.  
From City Prison. Amount of fines received during week ending January 17, 1885, \$222. On file.

### Contracts awarded.

Rowland A. Robbins, 20 gross sewing needles at \$1.40 per thousand; 600 pounds linen thread No. 40, at 980-100 cents per pound; 100 dozen basting cotton No. 20, at 19 1/4 cents per dozen; 18 dozen cast butts, at 29 cents per dozen; 6 dozen street brooms, at \$5.40 per dozen; 2 dozen curry combs, at \$1.40 per dozen; 3 dozen carving knives and forks, at \$1.03 49-100 per pair; 2 dozen putty knives, at \$1.40 per dozen; 100 cotton mops, at \$1.04 per dozen; 6 dozen F. B. Files, 14 inches, at \$2.69; 2 gross mop handles, at \$17.90 per gross; 20 gross teaspoons, at \$2.38 per gross; 100 pick handles, at 9 1/4 cents each; 100 striking hammer handles, at 9 cents each; 100 sledge hammer handles, at 9 cents each; 100 pounds insect powder, at 34 90-100 cents per pound; 3 dozen kalsomining brushes, at \$12.97 per dozen; 2 dozen horse brushes, at \$5.97 per dozen; 12 dozen shoe brushes, at \$1.35 per dozen; 12 dozen window brushes, at \$3.84 per dozen; lumber as per specification, for \$938. Sureties, James S. Barron, No. 329 West Twenty-second street, William H. Barron, No. 329 West Twenty-second street.  
C. C. Leathers, 100 gross matches, at 54 cents per gross; 75 barrels copper distilled bourbon whiskey, at \$1.29 per gallon. Sureties, Christian Jourgensen, No. 98 Maiden Lane; Charles W. Lang, No. 2 South street.  
David B. Duncan, 25,000 tons white ash coal, (2,240 pounds to the ton) at 3.24 per ton. Sureties, E. A. Packer, 6 East Forty-eighth street; Henry E. Bowns, 111 Broadway.  
Samuel G. French, 2,000 tons stove coal, (2,240 pounds to the ton) at \$4.08 per ton. Sureties, R. I. McConnell, 418 East Thirty-third street; W. F. Boehm, 444 West One Hundredth street.

### Appointments.

January 21. Patrick Devine, Visitor, Out-door Poor Bureau. Salary, \$2.50 per diem.  
" 21. Thomas S. O'Reilly, Fireman, steamboat "Minnahonck." Salary \$400 per annum.  
" 22. Daniel Donovan, Visitor, Out-door Poor Bureau. Salary \$2.50 per diem.  
" 22. Thomas S. Ham, Engineer, steamboat "Thomas S. Brennan." Salary, \$1,000 per annum.  
" 22. John Nolan, Visitor, Out-door Bureau. Salary, \$2.50 per diem.  
" 22. James Keenan, Fireman, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane. Salary, \$240 per annum.  
" 23. John Lonergan, Orderly, Ninety-ninth Street Hospital. Salary, \$150 per annum.  
" 24. Charles Bonner, Visitor, Out-door Poor Bureau. Salary, \$2.50 per diem.  
" 24. Thomas Higgins, Night Orderly, Bellevue Hospital. Salary, \$144 per annum.  
" 24. Kate O'Farrell, Attendant, Lunatic Asylum. Salary, \$192 per annum.  
" 24. John Barron, Cook, Workhouse. Salary, \$240 per annum.

### Resignations.

January 19. David D. Monroe, Night Orderly, Bellevue Hospital.  
" 19. William Glover, Cook, Workhouse.  
" 19. Daniel Hughes, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane.  
" 19. Mary Hart, Attendant, Lunatic Asylum.  
" 22. Charles H. McHenry, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane.  
" 24. Joanna Harnett, Nurse, Randall's Island Hospital.

### Dismissed.

January 21. John B. Lawrence, Orderly, Ninety-ninth Street Hospital.  
G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 6th day of February, 1885.  
Present—Commissioners Matthews, Porter, and McClave.

### Leaves of Absence Granted.

Captain Jeremiah Petty, Thirtieth Precinct, five days, half pay.  
Patrolman William Gibson, Eighth Precinct, two days, half pay.  
Report of Commissioner McClave on complaint against Patrolman James Malony, Nineteenth Precinct, was ordered on file.

