

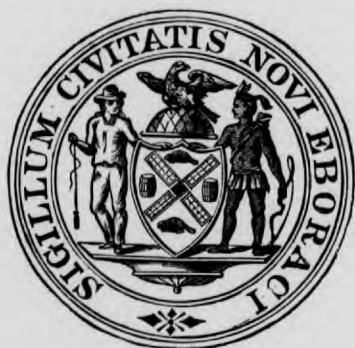
# THE CITY RECORD.

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### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of transactions of the Finance Department for the week ending January 19, 1884:

#### Deposited in the Treasury.

To the Credit of the Sinking Fund .....	\$71,185 90
City Treasury .....	997,903 99
Total .....	\$1,069,089 89

#### Bonds Issued.

Two and one-half per cent. Bonds .....	\$800,000 00
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#### Warrants Registered for Payment.

Advertising .....	\$107 60
Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening .....	1,118 10
Assessment Fund, after June 9, 1883 .....	1,441 73
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of .....	171 45
Bronx River Bridges—For Rebuilding, Repairing and Maintenance of Bridges over the Bronx River .....	398 58
Central Park Transverse Roads .....	101 35
Children's Fold of the City of New York .....	3,381 14
Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning .....	35,107 40
Commissioners of Excise Fund .....	276 32
Construction and Maintenance of Four New Public Baths .....	737 40
Construction of Bridge over Harlem River .....	28,483 42
Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council .....	18 48
Comptroller's Office .....	108 56
Department of Public Works .....	404 79
Department of Taxes and Assessments .....	36 00
District Attorney's Office .....	120 25
Law Department .....	355 55
Mayor's Office .....	58 26
Coroners—Salaries and Expenses .....	100 00
Croton Water Fund .....	6,350 40
Dock Fund .....	3,795 14
Election Expenses .....	2,690 60
Entrances into Central Park on Eighth Avenue at Seventy-seventh and Eighty-first Streets, Completion of .....	8 00
Fire Department Fund .....	15,274 15
Five Points House of Industry .....	2,610 09
Forty-second Street Reservoir—Removal of Pipes .....	82 37
Foundling Asylum under Charge of the Sisters of Charity .....	30,674 01
Gansevoort Market Fund (appropriation) .....	83,060 93
Gansevoort Market Fund .....	49,880 57
Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvements and Maintenance .....	316 32
Health Fund .....	706 05
Hebrew Benevolent and Orphan Asylum Society .....	9,185 98
Hospitals for Care of Contagious Diseases .....	2,067 74
Hospital Fund—For the Erection of a Hospital Building for Contagious Diseases at foot of Sixteenth street, East River .....	1,895 60
Hospital Fund .....	1,350 00
Improvement of the Public Parks or Places at the Intersection of Third avenue and Boston avenue, etc .....	3,680 93
Institution for Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes .....	3,414 28
Interest on the City Debt .....	23,312 50
Judgments .....	219 83
Lamps and Gas, and Electric Lighting .....	32,992 31
Laying Croton Pipes (Chapter 381, Laws of 1879) .....	41 42
Maintenance—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards .....	1,350 32
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places .....	9,463 35
Manhattan Square, Improvement of .....	187 49
Mount St. Vincent Refreshment House .....	17 50
New York Catholic Protectory .....	17,998 05
New York Infant Asylum .....	5,432 85
New York Infirmary for Women and Children .....	450 00
New York Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb .....	3,270 50
New York Society for the Relief of the Ruptured and Crippled .....	6,024 66
Nursery and Child's Hospital .....	9,737 79
Printing, Stationery and Blank Books .....	2,252 45
Protestant Episcopal House of Mercy .....	485 51
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs .....	1,720 48
Public Charities and Correction .....	137,474 21
Public Instruction .....	83,321 71
Refunding Taxes Paid in Error .....	1,355 24
Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc .....	68 25
Riverside Avenue .....	651 37
Riverside Park .....	507 55
Salaries—Judiciary .....	259 04
Sewers and Drains—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards .....	254 42
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning .....	123 00
Sheriff's Fees .....	35 75
St. Joseph's Institute for Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes .....	4,622 55
Street Improvements Authorized, etc., after June 9, 1880 .....	20,373 00
Street Improvement Fund .....	700 00
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices .....	2,227 36
Surveying, Laying-out, etc.—Tax and Assessment Maps—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards .....	2,848 47
Surveys, Maps and Plans in Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards .....	96 25
Tenement-house Fund .....	64 50
Total .....	\$659,518 22

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

COURT.	NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION.	ATTORNEY.
Supreme..	The People ex rel. August Belmont vs. Allen Campbell, Comptroller of the City of New York.	\$10 00	Demand for payment of the costs named in order of November 16, 1882, in matter of vacating an assessment for regulating, etc., Seventy-third street, between Eighth avenue and Hudson river .....	P. A. Hargous.
"	James F. Crowe, administrator, etc....	4,500 00	Summons and complaint. For the payment of the amount awarded for damages to premises known as Ward Nos. 24 and 40, Block 1139, in the matter of closing Bloomingdale road .....	Kitchel & Jelliffe.
Com.Pleas	John O'Neill .....	10,000 00	Summons and complaint. For damages sustained from being beaten, clubbed, etc., by Anthon Bauman, a policeman, while passing along Seventh avenue, at or near 35th street, on August 27, 1883 .....	C. R. Waterbury.
Supreme..	Samuel Schiffer vs. The Mayor, etc., impleaded with William L. Fish and others .....	1,415 12	Transcript of judgment in favor of Samuel Schiffer, plaintiff, for damages and costs, \$483.12, and in favor of the defendant, William L. Fish, for damages, \$932 .....	Michael Canfield, Plaintiff's Att'y, James A. Deering, Defendant's Att'y
"	Mary H. Sherwood ..	11 33	Notice of demand and certificate of costs taxed in matter of vacating an assessment for Twentieth street, paving, from Third avenue to East river .....	P. A. Hargous.
"	Adam Harrmann .....	11 33	Notice of demand and certificate of costs taxed in matter of vacating an assessment for paving Second avenue, between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth streets .....	"
"	George W. Erskine ..	11 35	Notice of demand and certificate of costs taxed in matter of vacating an assessment for paving Seventy-second street .....	Moody B. Smith.
"	James Wood .....	135 00	Transcript of judgment .....	"
"	Frank R. and Herbert R. Houghton .....	646 55	Summons and complaint. To vacate and set aside the assessment against lots Ward Nos. 37 to 72, Block 390, and 1 to 36, Block 391, for the opening of One Hundredth street, between Fifth and Fourth avenues, and Third avenue and Harlem river, and to recover the amount paid therefor on January 3, 1878 .....	Shipman & Acker.
"	Ruth A. Wallace and Hopper S. Mott ..	6,290 46	Summons and complaint. To recover the amount of overpayment made for an assessment for sewers in Fifty-first and Fifty-sixth streets, Ninth avenue and Hudson river, on lots Ward Nos. 47½, 48, 54, 58, 60, and 61, Block 143; 1 to 28, 62 to 64, Block 144; 9 to 12, and 15 to 28, and 62 to 64, Block 190; 30 to 35, Block 236, paid February 6 and 7, 1874, the assessment on said lots having been reduced December 21, 1883 .....	C. C. Higgins.
"	Michael P. H. Casey ..	80 00	Transcript of judgment .....	"
"	John Weber .....	200 00	Order vacating assessment for Tenth avenue regulating, grading, etc., from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth to One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street, on Ward No. 17, Farm No. 68, Map No. 111 .....	James A. Deering.
"	Henry Mandeville ..	16 00	Order vacating assessment for regulating, etc., One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, Avenue A to Sixth avenue, on Ward Nos. 13 and 13½, Block 240 .....	A. B. Johnson.
"	Emil H. Kosmak ....	50,000 00	Summons and complaint. For damages to his business at Nos. 13 and 15 Chatham street, and for loss of stock and the use of a portion of the said premises occupied by him as lessee, caused by the overflow of water from the sewers in Chatham and Frankfort streets, between February 1, 1882, and October 24, 1883 .....	Winchester Britton.
Superior..	John H. Morris, executor and trustee ..	263 90	Summons and complaint. To recover the amount of an award made to Peter Morris for damages to property, Ward No. 1143, by reason of change of grade of Duane street, Broadway to Centre street, confirmed January 19, 1866 .....	A. B. Johnson.
Supreme..	Darley Randell .....	9,300 00	Transcript of judgment for \$11,725.09, received April 25, 1882, reduced to \$9,300, as advised by the Counsel to the Corporation on January 18, 1884 .....	Simon H. Stern.
"	Bernard Blessing .....	73	Order reducing assessment for E 23th avenue sewer, between One Hundred and Twenty-first and One Hundred and Thirty-third streets, on lot Ward No. 61, Block 833 .....	John C. Shaw.
"	George Dudley .....	1 74	Order amending order reducing assessment for Manhattan street outlet sewer to the Hudson river, on lots Ward Nos. 9 to 11, 50, 55, and 56, Block 799 .....	"
"	Morris Poznanski .....	1,688 70	Summons and complaint. To recover the amount of overpayments made for an assessment on lots Ward Nos. 29 to 35, Block 190, for sewers between Fifty-first and Fifty-sixth streets, Ninth avenue and Hudson river, paid December 30, 1876 and December 31, 1878, being the excess of the proper amount therefor as reduced by an order of the Court .....	C. C. Higgins.
"	In the matter of opening Riverdale avenue, from Broadway to Bailey avenue ..	277 00	Certified copy of order confirming the report of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment; also certified copy of the order taxing the bill of costs of the Commissioners at \$277 .....	"

### CONTRACTS REGISTERED FOR THE WEEK ENDING JANUARY 19, 1884.

NO.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT.	NAMES OF CONTRACTORS.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.
6405	Jan. 7, 1884	Public Parks .....	George Ryan and Edward Cody .....	Laying sleepers and flooring on the east and west sidewalks of the Third Avenue Bridge. Total, \$1,439.
6406	Dec. 28, 1883	Fire .....	Mahony Brothers .....	Erecting a building on Riverdale avenue for Engine Co. No. 52. Total, \$19,200.



