

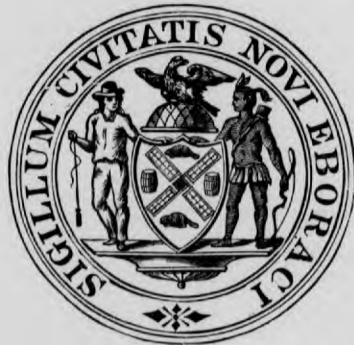
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APPROVED PAPERS.

Ordinances and Resolutions passed by the Common Council during the week ending Jan. 17, 1885.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 12, 1885.

Resolved, That Thomas W. Byrnes be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of William F. Erving, who has failed to qualify.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 12, 1885.

Resolved, That Joseph E. Owens be and he hereby is appointed a Commissioner of Deeds for the City and County of New York, his term having expired January 11, 1885.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 12, 1885.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 12, 1885.

Resolved, That John J. Tracey be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, to date from the expiration of his present term of office, January 26, 1885.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 12, 1885.

Resolved, That Alexander Hoch be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Newton Squire, whose term of office has expired.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 12, 1885.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 12, 1885.

Petition of the Cercle Francais de l'Harmonie for permission to erect a temporary bridge across Irving place, from the Academy of Music to Irving Hall.

Prayer of the petitioner granted by the Board of Aldermen, January 12, 1885.
Approved by the Mayor, January 14, 1885.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby requested to include in the list of streets to be repaved this year, Bank street, from Hudson to West street, with granite blocks, as provided in chapter 476, Laws of 1875.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 12, 1885.
Approved by the Mayor, January 17, 1885.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby requested to include in the list of streets to be repaved during the present year, as provided in chapter 476, Laws of 1875, Eleventh street, from Avenue B to Avenue D; Ninth street, from First avenue to Avenue A; Twelfth street, from Avenue A to Second avenue.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 12, 1885.
Approved by the Mayor, January 17, 1885.

Resolved, That the rooms in the County Court-house set apart for the use and occupation of the Justices of the Supreme Court for this district be altered, painted, thoroughly fitted up and furnished at an expense not to exceed the sum of fifteen thousand dollars, to be charged to the appropriation for "Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices" for the year 1885, without advertising for estimates or contracting therefor; the work to be done and supplies furnished under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, in a manner satisfactory to the Justices of said Court and subject to their approval. "The said sum being the amount appropriated for that purpose in the tax levy for the year 1885."

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 12, 1885.
Approved by the Mayor, January 17, 1885.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk of the Common Council.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
NEW YORK, January 13, 1885.

The Board met this day.

Reports.

From the Sanitary Superintendent: On operations of the First Division; on operations of the Second Division; on operations of the Third Division; on operations of the Fourth Division; on operations of the Fifth Division; on operations of the Sixth Division; weekly report of the Seventh Division: weekly mortuary statement; weekly abstract of births; weekly abstract of still-births; weekly abstract of marriages; weekly abstract of deaths from contagious diseases; weekly report on attendance of clerks; on applications for permits; on condition of certain street pavements; on applications for relief from certain orders; on delayed birth and marriage returns; on condition of certain streets in the Seventh Ward; on condition of premises No. 1050 Second avenue; on condition of premises No. 12 North Moore street (Grammar School No. 44); on premises No. 500 Pearl street; on condition of premises No. 188 Varick street; on the number and locations of privy vaults; report on seizure poisonous candy and headcheese; report on manure dumping; on changes in help at Riverside Hospital; on applications for leave of absence.

From the Attorney and Counsel: weekly report; opinion respecting the communication from the Commissioner of Public Works, in regard to application of P. H. Lalor for leave to use the drain in Lexington avenue, to connect with One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street sewer; opinion upon the right of the Health Department to demand payment from the Commissioners of Emigration and the U. S. Marine Hospital, for the care of persons sick with contagious diseases, received from them.

Communications from other Departments.

From the Municipal Service Board: in respect to Inspector of Plumbing and certifying two names of engineers.

From the Department of Public Works: in respect to the construction of sewers in East Forty-ninth street and One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, east of Sixth avenue.

From the Department of Street Cleaning: in answer to complaints in respect to the removal of ashes and garbage, and condition of dump at the foot of Market street, East river.

Miscellaneous Communications.

From William Poillon: in respect to vitrified sewer pipe.

Bills Audited.