### Mask Ball Permits Granted.

J. E. Rascol, at Tammany Hall, February 7. Fee, \$25.  
I. J. Schwarzkopf, Fifth street, near Third avenue, February 24. Fee, \$25.  
Charles Schneider, at No. 145 Essex street, February 12. Fee, \$10.  
Jacob Haubert, at No. 145 Essex street, February 16. Fee, \$10.  
Carl Quentin, at No. 293 Bowery, February 12. Fee, \$10.  
J. Milton Steip, at No. 385 Bowery, February 21. Fee, \$10.  
Joseph Nohles, at No. 35 East Fourth street, March 14. Fee, \$10.  
Application of Robert Taylor for delivery of muskets now at Police Headquarters, and claimed by him, was referred to the Counsel to the Corporation for advice.  
Application of the Association for Befriending Children and Young Girls, for detail of an officer, was referred to the Superintendent, Inspector and Captain of the Precinct to furnish the protection needed.  
Application of Patrolman Thomas McGee, Sixteenth Precinct, for promotion, was referred to the Superintendent to cite for examination.  
Application of Thomas P. Wickes, Assistant Corporation Counsel, for copies of Police Manual, was referred to the Chief Clerk to furnish.  
The following applications were denied, on report of the Superintendent:  
J. Wm. Kramer, for appointment of Geo. B. Davis as Special Patrolman at No. 46 Bowery.  
Adam Mouligan, for appointment as Special Patrolman.  
Sergeant Andrew J. Thompson, Fifth Precinct, for full pay while sick.  
Patrolman Daniel Phyle, Ninth Precinct, for full pay while sick.  
Communication from Robert and Ogden Golet, relative to renewal of lease of Twenty-fifth Precinct Station-house, No. 34 East Twenty-ninth street, was referred to Commissioner Matthews for report.  
Communication from William Smith, relative to lottery and policy gambling, was referred to Commissioner Porter.  
Communication from John Heinrichs, of Central Committee Socialistic Labor Party, making complaint against Captain McCullagh, Seventeenth Precinct, was referred to the Superintendent for report.  
Communication from the Board of Excise, acknowledging receipt of report of arrests for violations of Excise Law, was ordered on file.  
Communication from the Board of Excise, giving notice of license revoked, was referred to the Superintendent.  
Resolved, That the agreement submitted by Superintendent Crowley, between the Western Union Telegraph Company and the Police Departments of New York and Richmond County, for



the use of a wire between New York and Staten Island, be and is hereby approved and ordered to be signed by the President.

Resolved, That the Treasurer be and is hereby directed to pay to Patrolman Enos. V. Wood the sum of \$3.20, being balance of salary due him for January, 1885—all aye.

Resolved, That honorable mention be and is hereby made in the records of the Department of the meritorious service of Roundsman George Gick, Patrolman James Taggart and Patrolman Michael J. Carey, Fifteenth Precinct, in rescuing Miss Nellie S. Stowell from the burning building at No. 30 East Fourteenth street, at 2.15 A. M. February 4, 1885; and that this resolution be suitably engrossed and presented to said officers.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby requested to transfer the sum of \$21.25 from the appropriation made to the Police Department for the year 1884, entitled "Expenses of Detectives, Execution of Criminal Process and Contingent Expenses," which is in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to a like appropriation made to the same Department for the year 1883, which is insufficient to enable the Department to pay the following bills presented for payment:

James C. Sears, meals for prisoners, Twenty-first Precinct..... \$17 50  
Leo Maisch, meals for prisoners, Fourth Precinct..... 3 75

#### Appointments as Patrolmen.

John Dunleavy, Thomas Breslin, Edward H. O'Connor.

#### Employed on Probation.

John F. McGorry, Frank S. Price.

#### Transfers Ordered.

Patrolman Thomas B. Holland, from Second Precinct to Thirty-third Precinct.  
" Edward Galligan, from Thirty-third Precinct to Twenty-seventh Precinct.  
" Michael Hickey, from Thirty-third Precinct to Twenty-first Precinct.  
" George W. Krowl, from Eighth Precinct to Twentieth Precinct.  
" Charles Kook, from Twentieth Precinct to Eighth Precinct.  
" Edward Whalen, from Twenty-sixth Precinct to Twenty-eighth Precinct.  
" Philip H. Smith, from Thirty-fourth Precinct to Twenty-sixth Precinct.  
" Dennis McCarthy, from Fifth Precinct to Third Precinct.  
" Michael Bohan, from Seventh Precinct to Sixth Precinct.

Resolved, That the Superintendent be directed to report as to the necessity of detailing an officer at St. Francis Hospital.

#### Pensions Granted.

Julia E. Kenney, widow late Patrolman Peter Kenney, \$300 per year, from December 13, 1884.  
Mary Rose, widow of late Patrolman Peter Rose, \$300 per year, from October 21, 1884.  
Emma J. Ensign, widow of late Surgeon Wm. H. Ensign, \$300 per year, from October 26, 1884.  
J. Walter Lyman, guardian of children of late Patrolman Patrick Mulligan, \$300 per year, from October 23, 1884.  
Adjourned.

WM. DELAMATER, First Deputy Clerk.

### APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place respectively of those whose names appear opposite, and whose terms of office expire January 26, 1885:

James T. Byrne, in place of..... James T. Byrne.  
Benjamin F. Devoe, "..... Benjamin F. Devoe.  
J. Lewis Strahan, "..... J. Lewis Strahan.  
Jacob H. Simms, "..... Jacob H. Simms.

Also

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place respectively of those whose names appear opposite, and who have failed to qualify:

William H. Carter, in place of..... S. W. Valentine.  
William H. Gardiner, "..... John C. Shields.  
Morris A. Feinberg, "..... John H. Doyle.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 2, 1885.

Resignation of Richard Meister as a Commissioner of Deeds.

Resolved, That Vincenzo Palumbo be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Richard Meister, resigned.

Resignation accepted and resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 2, 1885.

Resolved, That S. C. Thompson be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 2, 1885.

Approved by the Mayor, February 5, 1885.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Board of Armory Commissioners to connect the new armory building now being erected on the west side of Ninth avenue, between Sixty-first and Sixty-second streets, with the public sewers in Ninth avenue and in Sixty-first and Sixty-second streets, without the payment of the usual fee, 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.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 2, 1885.

Approved by the Mayor, February 5, 1885.

Resolved, That the name of William Widmayer, who was appointed a City Surveyor April 15, 1872, be and is hereby corrected to read William F. Widmayer.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 2, 1885.