## CLAIMS FILED, ETC.

DATE.	NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.
1884. Jan. 15..	Daniel Kelly.....	\$90 50	Claim for the sum paid by John F. Clarke on purchase by him of premises on the east side of Fulton avenue, between Fifth and Sixth streets—lot H of 131 on map of Village of Morrisania, assessed to Fire Department—for unpaid assessment for grading, and for which a certificate of sale was issued by the town to said Clarke and by him assigned to claimant, also for interest thereon.....	James Kearney.
" 17..	James Everard.....	3,689 12	Claim and demand for the amount due and owing under the provisions of a contract for laying Croton water-mains in Jerome avenue.....	Gratz Nathan.
" 18..	John Kennedy.....	...	Claim for salary due as a regular clerk in the Fire Department, from February 10, 1878, to January 1, 1884, at the rate of \$1,200 per annum, and interest thereon.....	A. H. Purdy.
" 18..	John Gillen.....	40,000 00	Demand for amount due for salary as Comptroller of the City of New York, from January 1, 1873, to January 1, 1877.....	
" 19..	Ella F. Requa, by her guardian ad litem.	10,000 00	Claim and demand for damages sustained by reason of injuries received by her on the New York and Brooklyn Bridge on May 30, 1883.....	Herman M. Requa, guardian ad litem.

## Opening of Proposals.

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

- January 14. The Department of Public Charities and Correction (by representative)—For furnishing lumber and nails for Ice-house, Blackwell's Island; 40,000 brick for New Laundry, Hart's Island; and 70 barrels Bourbon whiskey for the use of said Department.
- January 14. The Department of Public Works (by representative)—For furnishing two 36-inch stop-cocks, and gearing and flange pipe and bolts, and for miscellaneous stop-cocks, hydrants, stop-cock boxes and covers, for the use of the said Department.
- January 18. The Department of Public Charities and Correction (by representative)—For furnishing miscellaneous groceries, provisions, dry goods and hardware, paints, oils, and lumber for the use of the said Department.

## Approval of Sureties.

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

- January 15. For furnishing 4,000 barrels flour for use of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.  
S. Oscar Ryder, No. 66 Front street, Principal.  
S. Ellis Briggs, No. 438 Lexington avenue,  
Alfred V. Ryder, No. 28 East Seventy-eighth street, } Sureties.
- January 15. For furnishing 1,000 barrels Irish potatoes for use of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.  
Jacob Levi, No. 191 Washington street, Principal.  
Daniel Kohn, No. 1502 Second avenue,  
Louis Baum, No. 1502 Second avenue, } Sureties.
- January 15. For furnishing 10,000 pounds barley, 1,000 pounds laundry starch, 500 pounds mustard, 5,000 pounds cheese, 25 kits No. 1 mackerel, for the use of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.  
Stephen Moorhouse & Co., No. 150 Duane street, Principals.  
E. A. Haulenbeck, No. 926 Park avenue,  
Henry Fischer, No. 15 East Twelfth street, } Sureties.
- January 15. For furnishing 70 barrels whiskey, for the use of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.  
N. Miller & Co., No. 172 Duane street, Principals.  
George R. Lansing, No. 46 West Twenty-first street,  
George F. Gantz, No. 176 Duane street, } Sureties.
- January 15. For furnishing 6,000 net tons of egg, stove, and furnace coal, for the use of the Fire Department.  
Henry E. Bowns, No. 111 Broadway, Principal.  
John D. Heissenbuttel, No. 111 Broadway,  
David B. Duncan, No. 111 Broadway, } Sureties.
- January 15. For paving with trap-blocks, Courtland avenue, from North Third avenue to One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, under direction of the Department of Public Parks.  
George F. Doak, Broadway, near One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, Principal.  
Ransom Parker, Jr., No. 336 West Fifteenth street,  
Louis D. Beck, Astor House, } Sureties.
- January 16. For furnishing and delivering stop-cocks, hydrants, and stop-cock boxes and covers, to the Department of Public Works.  
Charles C. Field, No. 61 Bedford avenue, Brooklyn, E. D., Principal.  
Charles H. Field, No. 957 Madison avenue,  
Maurice B. Flynn, No. 624 East Fourteenth street, } Sureties.
- January 16. For construction of the steam engine, boilers, steam fire and suction pumps of a steamboat, for the use of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.  
N. F. Palmer, Jr., & Co., (Quintard Iron Works), No. 739 East Eleventh street, Principals.  
Abner B. Mills, No. 127 Avenue D,  
James J. Burnet, No. 89 East Tenth street, } Sureties.
- January 16. For constructing the hull, joiner-work of hull, boats, etc., of a steamboat for the use of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.  
James D. Leary, No. 73 William street, Principal.  
Joseph Cumings, No. 45 Duane street,  
James M. Cumings, No. 45 Duane street, } Sureties.
- January 16. For furnishing 20,200 gross tons of white ash coal, for the use of the institutions under charge of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.  
David B. Duncan, No. 111 Broadway, Principal.  
Elisha A. Packer, No. 6 East Forty-eighth street,  
Henry E. Bowns, No. 111 Broadway, } Sureties.
- January 19. For building pier, with temporary approach thereto, at the foot of West Forty-fourth street, North river.  
John Gillies, No. 71 Astor House, Principal.  
John Crouch, No. 112 Macdougall street,  
William Gaskell, No. 433 East Twenty-fifth street, } Sureties.
- January 19. For furnishing 1,250 gross tons Lehigh and Wilkesbarre coal and 35 gross tons of English Cannel coal for the use of the public buildings under charge of the Department of Public Works.  
Samuel G. French, No. 106 Broadway, Principal.  
George W. Randall, No. 91 Chambers street,  
Martin E. Alpers, No. 111 Broadway, } Sureties.

## Tender of Deed.

- January 15. Notice of Adrian Van Sinderen, executor and trustee, etc., of William Lawrence, deceased, of tender of deed of certain land under water, and water lots upon and around Ward's Island, to the Mayor, etc., of the City of New York, executed under a contract for the sale of said lands, executed by him as such executor, and the Commissioners of Charities and Correction, dated November 10, 1883, and demand for the payment of the consideration mentioned in said contract.

## Certificates of the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments of the Remission, by them, of Taxes of 1883.

## UPON PERSONAL ESTATE.

- January 15. Willard N. Oliver, No. 59 Liberty street; assessed valuation, \$5,000; tax, \$114.50.  
January 15. John K. Porter, No. 30 West Fifty-ninth street; assessed valuation, \$14,000; tax, \$320.60.  
January 15. Fred'k Law Olmsted, No. 209 West Forty-sixth street; assessed valuation, \$3,000; tax, \$68.70.

S. HASTINGS GRANT, Comptroller.

## HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, }  
NEW YORK, January 15, 1884. }

The Board met this day.

## Reports.

From the Sanitary Superintendent: On operations of the Sanitary Bureau; on contagious diseases; on slaughter-houses; weekly report from Riverside Hospital; on work performed by the Vaccinating Corps; weekly report of the Sanitary Company of Police and Special Inspectors; on work performed by the Milk, Meat and Offensive Trades Inspectors; on work performed in the plumbing and drainage of buildings and inspection of new tenement houses; report of visits of the Night Medical Inspectors; on application of W. J. Purcell, M. D., for increase of salary; on application to connect houses in Lexington avenue and the north side of One Hundred and Seventh street, twenty-seven in all, with the One Hundred and Eighth street sewer by a temporary sewer; on application for leave of absence; on applications for relief from certain orders; on condition of premises No. 20 Albany street; on application for permits.

From the Attorney and Counsel: Weekly report; report on application to register the birth of Archibald M. Jardine, born November 27, 1871.

From the Deputy Register of Records: Weekly letter; weekly mortuary statement; weekly abstract of births and still-births; weekly abstract of marriages; weekly abstract of deaths from contagious diseases; on attendance of clerks; on neglect of Coroner Knox to file a certificate of death of Oscar Ehle, who died March 18, 1882.

## Communications from other Departments.

From the Finance Department: Comptroller's weekly statement.

