

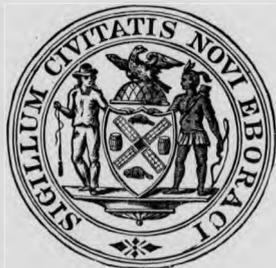
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## LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

STATED SESSION.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

TUESDAY, December 23, 1884,  
1 o'clock P. M.

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

PRESENT :

Hon. William P. Kirk, President.

ALDERMEN

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

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

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

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

PETITIONS.

By Alderman Grant—

Petition of owners of property and residents to change the name of Diagonal avenue to Hamilton place.

Whereupon Alderman Grant also offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That the name of Diagonal avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-sixth to One Hundred and Forty-third street, be and hereafter shall be known and designated as Hamilton place.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

(G. O. 572.)

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby granted to the society known as "Our Court" to use the Court-room of the Third Judicial District Court in the City of New York, on Thursday evening of each week, from eight to ten o'clock, for the purpose of holding weekly sessions of their moot-court.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative. Subsequently, the above action was reconsidered and the paper laid over.

By Alderman Duffy—

Resolved, That hereafter the sessions of this Board shall be held daily, at 1 P. M., until January 1, 1885, Thursday, December 25, and Sunday, December 28, 1884, excepted.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Jaehne—

Resignation of Louis V. Fugazy as a Commissioner of Deeds.

Which was accepted.

Whereupon Alderman Jaehne offered the following :

Resolved, That Francesco Zanolini be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Louis V. Fugazy, who has resigned.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative, as follows :

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Cleary, De Lacy, Dempsey, Duffy, Farley, Finck, Fullgraft, Grant, Jaehne, Kenney, Miller, McCabe, McQuade, O'Connor, O'Neil, Pearson, Reilly, Rothman, Sayles, Sheils, Waite, and Wendel—23.

By Alderman Jaehne—

Resolved, That Edward J. Knight be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Edward J. Knight, whose term of office expires December 30, 1884.

By Alderman Waite—

Resolved, That Francis P. Wickes be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Ezra A. Tuttle, whose term of office has expired.

By Alderman Pearson—

Resolved, That Robert Wilson be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of James Pearson, who declines to serve.

By Alderman Fullgraft—

Resolved, That Joseph F. Arnold be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, whose term of office expires December 28, 1884.

By Alderman Wendel—

Resolved, That Samuel H. Ordway be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of William Doll, who failed to qualify.

By Alderman Duffy—

Resolved, That Bryan O'Hara be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Frederick G. Kissam, whose term of office has expired.

By the President—

Resolved, That Fletcher B. Huyler be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Isaac J. Mackinley, whose term of office has expired.

By Alderman Waite—

Resolved, That Daniel J. M. O'Callaghan be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Adam E. Schatz, whose term of office has expired.

By Alderman Duffy—

Resolved, That Andrew Van Voorhis be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Andrew Van Voorhis, whose term of office has expired.

By Alderman Grant—

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative, as follows :

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Cleary, De Lacy, Dempsey, Duffy, Farley, Finck, Fullgraft, Grant, Jaehne, Kenney, Miller, McCabe, McLoughlin, McQuade, O'Connor, O'Neil, Pearson, Reilly, Rothman, Sayles, Sheils, Waite, and Wendel—24.

INJUNCTION.

The President laid before the Board a copy of summons, complaint, affidavits and injunction order at the suit of David Banks, plaintiff, against William P. Kirk and others, defendants, issued from the Supreme Court by Judge Donohue, restraining the defendants from giving the consent of the local authorities to the construction and operation of a railroad on Lexington avenue by the New York Cable Company.

Which was referred to the Counsel to the Corporation.

INJUNCTION.

The President here laid before the Board an injunction order issued by Judge Geo. P. Andrews, of the Supreme Court, returnable on the 26th inst., in the suit of The People, ex rel. William E. Demarest et al., and William E. Demarest et al. against Patrick Farley and others, members of the Common Council, by D. O'Brien, Attorney-General, and plaintiff's attorney, restraining the defendants, their clerks, attaches, employees and attorneys from acting in any manner as Aldermen, or collectively as the Common Council.

Which was read by title, and referred to the Counsel to the Corporation.

REPORTS.

(G. O. 573.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of changing the grade of Tenth avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-sixth to One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary, that the said change of grade has been duly advertised in the CITY RECORD, as provided by law, and that there have been no objections thereto. They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

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

MICHAEL DUFFY,  
ROBERT E. DE LACY, } Committee  
L. A. FULLGRAFF, } on  
LOUIS WENDEL, } Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 574.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed petition in favor of changing the grade of Sixty-fifth street, from First avenue to Avenue A, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary, that the said change of grade has been duly advertised in the CITY RECORD, as provided by law, and that there have been no objections thereto. They therefore recommend that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

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

MICHAEL DUFFY,  
ROBERT E. DE LACY, } Committee  
L. A. FULLGRAFF, } on  
LOUIS WENDEL, } Public Works.

Which was laid over.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

Alderman O'Neil moved that the Board do now adjourn.

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

Which was decided in the negative.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Alderman Miller called up G. O. 553, being a resolution, as follows :

Resolved, That the public drinking-fountain, for man and beast, now located on the southeast corner of Clarkson and Greenwich streets, be removed, and an improved iron drinking-hydrant be substituted therefor, as the present fountain is so much worn as to be unfit for use, and occasions a constant waste of water.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

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

Alderman Miller called up G. O. 563, being a resolution, as follows :

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative, by the following vote :

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Cleary, Dempsey, Duffy, Farley, Finck, Fullgraft, Grant, Jaehne, Kenney, Miller, McQuade, O'Neil, Pearson, Reilly, Rothman, Sayles, Sheils, and Wendel—19.

Alderman Waite asked to be excused from voting, but the Board refused to grant his request.

Alderman Waite here rose to a question of privilege and informed the Board that, having read the injunction order issued by Judge George P. Andrews, of the Supreme Court, he found that the Board was, by the terms, restrained from doing any official act or thing, either individually, as members, or collectively, as a Common Council, and therefore he declined to vote on the question before the Board.

The injunction order and accompanying affidavits having then been read, it was discovered that the Board had, inadvertently acted upon several subjects subsequent to being served with the order.

Whereupon Alderman Jaehne, in order to relieve the Board from the seeming disregard of the order, in unintentionally acting as members of the Common Council, and voting upon the several papers acted upon since service of the order upon the Board, moved that all such business so transacted be reconsidered, in order that implicit obedience be given to the order of the Court.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Cleary, De Lacy, Farley, Finck, Jaehne, Kenney, Miller, McQuade, O'Neil, Pearson, Rothman, Sayles, and Wendel—14.  
Negative—Aldermen Dempsey, Duffy, Fullgraft, Grant, O'Connor, and Sheils—6.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Miller moved that the Board do now adjourn.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the President announced that the Board stood adjourned until Wednesday, the 24th instant, at 1 o'clock P. M.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NEW YORK, December 16, 1884.

The Board met this day.

Reports.

From the Sanitary Superintendent: Of operations of the First Division, sanitary inspection of buildings, slaughter-houses, etc.; of operations of the Second Division, milk, meat, fish and offensive trade inspections; of operations of the Third Division, inspections by Sanitary Policemen; of operations of the Fourth Division, contagious diseases reported, disinfection and vaccination performed; of operations of the Fifth Division, small-pox and fever cases; of operations of the Sixth Division, light and ventilation of new tenement-houses, and plumbing and drainage of new buildings; of operations of the Seventh Division, as follows: Mortuary statement; abstract of births and still-births; abstract of marriages; abstract of deaths from contagious diseases; on attendance of clerks; on applications for permits; on applications for relief from certain orders; on street pavements, etc.; on the appointment of an Engineer for the Sixteenth Street Hospital; on application for leave of absence; on change of help at Riverside Hospital; on seizure of adulterated currant jelly; on condition of premises corner Chambers and Centre streets; on condition of premises corner Sheriff and Stanton streets; on condition of Fifth avenue, between Thirty-third and Thirty-seventh streets; on gas nuisance; in compliance with the resolution of the Board, of December 2, on inspection of privy vaults; on an inspection of tenements and other houses in bad condition; on removal of manure from the dumps; of officers engaged in the inspection of manure dumps; on the storage of manure in New York City; on condition of Jefferson; on application to construct a drain in One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street; on seizure of candy, colored with poisonous pigments; on application of Dr. Husted for increased compensation; on communication from Rev. J. M. Pullman, in respect to a circular of Grayden Johnston, relating to marriage certificates; on application to register birth returns; on application to amend the record of marriages; in respect to the condition of premises Nos. 35 and 37 Mulberry street, and No. 59 South Fifth avenue; on analyses of well water.

From the Attorney and Counsel: Weekly report; report on non-completion of the Sixteenth Street Hospital building by the contractor; that judgment has been entered in favor of this Department against Patrick H. Lalor, in the case of Messrs. Purdon and others, to restrain the sale of adulterated teas.

Communications from other Departments.

From the Department of Finance: Comptroller's weekly statement. From the Board of Estimate and Apportionment: transmitting a copy of a resolution in respect to Health Fund for contingent expenses for prevention of contagious diseases. From the Department of Docks: Granting permission to erect a derrick on the bulkhead at the foot of East Seventeenth street, East river, for the purpose of unloading coal.

Miscellaneous Communications.

From Lt.-Col. Hodges: In respect to taking precautionary measures in view of the possibility of the appearance of cholera. From N. Lyon: In respect to cholera.

Bills Audited.

Table with 3 columns: Name, Amount, and another Name/Amount. Includes Charles M. Young, Thomas Hogan, Vincenzo Fiorella, John Goodwin, American Condensed Milk Co, etc.

Permits Granted.

- To keep two chickens at No. 23 West Forty-fourth street. To keep four chickens at No. 332 East Fifty-third street. To keep five hogs on farm at Central avenue and Green Hill road.

Permits Denied.

- To occupy premises for business and dwelling at No. 952 Third avenue. To keep two cows at No. 38 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street. To keep chickens at No. 159 Christopher street. To keep poultry at No. 202 Delancey street. To smoke meats at No. 157 Essex street.

Resolutions.

Resolved, That the Attorney and Counsel be and is hereby directed to take an appeal from the judgment of the Superior Court, General Term, in the case of James Purdon and others. Resolved, That the Secretary be and is hereby directed to notify the Municipal Service Examining Board that this Department requires the services of an Engineer for the Sixteenth Street Hospital. Resolved, That leave of absence of ten days be and is hereby granted to Inspector Martha, on account of sickness. Resolved, That Lizzie Brown be and is hereby appointed Helper at Riverside Hospital, with wages at \$96 per annum, vice Maggie Brown, discharged. Resolved, That the action of the Chief Inspector of the Second Division in seizing and condemning the currant jelly, as provided by section 42 of the Sanitary Code, and as set forth in his report of this date, be and is hereby approved. Resolved, That the application for relief from Orders Nos. 21416, 21417 and 21418, on premises Nos. 245, 247 and 249 Rivington street be and is hereby denied and the Sanitary Superintendent will enforce said orders. Resolved, That the following orders be and are hereby suspended during the pleasure of the Board: No. 21741, on premises No. 51 Beaver street. No. 17360, on premises Nos. 502, 504 and 506 West Fifth street. Resolved, That Order No. 21786, on premises No. 1266 Broadway, be and is hereby rescinded. Resolved, That Order No. 17075, on premises No. 247 Mulberry street, be and is hereby extended until April 1, 1885. Resolved, That Order No. 21918, on premises No. 246 East Thirty-fourth street, be and is hereby extended to January 2, 1885. Resolved, That the application of John Donovan for extension of Order No. 19049 on premises southwest corner Seventy-second street and Donavan street, be and is hereby denied. Resolved, That the application of Robert Green for extension of time on the following orders be and is hereby denied: Nos. 13241, 13242 and 13243, on premises west side Tenth avenue, between One Hundred and Fifty-ninth and One Hundred and Sixtieth streets. Resolved, That copies of the reports of Sanitary Inspectors upon the condition of street pavements, etc., be forwarded to the Department of Public Works for the necessary action, as follows: Street pavement in front of No. 68 West street. Street pavement north side Rivington street, between Mangin and Tompkins streets. Street pavement at No. 41 Ridge street. Street pavement at Nos. 79 and 81 East Tenth street. Street pavement at One Hundred and Sixteenth street, from First to Lexington avenue. Street pavement at No. 222 East Twenty-seventh street. Street pavement at Nos. 324 to 328 Rivington street. Street pavement at No. 794 First avenue. Street pavement at No. 236 East Seventy-fifth street. Street pavement at Seventy-sixth street, between Fourth and Lexington avenues. Street pavement at No. 235 East Seventy-fifth street. Street pavement at Park avenue, between Seventy-fifth and Seventy-sixth streets. Street pavement at No. 238 East Seventy-fifth street. Sewer obstructions at No. 65 Baxter street. Sewer obstructions at corner Beekman and Gold streets. Sewer obstructions at corner Hester and Norfolk streets. Sewer obstructions at corner of Avenue B and Second street. Sewer obstructions at No. 169 Bleecker street.

Sewer obstructions at Lawrence street, one hundred feet west of Ninth avenue. Street pavement at No. 6 Washington place. Street pavement at No. 237 Mercer street. Street pavement at No. 12 Washington place. Street pavement at One Hundred and Twenty-second street, between Madison and Fourth avenues.