Approved by the Mayor, February 6, 1885.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby requested to include in the list of streets to be repaved this year, Twentieth street, from Ninth avenue to Thirteenth avenue, as provided in chapter 476, Laws of 1875.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 2, 1885.

Approved by the Mayor, February 6, 1885.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby requested to include in the list of streets to be repaved during the present year, under the provisions of chapter 476, Laws of 1875, Twenty-sixth street, from the Eighth avenue to the Eleventh avenue.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 2, 1885.

Approved by the Mayor, February 6, 1885.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby requested to include in the list of streets to be repaved this year, as provided in chapter 476, Laws of 1875, Park street, from Centre to Pearl street; Batavia street, from Roosevelt street to Oliver street, and Mulberry street.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 2, 1885.

Approved by the Mayor, February 6, 1885.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby requested to include in the list of streets to be repaved this year, under the provisions of chapter 474, Laws of 1875, Thirty-sixth street, from Lexington avenue, and from First to Second avenue; and Twenty-fifth street, from Second to Third avenue.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 2, 1885.

Approved by the Mayor, February 6, 1885.

Resolved, In pursuance of section 3314 of the Code of Civil Procedure, it is hereby directed that the sum of two dollars for each day's attendance be allowed each grand and petit juror serving in the Courts of Oyer and Terminer and General Sessions, held within the City and County of New York.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 2, 1885.

Approved by the Mayor, February 6, 1885.

### COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

OFFICE OF THE  
COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS,  
ROOMS 114 AND 115 STEWART BUILDING,  
NEW YORK, Feb. 9, 1885.

THOMAS COSTIGAN, Esq.,  
Supervisor City Record:

SIR—Pursuant to section 68, chapter 3, of the Consolidation Act of 1882, we hereby report the following appointments in this office:

Edward Owen, 218 West Forty-third street, Temporary Assistant, at \$4 per day.  
John D. Hamlin, 127 East Eighty-fifth street, Temporary Assistant, at \$4 per day.  
Thomas Moore, 264 West Thirty-seventh street, Temporary Assistant, at \$4 per day.  
Wm. F. Erving, 258 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, Temporary Assistant, at \$3 per day.  
Peter Sweeney, 158 East Forty-ninth street, Messenger, at \$2.50 per day.

Very respectfully,

W. P. SHEARMAN,  
J. B. ADAMSON,  
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.

##### Mayor's Office.

No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
WILLIAM R. GRACE, Mayor; RICHARD J. MORRISON, Secretary; WILLIAM L. TURNER, Chief Clerk.

##### Mayor's Marshal's Office.

No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
THOMAS W. BYRNES, First Marshal.  
GEORGE W. BROWN, JR., Second Marshal.

##### Permit Bureau Office.

No. 13 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
HENRY WOLTMAN, Registrar.

#### COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

Rooms 114 and 115 Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
WM. PITT SHEARMAN, J. B. ADAMSON.

#### AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

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

#### LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

##### Office of Clerk of Common Council.

No. 8 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
ADOLPH L. SANGER, President Board of Aldermen.  
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

##### City Library.

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

#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

##### Commissioner's Office.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
ROLLIN M. SQUIRE, Commissioner; DAVID LOWBER SMITH, Deputy Commissioner.

##### Bureau of Chief Engineer.

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

##### Bureau of Water Register.

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

##### Bureau of Street Improvements.

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

##### Engineer-in-Charge of Sewers.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
STEVENSON 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.  
ALSTON CULVER, 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 Incumbrances.

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

##### Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.

MARTIN J. KEESSE, City Hall.

#### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

##### Comptroller's Office.

No. 15 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
EDWARD V. LOWE, 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.

Nos. 31, 33, 35, 37, 39 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
ARTEMAS S. CADY, Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

Nos. 1 and 3 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 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. SHELDON, Fire Marshal.

##### Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

WM. P. ESTERBROOK, Inspector of Buildings.

##### Attorney to Department.

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

##### Fire Alarm Telegraph.

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

Central Office Fire Alarm Telegraph open at all hours.

##### Repair Shops.

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

##### Hospital Stables.

Ninety-ninth street, between Ninth and Tenth 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.

JOHN D. CRIMMINS, President; EDWARD P. BARKER, Secretary.

##### Civil and Topographical Office.

Arsenal, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.  
One Hundred and Forty-third street and Third 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.

Nos. 31 and 32 Park Row, "World" Building, Rooms 8 and 9, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JAMES S. COLEMAN, Commissioner; A. H. ROGERS, Deputy Commissioner; M. J. MORRISON, Chief Clerk.

#### CIVIL SERVICE ADVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

No. 23 East Twentieth street.

EVERETT P. WHEELER, Chairman of the Advisory Board; CHARLES H. WOODMAN, Secretary and Executive Officer.

#### BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, City Hall, Room No. 11½, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JOHN R. LYDECKER, Chairman; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

#### BOARD OF EXCISE.

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

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. STUVENS, 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.  
RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, District Attorney; JOHN M.  
COMAN, 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. Sun-  
days and holidays, 8 A. M. to 12.30 P. M.  
PHILIP MERKLE, FERDINAND LEVY, BERNARD F. MAR-  
TIN 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 ad-  
journment.  
Special Term, Room No. 21, 11 o'clock A. M. to ad-  
journment.  
Chambers, Room No. 21, 10.30 o'clock A. M. to ad-  
journment.  
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 SMITH, 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. 25.  
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.