From the Department of Public Works: In respect to Inspector's complaints existing in reference to sewer in Pine street, between Broadway and Nassau street; in reference to crosswalk east side Eighth avenue and Forty-seventh street; in reference to obstruction of sidewalk and roadway in Rose and Cliff streets; in reference to receiving basin at northwest corner of Lewis and Broome streets.

From his Honor the Mayor: In respect to sending a representative of the Board to a conference to be held January 12, and to others to be held at regular intervals during the present session of the Legislature.

The President was delegated to represent the Board, and, in case of disability, Commissioner Johnson.

## Miscellaneous Communications.

From F. T. Frelinghuysen, Secretary of State: Asking the opinion of the Board of Health in respect to proposed rules and regulations for disinfecting rags in Egypt.

From Conrad Helle: In relation to Inspector Comfort.

From Jefferson M. Levy: In respect to certain orders made against No. 27 Bridge street.

Communication, signed Jurors: In respect to alleged grievances in the Department.

From G. K. Kirby: In respect to seizure of adulterated milk.

From Eugene F. Daly: In respect to complaints against premises Nos. 182, 184, 186 and 188 East One Hundred and Fifteenth street.

## Bills Audited.

Chas. Lederer.....	\$135 04	John Garrie.....	\$77 44
Pridgeon's Hamilton Bakery.....	8 37	Louis H. Landy.....	64 50
E. Gross.....	26 50	John Reynders & Co.....	88 65
J. & C. Johnston.....	31 00	A. Hucinbothem.....	10 00
F. Woehr.....	50 00	Henry Rick.....	4 50

## Permits Granted.

To keep a lodging-house at No. 101½ Lewis street.

To keep a lodging-house at No. 157 Leonard street.

## Resolutions.

Resolved, That the application to register the birth of Archibald M. Jardine, born November, 1871, be and is hereby denied.

Resolved, That leave of absence of fifteen days to J. B. Adamson, from January 5, be and is hereby granted.

Resolved, That the following-named orders be and are hereby extended, as follows:

No. 22509 (series of 1883), premises No. 335 East Forty-eighth street, to April 1, 1884.

No. 22834 " " premises No. 1037 Second avenue, to April 1, 1884.

No. 22706 " " premises No. 1039 Second avenue, to April 1, 1884.

No. 27 " " 1884, premises No. 219 East Forty-eighth street, to May 1, 1884.

No. 22685 " " 1883, premises No. 314 East Forty-fifth street, so much of order requiring grading of yard, to April 1, 1884.

Resolved, That so much of the following-named orders requiring grading of yard be and are hereby extended to May 1, 1884:

No. 22181 (series of 1883), premises, No. 419 West Eighteenth street.

No. 22182 " " " " No. 421 West Eighteenth street.

No. 22183 " " " " No. 423 West Eighteenth street.

No. 22184 " " " " No. 425 West Eighteenth street.

No. 22185 " " " " No. 427 West Eighteenth street.

No. 22180 " " " " No. 417 West Eighteenth street.

Resolved, That Order No. 23088, on premises north side Eighty-fifth street, two hundred feet west of Tenth avenue, be and is hereby rescinded.

Resolved, That a copy of the report of Sanitary Policeman Britton upon the condition of premises No. 20 Albany street, be forwarded to the Department of Public Works for the necessary action.

Resolved, That a copy of the report of Sanitary Inspector Comfort upon the condition of receiving basin at northeast and southeast corners of North Third avenue and Grove street, be forwarded to the Department of Public Parks for the necessary action.

Resolved, That the Register of Records be and is hereby authorized and directed to register the following marriage and birth returns:

Lewis Marks, born July 29, 1883.

William Hinchliff and Emma Fish, June 6, 1883.

An application from Oscar Freidlander, to register the birth of Paul Foerster, born August 12, 1876, was received and referred to the Attorney.

Commissioner Porter, of the Department of Charities and Correction, appeared before the Board and requested permission to occupy, temporarily, a portion of the premises used by this Department on Blackwell's Island, and, on motion, the request was referred to Assistant Sanitary Superintendent Janes, with power.

An application from Vito Pizzuto, to amend the record of marriage of Vito Pizzuto and Angela Maria Stolia, September 11, 1882, was received and permission was granted to file papers as supplemental to the original certificate.

The President, to whom was referred the communication from the Department of Public Works respecting the sanitary condition of One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, between Tenth avenue and Boulevard, reported back with the recommendation that a copy of the communication from the Department of Public Works be forwarded to the parties interested in the opening of One Hundred and Sixtieth and One Hundred and Sixty-first streets between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

## Action of the Board on Plans for Light and Ventilation of Tenement-houses.

Resolved, That plans for light and ventilation of tenement-houses be and are hereby approved as follows, upon the conditions contained in the several permits granted.

Plan No. 1790-2, for five tenements on and adjoining the northeast corner of Second avenue and One Hundred and Fifth street.

Plan No. 2401, for two tenements on the north side of One Hundred and Twenty-second street, eighty feet east of Fourth avenue.

Plan No. 2404, for fifteen tenements on the north side of Seventy-first street, seventy-five feet east of Second avenue.

Plan No. 2406, for four tenements at Nos. 537 to 543 East Fifteenth street.

Plan No. 2407, for two tenements on the south side of One Hundred and Fourteenth street, two hundred feet west of First avenue.

Plan No. 2408, for one tenement at No. 438 Tenth avenue.

Plan No. 2409, for three tenements on the east side of Third avenue, twenty-five feet south of One Hundred and Twelfth street.

Plan No. 2410, for one tenement on the southeast corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Twelfth street.



Plan No. 2411, for one tenement on the — side of Third avenue, twenty-five feet north of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street.  
 Plan No. 2412, for four tenements on the north side of Seventy-sixth street, one hundred and twenty-five feet east of Fourth avenue.  
 Plan No. 2413, for three tenements at Nos. 508 to 512 Tenth avenue.  
 Plan No. 2414, for two tenements on the south side of Eighty-fourth street, thirty-six feet east of Lexington avenue.  
 Plan No. 2415, for one tenement on the southwest corner of Second avenue and Twenty-third street.

#### Plumbing and Drainage of New Houses.

Resolved, That plans for the plumbing and drainage of new houses be and are hereby approved as follows, upon the conditions contained in the several permits granted:

Plan No. 2030, for one opera house at Nos. 1237 and 1239 Broadway, conditionally.  
 Plan No. 2031, for one store at No. 234 Fifth avenue, as amended.  
 Plan No. 2033, for one factory at Nos. 455 and 457 West Twenty-sixth street.  
 Plan No. 2035, for one tenement north side of Eleventh street, twenty-two feet west of Washington street.  
 Plan No. 2036, for three tenements on the east side of Third avenue, twenty-five feet south of One Hundred and Twelfth street.  
 Plan No. 2037, for one tenement on the southeast corner of One Hundred and Twelfth street and Third avenue.  
 Plan No. 2038, for one dwelling on the east side of Eighth avenue, fifty feet north of One Hundred and Forty-third street.  
 Plan No. 2039, for one stable on the south side of One Hundred and Twenty-third street, two hundred and eleven feet west of Third avenue.  
 Plan No. 2042, for one fire engine house on Old Slip, Front and South streets.  
 Plan No. 2046, for two dwellings on and adjoining the corner of One Hundred and Sixty-first street and College avenue.  
 Plan No. 2049, for two tenements on the south side of One Hundred and Fourteenth street, two hundred feet west of First avenue, conditionally.  
 Plan No. 2050, for four tenements on the northeast corner of Fifty-seventh street and Tenth avenue.  
 Plan No. 2052, for three tenements at Nos. 508 to 512 Tenth avenue, as amended.  
 Plan No. 2053, for one store on the south side of Eighty-first street, seventy-five feet west of First avenue, as amended.  
 Plan No. 2054, for one store at Nos. 797 and 799 Third avenue.  
 Plan No. 2055, for one building on the west side of Broadway, north of Fiftieth street, conditionally.

#### Sanitary Bureau.

The following is a report of the work performed in the Sanitary Bureau for the week ending January 12, 1884:

The total number of inspections made by the Inspectors was 2,442. The total number of complaints 977.

During the past week 151 complaints were received from citizens and referred to the Sanitary Inspectors for investigation and report.

40 permits were issued to the consignees of vessels to discharge cargoes, on vouchers from the Health Officer of the Port.

42 permits were granted scavengers to empty, clean and disinfect privy vaults.

The Meat and Fish Inspectors have seized and condemned 8,248 pounds of meat and fish.

The Disinfecting Corps have visited 78 premises where contagious diseases were reported, and have disinfected 78 premises, together with clothing, bedding, etc.

Three cases of contagious disease were removed to Hospital by the Ambulance Corps.