Street hydrant at northeast corner of Broadway and Eightieth street. Street pavement at No. 17 Cottage place. Street pavement at No. 25 Cottage place. Sewer basin at No. 314 Second street. Street sewer at Nos. 103 and 105 Goerck street. Street sewer at corner of First avenue and Thirty-fourth street. Street sewer at No. 30 Bleecker street.

Resolved, That copies of the report of Inspector Mitchell upon the condition of premises southwest corner of Chambers and Centre streets, and Nos. 414 and 416 West Thirty-seventh street be forwarded to the Fire Department for the necessary action.

Resolved, That a copy of the report of Inspector Kennedy upon the condition of premises corner of Sheriff and Stanton streets be forwarded to the Board of Education for the necessary action.

Resolved, That a copy of the report of Sanitary Inspector Roberts upon the condition of Fifth avenue, between Thirty-third and Thirty-seventh streets, and streets in Harlem, be forwarded to the Department of Street Cleaning for the necessary action.

Resolved, That a copy of the report of Inspector Hooper upon the sanitary condition of Jefferson Market be forwarded to the Department of Public Works and to the Comptroller for the necessary action.

Resolved, That a copy of the report of Chief Inspector Collins upon the application of Robert G. Hargrave to construct a sewer under the roadway of One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street to the public sewer in Sixth avenue, be forwarded to the Department of Public Works, with the request that permission be granted to lay the above-named sewer in One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, to connect with the public sewer in Sixth avenue.

Resolved, That the Register of Records be and is hereby authorized and directed to record the following birth returns: Wojereck J. Jaworski, born April 24, 1884. Edna Kiggins, born September 1, 1884.

Resolved, That the Register of Records be and is hereby authorized and directed to amend the record of marriages as follows: Cornelius Desmond, married March 22, 1875, instead of Cornelius Deeman, the same being a clerical error.

Resolved, That the proposal of James Fay to furnish and connect sewer-pipes of Administration and kitchen buildings, on North Brother's Island, with a 5-inch cast-iron pipe, and continue same full size with proper grade, in accordance with the plan submitted by the architect, for the sum of \$505.50, be and is hereby accepted and awarded.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be and are hereby respectfully requested to approve of the renting of yard at No. 145 Worth street, for use of the Health Department in storing disinfecting apparatus and distributing disinfectants, from May 1 to December 31, 1884, for the sum of \$350.

Resolved, That the Sanitary Superintendent be required to satisfy himself of the merits of the various articles used as disinfectants (not patented compounds) by actual tests and experiments, and to report to this Board as soon as practicable in reference thereto, with a recommendation as to which of the articles is, in his judgment, most efficacious for the various uses of this Department.

Resolved, That the pay-rolls of painters from December 8 to December 13, when approved by the Finance Committee, shall be signed by the President and Secretary and forwarded to the Comptroller for payment.

Resolved, That a copy of the report of Prof. Waller, upon well water taken from the following public pumps, be forwarded to the Department of Public Works with the request that the use of water for domestic purposes from said wells be discontinued and the wells closed up.

An application from Robert G. Hargrave to construct an earthenware drain in One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, was received and referred to the Sanitary Superintendent.

An application from J. H. Hull for relief from order on premises No. 246 East Thirty-fourth street was received and referred to the Sanitary Superintendent.

A copy of a resolution of the Board of Aldermen authorizing the Health Department to procure in open market two steam engines for hospital building at North Brother's Island was received and ordered on file.

A copy of a resolution of the Board of Aldermen in respect to condition of streets in the Seventh Ward was received and referred to the Sanitary Superintendent.

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon lot No. 35 Mulberry street has become dangerous to life by reason of want of repair,

Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on lot No. 35 Mulberry street, be required to vacate said building on or before December 27, 1884, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life by reason of want of repair; and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of said building, and be served as the law requires, under the direction of the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon lot No. 59 South Fifth avenue has become dangerous to life by reason of want of repair,

Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on lot No. 59 South Fifth avenue be required to vacate said building on or before December 27, 1884, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life by reason of want of repair; and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of said building, and be served as the law requires, under the direction of the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon lot No. 37 Mulberry street has become dangerous to life by reason of want of repair,

Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on lot No. 37 Mulberry street be required to vacate said building on or before December 27, 1884, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life by reason of want of repair; and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of said building, and be served as the law requires, under the direction of the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

Algeron S. Sullivan appeared before the Board in behalf of the application of Michael Kane to store manure at the foot of Ninety-fifth street, East river; also a delegation from the Livery Stable Association appeared and made a statement in respect to the trouble experienced in the removal of manure from stables. After due consideration, the subject was laid on the table.

Sanitary Bureau.

The following is a record of the work performed in the Sanitary Bureau for the week ending December 6, 1884:

- The total number of inspections made by the Sanitary Inspectors was 7,519. The number of complaints returned by the Sanitary Inspectors was 1,053. During the past week 171 complaints were received from citizens, and referred to the Sanitary Inspectors for investigation and report. There were issued to the consignees of vessels to discharge cargoes on vouchers from the Health Officer of the Port, 44 permits. There were issued to consignees to discharge rags (in bulk, under bonds), 24 permits. There was issued, under the Sanitary Code, 1 miscellaneous permit. There were issued to scavengers to empty, clean, and disinfect privy sinks, 64 permits. At premises where contagious diseases were reported 39 visits were made, and 39 disinfections and fumigations were performed. The number of cases of contagious disease removed to Riverside Hospital was 8. The number of vaccinations performed was 845, of which 258 were primary and 587 re-vaccinations.

There were seized and condemned 18,496 pounds of meat and 850 pounds of fish. The number of specimens of milk examined was 118, the number of quarts of adulterated milk destroyed was 35, the number of arrests made was 2, and the amount of fines imposed was \$50.

The following is a record of the work performed in the Sanitary Bureau for the week ending December 13, 1884:

- The total number of inspections made by the Sanitary Inspectors was 6,954. The number of complaints returned by the Sanitary Inspectors was 1,175. During the past week 204 complaints were received from citizens, and referred to the Sanitary Inspectors for investigation and report. There were issued to the consignees of vessels, to discharge cargoes on vouchers from the Health Officer of the Port, 26 permits. There were issued to consignees to discharge rags (in bulk, under bonds), 18 permits. There were issued to scavengers to empty, clean, and disinfect privy sinks, 60 permits. At premises where contagious diseases were reported 37 visits were made, and 36 disinfections and 11 fumigations were performed. The number of cases of contagious disease removed to Riverside Hospital was 4. The number of vaccinations performed was 730, of which 198 were primary and 928 re-vaccinations. There were seized and condemned 13,836 pounds of meat, and 1,800 pounds of fish. The number of specimens of milk examined was 95, the number of quarts of adulterated milk destroyed was 71, and the amount of fines imposed was \$50.



DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, CITY OF NEW YORK, NOS. 31 AND 32 PARK ROW, NEW YORK, December 20, 1884.

In accordance with the provisions of section 51, chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, the Commissioner of Street Cleaning makes the following report of the transactions of the Department of Street Cleaning, for the week ending December 13, 1884.

Table with 2 columns: Description of work (e.g., Number of loads of ashes removed, rubbish removed, material received from Department of Public Works, Markets, Permits) and Amount (\$).

Public moneys received and deposited in the City Treasury— Trimming scows and auction sale of old plant. \$1,082 13

Bills.

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

Schedule No. 284—

Table listing bills and amounts: Baldwin, J. H., brush; Coates, Jno. K., rent; Consolidated Gas Co., gas; Hopkins, Russell & Co., oil; Howell, A. J., use of scows; Link Belt Machinery Co., belting; Manhattan District Telegraph Co., services; Merrill & Wherle Co., charcoal; Adolph Starke, spikes; Soula, William, surgeon.

Appointments.

- Matthew Zimmerman, Hired Cartman. Daniel Murphy, Hired Cartman. Thomas Dolan, Driver. Jno. Mooney, Hired Cartman. Thomas Aagley, Hired Cartman. James Whelan, Laborer. Maurice O'Connor, Hired Cartman. Thomas Mallon, Hired Cartman. E. McGuire, Hired Cartman. Joseph Cunningham, Hired Cartman. Joseph Killilea, Driver. Daniel Jasalier, Hired Cartman. Michael Allen, Hired Cartman.

Discharges.

James Hannigan, Driver.

J. S. COLEMAN, Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 19th day of December, 1884. Present—Commissioners French, Matthews, Porter and McClave.

Leaves of Absence Granted.

- Superintendent George W. Walling, one day. Surgeon F. M. Purroy, December 20 to 27, with pay. Patrolman Jacob M. Hendricks, Eighth Precinct, six days, half-pay.

Mask Ball Permits.

- William Gallagher, at Germania Assembly Rooms, December 17, 1884. Fee, \$10. G. Johannes, at Germania Assembly Rooms, January 3, 1885. Fee, \$10. Emil Unger, at Metropolitan Opera House, February 17, 1885. Fee, \$100. William F. Maher, at Everett Hall, March 17, 1885. Fee, \$25.

Application of Thomas Quinn, guardian of children of Mary Ann Byrne, pensioner, for pension, was referred to the Trustees of the Pension Fund.

Communication from the Board of Apportionment requesting statement of unexpended balances for the year 1883, and any year prior thereto, was referred to the Treasurer for compliance.

Communication from the Department of Docks, complaining that dirt is dumped into the East river from the bank between Eighty-seventh and Eighty-eighth streets, was referred to the Superintendent for immediate attention and report.

Communication from the Treasurer's Bookkeeper, submitting report of Captain Robbins, Thirty-fourth Precinct, inclosing \$3.75, proceeds of manure sold, was referred to the Treasurer to forward to City Chamberlain.

Communication from the Board of Excise, giving notice of correction in list of convictions in Court of Special Sessions of December 16, 1884—No. 361 Bowery instead of No. 261 Bowery—was referred to the Superintendent.

Communication from the Board of Excise, submitting list of unlicensed liquor dealers at close of business, December 13, 1884, was referred to the Superintendent for immediate attention; where such violations exist the parties offending to be promptly arrested, and report to be made to this Board.

On reading and filing reports of Inspectors Murray, Thorne and Dilkes, it was Resolved, That all officers now detailed on violations of Excise Law be remanded to patrol duty, and that the Superintendent be directed to transfer them, if necessary, to Precincts where required, and report.

Resolved, That the organization of the Third Precinct be postponed, to take effect January 1, 1885, and that the arrangement of the quota for day and night posts be referred to the Superintendent and Chief Clerk with power to make the necessary transfers for the purpose, and report.

Resolved, That until otherwise ordered, Inspector Murray be and he is hereby designated as Acting Superintendent during any absence, sickness or disability of the Superintendent.

Resolved, That the following bills, being rebate of moneys due for services of officers detailed for special duty, be and are hereby ordered to be paid by the Treasurer—all aye:

Table listing rebates: The Farmers Loan and Trust Co., account 1883; The Mercantile Safe Deposit Co., account 1884; The Metropolitan National Bank, account 1884; R. H. Macy & Co., account 1884.

Resolved, That Roundsman Robert A. Montgomery, Third Precinct, be and he is hereby transferred to the Thirty-fifth Precinct, and detailed temporarily as Acting Sergeant.

Whereas, The Police Department being deficient in the number of Patrolmen authorized by law as essential for the efficient performance of police duties, and having many patrolmen detailed on special service to guard private property and in the interests only of persons and corporations, the protection of which has been otherwise provided for by law; and such patrolmen and other members the Police force being now needed for regular police duties; therefore be it

Resolved, 1. That the Clerk of this Board be and is hereby directed to at once notify all persons and corporations having members of the Police force in their service or on their grounds, or in their depots, that such members will be withdrawn from their property on or before January 1, 1885, before which day such persons or corporations may, on their application to the Board of Police, showing the necessity therefor, have special Patrolmen appointed pursuant to section 6, chapter 180 of the Laws of 1884, a copy of which shall be furnished.

2. That the Superintendent of Police be and is hereby directed to transfer all regular members of the force from the service of all persons and corporations (the steam ferries only excepted), and remand them to patrol duty on January 1, 1885, or earlier, if replaced by specially appointed patrolmen or private watchmen.

Table showing deaths by disease and ward. Columns include Disease, Wards (First to Twentieth), and Total Deaths.

Hours at which Deaths Occurred.

Table showing hours of death occurrence by disease and ward. Columns include Disease, A.M. (1 o'clock to 12 o'clock), P.M. (1 o'clock to 12 o'clock), and Total.

Of the total number of deaths reported for the week, 135 were in institutions, 375 in tenement-houses, 131 in houses containing three families or less, 5 in hotels and boarding-houses, 10 in rivers, streets, boats, etc.; 15 were on the basement floor, 106 on the first, 142 on the second, 138 on the third, 68 on the fourth, 39 on the fifth, 3 on the sixth; 657 were stated to be residents of New York City and 1 non-resident; 87 were stated to be single, 166 married, 93 widowed, and the condition of 312 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, 658; still-births, 59; bodies in transit, 10. Of the total burial permits issued for city and still-births, 86 were upon certificates received from the Coroners; 640 births, 178 marriages, 59 still-births; 658 deaths; 10 applications for transit permits were recorded, indexed, and tabulated; 109 searches of the registers of births, marriages, and deaths were made, and 15 transcripts of the birth record, 8 of marriage, and 70 of death were issued during the week.