John Garrie	\$94 95	Metropolitan Telephone & Tel. Co.	\$70 86
Thurber, Whyland & Co	695 85	Consolidated Gas Co.	17 03
The Sanitarian	7 00	Jas. E. Dougherty	43 75
Henry Rick	5 88	John Goodwin	187 80
Pratt Manufacturing Co.	7 68	W. & J. Sloane	45 10
American Condensed Milk Co.	37 20	Pridgeon's Hamilton Bakery	8 37
E. De Young	169 00	John E. Kaughran & Co.	38 47
H. W. John's Manufacturing Co.	13 08	John Reynders & Co.	46 41
McKesson & Robbins	17 63	Vincenza Fiorella	44 12
Hamilton E. Smith	905 00		

Permits Granted.

To keep a lodging house at No. 80 Oliver street.
To render fat at First avenue and Forty-third street.

Resolutions.

Resolved, That a copy of the opinion of the Attorney and Counsel respecting the communication from the Commissioner of Public Works in regard to application of P. H. Lalor for leave to use the drain in rear of his houses in Lexington avenue, to connect with the One Hundred and Twenty-second street sewer, be respectfully forwarded to the Department of Public Works.

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

Abraham Bachbaam, September 3, 1884.
Catharine Kley, September 10, 1884.
Wm. Arthur Berry, September 26, 1884.
Wm. Clifford Golden, October 10, 1884.
Joseph Augustine Mayers, October 15, 1884.
Louisa O'Connor, October 17, 1884.
Edward Connolly, October 19, 1884.
Teresa Fitzpatrick, October 23, 1884.
Mary E. Barrett, October 25, 1884.
Daniel O'Donnell, October 29, 1884.
Thos. Fitzmorris, October 29, 1884.
Clifford S. Rooney and Katie B. McMann, July 13, 1884.
Charles Albert Richter and Sarah Michael, August 9, 1884.

Resolved, That copies of the reports of Sanitary Inspectors on the condition of certain street pavements, etc., be forwarded to the Department of Public Works for the necessary action as follows:

Street pavement at No. 58 West Third street.
Street pavement at No. 587 First avenue.
Street pavement at Nos. 340, 342 and 344 Pearl street.
Street pavement at No. 307 East Seventy-fourth street.
Street pavement at No. 29 East Fourth street.
Street pavement at Coenties Slip.
Street culvert at southeast corner West and Charlton streets.
Street culvert at northwest corner Grand and Thompson streets.
Street culvert at northeast corner Chrystie and Broome streets.

Resolved, That a copy of the preamble and resolution of the Common Council in respect to condition of streets in the Seventh Ward, together with the report of Inspector Cannon thereon, be forwarded to the Department of Public Works for the necessary action.

Resolved, That a copy of the report of Inspector Roberts upon the condition of premises No. 1050 Second avenue, be forwarded to the Fire Department for the necessary action.

Resolved, That a copy of the report of Sanitary Inspector Hughes, upon the condition of premises No. 12 North Moore street (Grammar School No. 44), be forwarded to the Board of Education for the necessary action.

Resolved, That a copy of the report of Inspector Leahy, on condition of premises No. 500 Pearl street, be forwarded to the Excise Board for the necessary action.

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon lot No. 188 Varick street, has become dangerous to life by reason of want of repair.

Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on lot No. 188 Varick street, be required to vacate said building on or before January 24, 1885, 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.

Resolved, That the action of the Chief Inspector of the Second Division in seizing and condemning candies and headcheese, as provided by section 42 of the Sanitary Code, as set forth in his reports of January 6 and 13, be and is hereby approved.

Resolved, That Kate Williams be and is hereby appointed Helper in this Department, with wages at \$8 per month.

Resolved, That Hannah Ryan be and is hereby appointed Helper in this Department, with wages at \$8 per month, vice Boyle discharged.

Resolved, That leaves of absence be and are hereby granted, as follows:

Dr. E. B. Murtha, from January 12 to March 1, on account of illness.

Dr. T. E. Cone, from January 12 to January 19.

Resolved, That so much of order No. 20072, premises No. 125 West Thirty-second street, relating to the ventilating of main soil and waste-pipe be and is hereby extended to May 1, 1885.

Resolved, That order No. 79, on premises Nos. 3, 5 and 7 Bayard street, and Nos. 62 and 64 Division street, be and is hereby extended to February 12, 1885, and that the Receiver be requested to apply to the Court for authority to comply with the order.

Resolved, That order No. 23723, on premises No. 37½ Water street, be and is hereby rescinded.

Resolved, That the applications for extension of time of the following-named orders be and are hereby denied:

Order No. 230, premises No. 168 Washington street.