## OVER AND TERMINER COURT.

New County Court-house, second floor, southeast cor-  
ner, Room No. 13. Court opens at 10½ o'clock A. M.  
Clerk's Office, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park,  
second floor, northwest corner, Room No. 12, 10 A. M.  
till 4 P. M.

## COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

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

## DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.

First District—First, Second, Third, and Fifth Wards,  
southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets.  
MICHAEL NORTON, Justice.  
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

## 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 en-  
rollment notice," requiring them to appear before me  
this year. Whether liable or not, such notices must be  
answered (in person, if possible, and at this office only)  
under severe penalties. If exempt, the party must bring  
proof of exemption; if liable, he must also answer in  
person, giving full and correct name, residence, etc., etc.  
No attention paid to letters.

Persons "enrolled" as liable must serve when called  
or pay their fines. No mere excuse will be allowed or  
interference permitted. The fines if unpaid will be en-  
tered as judgments upon the property of the delinquents.  
All good citizens will aid the course of justice, and  
secure reliable and respectable juries, and equalize their  
duty by serving promptly when summoned, allowing  
their clerks or subordinates to serve, reporting to me any  
attempt at bribery or evasion, and suggesting names for  
enrollment. Persons between sixty and seventy years of  
age, summer absentees, persons temporarily ill, and  
United States and District Court jurors are not exempt.

Every man must attend to his own notice. It is a mis-  
demeanor 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

## AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

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

EVERY OWNER OR PERSON IN ANY WAY  
interested in any real estate between the Harlem  
river and the northern boundary of the City and County  
of New York, intended to be taken or entered upon and  
used and occupied for the purposes of the new Aqueduct;  
also any owner or person interested in any real estate  
contiguous thereto, and which may be affected by the  
construction and maintenance of said aqueduct, or of any  
of the works connected therewith, is hereby required to  
present his claim to the Commissioners of Appraisal  
appointed for the purpose of appraising such lands and  
easements, or ascertaining such damages, at the offices of  
said Commissioners, Room 803, in the Mutual Life In-  
surance Building, No. 32 Nassau street, in the City of  
New York.

All said claims may be filed on and after the first day  
of October, 1884. The maps showing the location of the  
Aqueduct, and the lands and interests to be acquired  
will be on file at said office on and after that date.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

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

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT THIS DEPART-  
ment has placed off the Battery and south of Pier,  
new 1, North river, two wooden floats or buoys, cubical  
in shape, six feet on each side, painted black, and anchored  
on a line bearing S. 7½° east from southwest corner of  
Pier, new 1, North river, the first float being anchored  
about 209 feet and the second about 335 feet distant  
therefrom.

By order of the Board.

JOHN T. CUMING,  
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHAR-  
ITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, February 6, 1885.

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

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Frank  
Flecker; aged 62 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; gray hair,  
brown eyes. Had on when admitted gray coat, black  
pants, white shirt, derby hat, slippers.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Samuel Prynes;  
aged 38 years; committed December 9, 1884.

George DeMott; aged 33 years; committed November  
25, 1884.

Rosanna Hustis aged 66 years; committed December  
28, 1884.

Martha Watson, aged 57 years; committed October  
15, 1884.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Alvine Moll;  
aged 22 years; 5 feet 3 inches high; brown eyes and  
hair.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Mary  
Neeland; aged 60 years; 4 feet 11 inches high; gray  
eyes, brown hair. Had on when admitted black shawl,  
dark skirt and sacque, laced shoes.

Thaddeus O'Brien; aged 64 years; 5 feet 6 inches  
high; gray eyes and hair. Had on when admitted black  
coat and vest, blue overcoat, gaiters, black hat.

Patrick O'Leary; aged 32 years; 5 feet 9 inches high;  
blue eyes, brown hair. Had on when admitted black  
coat, blue pants and vest, laced shoes, brown derby hat.

James Howard; aged 36 years; 5 feet 9 inches high;  
brown eyes, black hair. Had on when admitted black  
coat and vest, dark striped pants, gaiters, black derby  
hat.

Mary Kelly; aged 47 years; 5 feet 3 inches high;  
gray eyes, black hair. Had on when admitted white  
striped shawl, red calico wrapper, black hood.

At Ha'ts Island Hospital—Mary Dolan; aged 63  
years.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order.

G. F. BRITTON,  
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, February 4, 1885.

PROPOSALS FOR 1,000 TONS OF FRESH  
MINED WHITE ASH STOVE COAL  
FOR THE OUT-DOOR POOR.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS  
above, will be received by the Commissioners of  
Public Charities and Correction, at their office, until 9.30  
o'clock A. M. of Saturday, February 14, 1885, at which time  
they will be publicly opened and read by the head of said  
Department, for 1,000 tons Fresh Mined White Ash  
Stove Coal, of the best quality; each ton to consist of  
two thousand pounds, to be well screened, and delivered  
in such quantities and in such parts of the city as may be  
required in specifications, and ordered from time to time,  
south of Eighty-fourth street, to be subject to such in-  
spection as the Commissioners may direct, and to meet  
their approval as to the quality, quantity, time, and  
manner of delivery in every respect.

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

No proposal will be considered unless 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 under that proposal, they will, on its being so  
awarded, become bound as sureties in two thousand five  
hundred (\$2,500) dollars each for its faithful performance;  
which consent must be verified by the justification of each  
of the persons signing the same for double the amount  
of surety required. The adequacy and sufficiency of  
such security to be approved by the Comptroller.