The mean temperature for the week ending December 13, 1884, was 44.0 degrees Fahr., the mean reading of the barometer was 29.883, the mean humidity was 71, saturation being 100; the number of miles traveled by the wind was 1,916, and the total amount of rain-fall was 0.59 inch depth of water, as reported by D. Draper, Ph. D., Director of the New York Meteorological Observatory, Central Park.

The disposition of 620 deaths and still-births, or 86.47 per cent. of the total number reported was in the following 14 cemeteries: Bayside (Jewish), 16; Calvary (Roman Catholic), 251; City pauper burial ground (undenominational), 86; Greenwood (undenominational), 36; Lutheran (undenominational), 106; Cypress Hills (undenominational), 16; Evergreen (undenominational), 43; Woodlawn (undenominational), 21; St. Michael's (Protestant Episcopal), 13; Union (Methodist Protestant), 3; Holy Cross (Roman Catholic), 7; Machpelah, L. I. (Jewish), 5; St. Raymond's (Roman Catholic), 3; Washington (undenominational), 12.

The distribution of deaths (actual mortality) for the week ending December 6, 1884, was in the following wards, viz.: First, 11; Second, 0; Third, 5; Fourth, 5; Fifth, 9; Sixth, 16; Seventh, 26; Eighth, 15; Ninth, 29; Tenth, 26; Eleventh, 39; Twelfth, 85; Thirteenth, 21; Fourteenth, 10; Fifteenth, 5; Sixteenth, 25; Seventeenth, 35; Eighteenth, 25; Nineteenth, 125; Twentieth, 52; Twenty-first, 50; Twenty-second, 59; Twenty-third, 12; Twenty-fourth, 8.

The actual mortality for the week ending December 6, 1884, was 693; this is 79 more than the number that occurred during the corresponding week of the year 1883, and 76 more than the average of the corresponding weeks of the past five years, and represents an annual death-rate of 26.22 per 1,000 persons living, the population estimated at 1,374,564.

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 24.04; Brooklyn, 19.91; Baltimore, 17.54; Boston, 25.58; New Orleans, 25.11; Richmond, 15.94; Charleston, 41.77; Lowell, 20.36; Worcester, 17.28; Cambridge, 24.41; Fall River, 24.87; Lawrence, 13.17; Lynn, 15.05; Springfield, 16.38; Pittsburg, 22.53. Monthly returns—Chicago, 18.78; Cincinnati, 21.9; Providence, 20.30; Paterson, 20.29; Mobile, 21.60; Wilmington, Del., 25.01; Auburn, 14.23; Detroit, 20.57; St. Paul, 13.68; Oakland, 12.31. Foreign cities—weekly returns—London, 22.3; Liverpool, 27.4; Birmingham, 24.3; Manchester, 28.7; Glasgow, 36.9; Edinburgh, 18.5; Dundee, 22.8; Dublin, 35.3; Belfast, 33.6; Cork, 28.6; Buda-Pesth, 21.0; Paris, 30.06; Turin, 25.4; Berlin, 24.2; Munich, 24.7; Vienna, 21.9; Stockholm, 24.6; Amsterdam, 28.2; Rotterdam, 30.4; The Hague, 21.4; Calcutta, 24.8; Geneva, with suburbs, 20.6; Basel, 14.7; Bern, 22.2; Prague and suburbs, 11.5; Zaragoza, 33.8. Monthly returns—Sydney, 24.6; Melbourne and suburbs, 20.5; Hamburg (State), 21.1.

By order of the Board.

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, December 8, 1884.

Present—President Cornelius Van Cott, Commissioners Henry D. Purroy and Richard Croker.

Communication

From—Inspector of Buildings—Forwarding reports of Examiners: on fire-escapes (6), on violations (8) and on unsafe buildings (8), with recommendation. Approved, and referred back with directions. On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

DECEMBER 9, 1884.

Present—President Cornelius Van Cott and Commissioner Richard Croker.

Communications

From—Inspector of Buildings—Forwarding reports of Examiners: on fire-escapes (18), on violations (5) and on unsafe buildings (18), with recommendation. Approved, and referred back with directions. For man in charge Repair Shops—Requisition for repairs to ladders, fire-extinguishers, etc., estimated at \$100. Ordered. On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, 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 December 20, 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.

The Trustees of the New York and Brooklyn Bridge agst. The Mayor, etc., of the City of New York, Edward V. Loew, as Comptroller, and Artemus S. Cady, as Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears of the City of New York—To restrain defendants from making sale of certain real estate owned by the cities of New York and Brooklyn (bridge approaches), as tenants in common, for unpaid taxes and water rates, and that the same be vacated and set aside. John Paine and William T. Blodgett—To recover back amount of reduction of assessment paid for Tenth avenue sewer, between Fifty-ninth and Sixty-first streets, \$719.53. In re petition of Charles B. Hart—To vacate an assessment for Ninety-ninth street regulating, etc., Eighth to Eleventh avenue. In re petition of John Taylor—To vacate an assessment for Ninety-ninth street regulating, etc., Eighth to Eleventh avenue. In re petition of Philip Van Valkenburgh et al.—To vacate an assessment for Ninety-ninth street regulating, etc., Eighth to Eleventh avenue. In re petition of The Brauerd Quarry Co.—To vacate an assessment for Seventy-ninth to Eighty-eighth street sewers, Fourth to Fifth avenue. In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Parks, for construction of Mill Brook Drains. On petition of Sarah A. Williamson—For an award made to unknown owners on Award No. 32, \$153.45. In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Parks for construction of Mill Brook drains. On petition of Charles Q. Freeman—For awards made to unknown owners on Awards Nos. 80, 81 and 82, \$448. In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Parks, relative to opening One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and other streets. On petition of Sarah C. Curry—For an award made to unknown owners to Damage Award No. 681, \$1,270. Emily D. Jex and Isabella Jex, executrices of Joseph Jex, deceased—To vacate assessment for Broadway regulating and paving, and to recover back amount paid on June 11, 1877, \$1,579.86. The Mayor, etc., of the City of New York, against Joseph Schwarzschild and Ferdinand Sulzberger, composing the firm of Schwarzschild & Sulzberger—Three months rent of bulkhead extension at East Forty-fifth street, East river, due November 1, 1884, in advance, \$262.50.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Mary Ann Peiplow—Damages for personal injuries resulting from falling on sidewalk in front of No. 121 Cherry street, \$5,000. Charles F. Willis agst. Artemus S. Cady, Clerk of Arrears of the City of New York—That Clerk of Arrears receive arrears of taxes for years 1852 to 1854. Henry M. Bradhurst—For an award made to unknown owners, for the closing of Bloomingdale road, \$390. George W. Corgan—Damages to plaintiff's horse, caused by stepping into a manhole in Hester street, \$390.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Michael Gavin agst. Wm. P. Kirk as President, Thomas Cleary, Robert E. De Lacy, Charles Dempsey, Michael Duffy, Patrick Farley, Fred'k Finck, Ludolph A. Fullgraf, Hugh J. Grant, Henry W. Jaehne, Patrick Kenney, Wm. H. Miller, Francis McCabe, Michael F. McLoughlin, Arthur J. McQuade, John C. O'Connor, Jr., John O'Neil, James Pearson, Charles H. Reilly, Thomas Sheils, Charles B. Waite and Louis Wendel, as members of the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York, and as such being and composing the Board of Aldermen or Common Council of the City of New York, and the Mayor, etc., of the City of New York—To enjoin defendants from passing resolution over veto of the Mayor, giving consent to The Chambers Street Railroad Company to construct and operate railroad in Chambers street, Grand street, etc., etc.

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

In re petition of Franklin E. Campbell—For an award, assessment for Ninth avenue regulating, etc., Eighty-sixth to One Hundred and Tenth street. In re G. R. Schieffelin—To vacate assessment for Ninth avenue regulating, etc., Eighty-sixth to One Hundred and Tenth street. In re New York Life Insurance and Trust Company, as Committee of John F. Delaplaine—To vacate assessment for Ninth avenue regulating, etc., Eighty-sixth to One Hundred and Tenth street. In re William Devlin—For repayment of assessment for Boulevard regulating, etc., Fifty-ninth to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street. In re Charles Schultz—For repayment of assessment for St. Nicholas avenue regulating, etc., One Hundred and Tenth to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.

SCHEDULE "B."

JUDGMENTS ENTERED AND ORDERS OF THE GENERAL AND SPECIAL TERMS.

People ex rel. Christian Popp agst. French et al.—General Term order entered affirming proceedings of Commissioners without costs. In re John Paine et al., sewer in Tenth avenue—Order entered to reduce assessment. Jennie C. Tinkham—Entered order declaring case on appeal abandoned. People ex rel. John Townshend agst. Cady, No. 4—Order entered granting peremptory writ of mandamus. People ex rel. John Townshend agst. Cady, No. 5—Order entered granting peremptory writ of mandamus. Patrick Carragher, Jr., et al.—Order entered discontinuing action without costs. People ex rel. Adon Smith, Jr., agst. Tax Commissioners et al.—Judgment order entered reversing proceeding of Commissioners and vacating assessment for taxes. Wm. Hughes—Order entered reviving and continuing action in name of Peter Kelly, etc. Henry J. Welch agst. Fountain—Order entered confirming referee's report of sale. Wm. H. Ricketts—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$272.25. In re John L. Burnett, One Hundred and Forty-third street sewer—Entered order reducing assessment and vacating order of July 15, 1880. In re Robert Cromford, One Hundred and Forty-third street sewer—Entered order reducing assessment and vacating order of July 15, 1880. In re John A. Markert, One Hundred and Forty-third street sewer—Entered order reducing assessment and vacating order of August 18, 1880. Charles Jones—Entered order discontinuing action without costs. Rose Brady—Order of substitution of Lewis J. Morrison and Peter P. Brady as attorneys for plaintiff, in place of Ellis S. Yates, entered. Joseph Fay—Order entered dismissing complaint with costs and cost of motion. Thomas W. Welson—Order entered dismissing complaint with costs and cost of motion. Charles N. Swift—Order entered dismissing complaint with costs and cost of motion. Thomas W. Gager—Order entered dismissing complaint with costs and cost of motion. Peter M. Ledwith—Order entered dismissing complaint with costs and cost of motion. Patrick White—Order entered dismissing complaint with costs and cost of motion. John E. McQuaide—Order entered dismissing complaint with costs and cost of motion. Joseph D. Bliss—Order entered dismissing complaint with costs and cost of motion. Frederick M. Vincent—Order entered dismissing complaint with costs and cost of motion. Nathan G. Bennett—Order entered dismissing complaint with costs and cost of motion. Terence Smith—Order entered dismissing complaint with costs and cost of motion. Constantine Donoho—Order entered dismissing complaint with costs and cost of motion. Mechanics and Traders' National Bank—Judgment entered in favor of Bigelow Blue-stone Company and Hazard Powder Company for \$138. In re Patrick Fagan, Concord avenue regulating, etc.—Order entered to reduce assessment. In re Caroline W. Fisher, Seventy-sixth street regulating, etc.—Order entered to reduce assessment. In re Jabez N. Hazard, trustee, Seventy-seventh street regulating, etc.—Order entered to reduce assessment. In re Jabez N. Hazard, trustee, Seventy-eighth street regulating, etc.—Order entered to reduce assessment. In re Estate of Wm. A. Ketteltas, Eighty-first street regulating, etc.—Order entered to reduce assessment. In re Metropolitan Building Company, Ninety-fourth street regulating, etc.—Order entered to reduce assessment.

Resolved. That in conformity with the resolution passed by this Board on December 2 last, the following be the amount of bonds required of each of the different officers mentioned in said resolution: Superintendent, \$20,000; Inspectors, \$15,000; Captains, \$10,000; and that the said Superintendent, Inspectors and Captains be directed to furnish such bonds on or before January 1, 1885, and in conformity with the bond this day approved by the Board, and herewith submitted:

Know all men by these presents, that we, are held and firmly bound unto The Board of Police of the Police Department of the City of New York, and their successors in office, in the penal sum of ..... Thousand Dollars, lawful money of the United States, to be paid to the said The Board of Police of the Police Department of the City of New York, and their successors in office, for which payment, well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

Sealed with our seals, and dated this ..... day of ..... in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty.

Whereas, the above-bounded ..... hath heretofore been duly promoted, selected and appointed ..... in and of the Police Force of the City of New York, and hath duly taken the oath of office and subscribed the same as required by law as such, .....

Now, therefore, the condition of this obligation is such, that if the above-bounded ..... shall well and faithfully in all things perform and discharge the duties of ..... in and of the Police Force of the City of New York, in pursuance of and as required by law, and the rules, orders and regulations of the said Police Department and Force, during his continuance in office, and execute and perform such duties without fraud, deceit or oppression, and shall well, faithfully and truly account for, pay over, disburse and deliver to the persons and officers entitled to receive the same, all moneys and property which shall or may be paid to him, or come to his possession or under his control as such, ..... then this obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

State of New York, } ss.: County of ..... I, ..... of said County, and one of the sureties named in the foregoing bond or obligation being duly sworn, doth depose and say, that I am a resident of and freeholder in and of the State of New York; that I am worth the sum of ..... Thousand Dollars over and above all my debts, obligations and liabilities; that my property consists of ..... that said property is worth and of the value of ..... Dollars over and above all incumbrances whatsoever.