Order No. 246, premises No. 174 Division street.

Resolved, That the proposal of the Gorham Manufacturing Company to erect a memorial tablet at Hospital Building, on North Brother Island, in accordance with specification furnished, for the sum of \$100, be and is hereby accepted and awarded.

Resolved, That the proposal of Lewis H. Williams to furnish labor and material required to complete the plastering, trimming and other work in second story of Disinfecting Building, in accordance with plan submitted, for the sum of \$808, be and is hereby accepted and awarded.

Resolved, That the proposal of Lewis H. Williams to furnish material and labor required to complete the plastering, trimming and other work in the attic of Hospital Building in Sixteenth street, in accordance with plan submitted, for the sum of \$235, be and is hereby accepted and awarded.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby respectfully requested to pay to the Board of Health, the sum of five hundred dollars, to be used for the payment of fees, upon presentation by registered physicians of the Night Medical Service of duly authorized certificates of services rendered, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 588, Laws of 1880, and New York City Consolidation Act, 1882, section 574.

Resolved, That the architect be and is hereby directed to prepare plans and specifications for the building of an ice-house, stable and wagon-house and coal bins on North Brother Island, and the Secretary on completion of the same is directed to advertise in the CITY RECORD for proposals for the construction of such named buildings, as required by law.

Resolved, That the Secretary be and is hereby directed to prepare a form of contract and specifications for building a sea-wall on North Brother Island, and advertise in the CITY RECORD for proposals, as required by law.

Resolved, That the Secretary be and is hereby directed to prepare a form of contract and specifications for 5,000 cubic yards of earth filling to be delivered on North Brother Island and to advertise in the CITY RECORD for proposals, as required by law.

Resolved, That James W. McAlister be and is hereby appointed engineer, provisionally, at Hospital in East Sixteenth street, pursuant to the provisions of the New York City Civil Service Regulations, with salary, at the rate of \$780 per annum.

Applications from Dr. C. W. Cutler, Olive E. Hirsch and A. F. Currier for appointment, were received and referred to the Municipal Service Board.

Applications for relief from certain orders, were received from Peter Sheridan, Jas. Fitzpatrick, Daniel F. Lynch, Joseph A. Kent and John Miller, and referred to the Sanitary Superintendent.

A delegation from the Ladies' Health Protective Association (Mrs. Wendt, Sparks, Trautmann and Norris), appeared before the Board in respect to the business of slaughtering animals, etc., as carried on in the city, and after due consideration of the subject, the Association was invited to present their proposition in writing to the Board.

Resolved, That the salaries of the officers and employees of this Department be and are hereby fixed as follows, to date from January 1, 1885:

Secretary's Office—	
Emmons Clark, Secretary.....	\$4,800 00
Caspar Golderman, Chief Clerk and Auditing Clerk.....	3,000 00
William G. Shailer, Corresponding and Property Clerk.....	2,400 00
Charles D. Shepard, Engrossing Clerk.....	1,680 00
Edwin B. Lent, Chief Order Clerk.....	1,500 00
States Barton, Order Clerk.....	1,200 00
Henry H. Munsell, ".....	1,200 00
John Paine, Janitor.....	800 00
Charles Koerber, Messenger.....	800 00
Oliver R. Robinson, Orderly.....	600 00
Isabella Paine, Sweeper.....	450 00

Attorney and Counsel's Office—	
William P. Prentice, Attorney and Counsel.....	\$4,800 00
Aldert H. Bancker, Chief Clerk.....	2,400 00
Charles Hoyer, Clerk.....	1,400 00
Wm. F. T. Chapman, Clerk.....	1,400 00
Thomas Fay, Messenger.....	800 00

Sanitary Bureau—	
Sanitary Superintendent and Register's office:	
Walter D. F. Day, M. D., Sanitary Superintendent and Register.....	\$4,800 00
Edward H. Janes, M. D., Assistant Sanitary Superintendent and Chief of Fifth Division.....	3,000 00
W. B. Fernhead, Chief Clerk.....	1,920 00
John McCauley, Clerk.....	1,200 00
Thomas H. Wood, Clerk.....	1,200 00
Thomas Hanley, Orderly.....	600 00