#### Bureau of Vital Statistics.

The certificates of 519 births, 54 still-births, 190 marriages and 597 deaths, reported to have taken place in this city, were received by this Bureau during the week ending Saturday, January 12, 1884. This shows a decrease of 185 births and 123 marriages, an increase of 21 deaths and the same number of still-births, when compared with the number received during the preceding week; but when compared with the corresponding week of the year 1883, there was a decrease of 66 births, 3 still-births, 14 marriages, and 164 deaths. Compared with the mortality reported during the preceding week, the deaths from measles decreased 4; diphtheria, 6; typhoid fever, 3; inani-tion, 2; cancer, 8; pneumonia, 8; heart diseases, 9; apoplexy, 2; Bright's disease and nephritis, 1; cyanosis and atelectasis, 6; premature and preterm births, 2; suicide, 5; while the deaths from scarlatina increased 5; croup, 1; erysipelas, 2; cerebro-spinal fever, 4; malarial fevers, 5; diarrhoeal diseases, 1; alcoholism, 2; rheumatism and gout, 1; phthisis pulmonalis, 5; bronchitis, 6; marasmus, tabes mesenterica and scrofula, 1; hydrocephalus and tubercular meningitis, 5; meningitis and encephalitis, 5; all diseases of the brain and nervous system, 14; cirrhosis and hepatitis, 4; gastritis, enteritis and peritonitis, 1; surgical operations, 1. The number of deaths from whooping cough, puerperal diseases and convulsions, was the same in the two successive weeks.

Deaths from the principal Zymotic Diseases, Phthisis Pulmonalis, Pneumonia, Bronchitis, and Children under five years of age, reported during the week and compared with the three preceding weeks.

WEEK ENDING—	Small-Pox.	Measles.	Scarlatina.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Whooping Cough.	Typhus Fever.	Typhoid Fever.	Cerebro-Spinal Fever.	Remittent, Intermittent, Typho-Malarial, Con- gestive and Simple Continued Fevers.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Phthisis Pulmonalis.	Pneumonia.	Bronchitis.	Diseases of the Nervous System.	Diseases of the Urinary System.	DEATHS OF CHILDREN.		
																	Under 1 year of age.	Under 2 years of age.	Under 5 years of age.
December 22, 1883	..	13	7	19	13	1	3	5	3	4	13	112	61	36	62	52	110	141	178
“ 29, “	..	5	10	26	16	2	..	5	2	7	18	101	73	43	46	34	124	155	197
January 5, 1884.	..	11	8	23	9	5	..	7	2	4	12	96	87	32	45	38	120	159	199
“ 12, “	..	7	13	17	10	5	..	4	6	9	13	101	79	38	59	38	133	177	204
Total.....	..	36	38	85	48	13	3	21	13	24	56	410	300	149	212	162	487	632	778

The ages of 133 of the persons who died during the week were reported to be under one year, 177 under two years, 204 under five years, and 50 seventy years and over, which shows that the number of deaths of children under five years of age was 5 more than the number reported during the preceding week, and represent 34.02 per cent. of the total weekly mortality.

Deaths reported from Small-pox, Measles, Scarlatina, Diphtheria, Membranous Croup, Whooping Cough, Typhus, Typhoid, Cerebro-Spinal, and Malarial Fevers, in Institutions, Tenement and other Dwellings, with Average Age, Floor, and Ward where the Death occurred, and the Hour of Death, for the week ending January 12, 1884.

DISEASE.	In Houses containing 3 Families and under.	In Houses containing over 3 Families.	Canal Boats.	Hotels and Boarding-houses.	Institutions.	FLOOR.										AVERAGE AGE.		
						Basement.	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.	Top.	Not Stated.	Years.	Months.	Days.	
Small-pox.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Measles.....	..	5	..	..	2	..	2	2	1	1	..	..	..	..	1	10	4	
Scarlatina.....	3	10	..	..	..	1	3	3	2	3	1	..	..	..	5	8	3	
Diphtheria.....	9	8	..	..	..	4	10	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	4	8	3	
Membranous Croup.....	1	9	..	..	..	4	2	1	2	1	..	..	..	..	6	9	6	
Whooping Cough.....	1	4	..	..	..	1	2	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	18	
Typhus Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Typhoid Fever.....	1	3	..	..	..	1	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	33	4	8	
Cerebro-Spinal Fever.....	1	4	..	..	1	1	..	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	1	5	4	
Malarial Fevers.....	3	5	..	..	1	..	1	6	..	1	..	..	..	..	25	2	4	

DISEASE.	WARDS.																								TOTAL DEATHS.
	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.	Seventh.	Eighth.	Ninth.	Tenth.	Eleventh.	Twelfth.	Thirteenth.	Fourteenth.	Fifteenth.	Sixteenth.	Seventeenth.	Eighteenth.	Nineteenth.	Twentieth.	Twenty-first.	Twenty-second.	Twenty-third.	Twenty-fourth.	
Small-pox.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Measles.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	4	..	1	..	..	7
Scarlatina.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	1	1	1	4	1	..	1	..	1	..	13
Diphtheria.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	1	3	1	..	2	3	4	..	1	..	17
Membranous Croup..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	1	1	..	1	2	..	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	10
Whooping Cough.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	5
Typhus Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	0
Typhoid Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	4
Cerebro-Spinal Fever	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	..	..	..	6
Malarial Fevers.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	9

#### 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.	11 o'clock.	12 o'clock.	
Small-pox .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Measles .....	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	7
Scarlatina .....	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	1	..	..	..	..	2	1	..	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	13
Diphtheria .....	1	2	1	2	3	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	1	1	1	1	1	..	17
Membranous Croup.	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	10
Whooping Cough....	..	..	..	2	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
Typhus Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Typhoid Fever.....	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	4
Cerebro-Spinal Fever	1	..	1	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	6
Malarial Fevers.....	..	2	..	..	1	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	9

Of the total number of deaths reported for the week, 115 were in institutions, 329 in tenement-houses, 144 in houses containing three families or less, 6 in hotels and boarding-houses, 3 in rivers, streets, boats, etc.; 10 were on the basement floor, 119 on the first, 148 on the second, 122 on the third, 52 on the fourth, 27 on the fifth, 1 on the sixth; 591 were stated to be residents of New York City and 6 non-residents; 77 were stated to be single, 168 married, 72 widowed, and the condition of 280 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, 597; still-births, 54; bodies in transitu, 10. Of the total burial permits issued for city and still-births 64 were upon certificates received from the Coroners; 519 births, 190 marriages, 54 still-births, 597 deaths, 10 applications for transit permits were recorded, indexed, and tabulated, 70 searches of the registers of births, marriages, and deaths were made, and 9 transcripts of the birth record, 5 of marriage, and 48 of death were issued during the week.

The mean temperature for the week ending January 12, 1884, was 24.9 degrees Fahr., the mean reading of the barometer was 29.889, the mean humidity was 91, saturation being 100, the number of miles traveled by the wind was 1,769, and the total amount of rain-fall was 2.52 inches depth of water, as reported by D. Draper, Ph. D., Director of the New York Meteorological Observatory, Central Park.

The disposition of 553 deaths and still-births, or 84.95 per cent. of the total number reported, was in the following 14 cemeteries: Bayside (Jewish), 14; Calvary (Roman Catholic), 240; City pauper burial ground (undenominational), 68; Greenwood (undenominational), 34; Lutheran (undenominational), 80; Cypress Hills (undenominational), 20; Evergreen (undenominational), 42; Woodlawn (undenominational), 25; St. Michael's (Protestant Episcopal), 3; Union (Methodist Protestant), 2; Holy Cross (Roman Catholic), 4; Machpelah, L. I. (Jewish), 6; St. Raymond's (Roman Catholic), 3; Washington (undenominational), 12.

The distribution of deaths (actual mortality) for the week ending January 5, 1884, was in the following wards, viz.: First, 7; Second, 0; Third, 0; Fourth, 15; Fifth, 4; Sixth, 4; Seventh, 24; Eighth, 12; Ninth, 26; Tenth, 24; Eleventh, 31; Twelfth, 50; Thirteenth, 13; Fourteenth, 8; Fifteenth, 4; Sixteenth, 17; Seventeenth, 27; Eighteenth, 29; Nineteenth, 112; Twentieth, 38; Twenty-first, 47; Twenty-second, 54; Twenty-third, 12; Twenty-fourth, 5.

The actual mortality for the week ending January 5, 1884, was 566; this is 71 less than the number that occurred during the corresponding week of the year 1883, and 69.4 less than the average of the corresponding weeks of the past five years, and represents an annual death-rate of 22.00 per 1,000 persons living, the population estimated at 1,337,661.

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 24.83; Brooklyn, 19.56; Baltimore, 24.15; Boston, 23.73; Cincinnati, 16.57; New Orleans, 27.67; Richmond, 24.18; Charleston, 30.83; Erie, 22.50; Lowell, 25.77; Worcester, 15.56; Cambridge, 7.98; Fall River, 21.74; Springfield, 16.16; Pittsburgh, 19.6. Monthly returns—Chicago, 19.84; Milwaukee, 16.4; New Haven, 15.8; Auburn, 10.87; Lansing, 5.66; Toledo, 11.60; Yonkers, 17.14; Oakland, 13.23; St. Paul, 29.78; Wilmington, Del., 15.6; Hudson County, N. J., 21.5. Foreign cities—Weekly returns—London, 21.2; Liverpool, 24.2; Birmingham, 2.9; Manchester, 26.3; Glasgow, 25.9; Edinburgh, 16.5; Dundee, 19.0; Dublin, 36.0; Belfast, 19.4; Cork, 30.5; Brussels, 24.4; Antwerp, 28.2; Ghent, 20.1; Paris, 24.54; Berlin, 24.6; Munich, 29.2; Breslau, 27.97; Vienna, 25.4; Christiania, 22.16; Amsterdam, 30.9; Rotterdam, 23.5; The Hague, 18.2; Geneva, with suburbs, 22.3; Basel, 27.8; Bern, 31.0; St. Petersburg, 34.4; Warsaw, 32.08; Havre, 25.0; Liege, 25.1; Prague and suburbs, 38.6; Zaragoza, 44.7; Bombay, 26.0; Madras, 33.8; Lisbon, 32.7. Monthly returns—Hamburg (State), 21.3; La Rochelle, 16.9.