No bid or estimate will be received or considered unless  
accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the  
National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the  
order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five  
per centum of the amount of the security required for the  
faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money  
must not be enclosed 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-book, and no  
estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or  
money has been examined by said officer or clerk and  
found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of  
the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons

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

The Board of Public Charities and Correction reserves  
the right to reject all bids if deemed for the best inter-  
ests of the city; and no proposal will be accepted from,  
or a contract awarded to, any person who is in ar-  
rears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who  
is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obliga-  
tion to the Corporation.

Blank forms of proposals and specifications, which are  
to be strictly complied with, can be obtained on appli-  
cation at the office of the Department, and all in forma-  
tion furnished.

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 GROCERIES, DRY  
GOODS, HARDWARE, CROCKERY,  
OILS, LEATHER AND LUMBER.SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISH-  
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## GROCERIES.

7,000 pounds Dairy Butter; sample on exhibition

Thursday, February 12, 1885.

10,000 pounds Hominy (including packages).

500 barrels good sound Irish Potatoes, to weigh 168

pounds net per barrel, to be delivered at

Blackwell's Island.

100 barrels Prime Russia Turnips, 135 pounds net

per barrel.

100 barrels Prime Carrots, 120 pounds net per barrel.

50 barrels Prime Red Onions.

30 dozen Canned Peas, 3 pounds.

12 dozen best quality Sage.

12 dozen best quality Thyme.

6 dozen best quality Dundee Marmalade.

100 prime City Cured Smoked Hams, to average 14

pounds each.

300 bushels Rye.

1,000 bushels Oats.

100 bags Bran, 50 pounds each.

100 bales prime quality Timothy Hay, tare not to

exceed three pounds, and weight charged as

received at Blackwell's Island.

500 bales long bright Rye Straw, weight and tare as

on hay; all to be delivered within ten days

after award.

33,000 fresh Eggs, all to be candled.

## DRY GOODS.

300 pairs Colored Blankets.

300 pairs White Blankets.

3,000 yards Cottonades.

500 dozen Men's Socks.

60 dozen Boys' Socks.

150 dozen Women's Stockings.

60 dozen Girls' Stockings.

200 dozen Knit Shirts, Men's Sizes.

500 dozen Spool Cotton, White, No. 50.

60 dozen Turkey Red Handkerchiefs.

25 great gross Buttons.

25 gross I. R. Jacket Buttons.

## CROCKERY.

1 gross Spit Cups.

1 gross Feed Cups.

1 gross Student Lamp Chimneys.

1 gross Argand Gas Chimneys.

## HARDWARE.

2 dozen Lathing Hatchets.

1 dozen Brick Trowels.

2 dozen Can Openers.

2 dozen Scythe Blades.

2 dozen Scythe Snaths.

6 dozen Garden Hoes.

6 dozen Garden Rakes.

6 dozen Scythe Stones.

3 dozen Scythe Ruffles.

20 gross Table Knives.

10 gross Tin Dinner Plates.

20 stones Annealed Wire, No. 18.

24 dozen Hair Brushes.

10 bales Broom Corn.

## OIL.

5 barrels prime quality Boiled Linseed Oil.

5 barrels prime quality Raw Linseed Oil.

## LIME.

50 barrels best quality Common Lime.

## LEATHER.

1,000 sides good damaged Sole Leather, to average 18

to 20 pounds.

1,000 sides prime quality Waxed Upper Leather, to

average 17 pounds.

1,000 sides prime quality Waxed Kip Leather, to

average 11 pounds.

## LUMBER.

3,000 feet prime quality clear White Pine Flooring,

1¼ x 4 in.

500 feet prime quality clear White Pine Ceiling

Boards, ¾ x 4½ in.

1,000 feet prime quality clear Chestnut, ¾ x 10 to 15

in. wide by 10 to 16 feet long.

1,000 feet prime quality Chestnut Moulding, 1¾ in.

1,000 feet prime quality Chestnut Picture Moulding.

600 feet prime quality Spruce Boards, 9 in. wide.

8,000 feet prime quality clear Spruce, 1½ x 2½ in. by

12 to 16 feet.

200 feet prime quality clear White Pine, ¾ x 12 to

16 in. wide, 12 to 16 feet long.

200 feet prime quality clear White Pine, 1 x 24 in.

wide, 12 to 16 feet long.

5,000 feet prime quality well seasoned Georgia Yellow

Pine Flooring, 1¼ x 3½ in.

1,000 prime quality Lath.

24 prime quality Locust Posts, 5 in. x 9 feet.

20 prime quality Spruce Joist, 3 x 6 in. by 16 feet.

All Lumber to be delivered at Blackwell's Island

will be received at the office of the Department of  
Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New  
York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. of Friday, February 13,  
1885. The person or persons making any bid or esti-  
mate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, in-  
dorSED "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Dry Goods,  
Hardware, Crockery, Oils, Leather, and Lumber," 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 Corpora-  
tion upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as  
surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corpora-  
tion.

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 en-  
gaged 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 sure-  
ties, 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 por-  
tion 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 there-  
in 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 con-  
sent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the  
City of New York, with their respective places of busi-  
ness 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 re-  
fuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corpora-  
tion any difference between the sum to which he would  
be entitled on its completion, and that which the Cor-  
poration may be obliged to pay to the person or per-  
sons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subse-  
quent 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 accom-  
panied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the  
persons signing the same that he is a householder or free-  
holder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount  
of the security required for the completion of this contract,  
over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and  
above his liabilities as bail



tract 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 included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall 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 at the office of the Superintendent of Repairs and Supplies, Room 15, No. 31 Chambers street.