First Division (Dwelling-house and Street Inspections):	
Moreau Morris, M. D., Chief Inspector.....	\$3,000 00
Roger S. Tracy, M. D., Sanitary Inspector.....	1,800 00
Wm. A. Ewing, M. D., ".....	1,800 00
Eugene B. Murtha, M. D., ".....	1,800 00
John E. Comfort, M. D., ".....	1,800 00
Bernard Hughes, M. D., ".....	1,800 00
Wm. H. Vermilye, M. D., ".....	1,800 00
Alvah H. Doty, M. D., ".....	1,800 00
John Parsons, M. D., ".....	1,800 00
James J. Williams, M. D., ".....	1,800 00
Stuyvesant F. Morris, M. D., ".....	1,800 00
Charles E. Lockwood, M. D., ".....	1,800 00
Charles F. Roberts, M. D., ".....	1,800 00
F. W. Chapin, M. D., ".....	1,800 00
George F. Morris, M. D., ".....	1,800 00
J. E. Stillwell, M. D., ".....	1,800 00
James R. Griswold, Chief Clerk.....	2,000 00
John E. Wade, Clerk.....	1,500 00
Charles Golden, Jr., Clerk.....	1,080 00

Second Division (Special Inspections):	
Cyrus Edson, M. D., Chief Inspector.....	\$3,000 00
Samuel A. Goldschmidt, Ph. D., Inspector Offensive Trades.....	1,500 00
Alfred Lucas, Inspector Coffee and Tea.....	1,500 00
Elwyn Waller, Ph. D., Chemist.....	900 00
John B. White, M. D., Inspector Milk.....	1,500 00
John B. Isham, M. D., ".....	1,200 00
Edward W. Martin, ".....	1,200 00
Charles E. Munsell, ".....	1,200 00
Washington T. Romaine, Inspector Meat.....	1,080 00
John Meyers, ".....	1,080 00
Archibald S. Hamilton, Inspector Fish.....	1,200 00

Third Division (Street Inspections, etc.):	
Willard Bullard, Chief Inspector.....	\$3,000 00
Edgar B. Sutton, Clerk.....	1,200 00
Louis T. Brennan, Inspector.....	1,300 00
Nicholas Kilroy, ".....	1,300 00
Francis C. Tucker, Inspector Buildings.....	1,200 00
Charles K. Hyde, ".....	1,200 00
Michael Lestrangle, Foreman Buildings.....	780 00

Fourth Division (Vaccination and Disinfection):	
James B. Taylor, M. D., Chief Inspector.....	\$3,000 00
Edward L. Pardee, M. D., Inspector.....	1,500 00
Jacob C. Conover, M. D., ".....	1,500 00
Frank Livermore, M. D., ".....	1,500 00
Jacob N. McChesney, M. D., ".....	1,500 00
John B. Linehan, M. D., ".....	1,500 00
Thomas W. P. Fling, M. D., ".....	1,200 00
Wm. H. Mahler, M. D., ".....	1,200 00
F. H. Dillingham, M. D., ".....	1,200 00
Thomas D. Swift, M. D., ".....	1,200 00
Samuel W. Smith, M. D., ".....	1,200 00
John F. Dunphy, M. D., ".....	1,200 00
George S. Conant, M. D., ".....	1,200 00
Thomas D. Yates, Disinfecter.....	1,080 00
Bartholomew McGowan, ".....	1,080 00
William Reynolds, ".....	1,080 00
William Cooney, ".....	1,080 00
William J. Purcell, Clerk.....	1,440 00
John Schnell, Messenger.....	900 00
Philip Schnell, Orderly.....	600 00

Fifth Division (Hospitals—Riverside and Reception):	
F. K. Priest, M. D., Resident Physician.....	\$1,200 00
D. P. Pease, M. D., Assistant Resident Physician.....	600 00
Christina Walsh, Matron.....	600 00
Mary Costello, Nurse.....	360 00
Sarah Costello, ".....	360 00
Kate Holden, ".....	360 00
Mary O'Connor, ".....	360 00
Mary Dowling, ".....	360 00

Edward Ballantyne, Clerk.....	\$300 00
Edwin P. McPhail, Engineer.....	780 00
Richard Toole, Orderly.....	300 00
John Stanton, ".....	240 00
Charles Baker, Boatman.....	180 00
John M. Haight, Fireman.....	240 00
Matthew McEntee, Helper.....	180 00
Mary Cassidy, Cook.....	216 00
Lizzie McEvoy, Waitress.....	168 00
Delia O'Neil, Laundress.....	120 00
Sarah Clark, Helper.....	96 00
Honora Sullivan, Helper.....	96 00
Ellen McCarthy, ".....	96 00
Maggie Brown, ".....	96 00
Hannah Ryan, ".....	96 00
Margaret M. Burn, Matron.....	240 00
William Burn, Orderly.....	240 00
Margaret O'Brien, Helper.....	96 00
Henry Rick, Captain Steamboat.....	1,000 00
Horace A. Green, Engineer Steamboat.....	1,000 00
Franklin Robinson, Fireman.....	300 00
John E. Stafford, Deckhand.....	300 00