Sworn before me this ..... day of ..... 188 }

State of New York, } ss.: County of ..... I, ..... of said County, and one of the sureties named in the foregoing bond or obligation, being duly sworn, doth depose and say, that I am a resident of and freeholder in and of the State of New York; that I am worth the sum of ..... Thousand Dollars over and above all my debts, obligations and liabilities; that my property consists of ..... that said property is worth and of the value of ..... Dollars over and above all incumbrances whatsoever.

Sworn before me this ..... day of ..... 188 }

State of New York, } ss.: County of ..... On this ..... day of ..... one thousand eight hundred and eighty ..... before me personally came ..... to me known to be the persons mentioned and described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, bond or obligation, and severally acknowledged that they executed the same.

Retired Officers.

Patrolman George Burns, Twenty-eighth Precinct, \$600 per year—all aye. Patrolman John J. Reilly, Eighteenth Precinct, \$600 per year—all aye.

Pensions Granted—all aye.

Susan McGearty, guardian of children of late Patrolman Patrick McGearty, \$300 per year, from November 19, 1884. Freelove Lewis, widow of late pensioner Charles W. Lewis, \$300 per year, from October 1, 1884. Lizzie Wooldridge, widow of late Patrolman Stephen B. Wooldridge, \$300 per year, from October 1, 1884. Sophronia D. Hathorn, widow of late Sergeant John B. Hathorn, \$300 per year, from November 27, 1884. Ellen Musgrave, widow of late pensioner John Musgrave, \$300 per year, from November 7, 1884. Sarah Smnick, widow of late pensioner W. B. Smnick, \$300 per year, from November 3, 1884. Margaret Rourke, widow of late pensioner John Rourke, \$300 per year, from October 10, 1884. Henrietta Himer, widow of late pensioner Theodore F. Himer, \$300 per year, from October 10, 1884.

Judgments—Fines Imposed.

Patrolman John Shea, Fourteenth Precinct, one day's pay. William Harris, Eighteenth Precinct, two days' pay. Christopher E. Martin, Twenty-ninth Precinct, one day's pay. August Wilkins, Thirty-second Precinct, one day's pay. James De Bow, Thirty-second Precinct, one day's pay. David Davis, Thirty-second Precinct, one day's pay. Edward F. Nally, Fourth Precinct, two days' pay. James Holohan, Eighth Precinct, one day's pay. Charles A. Flay, Thirteenth Precinct, one day's pay. John T. Horn, Twenty-second Precinct, one day's pay. John Jordan, Twenty-third Precinct, one day's pay. Doorman John J. N. Symes, Twenty-seventh Precinct, one day's pay. Patrolman Richard Berrian, Eighth Precinct, one day's pay. James F. Boyle, Eighth Precinct, one day's pay. John McKirvey, Tenth Precinct, two days' pay. Michael Conlon, Sixteenth Precinct, one day's pay. Edward Delany, Eighteenth Precinct, two days' pay. Richard Van Houten, Twenty-second Precinct, one day's pay. Charles Smith, Twenty-ninth Precinct, two days' pay. Charles Smith, Twenty-ninth Precinct, three days' pay. August Newman, Thirty-second Precinct, one day's pay.

Reprimands.

Doorman John J. N. Symes, Twenty-seventh Precinct. John J. N. Symes, Twenty-seventh Precinct. Patrolman Michael J. Hickey, Thirty-third Precinct.

Complaint Dismissed.

Patrolman Thomas H. Kelly, Twenty-seventh Precinct. Adjourned.

WM. DELAMATER, First Deputy Clerk.

In re Susan Annette Gibbs and others, Ninety-seventh street regulating, etc.—Order entered to reduce assessment.  
 In re Benjamin F. Dunning, One Hundred and Second street regulating, etc.—Order entered to reduce assessment.  
 In re Joseph F. Barnard, executor, etc., One Hundred and Sixth street regulating, etc.—Order entered to reduce assessment.  
 In re Samuel W. Rosenstock, One Hundred and Thirty-third street paving—Order entered to reduce assessment.  
 In re George De Forrest Lor. and others, Tenth avenue paving—Order entered to reduce assessment.  
 In re Charles F. Hoffman and others, Seventieth street paving, etc.—Order entered to reduce assessment.  
 In re Willert Bronson, Eighty-fourth street paving, etc.—Order entered to reduce assessment.  
 People ex rel. James R. Jessup agst. John Kelly et al.—Order entered affirming action of Commissioners in refusing reduction of the assessment.  
 Trustees New York and Brooklyn Bridge—Order entered continuing injunction during pendency of the action.  
 People ex rel. John Townshend agst. A. S. Cady, Clerk, No. 2.—Judgment entered in favor of relator, directing Clerk of Arrears to receive arrears of taxes, and for \$80.15, costs, etc.  
 People ex rel. John Townshend agst. Cady, No. 4.—Judgment entered in favor of relator, for \$88.73 costs.  
 People ex rel. John Townshend agst. Cady, No. 5.—Judgment entered in favor of relator, for \$88.73 costs, etc.  
 Lavinia C. H. Dempsey—Entered judgment of affirmance with \$73.10 costs as taxed.  
 Eileen Bullock—Entered judgment of affirmance with \$69.83 costs as taxed.  
 Trenton Terra Cotta Company agst. Ernest S. Greenfield et al—Order entered discontinuing action without costs.  
 Thomas Kearns—Entered order of discontinuance without costs.  
 Adam Weber—Entered order of discontinuance without costs.  
 Maurice A'Hearn v. Michael Flanagan—Entered order of discontinuance without costs.  
 Ambrise K. Ely—Entered order of discontinuance without costs.  
 Wm. T. Ryerson—Entered order of discontinuance without costs.

SCHEDULE "C."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED OR ARGUED.

Jennie C. Tinkham—Motion to declare appeal abandoned made; granted.  
 Alfred Waters, by guardian v. Curtis—Submitted at General Term.  
 Lemuel H. Baldwin agst. Kirk et al—Motion for injunction to restrain Board of Aldermen from passing resolution allowing New York Cable Railroad Company from constructing railroad in Lexington avenue; argued before Van Hoesen, J.  
 Ann Tasker—Trial concluded; verdict for the city.  
 Peo. ex rel. John Townshend v. Cady, No. 4.—Motion for judgment submitted to Truax, J.; peremptory writ of mandamus granted.  
 Peo. ex rel. John Townshend v. Cady, No. 5.—Motion for judgment submitted to Truax, J.; peremptory writ of mandamus granted.  
 Charles Jones—Reference proceeded.  
 Alex. R. Fordyce v. Jane Vanderbilt, Administratrix et al—Reference proceeded.  
 John Bell v. Jane Vanderbilt, Administratrix et al—Reference proceeded.  
 Trustees New York and Brooklyn Bridge—Motion for injunction made before Lawrence, J.; granted.  
 E. HENRY LACOMBE, Counsel to the Corporation.

APPROVED PAPERS

Resolved, That Bertram Niederwieser be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Philip H. Fett, who has failed to qualify.  
 Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 15, 1884.

Resolved, That the name of Herman Arroon, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be corrected so as to read Herman Aaron.  
 Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 15, 1884.

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

Jacob A. Weil, in place of.....	Jacob A. Weil.
Edward J. Murray, in place of.....	Edward J. Murray.
Louis Schneider, ".....	Julius Adenau.
Rudolph L. Scharf, ".....	Morris Coster.
Leonard J. Langbein, ".....	Leonard J. Langbein.
Robert A. Tucker, ".....	John Callahan.
John M. Doyle, ".....	Charles E. Depperman.
Henry A. Van Pelt, ".....	James O'Farrell.
William E. Bishop, ".....	William C. Emmit.
Henry J. Davison, Jr., ".....	Charles F. Hubbard.
William E. Kleine, ".....	Samuel Harris.
Hewlett Van Wyck, ".....	Hewlett Van Wyck.
Charles Mayer, ".....	Charles Mayer.
Sigmund Feuchtwanger, ".....	Henry Kropf.

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

Henry B. Weselman, in place of.....	James Neilsen.
James C. Murray, ".....	John J. Pollok.
Lyman Kindskopf, ".....	James J. Connor.
William H. H. Abell, ".....	William H. H. Abell.
Joseph E. Miller, ".....	Benjamin Steinhart.
R. P. H. Abell, ".....	R. P. H. Abell.
Robert M. Sterritt, ".....	Robert M. Sterritt.
Thomas J. McEvily, ".....	Thomas J. McEvily.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 15, 1884.

Resolved, That permission is hereby given to the proprietors of the Bijou Theatre to erect a net banner in Broadway, between Thirtieth and Thirty-first streets; said permission to be granted during the pleasure of the Common Council.  
 Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 24, 1884.  
 Received from his Honor the Mayor, December 5, 1884, with his objections thereto.  
 In Board of Aldermen, December 15, 1884, taken up, reconsidered, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William A. Avis & Co. to use Belgian blocks and pave, instead of flag, the sidewalk in front of Nos. 573, 575, 577 and 579 Water street, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.  
 Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 15, 1884.  
 Approved by the Mayor, December 18, 1884.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to J. B. Smith to pave with Belgian or trap-block pavement two spaces each nine feet wide extending from house-line to curb across sidewalk in front of premises situate on the south side of Ninety-ninth street, commencing two hundred and ten feet east of Third avenue, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.  
 Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 15, 1884.  
 Approved by the Mayor, December 18, 1884.

Resolved, That the room now occupied by the Commissioner of Jurors be and hereby are, when vacated by him, set apart for and assigned to the Superior Court.  
 Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 15, 1884.  
 Approved by the Mayor, December 18, 1884.

Resolved, That Solomon Kohn be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, his term of office having expired December 14, 1884.  
 Resolved, That William Thomas Byrne be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of James B. McKewan, whose term of office has expired.

Resolved, That Daniel A. Driscoll be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Daniel H. McDonnell, whose term of office has expired.

Resolved, That James J. Campbell be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of James Fitzpatrick, deceased.

Resolved, That Martin M. Lewis be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in the place and stead of Martin M. Lewis, whose term of office expired the 14th day of December, 1884.

Resolved, That John C. Shields be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Louis Kendal, who has failed to qualify.

Resolved, That James Pearson be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York in place of Frank McMullen, who has failed to qualify.

Resolved, That Samuel Oppenheim be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Joel S. Mason, whose term of office has expired.

Resolved, That William D. Leonard be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, whose term of office expires December 21, 1884.

Resolved, That Hans E. Kutscher be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Samuel Ballenburg, who has failed to qualify.

Resolved, That Alexander Schwab be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Frank Neumann, who failed to qualify.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 20, 1884.

Resolved, That the consent of this Board be and the same is hereby granted and permission of the Common Council is hereby given to The Bleecker Street and Fulton Ferry Railroad Company to construct, maintain, operate and use an extension or branch of the railroad of said company for public use in the conveyance of persons and property in cars upon and along the surface of the following streets, avenues and highways in the City of New York, to wit: Commencing at the tracks of said The Bleecker Street and Fulton Ferry Railroad Company in Park Row opposite the street or highway bounding the southerly side of City Hall Park, and which said street is known as Mail street, and running thence westerly across Park Row and through and along the said street, bounding the southerly side of City Hall Park and known as Mail street, to the middle of Broadway, the said extension or branch to be constructed in such manner as that there will be a single or double track in said street bounding the southerly side of City Hall Park and known as Mail street, from the tracks of said The Bleecker Street and Fulton Ferry Railroad Company in Park Row to any tracks that may be constructed in Broadway, together with such switches, curves, sidings, turn-outs, turn-tables and suitable stands as may be necessary for the convenient working of such road and such extension or branch in connection with the aforesaid road owned by said The Bleecker Street and Fulton Ferry Railroad Company, and which is now used and operated by its lessee; and it is further

Resolved, That the consent of the Common Council is given and granted to said The Bleecker Street and Fulton Ferry Railroad Company for the construction, maintenance and use of the proposed extension of its railroad as aforesaid upon the streets, avenues and route hereinbefore mentioned, expressly upon the following conditions and not otherwise:

First—The said extension shall be constructed according to the most approved plan for the construction of city railroads and with the most approved pattern of steel rails, which shall be laid in such manner as to interfere as little as possible with the use of the surface of the street by trucks, carriages and other ordinary vehicles; and said connections, switches, sidings, turn-outs, turn-tables and suitable stands which shall be necessary for the convenient working of such road and extension shall likewise be constructed after the most approved plan and shall be equal in all respects to the best of their kind now in use on any such railroad in the City of New York.

Second—The said railroad extension shall be operated by horse power only, provided, however, that said company may make use of any motive power suitable for the purposes of street surface railroads, other than locomotive steam power, which may hereafter be consented to by the local authorities and by a majority of the property-owners obtained in accordance with the provisions of chapter 252 of the Laws of 1884.

Third—The said company shall comply with all reasonable ordinances and regulations which the local authorities having control of the streets, avenues, roads or highways in the City of New York shall make as to rate of speed, mode of use of tracks and removal of ice and snow from said extension as the interests and convenience of the public may require. And this consent is likewise given upon the express condition that said company shall not charge any passenger more than five cents for one continuous ride from any point on its road, or any road, line or branch operated by it, or under its control, or operated or controlled by its lessee to any other point thereon, or on any connecting branch thereof within the limits of the City of New York, the intention being that but one fare of five cents shall be charged for the transportation of a single passenger over the whole or any portion of the railroad route of said company when the extension, for the construction which permission is hereby granted, shall be made. And this consent is likewise given upon the express condition that said The Bleecker Street and Fulton Ferry Railroad Company shall also, whenever and as required, and under the supervision of the proper local authorities, have and keep in permanent repair the portion of every street, avenue or highway upon which its tracks shall be extended and constructed pursuant to this consent, between its tracks, the rails of its tracks, and a space two feet in width outside of and adjoining the outside rail of its track or tracks so to be extended and constructed so long as it shall continue to use such extended tracks constructed under the provisions of this resolution and consent.