ROLLIN M. SQUIRE,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, January 31, 1885.

#### 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 Thursday, February 12, 1885, at 12 o'clock, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read, for the following:

No. 1. REPAIRS TO SEWER IN SIXTY-SECOND STREET, between Fourth and Madison avenues.

No. 2. LAYING A 36-INCH WASTE WEIR in the City of Yonkers, through the property late of Samuel J. Tilden, from the Croton Aqueduct to the Hudson river.

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 included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall 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 sewer, at Room 8; and for 36-inch waste weir, at Room 10, No. 31 Chambers street.

ROLLIN M. SQUIRE,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, Jan. 31, 1885.

#### PROPOSALS FOR CAST-IRON WATER PIPES, BRANCH PIPES AND SPECIAL CASTINGS.

**BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED** envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received at this office until Thursday, February 12, 1885, at 12 o'clock, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read, for

FURNISHING CAST-IRON WATER PIPES, BRANCH PIPES AND SPECIAL CASTINGS.

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 included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall 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.

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Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired can be obtained at the office of the Chief Engineer of the Croton Aqueduct, Room 10, No. 31 Chambers street.

ROLLIN M. SQUIRE,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, Jan. 31, 1885.

#### PROPOSALS FOR COAL, HARDWARE, AND LUMBER.

**BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED** envelope, with the title of the work or the materials to be furnished, the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until Thursday, February 12, 1885, at 12 o'clock, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read for the following:

No. 1. FURNISHING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS WITH 3,200 GROSS TONS (2,240 POUNDS TO A TON) OF EGG SIZE LEHIGH AND WILKES-BARRE COMPANY'S BEST WILKES-BARRE COAL.

No. 2. FURNISHING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS WITH HARDWARE, ETC.

No. 3. FURNISHING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS WITH LUMBER.

Bidders for the above contracts must be regularly engaged in the business and well prepared for furnishing the materials they propose for; and no contract will be made with any bidder who is not prepared to furnish satisfactory evidence to that effect.

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.

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Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at the office of the Chief Engineer of the Croton Aqueduct, Room 10, No. 31 Chambers street.

ROLLIN M. SQUIRE,  
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, 1885, 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 Arrears, with the amount due on each lot.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
36 UNION SQUARE,  
December 26, 1884.

**PROPERTY-OWNERS INTERESTED IN THE** proposed change of the grades of the streets and avenues intersecting and crossing the tracks of the Harlem Railroad Company, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, are requested to call at the office of the Topographical Engineer of the Department of Public Parks, at the Arsenal building, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, Central Park, and examine plans, as prepared by the Department of Public Parks, showing a system of proposed over grade crossings, and make known their views in relation to the same with the view of securing such legislation as may be necessary in order to secure such change of grades.

By order of the Department of Public Parks,  
E. E. BARKER,  
Secretary.

#### CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

List 1378, No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting and resetting curb, flagging and reflagging and paving with Telford pavement, in One Hundred and Tenth street, from First avenue to Riverside Drive.

List 1408 A, No. 2. Tree planting on Eastern Boulevard, One Hundred and Tenth street, from First avenue to Riverside Drive.

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. Both sides of One Hundred and Tenth street, from First avenue to Riverside Drive and to the extent of one-half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Tenth street, from First avenue to Riverside Drive.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 12th day of March ensuing.

JOHN R. LYDECKER,  
JOHN W. JACOBUS,  
JOHN MULLALLY,  
HENRY A. GUMBLETON,  
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 11½ CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, February 10, 1885.

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

List 2122, No. 1. Setting curb and flagging and gutter stones on and along the western sidewalk of St. Ann's avenue, from seventy-five feet northerly from One Hundred and Thirty-ninth to One Hundred and Forty-first street.

List 2133, No. 2. Sewer in One Hundred and Seventh street, between Third and Lexington avenues.

List 2139, No. 3. Sewer in Broadway, west side, between Battery place and Morris street.

List 2028, No. 4. Sewer in Riverside avenue, between Seventy-sixth and Ninety-second streets and outlet through Riverside Park and Ninety-first street to Hudson river.

List 1855, No. 5. Sewer in Riverside avenue, between One Hundred and Eleventh and One Hundred and Twenty-second streets, with outlet through Riverside Park and One Hundred and Fifteenth street to Hudson river.

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. West side of St. Ann's avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-ninth to One Hundred and Forty-first street.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Seventh street, between Third and Lexington avenues.

No. 3. West side of Broadway, between Battery place and Morris street.

No. 4. Property situated between Seventy-sixth and Ninety-second streets, West End avenue and Hudson river.

No. 5. Property situated between One Hundred and Tenth and One Hundred and Twenty-second streets, Boulevard and Hudson river.

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

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NEW YORK, February 10, 1885.

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List 1512, No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging Forty-second street, from Second avenue to the East river.

List 1590, No. 2. Paving Forty-second street, from First avenue to the East river.

List 1604, No. 3. Construction of retaining walls, arch, steps, railing, and for the filling and grading necessary for the support and protection of the forty-foot roadway excavated in the centre of Forty-second street, between First and Second avenues.

List 1848, No. 4. Regulating and paving with granite-block pavement Forty-second street, from Second to First avenue, and setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging sidewalks therein.