Sixth Division (Inspection of New Buildings, Plumbing and Drainage):	
John C. Collins, Chief Inspector.....	\$3,000 00
John S. Berry, Inspector New Buildings.....	1,860 00
Patrick Golden, Inspector Plumbing and Drainage.....	1,860 00
Louis M. Hooper, ".....	1,560 00
Robert A. Johnston, ".....	1,260 00
Charles A. Hollick, ".....	1,260 00
Walter G. Elliott, ".....	1,260 00
Alexander Eagleson, ".....	1,260 00
Henri D. Dickinson, ".....	1,260 00
Alexander Hicinbothem, ".....	1,260 00
Edward J. Carroll, Clerk.....	960 00

Seventh Division, (Vital Statistics):	
John T. Nagle, M. D., Deputy Register.....	\$3,000 00
Louis Krashaar, Clerk.....	1,800 00
Jacob A. Weil, ".....	1,800 00
William L. Craig, ".....	1,680 00
Edward I. Gallagher, Clerk.....	1,300 00
Garret N. Ford, ".....	1,300 00
John H. Bazin, ".....	1,200 00
Gideon J. Tucker, ".....	1,200 00
Lewis Morris, ".....	1,150 00
Thomas E. Cone, M. D., Clerk.....	1,200 00
Jarvis N. Husted, M. D., ".....	1,200 00

Action of the Board on Plans for Light and Ventilation of New Tenement-houses. (January 6, 1885.)

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

- Plan No. 3053, for two tenement-houses at west side of North Third avenue, thirty-six feet south of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.
- Plan No. 3054, for two tenement-houses at Nos. 313 and 315 Madison street, conditionally.
- Plan No. 3058, for five tenement-houses at northeast corner of Ninth avenue and Forty-fifth street.
- Plan No. 3059, for one tenement-house at north side of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, between Willis and Brook avenues.
- Plan No. 3060, for one tenement-house at No. 437 East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street.
- Plan No. 3062, for two tenement-houses at corner of Seventy-third street and Park avenue.

Tabled for Amendment.

Resolved, That the following plans for light and ventilation of new tenement-houses be and are hereby tabled for amendment:

- Plan No. 3055, for one tenement-house at west side of Third avenue, one hundred and twenty-five feet south of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street.
- Plan No. 3061, for two tenement-houses at southeast corner of Third avenue and One Hundredth street.

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

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

- Plan No. 3129, for one restaurant building at No. 35 Rulge street.
- Plan No. 3169, for one factory at southeast corner of First avenue and Thirty-third street.
- Plan No. 3170, for seven tenement-houses, six on northwest corner of Thirty-second street and First avenue and one on south side of Thirty-third street, one hundred and twenty-five feet east of First avenue.
- Plan No. 3171, for one dwelling at west side of Morris avenue, fifty feet south of One Hundred and Forty-third street, conditionally.
- Plan No. 3172, for one dwelling at south side of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, one hundred and fifty feet west of Morris avenue.
- Plan No. 3173, for one dwelling at south side of One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, two hundred feet west of Madison avenue, conditionally.
- Plan No. 3176, for two tenement-houses at Nos. 98 and 100 Norfolk street.
- Plan No. 3176, for five tenement-houses at south side of One Hundred and Second street, fifty-five feet east of Fourth avenue, conditionally.
- Plan No. 3177, for three tenement-houses at Nos. 406, 408 and 410 West Forty-sixth street, conditionally.
- Plan No. 3178, for one tenement-house at south side of Forty-second street, one hundred feet west of Second avenue.
- Plan No. 3179, for two tenement-houses at Nos. 12 and 14 Pitt street.
- Plan No. 3180, for one tenement-house at No. 229 Stanton street, as amended.
- Plan No. 3181, for two tenement-houses at east side of Lexington avenue, thirty-three feet north of One Hundred and Eighth street, as amended.
- Plan No. 3182, for one dwelling at corner of Hull avenue, Suburban street and Bedford Park.
- Plan No. 3183, for one tenement-house at No. 152 Forsyth street.
- Plan No. 3184, for four dwellings at north side of One Hundred and Fortieth street, ninety feet west of Eighth avenue, conditionally.
- Plan No. 3185, for one slaughter-house at east side of First avenue, twenty-six feet north of Forty-fourth street.
- Plan No. 3186, for one dwelling at south side of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, three hundred feet west of Morris avenue, conditionally.
- Plan No. 3187, for four dwellings at north side of Ogden avenue, six hundred and ninety-five feet north of Union avenue, conditionally.
- Plan No. 3188, for one tenement-house at north side of One Hundred and Forty-second street, seventy-two feet west of Eighth avenue.
- Plan No. 3189, for one dwelling at north side of One Hundred and Sixty-third street, one hundred and fifty feet east of Washington avenue.