Fourth—Said The Bleecker Street and Fulton Ferry Railroad Company shall for and during the first five years after the commencement of the operation of said extension of its railroad to be constructed pursuant to this consent and permission, annually, on the first day of November in each year, pay into the treasury of the City of New York, to the credit of the Sinking Fund thereof, three per cent. of its gross receipts for and during the year ending the next preceding thirtieth day of September, and also, after the expiration of said five years, make a like annual payment of five per cent. of its gross receipts into the treasury of said city, to the credit of the Sinking Fund thereof, instead of three per cent.; provided, however, that said The Bleecker Street and Fulton Ferry Railroad Company, or its lessee shall pay such percentage, as aforesaid only upon such portion of its gross receipts as shall bear the same proportion to the whole value thereof as the length of such construction and branch shall bear to the entire length of its tracks, as provided by section 8 of chapter 252 of the Laws of 1884. And it shall be the duty of the President and Treasurer of said The Bleecker Street and Fulton Ferry Railroad Company, on or before the first day of November, in each year, to make a verified report to the Comptroller of the City of New York of the gross amount of its receipts for the year ending the next preceding thirtieth day of September, and the books of said company shall be open to inspection and examination by said Comptroller or his duly appointed agent, for the purpose of ascertaining the correctness of said report as to the said gross receipts.

Fifth—And this consent of the Common Council is likewise given upon the express condition that all the provisions of chapter 252 of the Laws of 1884, pertaining to the extension for the construction of which the permission of the Common Council is hereby given, shall be in all things complied with by said The Bleecker Street and Fulton Ferry Railroad Company or its lessee.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 24, 1884.  
 Received from his Honor the Mayor, December 5, 1884, with his objections thereto.  
 In Board of Aldermen, December 20, 1884, taken up, reconsidered, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 26, 1884.  
 Received from his Honor the Mayor, December 5, 1884, with his objections thereto.  
 In Board of Aldermen, December 20, 1884, taken up, reconsidered, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE BOARD.

An open competitive examination for Foreman and Assistant Foreman for the Street Cleaning Department and other Departments will take place on Saturday, December 27, at 1 o'clock P. M., at No. 23 East Twentieth street.

A competitive examination for Superintendent Gardener will take place on Saturday, December 27, at 11 o'clock A. M., at No. 23 East Twentieth street.

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. McDERMOTT, First Marshal. Permit Bureau Office. No. 13 1/2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. HENRY WOLTMAR, 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; DEPUTY COMMISSIONER. Bureau of Chief Engineer. No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. GEORGE W. BIRDAHL, 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. ALSTON CULVER, Water Purveyor. Bureau of Lamps and Gas. No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. STEPHEN MCCORMICK, Superintendent. Bureau of Streets. No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. GEO. E. BAIBCOCK, Superintendent. Bureau of Incumbrances. No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. JOSEPH BLEUMENTAL, Superintendent. Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park. MARTIN J. KEESSE, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office. No. 15 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. EDWARD V. LORRY, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller. Auditing Bureau. Nos. 15, 21, 23 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. WM. J. LYONS, Auditor of Accounts. DAVID E. AUSTEN, Deputy Auditor. Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents. No. 5 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. ARTEMAS S. CADY, Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears. Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets. Nos. 1 and 3 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. FRANCIS TOMES, Collector of the City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets. Bureau for the Collection of Taxes. First floor Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park. MARTIN T. McMAHON, Receiver of Taxes; ALFRED VREDBERG, Deputy Receiver of Taxes. Bureau of the City Chamberlain. Nos. 25, 27 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. HENRY B. LAIDLAW, City Chamberlain. Office of the City Paymaster. Room 1, New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. MOOR FALLS, City Paymaster. LAW DEPARTMENT. Office of the Counsel to the Corporation. Straits Zeilung Building, third floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. EDWARD V. LORRY, Counsel to the Corporation. E. HENRY LACOMBE, Counsel to the Corporation. ANDREW T. CAMPBELL, Chief Clerk. Office of the Public Administrator. No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. ALGERNON S. SULLIVAN, Public Administrator.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office. No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 8.30 A. M. to 5.30 P. M. JACOB HESS, President, GEORGE F. BRITTON, Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Office hours for all except where otherwise noted from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, to 3 P. M. Headquarters. Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street. CORNELIUS VAN COTT, President; CARL JUSSSEN, Secretary. Bureau of Chief of Department. CHARLES O. SHAY, Chief of Department. Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles. PETER SREBY, Inspector of Combustibles. Bureau of Fire Marshal. GEORGE H. SHELTON, Fire Marshal. Bureau of Inspection of Buildings. WM. P. ESTERBROOK, Inspector of Buildings. Attorney to Department. WM. L. FINDLEY, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street. Fire Alarm Telegraph. J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent of Telegraph, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street. Central Office Fire Alarm Telegraph open at all hours. Repair Shops. Nos. 128 and 130 West Third street. JOHN CASTLES, Foreman-in-Charge, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Hospital Stables. 99th street, between 9th and 10th avenues. JOSEPH SHIBA, Foreman-in-Charge. Open at all hours.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

No. 301 Mott street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. ALEXANDER SHALER, President; EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

No. 35 Union Square, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. JOHN D. CRIMMIN, 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 23rd and 24th Wards. 14th street and 3d avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

Staats Zeilung 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. BEARDLEY, Attorney; WILLIAM COMBERFORD, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

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

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE ADVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARD.

No. 23 East Twentieth street. EVERETT P. WHEELER, Chairman of the Advisory Board; RUSSELL STURGIS, Secretary and Executive Officer.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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

BOARD OF EXCISE.

Corner Bond street and Bowery, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. NICHOLAS HAUGHTON, President; JOHN K. PERLEY, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Nos. 3 and 4 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. ALEXANDER V. DAVIDSON, Sheriff; JOEL O. 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, Foreman and Levy, BERNARD F. MARTIN and WILLIAM H. KENNEDY, Coroners; JOHN T. TOAL, Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

SUPREME COURT.

Second floor, New County Court-house, 10 1/2 A. M. to 3 P. M. General Term, Room No. 9. Special Term, Room No. 10. Chambers, Room No. 11. Circuit, Part I., Room No. 12. Circuit, Part II., Room No. 13. Circuit, Part III., Room No. 14. Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 15. 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. 30, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Part I., Room No. 31. 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. 25, 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 RUPUS B. COWING, Judges of the said Court. Terms, first Monday each month. JOHN SPARKS, Clerk. Office, Room No. 11, 10 A. M. till 3 P. M.

JURORS.

NOTICE IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS. NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE. NEW YORK, JUNE 1, 1883. APPLICATIONS FOR EXEMPTIONS WILL BE heard here, from 10 to 3 daily, from all persons hitherto liable or recently serving who have become exempt, and all needed information will be given.

Those who have not been notified 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) before seven days. 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" shall make service 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 relief and respect to the jury, 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 prohibited by law 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

COMMISSIONERS OF ESTIMATE FOR NEW PARKS AND PARKWAYS.

NOTICE. TO PARTIES INTERESTED IN LANDS embraced in the new parks and parkways in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, and in Westchester County, laid out in and by chapter 522 of the Session Laws of the State of New York for 1884:

The Commissioners of Estimate, appointed under said act, to estimate the loss and damage to parties interested in the properties laid out in and by said act for such parks and parkways, will meet at Room No. 803 in the building of the Mutual Life Insurance Company, No. 23 Nassau street, in the City of New York (occupied by the Aque-duct Appraisal Commission), on the 30th day of December inst., at 1 o'clock P. M., and at such times and places thereafter as the same may be adjourned to, to hear the proofs and allegations of the said parties on such estimate and to perform the duties contemplated by said act. For further information in relation to the matter apply to Arthur Berry, Clerk of the Commission, No. 73 William street, New York City. Dated New York, 19th December, 1884.

LUTHER R. MARSH, GEORGE W. QUINTARD, J. SEAVER PAGE, Commissioners.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, 155 and 157 MERCER STREET, NEW YORK, Dec. 22, 1884.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT FIVE (5) horses (numbered 53, 173, 173, 274 and 301) will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, on Friday, the 26th instant, at 12 o'clock M., by Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers, at Nos 110 and 112 East Thirteenth street.

CORNELIUS VAN COTT, HENRY D. PULLEN, RICHARD CROKER, Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT 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. PULLEN, RICHARD CROKER, Commissioners. (CARL JUSSSEN, Secretary)

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

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

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT THIS DEPARTMENT has placed off the Battery and south of Pier, new 1, North River, two wooden floats or buoys, cubical in shape, six feet on each side, painted black, and anchored on a line bearing S. 75 1/2° east from southwest corner of Pier, new 1, North River. The first float being anchored about 209 feet and the second about 335 feet distant therefrom.

By order of the Board. JOHN T. CUMING, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT 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 the 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: "Title 2. Duties and Powers of the Department of Public Works as to Procuring and Distributing Water."

Section 350. The Commissioner of Public Works shall, from time to time, establish scales of rents. \*\*\*\*\*

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

It becomes my duty to state that on and after the first day of April, 1883, all extra charges, such as steam-engines, bakeries, barbers, bathing-tubs, boarding-houses, boarding-schools, building purposes, horses, horse-troughs, hotels, porter-houses, taverns, etc., printing offices, stone cutting or dressing, slaughter-houses, dyeing, water-closets and urinals, laundries, restaurants, soda fountains, extra families, oyster and coffee saloons, and by meter measurement, meters and meter settings, 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 Assessors, 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 FLOUR.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISH- ing and delivering free of all expense at the Baking-dock, Blackwell's Island (east side), 4,000 barrels extra Wheat Flour, in lots of not less than 1,000 barrels, one-half of each quantity to be delivered as follows: 2,000 barrels of sample marked No. 1. 2,000 barrels of sample marked No. 2.

The flour to be equal to the samples exhibited and subject to the approval of three members of the New York Public Flour Exchange, to be named by the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, whose decision regarding the quality of the flour proposed to be delivered shall be binding upon both seller and buyer.

Contractor to furnish inspector's certificate of grade, and also certificate of weight and tare of each lot. — It will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M., of Tuesday, January 6, 1885. The person or persons making any bid or estimate, if desired, may be allowed to examine the envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Flour," 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 NOT TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 54, 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 business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal 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 in which they are or whom they are, 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 that in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein or in the stipulations 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, who respectively own real 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 amount to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; and the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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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 re-advertised and let as provided by law.

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Dated New York, December 23, 1884.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, DRY GOODS, HARDWARE, LEATHER AND FINDINGS, CROCKERY, WHISKEY, CORKS, LUMBER, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING CROCKERIES.

- 7,500 pounds Dairy Butter; sample on exhibition Monday, January 5, 1885.
- 4,000 pounds Ice Apples.
- 10,000 pounds Barley.
- 6,000 pounds Cocoa.
- 15,000 pounds Rio Coffee.
- 2,000 pounds Maracabo Coffee, roasted.
- 2,500 pounds Green Coffee.
- 2,500 pounds Chicory.
- 100 pounds Farina, in 1-pound papers.
- 1,000 pounds Macaroni, in 25-pound boxes.
- 30 pounds Nuts, in No. 1.
- 20,000 pounds Oatmeal.
- 5,000 pounds Prunes.
- 20,000 pounds Rice.
- 50,000 pounds Brown Sugar.
- 5,000 pounds Granulated Sugar.
- 5,000 pounds Cut Leaf Sugar.
- 10,000 pounds Coffee Sugar.
- 10,000 pounds Brown Soap.
- 500 pounds prime quality kettle rendered Leaf Lard.
- 10,000 pounds Oolong Tea.
- 13,500 Fresh Eggs, all to be canned.
- 600 barrels good, sound Irish Potatoes, to weigh 165 pounds net per barrel, to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.
- 100 barrels Prime Carrots, 120 pounds net per barrel.
- 100 barrels Prime Turnips, 135 pounds net per barrel.
- 50 barrels Prime Red Onions.
- 50 barrels Fine Flour.
- 100 barrels Crackers.
- 25 barrels prime quality Large Shore No. 2 Mackerel, 200 pounds net each.
- 200 barrels prime quality American Salt 320 pounds net each, to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.
- 25 barrels Vinegar.
- 900 quintals prime quality Grand Bank Codfish, to be perfectly well cured, and to average not less than five pounds, to be delivered as required, in boxes of four quintals each.
- 3,000 gallons Molasses.
- 20,000 gallons Syrup.
- 30 dozen Canned Corn, 2 pounds.
- 40 dozen Canned Peas, 3 pounds.
- 20 dozen Canned Peas, 2 pounds.
- 30 dozen Canned Beans, 2 pounds.
- 20 dozen Chow Chow, pints (B. & C.).
- 10 dozen Gherkins, pints (B. & C.).
- 10 dozen Worcester's Sauce, pints (L. & P.).
- 2 dozen Olive Oil.
- 12 dozen Green Peas, 2 pounds.
- 50 dozen Sea Foam.
- 24 dozen Bath Brick.
- 50 pieces prime quality City Cured Bacon, to average 6 pounds each.
- 100 gross Matches.
- 400 bushels Beans.
- 1,000 bushels Oats.
- 300 bushels Rye.
- 100 bags of No. 1 (100 pounds each).
- 100 bags Coarse Meal (100 pounds each).
- 100 bags Fine Meal (100 pounds each).
- 50 kits No. 1 Mackerel (30 pounds net each).