By order of the Board,

EMMONS CLARK, 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 January 19, 1884.

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.

Frank R. Houghton and ano.—To recover back amount of assessment and interest paid on Ward Nos. 37 to 72, Block 390, and Ward Nos. 1 to 36, Block 391, in matter of opening One Hundredth street, \$646.55.

In re petition of Theo. W. Myers.—To vacate an assessment for regulating, grading, curbing, guttering, and flagging One Hundred and Third street, from First to Fifth avenue; confirmed March 3, 1883.

Ruth A. Wallace and ano.—To recover back amount of overpayment of assessment for Fifty-first and Fifty-sixth streets sewers, \$6,290.46.

In re petition of Patrick Morgan.—To vacate a sale for Sixty-sixth street outlet sewer assessment.

Emil H. Kosmak.—Damages to premises Nos. 13 and 15 Chatham street, between February 1, 1882, and October 23, 1883, by reason of alleged flowing in of Chatham and Frankfort street sewer refuse.

People ex rel. John J. Poe v. Board of Police Commissioners.—Certiorari to review removal of re-lator, a patrolman, from the force, January 2, 1884.



Morris Poznanski—To recover back amount of alleged overpayment of assessment for Fifty-first and Fifty-sixth streets sewers, \$1,688.70.  
In re petition of Chas F. Hoffman and others.—To vacate assessment for Seventieth street paving, Boulevard to Eleventh avenue; confirmed November 30, 1883.  
Eli Twogood—Summons only, served.

## SUPERIOR COURT.

Sarah Murray—Damages for alleged personal injuries resulting from falling on sidewalk in front of premises No. 423, West 49th street, January 16, 1883, \$5,000.  
John H. Morris, executor, etc.—To recover an award made for change of grade of Duane street, Broadway to Centre street, on Ward No. 1143, \$263.90.  
John Fast by his guardian agst. John McGowan et al.—Damages for alleged false arrest and imprisonment.

BEFORE THE ASSESSMENT COMMISSION APPOINTED UNDER CHAPTER 550 OF THE LAWS OF 1880.

In re Richard Carman Combes et al., executor, to recover an assessment paid for Boulevard regulating, etc., Fifty-ninth to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.

## DISTRICT COURT IN CITY OF NEW YORK FOR THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

James H. Harris against James K. Price—Police case.

## SCHEDULE "B."

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

Samuel Scheffer—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$483.13, and in favor of defendant W. L. Fish for \$932.  
Benja. H. Hutton et al. v. Chas. Landon—Judgment and final decree entered that the Mayor, etc., are entitled to take bequest made to the Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island, and to \$95 costs.  
Fredk. P. Reed—General Term order entered reversing judgment with costs to appellant to abide the event.  
Jennie C. Tinkham—Judgment entered dismissing complaint on the merits and for \$214.84 costs, etc.  
People ex rel. Lawrence Talian vs. Board of Police Commissioners, etc.—Order entered reversing order appealed from with \$10 costs and disbursements, and dismissing writ of certiorari.  
People ex rel. John Mohr vs. Board of Police Commissioners, etc.—Order entered reversing order appealed from with \$10 costs and disbursements, and dismissing writ of certiorari.  
James Wood—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$135.  
In re John Weber, Tenth avenue regulating, etc.—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
Michael P. H. Casey—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$80, by consent.  
Mayor, etc. vs. Joseph Cooper—Judgment entered in favor of the city for \$727.69.  
People ex rel. Wm. Ryan vs. Board of Police—Order entered in Court of Appeals dismissing appeal for non-filing return.  
In the matter of William L. Hale, One Hundred and Sixty-first street award—Order entered directing payment of award into court, and referring to Wm. H. Deady, Esq., to ascertain title.  
People ex rel. Wm. H. Vanderbilt vs. Tax Commissioners (Personal Tax, 1877)—Order entered by consent dismissing writ of certiorari without costs.  
People ex rel. Harlem Gas-light Co. vs. Tax Commissioners (Capital Stock, 1880)—Order entered by consent dismissing writ of certiorari without costs.  
People ex rel. Ernst Plarrius vs. Tax Commissioners (Personal Estate, 1881)—Order entered by consent dismissing writ of certiorari without costs.  
Pacific Mail Steamship Co. (No. 1)—Order entered discontinuing action without costs.  
Pacific Mail Steamship Co. (No. 2)—do do do do  
Second Baptist Church of Harlem—do do do do  
James M. Beverage—do do do do  
The Broadway Insurance Co.—do do do do  
The American Fire Insurance Co.—do do do do  
The Hoffman Fire Insurance Co.—do do do do  
The Eagle Fire Insurance Co.—do do do do  
The Stuyvesant Insurance Co.—do do do do  
The Manufacturers and Builders' Fire Ins. Co.—do do do do  
The City Fire Insurance Co.—do do do do  
The United States Fire Insurance Co.—do do do do  
The Mechanics and Traders' Fire Ins. Co.—do do do do  
The Star Fire Insurance Co.—do do do do  
The New York Fire Insurance Co.—do do do do  
The National Fire Insurance Co.—do do do do  
The Howard Insurance Co.—do do do do  
The Relief Insurance Co.—do do do do  
The Pacific Fire Insurance Co.—do do do do  
The Home Insurance Co.—do do do do  
The Columbia Fire Insurance Co.—do do do do  
The Merchants' Insurance Co.—do do do do  
The Globe Fire Insurance Co.—do do do do  
Jas. M. McLean—do do do do  
Adolph Bernheimer—do do do do  
James Norris—do do do do  
Isabella Jex, No. 1—do do do do  
Howard W. Coates, executor—do do do do

## SCHEDULE "C."

## SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED OR ARGUED.

Valeria Van Beil—On day calendar Circuit Part I—Complaint dismissed without costs to either party.  
John G. Prague—In accordance with terms of settlement plaintiff took judgment in open Court for \$4,052.18.  
Erastus Brooks—Reference proceeded.  
Mary A. Ryder, by guardian—Argued at General Term; decision reserved.  
James Goodfellow—Argued at General Term; decision reserved.  
Manhattan Railway Co. v. M. T. McMahon, Receiver of Taxes—Motion for injunction argued before Barrett, J.; decision reserved.  
Cunard Steamship Co. v. John R. Voorhis et al, Dock Commissioners, etc—Argued at General Term; decision reserved.  
Charles Bathgate—Affirmed at General Term by default.  
Thomas McManus v. Hubert O. Thompson—Argued at General Term; decision reserved.  
Susan Dorland, adm'x v. Mayor, etc.—Argued at General Term; decision reserved.  
G. Dyer—Examined plaintiff before trial.  
H. Gick—Examined plaintiff before trial.  
G. Thatcher—Examined plaintiff before trial.

GEORGE P. ANDREWS, Counsel to the Corporation.

## APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Leo Schlessinger to retain the wall now erected in front of Nos. 1, 3 and 5 Jersey street, the said wall being built and does extend three (3) inches over the line granted to him by this Board and approved by his Honor the Mayor September 19, 1883.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 2, 1884.  
Approved by the Mayor, January 7, 1884.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Societe Culinaire Philanthropique to connect the Academy of Music and Irving Hall on the occasion of their annual ball, to be held on the 3d day of February, 1884, 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 above-mentioned date.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 31, 1883.  
Approved by the Mayor, January 7, 1884.

Resolved, That the Commission for lighting this city be and is hereby requested to cause the Gansevoort or Farmers Market to be lighted with electric lights as soon as possible.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 5, 1884.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, January 11, 1884, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

## Appointments by the Mayor.

To be a Board of Examiners for all positions in Schedule B of the regulations prescribed by the Mayor for admission to the Civil Service of the City of New York:

CHARLES S. FAIRCHILD,  
J. SEAVER PAGE, and  
A. R. MACDONOUGH.

To be a Board of Examiners for all positions in Schedule C of the regulations prescribed by the Mayor for admission to the Civil Service of the City of New York, except positions as nurses, attendants, and orderlies in the city asylums and hospitals:

DAN. B. SMITH,  
ARTHUR H. DUNDON, and  
JAMES MOIR.

To be a Board of Examiners for positions as nurses, orderlies, and attendants in the city asylums and hospitals:

THOMAS H. BURCHARD, M. D.,  
F. TILDEN BROWN, M. D., and  
T. H. MANLEY, M. D.

WM. E. LUCAS,  
Secretary.