Tabled for Amendment.

Resolved, That Plan No. 3171, for the plumbing and drainage for three dwellings at south side of Suburban avenue, three hundred feet west of Decatur street, be and is hereby tabled for amendment.

- Violations of law in the plumbing and drainage of the following houses be and are referred to the attorney.
- Violation No. 2131, for one house at south side of Fifty-first street, seventy-three feet east of Tenth avenue.
- Violation No. 2164, for five houses at One Hundred and Thirty-second street, about three hundred and fifty feet east of Eighth avenue.
- Violation No. 2167, for one house at No. 130 East One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street.
- Violation No. 2201, for five houses at northwest corner of Sixty-seventh street and Tenth avenue.
- Violation No. 2223, for one house at northeast corner of Ninetieth street and Fifth avenue.

Sanitary Bureau.

The following is a record of the work performed in the Sanitary Bureau for the week ending January 10, 1885:

The total number of inspections made by the Sanitary Inspectors was 7,025.

The number of complaints returned by the Sanitary Inspectors was 1,274.

During the past week 242 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, 27 permits.

There were issued to consignees to discharge rags (in bulk, under bonds), 36 permits.

There were issued to remove manure from stables in the city, 1 permit.

There were issued to scavengers to empty, clean, and disinfect privy sinks, 59 permits.

At premises where contagious diseases were reported 39 visits were made, and 39 disinfections and 28 fumigations were performed.

The number of cases of contagious disease removed to Riverside Hospital was 21.

The number of vaccinations performed was 576, of which 110 were primary and 466 re-vaccinations.

There were seized and condemned 10,135 pounds of meat and 1,250 pounds of fish.

The number of specimens of milk examined was 86, the number of analyses made was 1, and the amount of fines imposed was \$10.

11,925 pounds of food unfit for use was seized and condemned.

The certificates of 627 births, 54 still-births, 205 marriages and 677 deaths, reported to have taken place in this city, were received by this Bureau during the week ending Saturday, January 10, 1885. This shows a decrease of 32 births and 41 marriages, and an increase of 7 still-births and 68 deaths, when compared with the number received during the preceding week; but when compared with the corresponding week of the year 1884, there was an increase of 108 births, 15 marriages, and 80 deaths, and the same number of still-births. Compared with the mortality reported during the preceding week, the deaths from croup decreased 12; typhoid fever, 4; diarrhoeal diseases, 4; inanition, 3; rheumatism and gout, 3; cancer, 11; phthisis pulmonalis, 6; bronchitis, 10; heart diseases, 12; aneurism, 1; marasmus, tabes mesenterica and scrofula, 2; meningitis and encephalitis, 8; convulsions, 3; apoplexy, 5; all diseases of the brain and nervous system, 3; premature and preterm births, 6; surgical operations, 1; while the deaths from measles increased 6; scarlatina 3; diphtheria, 6; typhus fever, 1; malarial fevers, 2; puerperal diseases, 2; alcoholism, 4; pneumonia, 3; hydrocephalus and tubercular meningitis, 10; cirrhosis and hepatitis, 3; gastritis, enteritis and peritonitis, 2; Bright's disease and nephritis, 12; cyanosis and atelectasis, 2; and drowning, 2. The number of deaths from whooping cough, erysipelas, cerebro-spinal fever and suicide was the same in the two successive weeks.

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

Table with columns for Week Ending, Disease, and Deaths of Children (Under 1 year, Under 2 years, Under 5 years).

The ages of 132 of the persons who died during the week were reported to be under one year; 201 under two years, 266 under five years, and 45 seventy years and over, which shows that the number of deaths of children under five years of age was 31 less than the number reported during the preceding week, and represent 39.29 per cent. of the total weekly mortality.