20 boxes Raisins, "Layers."  
100 boxes Laundry Starch, in 40-pound boxes.  
500 bales long bright Rye Straw, tare not to exceed 3 pounds per bale, and weight as delivered at Blackwell's Island.

- DRY GOODS.
- 500 Rubber Blankets.
  - 100 B. F. Blouses.
  - 1,000 yards Knitting Cotton.
  - 50,000 yards Brown Muslin.
  - 5,000 yards Bleached Muslin.
  - 5,000 yards Shroud Muslin.
  - 5,000 yards U. G. Cassimere.
  - 1,000 yards Furniture Cloth.
  - 10,000 yards Cotton Jeans.
  - 1,000 yards Linsey Woolsey.
  - 10,000 yards Dark Calico.
  - 10,000 yards Light Calico.
  - 10,000 yards Blue Denims.
  - 10,000 yards Awning Stripes.
  - 10,000 yards Hickory Stripes.
  - 10,000 yards Ticking.
  - 1,000 yards Furniture Check.
  - 1,000 yards Linen Diaper.
  - 5,000 yards Twilled Towing.
  - 1,000 yards Huckaback Towing.
  - 1,000 yards White Flannel.
  - 1,000 yards Canton Flannel.
  - 20,000 yards Bandage Muslin.

- CROCKERY.
- 2 gross Bed Pans.
  - 1 gross Spit Cups.
  - 1 gross Pitchers, a quart.
  - 1 gross Pitchers, a quart.
  - 2 gross Tumblers.
  - 5 gross W. G. Bowls.
  - 1 gross W. G. Ewers.
  - 3 gross W. G. Saucers.
  - 1 gross W. G. Cups.

LIME, ETC.

- 50 barrels best quality Whitewash Lime.
- 25 barrels best quality Portland Lime, containing not less than 32 per cent. of Chloride.
- 20 barrels best quality Plaster Paris.

WHITE LEAD.

- 10,000 pounds Pure White Lead, ground in oil and equal to Atlantic Mills 40-100, 80-50, 80-25.

LEATHER, FINDINGS, ETC.

- 3,000 pounds Offal Leather.
- 500 S. I. Shoe Nails, No. 13.
- 500 S. I. Shoe Nails, No. 15.
- 200 bunches Leather Shoe Laces.
- 12 dozen Shoe Ink (best quarts).
- 30 kegs Horse Shoes, fore and hind, half each, No. 5.

WHISKEY.

- 75 barrels two-stamp, copper-distilled Bourbon Whiskey, to be not less than one year old, to be delivered semi-monthly as required for the year 1885, and each delivery to be accompanied with the certificate of a United States Gauger, giving the number of wine and proof gallons in each barrel, with proof of same.

CORKS.

- 1,500 gross Druggists' Taper Corks, long quality XX, to be delivered in bags of five gross, properly marked, viz.:
 

No. 2.	No. 3.	No. 4.
250 gross.	350 gross.	300 gross.
No. 5.	No. 6.	No. 7.
300 gross.	150 gross.	150 gross.

LUMBER.

- 20,000 feet B. M. good shipping Box Boards, 1 dressed 12 to 16 inches wide, 12 to 16 feet long, dressed one side.
- 5,000 feet B. M. good shipping Box Boards, 1/2 inch, 12 to 16 inches wide, 12 to 16 feet long, dressed one side.
- 250 pieces 200d dressed, tongued and grooved Pine boards, 1 inch by 10 inches by 13 feet.

All to be delivered at Blackwell's Island. Will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., of Tuesday, January 6, 1885. 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, Crockery, Whiskey, Corks, Lumber," etc., 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.

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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.

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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, December 23, 1884.

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HENRY H. PORTER,  
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Commissioners of the Department of  
Public Charities and Correction.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING materials for new Pavilion, Hart's Island, all the materials to be of the best quality of their kind, and to be delivered, with the exception of the hardware and iron, at Hart's Island.

- LUMBER.
- 40 pieces Spruce, 3 x 12 inches by 31 feet.
  - 325 " " 3 x 10 " " 15 "
  - 28 " " 3 x 10 " " 30 "
  - 36 " " 3 x 10 " " 25 "
  - 16 " " 3 x 10 " " 23 "
  - 370 " " 3 x 9 " " 15 "
  - 36 " " 3 x 9 " " 25 "
  - 36 " " 3 x 9 " " 23 "
  - 60 " " 3 x 8 " " 18 "
  - 20 " " 3 x 8 " " 30 "
  - 250 " " 3 x 7 " " 21 "
  - 125 " " 3 x 7 " " 18 "
  - 150 " " 3 x 7 " " 13 "
  - 150 " " 3 x 6 " " 13 "
  - 27,000 lineal feet Spruce, 2 x 3 inches.
  - 37,000 " " 1 1/2 x 2 "
  - 3,000 good Hemlock Boards, 1 x 10 inches by 13 feet.
  - 7,000 feet B. M., good, White Pine Box Boards, 1 x 12 inches.

- 8 pieces clear White Pine, 3 x 7 inches by 21 feet.
- 8 " " " 3 x 7 " " 19 "
- 10 " " " 3 x 8 " " 20 "
- 8 " " " 3 x 8 " " 14 "
- 20 " " " 3 x 6 " " 10 "
- 12 " " " 3 x 6 " " 12 "
- 12 " " " 3 x 6 " " 16 "
- 550 lineal feet clear White Pine, 4 x 6.
- 250 lineal feet clear White Pine, 4 x 4.
- 4,500 feet B. M., clear White Pine, 2 x 12, dressed two sides.
- 1,700 feet B. M., clear White Pine, 1 1/2 x 12, dressed two sides.
- 3,500 feet B. M., clear White Pine, 1 1/2 x 14, dressed two sides.
- 7,000 feet B. M., clear White Pine, 3/4 x 15, dressed two sides.
- 2,000 feet B. M., clear White Pine, 1 1/2 x 12, dressed and grooved.
- 300 feet B. M., clear White Pine, 6 x 6, dressed two sides.
- 12 pieces clear, well-seasoned Georgia Yellow Pine, 4 x 14 x 31 feet.
- 2 pieces clear, well-seasoned Georgia Yellow Pine, 4 x 14 x 26 feet.
- 37,000 feet B. M., clear, well-seasoned Georgia Yellow Pine flooring, 1 1/2 x 3 1/2 inches.
- 4,000 feet B. M., clear, well-seasoned Georgia Yellow Pine Ceiling, 3 x 3 1/2 inches.
- 1,150 feet B. M., clear, well-seasoned Georgia Yellow Pine, 1 1/2 x 12 inches, dressed two sides.
- 700 feet B. M., clear, well-seasoned Georgia Yellow Pine, 3/4 x 8 inches, dressed two sides.
- 400 feet B. M., clear, well-seasoned Georgia Yellow Pine, 1 1/2 x 12 inches, dressed two sides.
- 125,000 extra XXX clear dressed Pine Shingles, 18 inch.
- 135,000 Laths, best quality.

DOORS AND SASH.

- 22 Doors, 4-paneled, flush mouldings, 3 feet x 7 feet 6 inches by 1 1/2 inches.
- 6 pairs Doors, 4-paneled, raised mouldings, 8 feet x 4 feet 6 inches x 2 inches.
- 7 Doors, 4-paneled, raised mouldings, 7 feet 6 inches x 3 feet 1 1/2 inches.
- 40 Doors, 4-paneled, flush mouldings, 7 feet 6 inches x 2 feet 8 inches x 1 1/2 inches.
- 1 pair Sliding Doors, 2 in. thick, 4-paneled, raised mouldings, to fit opening 10 feet x 10 feet.
- 73 pairs Window Sash, 3 ft. x 6 ft. 2 in. x 1 1/2 in. 12 lights.
- 75 pairs Window Sash, 3 ft. x 8 ft. 10 in. x 1 1/2 in. 12 lights.
- 22 Fan Lights, 36 in. x 26 in. x 1 1/2 in.
- 6 " " 54 in. x 30 in. x 2 in.
- 7 " " 36 in. x 24 in. x 1 1/2 in.
- 7 " " 36 in. x 24 in. x 1 1/2 in.

Doors, sashes and fan lights to be of clear, well seasoned white pine; sashes and fan-lights to be glazed with best quality, double thick American glass.

- HARDWARE, IRON, ETC.
- 87 kegs cut nails, 6-6d, 6-4d, 3-20d, 10-12d, 25-10d, 6-8d, 6-6d, 10-3d, 15-4d.
  - 4 kegs finishing nails, 2-10d, 1-8d, 1-6d.
  - 5,800 ft. 3/4 in. Round Iron refined.
  - 3,700 ft. 1/2 in. x 1/2 in. Iron refined.
  - 400 ft. 3/4 in. x 1/2 in. Iron refined.
  - 500 ft. 3/4 in. x 1/2 in. Ulster Iron.
  - 200 Iron Belts with nuts and washers, 100 3/4 in. x 20 in. x 1/2 in. x 10 in. x 10 in. x 25 in.
  - 100 Round Head Spikes, 3 1/2 x 1/2 in.
  - 19 Cast Iron Columns, 12 ft. 6 in. x 8 in., 1 1/2 in. thick, with bed plates 18 in. square, 1 1/2 in. thick moulded top.
  - 200 ft. Manila Rope, 1 1/2 in.
  - 1 Double Pulley Block, 5 in. sheaves.
  - 2 Single " 5 in. "
  - 2 Coils Manila Rope, 1 1/2 in.

LIME, CEMENT, AND BRICK.

- 800,000 best North River Hard Brick.
- 200 barrels common Lime, best quality.
- 200 barrels Rosendale or Lehigh Valley Cement Co.'s Cement.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR WHITE ASH COAL.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING the Department of Public Charities and Correction during the year 1885, as may be required and in accordance with the specifications.

SEVENTY-FIVE THOUSAND (75,000) TONS OF WHITE ASH COAL will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 9 o'clock A. M. of Saturday, the 27th day of December, 1884. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for 75,000 Tons White Ash Coal" 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.

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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 that he is engaged in the business of "Butcher" in the City of New York, and has the plant necessary to carry out promptly and regularly the contract, if it be awarded, to the entire satisfaction of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal sum of fifty thousand (\$50,000) dollars.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, the same shall be verified by the oath 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, who are qualified to execute the bond, to 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, he shall be held liable 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, in the penal sum of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the completion 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 household 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 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 cash or check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall neglect or 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 re-advertised and relet as provided by law.

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract.

The form of the contract, including specifications, showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Department, and bidders are especially cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities and Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

Dated New York, December 15, 1884. JACOB HESS, HENRY H. PORTER, THOMAS S. BRENNAN, Commissioners of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING ALL THE MEATS REQUIRED FOR THE YEAR 1885, TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, IN THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING all the Meats required for the year 1885, to the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City and County of New York, will be received at the

office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9 o'clock A. M., on Saturday, December 27, 1884. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for all the Meats required for 1885," 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 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 furnish satisfactory testimonials that he is engaged in the business of "Butcher" in the City of New York, and has the plant necessary to carry out promptly and regularly the contract, if it be awarded, to the entire satisfaction of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of fifty thousand (\$50,000) dollars.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, the same shall be verified by the oath 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, who are qualified to execute the bond, to 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, he shall be held liable 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, in the penal sum of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the completion 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 household 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 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 cash or check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall neglect or 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 re-advertised and relet as provided by law.

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract, as the Commissioners may determine.

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Department, and bidders are especially cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities and Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

Dated New York, December 15, 1884. JACOB HESS, HENRY H. PORTER, THOMAS S. BRENNAN, Commissioners of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR CONDENSED COW'S MILK FOR 1885.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING Condensed Cow's Milk for the year 1885, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 9 o'clock A. M., of Saturday, December 27, 1884. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Condensed Cow's Milk for 1885," 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 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 that he is engaged in the business of "Butcher" in the City of New York, and has the plant necessary to carry out promptly and regularly the contract, if it be awarded, to the entire satisfaction of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of ten thousand (\$10,000) dollars.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, the same shall be verified by the oath 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, who are qualified to execute the bond, to 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, he shall be held liable 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, in the penal sum of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the completion 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 household 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 surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 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 cash or check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall neglect or 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 re-advertised and relet as provided by law.

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract.

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Department, and bidders are especially cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities and Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

Dated New York, December 15, 1884. JACOB HESS, HENRY H. PORTER, THOMAS S. BRENNAN, Commissioners of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR POULTRY FOR 1885.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING Poultry for the year ending December 31, 1885, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 9 o'clock A. M., of Saturday, December 27, 1884. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Poultry for 1885," 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 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 that he is engaged in the business of "Butcher" in the City of New York, and has the plant necessary to carry out promptly and regularly the contract, if it be awarded, to the entire satisfaction of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction. And the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of ten thousand (\$10,000) dollars.

mate 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, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a household 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 enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimates, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall neglect or 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 re-advertised and relet as provided by law.

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract.