NEW YORK, January 8, 1884.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Examiners for all positions in Schedule B, as specified in the regulations prescribed by the Mayor of the City of New York for the admission of persons into the Civil Service of said city, has this day been organized by the election of Augustus R. Macdonough as Chairman, and that blanks for applicants for positions included in said Schedule B can be obtained on and after January 15, 1884, from the Secretary of the Municipal Service Examining Board, No. 6 City Hall.

A. R. MACDONOUGH,  
CHAS. S. FAIRCHILD,  
J. SEAVER PAGE,  
Board of Examiners.

NEW YORK, January 16, 1884.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Examiners for all positions in Schedule C, except nurses, etc., as specified in the regulations prescribed by the Mayor of the City of New York for the admission of persons into the Civil Service of said city, has been organized by the election of Arthur H. Dundon as Chairman, and that blanks for applicants for positions included in said Schedule C can be obtained on and after this date from the Secretary of the Municipal Service Examining Board, No. 6 City Hall.

ARTHUR H. DUNDON,  
DAN. B. SMITH,  
JAMES MOIR,  
Board of Examiners.

NEW YORK, January 8, 1884.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Examiners for all positions as nurses, attendants and orderlies for the city hospitals and asylums in the Department of Public Charities and Correction, as specified in the regulations prescribed by the Mayor for the admission of persons into the Civil Service of the City of New York, has been organized by the election of Thomas H. Burchard, M. D., as Chairman and F. Tilden Brown M. D., as Recording Officer, and that blanks for applicants for positions as nurses, attendants and orderlies as aforesaid can be obtained on and after January 15, 1884, from the Secretary of the Municipal Service Examining Board, No. 6 City Hall.

THOMAS H. BURCHARD, M. D.,  
F. TILDEN BROWN, M. D.,  
THOMAS H. MANLEY, M. D.,  
Board of Examiners.

## Appointment by the Mayor.

January 18, 1884—Ehrman S. Nadal, Secretary of the Boards of Examiners, Municipal Service, City of New York.

WM. E. LUCAS,  
Secretary.

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

## Mayor's Marshal's Office.

No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
GEORGE A. MACDONOUGH, First Marshal.

## Permit Bureau Office.

No. 13½ City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
HENRY WOLTMAN, Registrar.

## COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

No. 1 County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
GEO. EDWIN HILL, ANDREW B. MARTIN.

## AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

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

## LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

## Office of Clerk of Common Council.

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

## City Library.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

## Commissioner's Office.

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

## Bureau of Chief Engineer.

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

## Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
THOMAS H. McAVOY, Superintendent.

## Bureau of Water Purveyor.

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

## Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
STEPHEN McCORMICK, Superintendent.

## Bureau of Streets.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JAMES J. MOONEY, 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. KEES, City Hall.

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

## Comptroller's Office.

Nos. 19 and 20 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
S. HASTINGS GRANT, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.

## Auditing Bureau.

No. 19 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
WM. J. LYON, Auditor of Accounts.  
DAVID E. AUSTEN, Assistant Auditor.

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

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

## Bureau for the Collection of City Revenues and of Markets.

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

## Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

First floor Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park.  
MARTIN T. McMAHON, Receiver of Taxes; ALFRED VREDESBURG, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

## Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

## Office of the City Paymaster.

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

## LAW DEPARTMENT.

## Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

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

## Office of the Public Administrator.

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

## Office of the Corporation Attorney.

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

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

## Central Office.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

## Central Office.

No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 8.30 A. M. to 5.30 P. M.  
H. H. PORTER, President; GEORGE F. BRITTON, Secretary.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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.

ELI BATES, Chief of Department.

## Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

## Bureau of Fire Marshal.

GEORGE H. SHELDON, Fire Marshal.

## Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

WM. P. ESTERBROOK, Inspector of Buildings.

## 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 McCABE, Chief of Battalion-in-Charge, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

## Hospital Stables.

99th street, between 9th and 10th avenues.  
JOSEPH SHEA, Superintendent of Horses.  
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.  
SALEM H. WALES, President; EDWARD P. BARKER, Secretary.  
*Civil and Topographical Office.*  
Arsenal, 64th street and 5th avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
*Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.*  
146th street and 3d avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
LUCIUS J. N. STARK, President; JOHN T. CUMING, Secretary.  
Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. daily, except Saturdays; on Saturdays as follows: from September 15 to June 15, from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.; from June 15 to September 15, from 9 A. M. to 12 M.

## DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS

Staats Zeitung Building, Tryon Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Saturdays, 3 P. M.  
THOMAS B. ASTEN, President; FLOYD T. SMITH, Secretary.  
*Office Bureau Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.*  
Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
CHARLES S. BEARDSLEY, Attorney; WILLIAM COMERFORD, Clerk.

## DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

31 and 32 Park Row, "World" Building, Rooms 8 and 9, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JAMES S. COLEMAN, Commissioner; A. H. ROGERS, Deputy Commissioner; M. J. MORRISON, Chief Clerk.

## BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, City Hall, Room No. 11½, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN R. LYDECKER, Chairman; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

## BOARD OF EXCISE.

Corner Bond street and Bowery, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
NICHOLAS HAUGHTON, President; BENJAMIN F. HASKIN, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

## SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

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

## REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN REILLY, Register; J. FAIRFAX McLAUGHLIN, Deputy Register.

## COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

## COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

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

## DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

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

## THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

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

## CORONERS' OFFICE.

Nos. 13 and 15 Chatham street, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Sundays and Holidays, 8 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.  
PHILIP MERKLE, FERDINAND LAY, BERNARD F. MARTIN and WILLIAM H. KENNEDY, Coroners; JOHN T. TOAL, Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

## SUPREME COURT.

Second floor, New County Court-house, 10½ A. M. to 3 P. M.  
General Term, Room No. 9.  
Special Term, Room No. 10.  
Chambers, Room No. 11.  
Circuit, Part I., Room No. 12.  
Circuit, Part II., Room No. 13.  
Circuit, Part III., Room No. 14.  
Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 15.  
NOAH DAVIS, Chief Justice; PATRICK KEENAN, Clerk.

## SUPERIOR COURT.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.  
General Term, Room No. 35.  
Special Term, Room No. 33.  
Chambers, Room No. 33, 10 A. M.  
Part I., Room No. 34.  
Part II., Room No. 35.  
Part III., Room No. 36.  
Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 30.  
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 32.  
Clerk's Office, Room No. 31, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN SEDGWICK, Chief Judge; THOMAS BOESE, Chief Clerk.

## COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.  
Assignment Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Clerk's Office, Room No. 22, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
General Term, Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.  
Special Term, Room No. 21, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.  
Chambers, Room No. 21, 10:30 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.  
Part I., Room No. 25, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.  
Part II., Room No. 26, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.  
Part III., Room No. 27, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.  
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
CHARLES P. DALY, Chief Justice; NATHANIEL JARVIS, Jr., Chief Clerk.

## COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

No. 32 Chambers street. Parts I. and II. Court opens at 11 o'clock A. M.  
FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder; HENRY A. GILDER-SLEEVE and RUFUS B. COWING, Judges of the said Court. Terms, first Monday each month.  
JOHN SPARKS, Clerk. Office, Room No. 11, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

## CITY COURT.—CITY HALL.

General Term, Room No. 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.

## OYER AND TERMINER COURT.

New County Court-house, second floor, southeast corner, 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. 11, 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, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
MICHAEL NORTON, Justice.

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

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

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

Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh, and Thirteenth Wards, No. 154 Clinton street.  
JOHN H. MCCARTHY, Justice.

Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards Nos. 389 and 391 Fourth avenue.  
WILLIAM H. KELLY, Justice.

Seventh District—Nineteenth and Twenty-second Wards, No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court open every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues to the close of business.  
AMBROSE MONELL, Justice.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 31 CHAMBERS ST.,  
NEW YORK, NOVEMBER 19, 1883.

## TO THE PUBLIC.

AT 9:30 P. M. ON THURSDAY THE 15TH instant, the aqueduct had to be shut off to repair a large leak that could not be repaired in the usual manner from the exterior. This leak had suddenly developed in the section south of Yonkers, where smaller fissures had previously occurred.

The examination showed fissures aggregating 2,000 feet in length. The repairs were finished and water was again turned on by 4 P. M., on Saturday, the 17th instant. While the flow through the aqueduct was interrupted the supply in the Central Park reservoir was drawn down five feet.

This loss of supply in the city reservoirs, occurring now, as winter is approaching, makes it necessary to take extra precautions against waste of water. Being aware of the temptation to leave faucets open in cold weather to prevent freezing in the pipes, I specially protest against that practice, and appeal to all citizens to abstain from wasteful use of water in any manner whatever. The present condition of the supply and the possibility of a recurrence of similar leaks in the aqueduct make it my duty to give this public notice that I shall hereinafter resort to the peremptory measure of shutting off the water in all places where persistent waste is discovered.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, NOV. 1, 1883.

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

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

It becomes my duty to state that on and after the first day of April, 1883, all extra charges, such as steam-engines, bakeries, barbers, bathing-tubs, boarding-houses, boarding-schools, building purposes, horses, horse-drawings, 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 CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

## TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, DRY GOODS, HARDWARE, LEATHER AND FINDINGS, AND CROCKERY.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES.  
20,000 pounds Oolong Tea.  
20,000 fresh Eggs; all to be candled.  
2,000 pounds fine Maracaibo Coffee (roasted).  
50 boxes Candles.  
50 " Raisins.  
50 dozen Sea Foam.  
50 " Canned Tomatoes, 3 lbs.  
50 pounds prime Manila Indigo.  
5 half chests Young Hyson Tea.  
5 " fine Oolong Tea.  
250 barrels prime Russia Turnips.  
250 " " Carrots.  
50 " " Red Onions.  
25 gross Matches.