Deaths reported from Small-pox, Measles, Scarlatina, Diphtheria, Membranous Croup, Whooping Cough, Typhus, Typhoid, Cerebro-Spinal, and Malarial Fevers, in Institutions, Tenement and other Dwellings, with Average Age, Floor, and Ward where the Death occurred, and the Hour of Death, for the week ending January 10, 1885.

Table with columns for Disease, Location (In Houses, Canal Boats, etc.), Floor, and Average Age.

Table with columns for Disease, Ward (First, Second, etc.), and Total Deaths.

Hours at which Deaths Occurred.

Table with columns for Disease, Hour (1 o'clock to 12 o'clock), and Total.

Of the total number of deaths reported for the week, 136 were in institutions, 370 in tenement-houses, 150 in houses containing three families or less, 15 in hotels and boarding-houses, 6 in rivers, streets, boats, etc.; 4 were on the basement floor, 117 on the first, 178 on the second, 138 on the third, 59 on the fourth, 35 on the fifth, 3 on the sixth; 673 were stated to be residents of New York City and 4 non-residents; 69 were stated to be single, 175 married, 71 widowed, and the condition of 362 was not stated—these were children who had not attained a marriageable age.

The total number of burial permits issued during the week are as follows, viz.: City deaths, 677; still-births, 54; bodies in transitu, 12. Of the total burial permits issued for city and still-births, 71 were upon certificates received from the Coroners; 627 births, 205 marriages, 54 still-births; 677 deaths; 12 applications for transit permits were recorded, indexed, and tabulated; 143 searches of the registers of births, marriages, and deaths were made, and 10 transcripts of the birth record, 12 of marriage, and 77 of death were issued during the week.

The mean temperature for the week ending January 10, 1885, was 38.6 degrees Fahr., the mean reading of the barometer was 29.788, the mean humidity was 78, saturation being 100; the number of miles traveled by the wind was 1,578, and the total amount of rain-fall was 1.08 inches depth of water, as reported by D. Draper, Ph. D., Director of the New York Meteorological Observatory, Central Park.

The disposition of 658 deaths and still-births, or 90.01 per cent. of the total number reported, was in the following 14 cemeteries: Bayside (Jewish), 17; Calvary (Roman Catholic), 279; City pauper burial ground (undenominational), 82; Greenwood (undenominational), 41; Lutheran (undenominational), 97; Cypress Hills (undenominational), 21; Evergreen (undenominational), 46; Woodlawn (undenominational), 30; St. Michael's (Protestant Episcopal), 20; Union (Methodist Protestant), 1; Holy Cross (Roman Catholic), 5; Machpelah, L. I. (Jewish), 4; St. Raymond's (Roman Catholic), 7; Washington (undenominational), 8.

The distribution of deaths (actual mortality) for the week ending January 3, 1885, was in the following wards, viz.: First, 6; Second, 1; Third, 1; Fourth, 13; Fifth, 18; Sixth, 16; Seventh, 19; Eighth, 16; Ninth, 26; Tenth, 19; Eleventh, 39; Twelfth, 82; Thirteenth, 23; Fourteenth, 16; Fifteenth, 8; Sixteenth, 27; Seventeenth, 37; Eighteenth, 23; Nineteenth, 124; Twentieth, 47; Twenty-first, 42; Twenty-second, 54; Twenty-third, 19; Twenty-fourth, 7.

The actual mortality for the week ending January 3, 1885, was 683; this is 117 more than the number that occurred during the corresponding week of the year 1884, and 51 more than the average of the corresponding weeks of the past five years, and represents an annual death-rate of 25.78 per 1,000 persons living, the population estimated at 1,377,662.

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 26.90; Baltimore, 23.26; Boston, 26.76; New Orleans, 30.44; Cleveland, 20.24; Richmond, 20.80; Charleston, 35.80; Erie, 14.05; Lowell, 21.10; Worcester, 20.25; Cambridge, 19.60; Fall River, 24.87; Lawrence, 17.13; Lynn, 23.16; Pittsburgh, 20.80. Monthly returns—St. Louis, 20.0; Chicago, 21.80; New Haven, 15.8; Knoxville, 15.89; Salt Lake, 24.27; Grand Rapids, 9.43. Foreign cities—weekly returns—London, 18.6; Liverpool, 25.0; Birmingham, 20.8; Manchester, 26.5; Glasgow, 34.7; Edinburgh, 20.4; Dundee, 25.9; Dublin, 26.5; Belfast, 31.0; Cork, 26.0; Brussels, 27.3; Antwerp, 22.0; Ghent, 29.6; Paris, 23.49; Rome, 26.9; Turin, 32.2; Venice, 33.9; Berlin, 22.3; Vienna, 25.3; Copenhagen, 28.8; Stockholm, 25.4; Christiania, 19.29; Amsterdam, 29.2; Rotterdam, 24.7; The Hague, 22.6; Bombay, 26.76; Madras, 44.1; Geneva, with suburbs, 29.5; Basel, 20.1; Bern, 20.0; Warsaw, 27.01; Havre, 23.1; Prague and suburbs, 25.1; Zaragoza, 39.8; Lisbon, 25.2. Monthly returns—Buenos Ayres, 26.1; Sydney, 27.8.