The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Department, and bidders are especially cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities and Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

Dated New York, December 15, 1884. JACOB HESS, HENRY H. PORTER, THOMAS S. BRENNAN, Commissioners of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.

TO CONTRACTORS. PROPOSALS FOR FRESH FISH FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1885.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING Bids for the year ending December 31, 1885, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 9 o'clock A. M., of Saturday, December 27, 1884. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Fresh Fish for the year ending December 31, 1885," 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 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 furnish testimonials that he is engaged in the business of selling fish in the City of New York, and has the plant necessary to carry out promptly and regularly the contract, if it be awarded, to the entire satisfaction of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction. And the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of ten thousand (\$10,000) dollars.

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

any difference between the sum to which he will 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 work by which the bids are sealed. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above 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 enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-book, and no estimate can be deposited in said book 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 that time, 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 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 that time, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate, in addition to inserting the same in figures. Payment will be made by the Comptroller in the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract, from time to time, as the Commissioners may determine. The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities and Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

Dated New York, December 15, 1884.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 26 THIRD AVENUE.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR WHITE ASH COAL.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING nine hundred and twenty (920 tons White Ash Coal, as required, during the year 1885, in accordance with the specifications, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 26 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 9 o'clock A. M. of Saturday, December 27, 1884. The person or persons making the same shall be accompanied by the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for 920 Tons White Ash Coal" with his or her name or names, and the date of presentation, to be placed in said Department at the time named, and 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 any or all estimates, if deemed to be for the public interest, as provided in SECTION 54, CHAPTER 410, LAWS OF 1882.

No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person or persons to whom 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 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 her two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of two thousand (\$2,000) dollars.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of the person or persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and that it is not made in collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof, or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that 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 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 23 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 enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-book, and no estimate can be deposited in said book 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 her bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be re-advertised and relet as provided by law. Bidders will 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. The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Department.

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

Dated New York, December 15, 1884.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 26 THIRD AVENUE.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN ORDINANCE OF

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

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Mary Raymond; aged 60 years. Committed December 1, 1884.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Mary Sands; aged 40 years; 5 feet 1 inch high; gray hair, blue eyes.

There is a Bogert; aged 49 years; 5 feet 2 1/4 inches high; gray hair, brown eyes.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Otto Johrick; aged 23 years; 5 feet 9 inches high; blue eyes, blue hair, brown hair, when admitted dark coat, striped pants and vest, Congress gaiters, black hat.

John Towney; aged 25 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; gray eyes, brown hair. Had on when admitted dark mixed coat, blue vest, dark pants, Congress gaiters, black Derby hat.

Patrick Mooney; aged 50 years; 5 feet 0 inches high; blue eyes, iron hair. Had on when admitted dark suit, blue check jumper, brown shoes, black Derby hat.

At Ha's Island Hospital—George James; aged 67 years. Admitted September 8, 1884.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

G. F. BRITTON,  
Secretary.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

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

EVERY OWNER OR PERSON IN ANY WAY INTERESTED IN REAL ESTATE, situate on the Harlem river and the northern boundary of the City and County of New York, intended to be taken or entered upon and used and occupied for the purposes of the new Aqueduct; also any owner or person interested in any real estate contiguous thereto, and which may be affected by the construction and maintenance of said aqueduct, or of any of the works connected therewith, is hereby required to present his claim to the Commissioners of Appraisal appointed for the purpose of appraising such lands and easements, or accretions, such damages, at the office of said Commissioners, Room 803, in the Mutual Life Insurance Building, No. 23 Nassau street, in the City of New York.

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

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

THE CITY RECORD.

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

ARMORY BOARD.

ARMORY BOARD—OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,  
No. 301 MOTT STREET,  
NEW YORK, December 13, 1884.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING MASONRY WORK IN THE ERECTION OF AN ARMORY BUILDING AT NINTH AVENUE, SIXTY-FIRST AND SIXTY-SECOND STREETS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING materials and performing masonry work in the erection of an Armory Building, at Ninth Avenue, Sixty-first and Sixty-second streets, County and City of New York, will be received by the Armory Board at the office of the Secretary, No. 301 Mott Street, until 12 M. of the 24th day of December, 1884, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read by said Board.

Any person making an estimate for the above work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, to the President of said Armory Board, indorsed "Estimate for Furnishing Materials and Performing Masonry Work in the Erection of an Armory Building, at Ninth Avenue, Sixty-first and Sixty-second streets," and also with the name of the person or persons presenting the same, and the date of its presentation.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded

will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or her two sufficient sureties, in the penal amount of fifty (50) per cent. of the estimated amount of the contract.

Bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and bind every person who submits an estimate received.

1st. Bidders must satisfy themselves by personal examination of the location of the proposed work, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the estimate, and shall not, at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the statement of quantities, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.

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

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

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

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

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

Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

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

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

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use a blank prepared for that purpose by the Board, and to have the same prepared in the form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be seen upon application at the office of the architect, James E. Ware, No. 239 Broadway.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all estimates not deemed beneficial to or for the public interest. Plans may be examined, and specifications and blank forms for bids or estimates obtained, by application to the architect, at his office, No. 239 Broadway, New York.

FRANKLIN EDSON,  
ALEXANDER SHALER,  
HUBERT O. THOMPSON,  
Commissioners.

ARMORY BOARD—OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,  
No. 301 MOTT STREET,  
NEW YORK, December 13, 1884.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING IRON WORK IN THE ERECTION OF AN ARMORY BUILDING AT NINTH AVENUE, SIXTY-FIRST AND SIXTY-SECOND STREETS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING materials and performing iron work in the erection of an Armory Building at Ninth Avenue, Sixty-first and Sixty-second streets, County and City of New York, will be received by the Armory Board at the office of the Secretary, No. 301 Mott Street, until 12 M. of the 24th day of December, 1884, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read by said Board.

Any person making an estimate for the above work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, to the President of said Armory Board, indorsed "Estimate for Furnishing Materials and Performing Iron Work in the Erection of an Armory Building at Ninth Avenue, Sixty-first and Sixty-second streets," and also with the name of the person or persons presenting the same, and the date of its presentation.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the

person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or her two sufficient sureties, in the penal amount of fifty (50) per cent. of the estimated amount of the contract.

Bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become part of every estimate received.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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Commissioners.

ARMORY BOARD—OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,  
No. 301 MOTT STREET,  
NEW YORK, December 13, 1884.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING CARPENTRY WORK IN THE ERECTION OF AN ARMORY BUILDING AT NINTH AVENUE, SIXTY-FIRST AND SIXTY-SECOND STREETS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING materials and performing carpentry work in the erection of an Armory Building at Ninth Avenue, Sixty-first and Sixty-second streets, County and City of New York, will be received by the Armory Board at the office of the Secretary, No. 301 Mott Street, until 12 M. of the 24th day of December, 1884, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read by said Board.

Any person making an estimate for the above work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to the President of said Armory Board, indorsed "Estimate for Furnishing Materials and Performing Carpenter Work in the Erection of an Armory Building at Ninth Avenue, Sixty-first and Sixty-second streets," and also with the name of the person or persons presenting the same, and the date of its presentation.

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

Bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become part of every estimate received:

1st. Bidders must satisfy themselves by personal examination of the location of the proposed work, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the estimate, and shall not at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the statement of quantities, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.

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

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

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

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

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Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

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

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ARMORY BOARD—OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,  
No. 301 MOTT STREET,  
NEW YORK, December 13, 1884.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING PLUMBING WORK IN THE ERECTION OF AN ARMORY BUILDING AT NINTH AVENUE, SIXTY-FIRST AND SIXTY-SECOND STREETS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING PLUMBING WORK IN THE ERECTION OF AN ARMORY BUILDING AT NINTH AVENUE, SIXTY-FIRST AND SIXTY-SECOND STREETS, County and City of New York, will be received by the Army Board at the office of the Secretary, No. 301 Mott street, until 12 m. of the 24th day of December, 1884, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read by said Board.

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Erection of an Armory Building at Ninth Avenue, Sixty-first and Sixty-second streets, and also with the name of the person or persons presenting the same, and the amount of their estimate.

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

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

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

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

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use a blank prepared for that purpose by the Board, a copy of which, together with the form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be seen upon application at the office of the architect, James E. Ware, No. 239 Broadway.

FRANKLIN EDSON,  
ALEXANDER SHALER,  
HUBERT O. THOMPSON,  
Commissioners.

ARMORY BOARD—OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,  
No. 301 MOTT STREET,  
NEW YORK, December 13, 1884.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING PLUMBING WORK FOR STEAM HEATING IN THE ERECTION OF AN ARMORY BUILDING AT NINTH AVENUE, SIXTY-FIRST AND SIXTY-SECOND STREETS.

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Board at the office of the Secretary, No. 301 Mott street, until 12 m. of the 24th day of December, 1884, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read by said Board.

Any person making an estimate for the above work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to the President of said Army Board, indorsed, "Estimate for furnishing materials and performing plumbing work in the erection of an Armory Building at Ninth Avenue, Sixty-first and Sixty-second streets," and also with the name of the person or persons presenting the same, and the date of its presentation.

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

Bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become part of every estimate received:

1st. Bidders must satisfy themselves by personal examination of the location of the proposed work, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the estimate, and shall not at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the statement of quantities, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.

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

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

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

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

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FRANKLIN EDSON,  
ALEXANDER SHALER,  
HUBERT O. THOMPSON,  
Commissioners.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY CLERK of the Police Department of the City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 39, for the following property, namely: a shawl, with metal buttons; Boots, 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.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

- List 1752, No. 1. Regulating and grading, setting curb and flagging in Eighty-first street, from the Boulevard to Riverside Drive.
- List 1839, No. 1. Regulating and grading, setting curb and flagging One Hundred and Fifty-third street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard.
- List 1924, No. 2. Sewer in Lexington avenue, between Eighty-fifth and Eighty-sixth streets.
- List 1934, No. 3. Sewer in Avenue A, between Ninety-second street and Harlem river.
- List 1949, No. 5. Sewer in Ninety-second street, between Avenue A and First 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 Eighty-first street, from the Boulevard to Riverside Drive, and to the extent of one-half the block at Riverside Drive.
- No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-third street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard.
- No. 3. Both sides of Lexington avenue, between Eighty-fifth and Eighty-sixth streets.
- No. 4. East side of First avenue and west side of Avenue A, between Ninety-second and Ninety-third streets; also, south side of Ninety-third street, between Avenue A and First avenue.
- No. 5. Both sides of Ninety-second street, from Avenue A to First avenue.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-mentioned assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are required to present their objections in writing to the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 112 1/2 City Hall, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation on the 31st of December ensuing.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 112 1/2 CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, November 29, 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.:

- List 1821, No. 1. Sewer in Sixth avenue, east side, between Fifty-third and Fifty-fourth streets.
- List 1910, No. 2. Paving One Hundred and Eleventh street, from First to Second avenues.
- List 1925, No. 3. Sewer in Seventy-third street, between First and Third avenues.
- List 1954, No. 4. Alteration and improvement to sewer in Fifth avenue, between Fifty-ninth and Sixtieth streets.
- List 1968, No. 5. Paving in Beekman street, between Water and South streets.
- List 1978, No. 6. Sewer in Seventieth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues from end of present sewer west Ninth avenue.
- List 1979, No. 7. Sewer in West Tenth street, between Greenwich and Sixth avenues.
- List 2029, No. 8. Sewer in Fifty-sixth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.
- List 2033, No. 9. Paving sidewalks on westerly side of First avenue, between Fifty-sixth and Sixty-fourth streets, and on the easterly side of First avenue, between Fifty-ninth and Sixtieth streets and between Sixty-fourth and Sixty-fifth streets, where there is now only one four feet course of flagging.
- List 2022, No. 10. Receiving-basin west side Eighth avenue, between Seventy-seventh and Eighty-first streets.
- List 2024, No. 11. Sewer in One Hundred and Thirty-first street, between Eighth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.
- List 2026, No. 12. Flagging One Hundred and Nineteenth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenues.
- List 2027, No. 13. Sewer in One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, between Eighth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.
- List 2024, No. 14. Flagging both sides of Sixty-Eighth street, between First and Second avenues.
- List 2025, No. 15. Sewer in One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, between Eighth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.
- List 2029, No. 16. Sewer in Spring street, between Broadway and Mercer street.
- List 2100, No. 17. Flagging sidewalks east side of Fifth avenue, from Sixty-sixth street to Sixty-seventh street, and north side Sixty-sixth street, from Fifth to Madison avenues.
- List 2101, No. 18. Flagging east side of Fifth avenue, from Sixty-seventh to Sixty-eighth streets, and on the south side Sixty-eighth street, from Madison to Fifth avenues.
- List No. 2102, No. 19. Flagging both sides of One Hundred and Eighteenth street, from First to Second avenues.
- List 2103, No. 20. Sewer in One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, between Eighth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.
- List 2104, No. 21. Sewer in Third avenue, east side, between Eighty-eighth and Eighty-ninth streets.
- List 2105, No. 22. Sewer in Front street, between Broad and Whitehall streets.
- List 2106, No. 23. Receiving-basins on the northeast and southeast corners of Avenue A and Fourteenth street, and on the southeast corner of Loewick and Stanton streets.
- List 2107, No. 24. Paving Eighty-ninth street, from Avenue A to Avenue B.
- List 2109, No. 25. Receiving-basin and sewer connection on the northeast corner of Alexander avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, from First to Second avenues.
- List 2111, No. 26. Sewer and appurtenances in One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, between Brook and St. Ann's avenues, with branch in St. Ann's avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-sixth and One Hundred and Forty-seventh streets.
- List 2112, No. 27. Sewer and appurtenances in Washington avenue, between East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth and East One Hundred and Seventieth streets.
- List 2113, No. 28. Flagging sidewalk and setting curb and gutter stones, and laying crosswalk on the southerly side of One Hundred and Fifty-first street, from Courtland to Morris avenues.
- List 2117, No. 29. Sewer in Fifth avenue, east side, between Thirtieth and Fourteenth streets.