## DRY GOODS

200 pounds W. B. Linen Thread.  
200 " D. B. "  
100 " Cotton Cord.  
25 dozen Fine Combs.  
25 " Plantation Combs.  
100 packs Pins.  
100 pieces Oiled Muslin.  
5 gross Thimbles, No. 5 and 9.  
200 Rubber Blankets.  
50 dozen No. 30 W. S. Cotton.  
30 " " B. S. Cotton.  
1 gross Hat and Coat Hooks.

## LEATHER AND FINDINGS.

500 sides good damaged Sole Leather.  
500 " Waxed Kip Leather.  
500 " Upper Leather.  
500 pounds Offal Leather.  
10 dozen Shoe Ink.  
25 pounds Shoe Eyelets.  
100 bunches Leather Laces.  
50 gross Shoe Binding.  
500 pounds ¾ Shoe Nails.  
250 " " "  
2 dozen Welt Trimmers.  
2 " Heel Shavers.  
HARDWARE, ETC.  
5 bundles Wire, No. 10.  
5 " " No. 12.  
5 " " No. 14.  
2 " Annealed Wire, No. 19.  
6 dozen Padlocks.  
6 " Closet Locks.  
6 " Drawer Locks.  
6 " Rim Locks.  
250 pounds ash Cord.  
6 dozen 6" Paint Brushes.  
6 " Stove "  
10 " Dust "  
2 " Kalsomine "  
2 " Stencil "  
10 " Whitewash "  
1 " Varnish "  
3 coils Manila Rope, 2, 2½ and 3 in. (cir.).

## CROCKERY

100 Male Urinals.  
50 Wash Basins.  
10 gross Bowls.  
5 " Cups.  
5 " Saucers.  
1 " Mugs.  
1 " Chambers.

—or any single article thereof, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., of Friday, February 1, 1884. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Dry Goods, Hardware, Leather and Findings, and Crockery," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or her 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 to the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, January 21, 1884.

HENRY H. PORTER,  
THOMAS S. BRENNAN,  
JACOB HESS,

Commissioners of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, January 9, 1884.

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

At Work-house, Blackwell's Island—Martin McGowan; aged 65 years; committed December 29, 1883.  
At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Annie King; aged 28 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; brown hair; blue eyes.

Margaret Mulandi; aged 40 years; 5 feet 1½ inch high; auburn hair; blue eyes.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Henry O'Donnell; aged 39 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; brown eyes and hair. Had on when admitted, dark coat and vest, 8 striped pants, brogan shoes, Derby hat.

Michael Griffin; aged 60 years; 5 feet 9 inches high; black eyes and hair. Had on when admitted, dark coat and pants, brogan shoes, black hat.

John Welch; aged 26 years; 5 feet 3 inches high; brown eyes and hair. Had on when admitted, blue suit of clothes, brogan shoes, blue cap.

At Hart's Island Hospital—Patrick Delaney; aged 45 years.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order.

G. F. BRITTON,  
Secretary.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, JAN. 9, 1884.

OWNER WANTED FOR A CASE OF ASSORTED HARNESSE BITS, found in the street.  
JOHN F. HARRIOT,  
Property Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
OFFICE OF THE PROPERTY CLERK (Room No. 39),  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, 1883.

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.

## 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.

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

## PUBLIC NOTICE.

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

FOR THE INFORMATION OF THE PUBLIC, and especially of those using the Wharf Property of the City of New York, the following extracts from the rules and regulations established for the guidance of the Dock Masters appointed by the Board governing this Department, and to be observed by them in the performance of their duties, are hereby promulgated and published:

Resolved, For the proper supervision of the waterfront of the city, the care of the wharf property located thereon placed in the charge of this Department, the rendering of necessary facilities for the prompt berthing of vessels thereat, and the collection of the wharfage accruing therefrom, that the water-front of the City of New York be and hereby is arranged and divided into nine districts, and that for each of the said districts there shall be appointed, designated, or assigned, from time to time, at the pleasure of the Board, a suitable and competent person to be known and entitled as "Dock Master," who shall perform such duties and render such services in relation to the supervision, regulation, and occupation of the wharf property and water-front in their respective districts, as the laws of the United States and of the State of New York, the ordinances of the City of New York, and the by-laws of this Board, and its rules, or orders, shall or may require, prescribe, or direct.

The several districts so made and created, and the Dock Masters assigned thereto, are as follows, to wit: District No. 1.—Embracing all that portion of the East river, extending from Castle Garden, on the Battery, to and including Pier 21, East river.

Charles H. Thompson, Dock Master; office, 33 Coenties Slip.

District No. 2.—All that portion of the North river extending from Castle Garden, to a d including Pier old 42, North river.

George W. Wanmaker, Dock Master; office, foot of Duane street, N. R.

District No. 3.—From east side Pier 21, East river, to and including Pier 55, East river.  
Edward Abell, Dock Master; office, 262 South street.

District No. 4.—From north side Pier, old 42, North river, to and including pier at foot of West Twenty-third street, North river.



John M. Smith, Dock Master; office, Pier, new 43, N. R.  
 District No. 5.—From north side Pier 55, East river, to north side of Thirty-fourth street, East river.  
 Bernard Kenney, Dock Master; office, foot of East Sixteenth street, E. R.  
 District No. 6.—From north side Pier at Twenty-third street, North river, to and including Pier at foot Fifty-ninth street, North river.  
 Edward Gilon, Dock Master; office, Pier, new 57, N. R.  
 District No. 7.—From north side of Thirty-fourth street, East river, to south side of Ninety-second street, East river.  
 Robert Hall, Dockmaster; office, 646 First avenue.  
 District No. 8.—From north side of Pier at Fifty-ninth street, North river, to Yonkers and Spuyten Duyvil Creek, from North river to Kingsbridge.  
 Theodore S. Croft, Dockmaster; office, foot of West Seventy-ninth street, N. R.  
 District No. 9.—From south side Ninety-second street, East river, to and including Bronx river, and also Harlem river, from East river to Kingsbridge.  
 John Callan, Dockmaster; office, foot of East One Hundred and Fourth street, Harlem river.  
 Resolved, That until otherwise ordered by this Board the following rules and instructions are issued for the guidance and observance of the several Dock Masters of the Department:

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Each Dock Master shall promptly designate and assign in the order in which application is made, suitable and convenient berths, so far as practicable, within the limits of his district, for the use of such vessel and water craft as may require the same for the reception or discharge of passengers, merchandise, etc., therefrom or for the necessary repair or the safety of any vessel or water craft.  
 It shall be the duty of each Dock Master to require and enforce the due observance of and compliance with such of the national and State laws, city ordinances, and the rules, regulations and orders of the Department of Docks as apply, pertain to the use, care, and custody of the wharf property of and about the City of New York, promptly reporting to the Board all violations and evasions of such laws, ordinances, rules, regulations and orders.

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Each Dock Master is expressly prohibited, under penalty of immediate dismissal from his position, from receiving or demanding, directly or indirectly, any fee, gratuity, compensation, or article of value of any nature or kind, for the assignment of a berth to a vessel at any pier, slip, or wharf property whatsoever, or for the performance of or the omission to perform any of the duties required of or pertaining to the position of Dock Master of this Department.

Any person or persons having any cause of complaint against the Dock Masters for any failure or omission in the performance of the duties as required by the above rules, are requested to promptly communicate the same to this Board, at their offices, Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street.

By order of the Board,

LUCIUS J. N. STARK,  
 WILLIAM LAMBEER,  
 JOHN R. VOORHIS,  
 Commissioners of the Department of Docks.  
 JOHN T. CUMING, Secretary.  
 New York, December 1, 1883.

## DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,  
 STAATZ ZEILING BUILDING,  
 NEW YORK.

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 817 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 1884, are open for examination and correction from the second Monday of January, 1884, until the first day of May, 1884. 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. FEINER,  
 Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.

## CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

No. 1. Paving Lexington avenue, from Seventy-fourth to Seventy-ninth street.  
 No. 2. Paving One Hundred and Seventh street, from First to Third avenue.  
 No. 3. Regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, from Sixth to Seventh 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 Lexington avenue, from Seventy-fourth to Seventy-ninth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.  
 No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Seventh street, from First to Third avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.  
 No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

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 23d 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 19, 1884.

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

No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging One Hundred and Nineteenth street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.  
 No. 2. Regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging One Hundred and Eighteenth street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.  
 No. 3. Paving One Hundred and Eleventh street, from Fourth to Madison avenue.  
 No. 4. Flagging Ninth avenue, from Seventy-second to Seventy-third street.  
 No. 5. Basin on the southwest corner of One Hundred and Twenty-first street and Lexington avenue.

No. 6. Basins in Twenty-sixth street, between First avenue and East river.