List 1853, No. 5. Sewer in Twentieth street, between Fourth avenue and Irving place, from end of present sewer in Twentieth street, east of Irving place.

List 1905, No. 6. Sewer in Eighty-second street, between Eighth and Tenth avenues.

List 1928, No. 7. Regulating, grading, setting curb-stones and flagging One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.

List 2006, No. 8. Sewer in Tenth avenue, east side, between One Hundred and Fourteenth and One Hundred and Sixteenth streets, with branch in One Hundred and Sixteenth street.

List 2058, No. 9. Regulating and grading One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, between Tenth avenue and Kingsbridge road.

List 2075, No. 10. Regulating, grading, setting curb-stones and flagging One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, from Fifth to Eighth avenue, except between Sixth and Seventh avenues.

List 2091, No. 11. Crosswalks in East One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, at the intersection of Melrose, Courtland, College and Railroad avenues.

List 2092, No. 12. Sewer in Chatham street, between New York and Brooklyn Bridge and Frankfort street, with alterations and improvements to sewer in Frankfort street, between Chatham and William streets.

List 2093, No. 13. Sewer in One Hundred and Fourth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

List 2118, No. 14. Crosswalks in Lincoln avenue, at the southerly intersection of Southern Boulevard and at the intersection on each street from the Southern Boulevard to and including One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, also, across each street within the aforesaid limits at the intersection of Lincoln avenue.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Forty-second street, from Second avenue to East river.

No. 2. Both sides of Forty-second street, from First avenue to East river and to the extent of half the block at the intersection of First avenue.

No. 3. Both sides of Forty-second street, from Fifth avenue to East river; both sides of Forty-first and Forty-third streets, from Second avenue to East river; both sides of First and Second avenues, from Fortieth to Forty-fourth street.

No. 4. Both sides of Forty-second street, from Fifth avenue to East river; both sides of Forty-first and Forty-third streets, from Second avenue to East river; both sides of First and Second avenues, from Fortieth to Forty-fourth street.

No. 5. Both sides of Twentieth street, between Irving place and Fourth avenue.

No. 6. Both sides of Eighty-second street, between Eighth and Tenth avenues; east side of Ninth avenue, between Eighty-first and Eighty-second streets; east side of Tenth avenue, between Eighty-second and Eighty-third streets.

No. 7. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

No. 8. East side of Tenth avenue, between One Hundred and Fourteenth and One Hundred and Sixteenth streets; north side of One Hundred and Fourteenth street, between Morningside avenue and Tenth avenue; both sides of One Hundred and Sixteenth street, between Morningside avenue and Tenth avenue, and east side of Tenth avenue extending 100 feet 11 inches north of One Hundred and Sixteenth street.

No. 9. Both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, between Tenth avenue and Kingsbridge road, and to the extent of half the block at intersecting avenues.

No. 10. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, from Fifth to Eighth avenue, except between Sixth and Seventh avenues.

No. 11. To the extent of half the block at the intersections of Melrose, Courtland, College and Railroad avenues with One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street.

No. 12. Easterly side of Chatham street, between Frankfort street and north end of New York and Brooklyn Bridge.

No. 13. Both sides of One Hundred and Fourth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersection of Eighth and New avenues.

No. 14. To the extent of half the block at the intersections of Lincoln avenue with the Southern Boulevard, One Hundred and Thirty-fourth, One Hundred and Thirty-fifth, One Hundred and Thirty-sixth, and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh 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. 11½ City Hall, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 28th day of February ensuing.

JOHN R. LYDECKER,  
JOHN W. JACOBUS,  
JOHN MULLALLY,  
HENRY A. GUMBLETON,  
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 11½ CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, January 26, 1885.

#### THE CITY RECORD.

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

#### HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 301 MOTT STREET,  
NEW YORK, January 30, 1885.

#### PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR EXTENSION OF SEA WALL ON NORTH BROTHER ISLAND.

**PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR EXTENSION** of sea wall on North Brother Island, City and County of New York, will be received by the Commissioners of the Health Department, at their office, No. 301 Mott street, until 2.30 o'clock P. M. of the 17th day of February, 1885, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read by said Commissioners.

Any person making an estimate for the above work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to the head of said Health Department, indorsed "Estimate for Extension of Sea Wall on North Brother Island, City and County of New York," and also with the name of the person or persons presenting the same, and the date of its presentation.

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, each in the penal sum of \$6,000.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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.

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use a 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.

The Department reserves the right to reject any or all estimates not deemed beneficial to or for the public interest.

Plans may be examined, and specifications and blank forms for bids or estimates obtained, by application to the Secretary of the Board, at his office, No. 301 Mott street, New York.

ALEXANDER SHALER,  
WOLSEY JOHNSON,  
WILLIAM M. SMITH,  
STEPHEN B. FRENCH,  
Commissioners.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 301 MOTT STREET,  
NEW YORK, January 28, 1885.

#### PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING 5,000 CUBIC YARDS OF EARTH FILLING ON NORTH BROTHER ISLAND.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING 5,000 cubic yards of earth filling on North Brother Island, City and County of New York, will be received by the Commissioners of the Health Department, at their office, No. 301 Mott street, until 2.30 o'clock P. M. of the 10th day of February, 1885, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read by said Commissioners.

Any person making an estimate for the above work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to the head of said Health Department, indorsed "Estimate for 5,000 cubic yards of earth filling on North Brother Island, City and County of New York," and also with the name of the person or persons presenting the same, and the date of its presentation.