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

- No. 1. East side Sixth avenue, between Fifty-third and Fifty-fourth streets.
- No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Eleventh street, from First to Second avenues, and to the extent of the block at Second avenue.
- No. 3. Both sides of Seventy-third street, from First to Third avenues.
- No. 4. East side Fifth avenue, between Fifty-ninth and Sixtieth streets.
- No. 5. Both sides of Beekman street, between Water and South streets.
- No. 6. Both sides of Seventieth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, and lots situated on a northerly and southerly side of Ninth avenue and Seventieth street.
- No. 7. Both sides of West Tenth street, between Greenwich and Sixth avenues, including property situated on both sides.
- No. 8. Both sides of Fifty-sixth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.
- No. 9. West side of First avenue, between Sixty-third and Sixty-fourth streets; east side of First avenue, between Sixty-fourth and Sixty-fifth streets; west side First ave-

nue, between Fifty-eighth and Fifty-ninth streets; east side First avenue, between Fifty-ninth and Sixtieth streets, and west side First avenue, between Sixty-first and Sixty-second streets, and west side First avenue, between Fifty-sixth and Fifty-eighth streets.

No. 17. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, between Eighth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.

No. 18. Both sides of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.

No. 19. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, from Eighth avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas.

No. 20. Both sides of Sixty-eighth street, from First to Second avenues.

No. 21. Both sides of Eleventh avenue, between Fifty-eighth and Fifty-ninth streets; and on the north side of Fifty-eighth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

No. 22. Both sides of Spring street, between Broadway and Mercer streets.

No. 23. Last side of Fifth avenue, between Sixty-sixth and Sixty-seventh streets; and north side of Sixty-sixth street, from Fifth to Madison avenues.

No. 24. East side of Fifth avenue, from Sixty-sixth to Sixty-eighth streets; and south side of Sixty-eighth street, from Madison to Fifth avenues.

No. 25. Both sides of One Hundred and Eighteenth street, from First to Second avenues.

No. 26. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, between Eighth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas; also, west side of Avenue St. Nicholas, from centre line of One Hundred and Twenty-eighth to the centre line of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth streets.

No. 27. Both sides of Third avenue, between Eighty-eighth and Eighty-ninth streets.

No. 28. Both sides of Front street, between Broad and Whitehall streets.

No. 29. East side of Avenue A, between Thirteenth and Fifteenth streets; also, east side of Goerck street, extending 200 feet south of Stanton street.

No. 30. Both sides of Eighty-ninth street, from Avenue A to Avenue B, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenue.

No. 31. North side of One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, from Willis to Alexander avenues, and east side of Alexander avenue, between One Hundred and Thirty-sixth and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh streets.

No. 32. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, between Brook and St. Ann's avenues, and west side of St. Ann's avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-sixth and One Hundred and Forty-seventh streets.

No. 33. Both sides of Washington avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-ninth and One Hundred and Seventieth streets.

No. 34. South side of One Hundred and Fifty-first street, from Centre line to Morris avenue.

No. 35. East side of Fifth avenue, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets.

All persons who are interested are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are invited to present their objections in writing to the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 112 1/2 City Hall, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 25th of December ensuing.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 112 1/2 CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, November 22, 1884.

**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 Forty-second street, between Boulevard and Tenth avenue, in the City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 73 William street (third floor), in the said city, on or before the 22d day of December, 1884, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 22d day of January, 1885, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 12 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 23d day of January, 1885.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, blocks, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows: Northerly by the southerly side of Seventh avenue; southerly by the northerly side of West Eleventh street; easterly by the southerly side of Thirteenth avenue and Eleventh avenue, excepting therefrom all the streets and avenues within said area.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 6th day of January, 1885, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, December 16, 1884.

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

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

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-third street, from Seventh avenue to New avenue, West of Eighth avenue, in the City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL** of the costs charges, and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the thirtieth day of December, 1884, at 12 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, December 16, 1884.

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

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Works for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title to that certain street or avenue, known as Sedgwick avenue, although not yet named by proper authority, and laid out as a street of the first class, from Boston avenue to Van Courtlandt avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of 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 22d day of December, 1884, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 22d day of January, 1885, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at three o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 23d day of December, 1884.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, blocks, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being on the westerly side of Sedgwick avenue, distant about 1,500 feet southerly from the intersection of Sedgwick and Boston avenues; running thence westerly in a line at right angles, or nearly so, with Sedgwick avenue, to the intersection of the southerly and easterly lines of a line parallel, or nearly so, with Sedgwick avenue, and distant about six hundred feet therefrom to the westerly side of Van Courtlandt avenue; thence southerly along Van Courtlandt avenue a distance of about six hundred feet southerly from Sedgwick avenue; thence westerly in a line parallel, or nearly so, with Sedgwick avenue, and about six hundred feet therefrom to a point which would be intersected by a line drawn in continuation of the southerly line herebefore mentioned, and thence westerly in a straight line to the point or place of beginning, as the said area of assessment is more fully and particularly shown upon the benefit map in this proceeding, file as above mentioned.

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 15th day of January, 1885, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, November 15, 1884.

HENRY M. WHITEHEAD,  
WILLIAM H. BARKER,  
JOHN D. OTTIVELL,  
Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the widening of Gansevoort street, from Washington street to the intersection of Gansevoort and West Thirteenth streets, in the City of New York, as widened by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of said city.

**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 22d day of December, 1884, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 22d day of January, 1885, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 12 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 23d day of January, 1885.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, blocks, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows: Northerly by the southerly side of Seventh avenue; southerly by the northerly side of West Eleventh street; easterly by the southerly side of Thirteenth avenue and Eleventh avenue, excepting therefrom all the streets and avenues within said area.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 6th day of January, 1885, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, November 8, 1884.

ELLIOT SANDFORD,  
JOHN BIRD,  
BERNARD CASSERLY,  
Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of Rider avenue, from East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to East One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, 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 22d day of December, 1884, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 22d day of January, 1885, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 12 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in

the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 23d day of December, 1884.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, which, taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning at a point in the northerly line or side of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, distant about one hundred feet southerly from the intersection of the northerly line or side of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street with the westerly line or side of Third avenue to the southerly line or side of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; thence running westerly along the southerly line or side of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to the easterly side of the Mott Haven canal; running thence southerly parallel with Rider avenue and distant about one hundred feet (100' 00") westerly therefrom to the northerly line or side of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street; thence south southerly in a straight line in continuation of the last mentioned course to a point distant about one hundred feet (100' 00") southerly from the southerly line or side of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street; thence easterly in a line nearly parallel with the southerly line or side of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to a point distant one hundred and 1/2 feet (100' 00") westerly from the westerly line or side of Third avenue; thence northerly in a line parallel with the westerly line of Third avenue to the southerly line or side of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, and thence still northerly to the point or place of beginning, as the same is shown upon the Benefit Map filed as aforesaid. Excepting therefrom all the streets and avenues within said area.

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

Dated New York, November 8, 1884.

WILLIAM H. BARKER,  
JOHN WHALEN,  
WM. V. I. MERCKER,  
Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

**FINANCE DEPARTMENT.**

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
December 23, 1884.

**NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.**

**IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 916 OF THE** New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, the Comptroller of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property affected by the following assessment lists, viz:

One Hundred and Sixteenth street regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

One Hundred and Nineteenth street regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.

Ninety-seventh street paving, from Second to Third avenue, with granite blocks.

One Hundred and Thirtieth street paving, from Third to Fourth avenue, with trap-blocks.

Lexington avenue paving, from Seventy-ninth to Eighty-fifth street, with Belgian or trap-block pavement.

Thompson street sewer, between West Third and West Fourth streets.

Broadway sewer, east side, between Thirty-second and Thirty-third streets.

Lexington avenue sewer, between Ninety-first and Ninety-second streets.

Tenth avenue sewer, east side between Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth streets.

Twenty-fourth, Twenty-fifth and Twenty-sixth streets sewers, between Eleventh and Thirteenth avenues, and Thirteenth avenue, between Twenty-fourth and Twenty-seventh streets, with alterations and improvements to existing sewers.

One Hundred and Forty-first street sewer, between Alexander and Water streets, with branches in West and Alexander avenues, between One Hundred and Forty-first and One Hundred and Forty-second streets.

Five vacant lots on block bounded by Eighth and Ninth avenues, Ninety-ninth and One Hundredth streets, which were confirmed by the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments, December 18, 1884, and entered on the same date in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 917 of the said Act of Consolidation Act of 1882.

Section 917 of the said act provides that "if any sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect, and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and Water Rents," between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and all payments made thereon, on or before February 25, 1885, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, to be calculated from the date of the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

EDWARD V. LOEW,  
Comptroller.

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

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

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

EDWARD V. LOEW,  
Comptroller.

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

**PROPOSALS FOR \$290,004.00 ARMORY BONDS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.**

**SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY** the Comptroller of the City of New York, at his office, until Tuesday, the 30th day of December, 1884, at 2 o'clock P. M., when they will be publicly opened in the presence of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, or such of them as shall attend, as provided by law, for the whole or any part of the following bonds of the City of New York, which will be issued as Registered Bonds, payable in lawful money of the United States, bearing interest at the rate of three per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, on the first day of May and November in each year, to wit:

**ARMORY BONDS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,** pursuant to section 3 of chapter 91, Laws of 1884, for the erection of an Armory Building for the Twelfth Regiment, N. G. S. N. Y., the said bonds to be denominated, also, CONSOLIDATED STOCK of the City of New York, as provided by section 132 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, for the sum of \$290,004.

Said bonds will be redeemable, at the option of holders, on August 15, 1895, or August 15, 1904, the date of redemption to be stated in the proposals, as may be desired.

The above-described bonds will be

**EXEMPT FROM TAXATION**

by the City and County of New York, but not from taxation for State purposes, as authorized by an ordinance of the Common Council, approved by the Mayor, October 2, 1884, and directed by section 132 of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, as provided by section 137 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

**CONDITIONS.**

Section 140, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, provides that "The Comptroller, with the approval of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, shall determine what, if any, part of said proposals shall be accepted, and upon the payment into the City Treasury of the amounts due by the persons whose bids are accepted, respectively, certificates therefor shall be issued to them, authorized by law;" and also "that no proposal for bonds or stocks shall be accepted for less than the par value of the same."

The persons whose bids are accepted will be required to deposit with the City Chamberlain the amount of the bonds awarded to them at par value, together with the premium thereon, immediately after notice of such acceptance.

Proposals will be received for any amount of said bonds in sums of ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS, or multiples thereof.

The proposals should be enclosed in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Proposals for Armory Bonds of the City of New York," and each proposal should also be enclosed in a second envelope, addressed to the Comptroller of the City of New York.

EDWARD V. LOEW,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 17, 1884.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,  
No. 32 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, December 1, 1884.

**NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.**

**THE RECEIVER OF TAXES OF THE CITY OF** New York hereby gives notice to all persons who have omitted to pay their taxes for the year 1884, to pay the same to him at his office on or before the first day of January, 1885, as provided by section 540 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Upon any such tax remaining unpaid on the first day of December, 1884, one per centum will be charged, received and collected in addition to the amount thereof; and upon such tax remaining unpaid on the first day of January, 1885, interest will be charged, received and collected upon the amount thereof at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the first day of October, 1884, to the date of the assessment rolls and warrants for the taxes of 1884, were delivered to the said Receiver of Taxes, to the date of payment, pursuant to section 543 of said act.

MARTIN T. MCMAHON,  
Receiver of Taxes.

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

**PURSUANT TO SECTION 918 OF THE NEW** York City Consolidation Act of 1882, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives PUBLIC NOTICE that the sale at public auction of lands and tenements in said City for unpaid assessments laid and confirmed during the year 1884 and prior thereto, for local improvements, which sale is advertised to be held at the City Court-house, in the City Hall Park, in the City of New York, on Monday, November 24, 1884, at 12 o'clock noon, has been and is hereby postponed by him until Monday, May 25, 1885, to be held on that day at the same hour and place.

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

S. HASTINGS GRANT,  
Comptroller.

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

**REAL ESTATE RECORDS**

**THE ATTENTION OF LAWYERS, REAL** Estate Owners, Monetary Institutions engaged in making loans upon real estate, and all who are interested in providing themselves with facilities for reducing the cost of examinations and searches, is invited to these Official Indices of Records, containing all recorded transfers of real estate in the City of New York from 1853 to 1883, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

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EDWARD V. LOEW,  
Comptroller.

**BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPOINTMENT.**

**NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.**

**PURSUANT TO A RESOLUTION OF THE** Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted December 16, 1884, notice is hereby given that an opportunity will be afforded taxpayers to be heard relative to the First Estimate of Assessments and of said Board of Estimate and Apportionment, to be held during the hours of 11 A. M. and 1 P. M. (except Tuesday, December 23).

CHARLES V. ADEE,  
Clerk.