No. 7. Basins on the southeast and southwest corners of One Hundred and Forty-second, One Hundred and Forty-third and One Hundred and Forty-fourth streets and Eighth avenue.

No. 8. Flagging south side of One Hundred and Sixth street, from Lexington to Fourth avenue.

No. 9. Flagging Ninth avenue, from Sixty-fourth to Seventy-first street.

No. 10. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, One Hundred and Sixteenth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

No. 11. Paving Ninety-seventh street, with granite-blocks, from First to Second avenue.

No. 12. Paving One Hundred and Eleventh street, from First avenue to Avenue A, with granite.

No. 13. Paving One Hundred and Ninth street, from First to Second avenue, with granite pavement.

No. 14. Paving Forty-third street, from Second to Third avenue, with granite pavement.

No. 15. Regulating, grading, setting curb, and flagging Fourth avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-third to One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street.

No. 16. Regulating, grading, etc., Sixty-second street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.

No. 17. Fencing vacant lots, east side of Lexington avenue, between Eighty-ninth and Ninetieth streets, north side of Eighty-ninth and south side of Ninetieth street, between Lexington and Third avenues.

No. 18. Sewer in Seventy-seventh street, between Ninth avenue and summit west of Ninth avenue.

No. 19. Sewer in One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, between Eighth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.

No. 20. Sewer in front street, between Jackson street and Gouverneur slip.

No. 21. Sewers in One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, between Fifth and Seventh avenues, and between summit west of Seventh and Eighth avenues.

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

1. Both sides of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

2. Both sides of One Hundred and Eighteenth street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

3. Both sides of One Hundred and Eleventh street, from Fourth to Madison avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 4. Both sides of Ninth avenue, from Seventy-second to Seventy-third street.

No. 5. Block bounded by One Hundred and Twentieth and One Hundred and Twenty-first streets, Fourth and Lexington avenues.

No. 6. Both sides of Twenty-sixth street, between First avenue and East river.

No. 7. Blocks bounded by One Hundred and Forty-first and One Hundred and Forty-fifth streets, Seventh avenue and new avenue west of Eighth avenue.

No. 8. South side of One Hundred and Sixth street, from Lexington to Fourth avenue.

No. 9. Both sides of Ninth avenue, from Sixty-fourth to Seventy-first street.

No. 10. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixteenth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 11. Both sides of Ninety-seventh street, from First to Second avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 12. Both sides of One Hundred and Eleventh street, from First avenue to Pleasant avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 13. Both sides of One Hundred and Ninth street, from First to Second avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 14. Both sides of Forty-third street, from Second to Third avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 15. Both sides of Fourth avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-third to One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 16. Both sides of Sixty-second street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.

No. 17. East side of Lexington avenue, between Eighty-ninth and Ninetieth streets, also north side of Eighty-ninth street and south side of Ninetieth street, between Lexington and Third avenues.

No. 18. Both sides of Seventy-seventh street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

No. 19. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, between Eighth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.

No. 20. Sewer in front street, between Jackson street and Gouverneur slip.

No. 21. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, between Fifth and Eighth avenues.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 18th 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, Jan. 15, 1884.

## JURORS.

### NOTICE

## IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

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

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

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

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

All good citizens will aid the course of justice, and secure reliable and respectable 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 misdemeanor to give any jury paper to another to answer. It is also punishable by fine or imprisonment to give or receive any present or bribe, directly or indirectly, in relation to a jury service, or to withhold any paper or make any false statement, and every case will be fully prosecuted.

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

## 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 Fourth street, between the Boulevard and Riverside avenue, in the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of the costs, charges, and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the first day of February, 1884, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated, New York, January 18, 1884.

PATRICK DALY,  
 ISAAC T. BROWN,  
 ROWLAND M. STOVER,  
 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-sixth street, between Avenue St. Nicholas and Tenth avenue, in the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of the costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the first day of February, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated, New York, January 16, 1884.

GEORGE W. McLEAN,  
 THOMAS DUNLAP,  
 MANSFIELD COMPTON,  
 Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that part of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street (although not yet named by proper authority) extending from Willis avenue to Brook avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by said Department.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made at the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 8th day of February, 1884, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvements hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belong to, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue, known as One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, extending from Willis avenue to Brook avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point (the intersection of the southern line of East One Hundred and Forty-seventh street with the western line of Brook avenue) on the western line of Brook avenue, distant 2,377.75 feet northerly from the northern line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, measured along said western line of Brook avenue—

1. Thence northeasterly along said western line of Brook avenue 116.60 feet.
2. Thence deflecting to the left 90° westerly for 387.175 feet.
3. Thence deflecting to the right 5° 25' 30" northwesterly for 457.33 feet.
4. Thence deflecting to the left 90° southwesterly for 60 feet.
5. Thence deflecting to the left 90° southeasterly for 460.23 feet.
6. Thence deflecting to the left 5° 25' 20" northeasterly for 390.33 feet to the point of beginning.

Dated New York, January 12, 1884.

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

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

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

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 73 William street (third floor), in the said city, on or before the 14th day of January, 1884, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 14th day of January, 1884, 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 16th day of January, 1884.

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforeaid, 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 northerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Fourth and One Hundred and Fifth streets, easterly by the westerly side of the Boulevard, southerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Fourth and One Hundred and Third streets, and westerly by the easterly side of Riverside avenue, excepting therefrom all the land lying in the streets or 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 first day of February, 1884, 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 5, 1883.

ISAAC T. BROWN,  
 ROWLAND M. STOVER,  
 PATRICK DALY,  
 Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LANDS AND TENEMENTS FOR UNPAID ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING, WIDENING, EXTENDING AND STRAIGHTENING ROADS, STREETS, AVENUES, PARKS AND PUBLIC PLACES.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
 BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS AND ARREARS OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS  
 AND OF WATER RENTS,  
 OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR OF ASSESSMENTS  
 AND CLERK OF ARREARS,  
 January 24, 1884.

UNDER THE DIRECTION OF S. HASTINGS Grant, Comptroller of the City of New York, the undersigned hereby gives Public Notice, pursuant to the provisions of Section 926 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, that the respective owners of all the lands and tenements on which assessments have been laid and confirmed, for opening, widening, extending, and straightening roads, streets, avenues, parks, and public places, upon which such assessments are now due and unpaid and have remained due and unpaid since the confirmation of said assessments, are required to pay the amount of the assessments so due and remaining unpaid to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at his office in the Finance Department, in the New County Court-house, in the City of New York, together with the interest thereon, at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum, to the time of payment, with the charges of this notice and advertisement.

And if default shall be made in such payment, such lands and tenements will be sold at public auction, at the New County Court-house, in the City Hall Park in the City of New York, Monday, May 5, 1884, at 12 o'clock noon, for the lowest term of years at which any person shall offer to take the same in consideration of advancing the amount of the assessments so due and unpaid, and the interest thereon as aforesaid to the time of the sale, together with the charges of this notice and advertisement, and all other costs and charges accrued thereon, and that such sale will be continued from time to time until all the lands and tenements advertised for sale shall be sold.

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

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

## SALE OF LEASE OF PART OF ESSEX MARKET BUILDING.

THE LEASE OF THE SOUTHERLY HALF OF the lower floor of the ESSEX MARKET Building, Grand street, for the term of TEN YEARS from May 1, 1884, to be used for market purposes only, will be sold at public auction, to the highest bidder, at 12 o'clock M., on Tuesday, January 29, 1884, at the office of the Comptroller of the City of New York.

### TERMS OF SALE.

The highest bidder will be required to pay the auctioneer's fee and deposit with the Comptroller, at the time and place of sale, twenty-five per cent. of the amount of the annual rent bid, to be credited on account of the first year's rent, or forfeited to the city if the bidder refuses to execute the lease when notified that it is ready for execution. He will also be required to give a bond in double the amount of the annual rent bid, with two sufficient sureties to be approved by the Comptroller, conditioned for the payment of the rent quarterly in advance, and for the performance and fulfillment of the covenants and terms of the lease, a form of which lease and bond may be seen at the Office of the Bureau for the Collection of City Revenues and of Markets, Finance Department.

No bid will be accepted from, nor will the lease be 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; nor will any such person be received as surety on the lease.

Possession will be given, if desired, at any time after the 20th day of February, rent to be paid pro rata for the time the premises are taken before the first day of May, 1884.

All alterations and repairs of the premises are to be made at the sole cost and expense of the lessee, and be subject to the approval of the Comptroller before being so made; and the lessee will be required to pay for the cleaning and lighting of the said premises, and to be subject to the market regulations.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

S. HASTINGS GRANT,  
 Comptroller.

NEW YORK, FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
 COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
 January 14, 1884.

## INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

THE INTEREST ON THE BONDS AND STOCKS of the City of New York, due February 1, 1884, will be paid on that day, by the Comptroller, at his office, in the New County Court-house.

The Transfer books will be closed from January 15, to February 1, 1884.

S. HASTINGS GRANT,  
 Comptroller.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
 NEW YORK, January 9, 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 1853 to 1883, 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  
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 Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Angell, Comptroller's Office, New County Court-house."

S. HASTINGS GRANT,  
 Comptroller.

## THE CITY RECORD.

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