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, each in the penal sum of \$1,200.

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

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

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

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

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

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ALEXANDER SHALER,  
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STEPHEN B. FRENCH,  
Commissioners.

#### DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,  
STAATS ZEITUNG BUILDING,  
NEW YORK.

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 827 OF THE City Consolidation Act of 1882, it is hereby advertised that the books of "The Annual Record of the Assessed Valuations of Real and Personal Estate" of the City and County of New York, for the year 1885, will be open for examination and correction from the second Monday of January, 1885, until the first day of May, 1885.

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

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

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

#### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, Jan. 31, 1885.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT a horse, the property of this Department, will be sold at public auction, on Friday, February 13, 1885, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the stables of Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, No. 110 East Thirtieth street.

By order of the Board.

WM. H. KIPP,  
Chief Clerk.

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

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

JOHN F. HARRIOT,  
Property Clerk.

#### SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Sixtieth street, between Kingsbridge road and Eleventh avenue, in the City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 73 William street (third floor), in the said city, on or before the second day of March, 1885, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said second day of March, 1885, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2½ o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the third day of March, 1885.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Westerly by the easterly line or side of Eleventh avenue; northerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Sixtieth and One Hundred and Sixty-first streets, from the easterly line or side of Eleventh avenue to the westerly line or side of Kingsbridge road; easterly by the westerly line or side of Kingsbridge road; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Fifty-ninth and One Hundred and Sixtieth streets from the westerly line or side of Kingsbridge road to the easterly line or side of Eleventh avenue, excepting therefrom all the streets and avenues within said area.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the twentieth day of March, 1885, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, January 21, 1885.

JOHN WHALEN,  
J. DANA JONES,  
E. HOGAN,  
Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Sixty-first street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues, in the City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 73 William street (third floor), in the said city, on or before the 2d day of March, 1885, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 2d day of March, 1885, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at three o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 3d day of March, 1885.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Westerly by the easterly line or side of Eleventh avenue; northerly by a straight line drawn from a point on the easterly line or side of Eleventh avenue, ninety-nine feet eleven inches northwardly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-first street easterly to a point on the westerly line or side of Tenth avenue, distant ninety-nine feet eleven inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-first street; easterly by the westerly line or side of Tenth avenue; and southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Sixtieth and One Hundred and Sixty-first streets, from Tenth avenue to Eleventh avenue, excepting therefrom all of the streets and avenues within said area.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 20th day of March, 1885, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, January 21, 1885.

JOHN WHALEN,  
J. DANA JONES,  
E. HOGAN,  
Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Forty-second street, between Boulevard and Tenth avenue, in the City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 73 William street (third floor), in the said city, on or before the 28th day of January, 1885, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 28th day of January, 1885, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 29th day of January, 1885.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows: northerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Forty-second street and One Hundred and Forty-third street; easterly by the westerly line or side of Tenth avenue; southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Forty-first street and One Hundred and Forty-second street; and westerly by the easterly line or side of the Boulevard, excepting therefrom all the streets and avenues within said area.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 13th day of February, 1885, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, December 16, 1884.

HAROLD MORGAN SMITH,  
E. HOGAN,  
JOHN WHALEN,  
Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

#### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

#### NOTICE OF POSTPONEMENT OF SALE OF LANDS AND TENEMENTS FOR UNPAID TAXES AND CROTON WATER RENTS IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

PURSUANT TO SECTION 928 OF THE NEW York City Consolidation Act of 1882, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives PUBLIC NOTICE that the sale at public auction of lands and tenements in said city for unpaid taxes levied in the year 1880, and Croton Water Rents laid for the year 1879, and now remaining due and unpaid, which sale is advertised to be held at the County Court-house, in the City Hall Park, in the City of New York, on Monday, December 22, 1884, at 12 o'clock noon, has been and is hereby postponed by him until Monday, May 11, 1885, to be held on that day at the same hour and place.

A pamphlet containing a detailed statement of the property advertised for sale may be obtained at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents.

EDWARD V. LOEW,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, Dec. 20, 1884.

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

PURSUANT TO SECTION 928 OF THE NEW York City Consolidation Act of 1882, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives PUBLIC NOTICE that the sale at public auction of lands and tenements in said city for unpaid assessments laid and confirmed during the year 1879 and prior thereto, for local improvements, which sale is advertised to be held at the County Court-house, in the City Hall Park, in the City of New York, on Monday, November 24, 1884, at 12 o'clock noon, has been and is hereby postponed by him until Monday, May 25, 1885, to be held on that day at the same hour and place.

A pamphlet containing a detailed statement of the property advertised for sale may be obtained at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents.

S. HASTINGS GRANT,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, Nov. 15, 1884.

#### REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

THE ATTENTION OF LAWYERS, REAL Estate Owners, Monetary Institutions engaged in making loans upon real estate, and all who are interested in providing themselves with facilities for reducing the cost of examinations and searches, is invited to these Official Indices of Records, containing all recorded transfers of real estate in the City of New York from 1653 to 1857, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

Grantors, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriff's sales, in 61 volumes, full bound, price, \$100 00  
The same in 25 volumes, half bound, " " " " 50 00  
Complete sets, folded, ready for binding, " " " " 15 00  
Records of Judgments, 25 volumes, bound, " " " " 10 00  
Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Angell, Comptroller's Office, New County Court-house."

EDWARD V. LOEW,  
Comptroller.

#### FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

By order of

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

CARL JUSSEN,  
Secretary.