By order of the Board.

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, December 18, 1884.

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

Communications

From—Inspector of Buildings—Forwarding reports of Examiners: on fire-escapes (13), on violations (5), on unsafe buildings (7), with recommendation. Referred back, with directions. Attorney—Additional information in the matter of communication from Pennsylvania Railroad Company. Filed, with directions. Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Notice relative to hearing on Final Estimate. Filed. Same—Copy of resolution requesting statement of unexpended balances of appropriations and of any unsettled claims or liabilities. Compliance directed. Same—Copy of resolution authorizing transfer of appropriation for current year. Filed. Inspector of Combustibles—Report of licenses and permits issued to 16th instant. Filed. Proposal of George H. Christie, for building house for Hook and Ladder Co. No. 15 (laid over on 11th instant), was referred to the Comptroller for action upon the sureties, and proposals of James H. Brady and Mahony Brothers were filed. Mr. N. Le Brun, Architect, reported non-compliance with directions and requirements by James Duffy, contractor for building house in East Sixty-seventh street; and as provided by terms of contract, a certificate that the said James Duffy, contractor, is willfully violating the conditions and covenants of his agreement, and executing them in bad faith, and that said contractor has neglected and refused to comply with directions, as required in writing so to do, was signed by the Board of Fire Commissioners, and ordered to be filed. On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

DECEMBER 19, 1884.

Present—President Cornelius Van Cott and Commissioner Henry D. Purroy.

Communications

From—Inspector of Buildings—Forwarding reports of Examiners: on fire-escapes (25), on violations (12), on unsafe buildings (2), with recommendation. Referred back, with directions. Inspector of Combustibles—Recommending discontinuance of legal proceedings. Approved and referred to the Attorney. On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

DECEMBER 20, 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 (4), on violations (10), on unsafe buildings (3), with recommendation. Referred back, with directions. On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

DECEMBER, 22, 1884.

Present—President Cornelius Van Cott and Commissioner Richard Croker.

Communications

From—Supply Clerk—Requisition for articles required, estimated cost, \$55. Ordered. Foreman-in-charge Repair Shops—Requisition for repairs to ladders, etc., estimated cost \$125. Ordered. Superintendent Repairs to Buildings—Requisitions for work at company quarters, estimated cost, \$210 and \$262.50. Ordered. Inspector of Buildings—Forwarding reports of Examiners: on fire-escapes (7), on violations (5), on unsafe buildings (4), with recommendation. Referred back, with directions. On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSSEN, Secretary.

DECEMBER 23, 1884.

Present—President Cornelius Van Cott and Commissioner Richard Croker.

Communication

From—Inspector of Buildings—Forwarding reports of Examiners: on fire-escapes (13), on violations (3), on unsafe buildings (3), with recommendation. Referred back, with directions. On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSSEN, Secretary.

DECEMBER 24, 1884.

Present—President Cornelius Van Cott and Commissioner Richard Croker.

Communications

From—Second Assistant Chief of Department—Report of members relieved from attendance at School of Instruction. Filed. Same—Reports of slight fires at Church of St. Paul, Fifty-ninth street and Ninth avenue, and at Metropolitan Opera House. Filed. Chief Second Battalion—Report of rescue of Buttrick family by Assistant Foreman William D. Frazer at fire No. 70 Baxter street, on 14th instant. Filed, with directions to enter on Roll of Merit. Foremen Engine Cos. Nos. 44 and 50—Reporting breaking of alarm-box keys. Filed. Assistant Engineer of Steamer John J. Naughton, of Engine Co. No. 16—Applying for promotion to Engineer of Steamer. Referred to Examining Board. Private John J. Price, of Engine Co. No. 2—Applying for advancement. Filed. Private Stephen A. Kent, of Engine Co. No. 23—Volunteering for instruction in Life Saving Corps. Filed. Inspector of Combustibles—Reporting violations of law. Referred back with directions to collect penalties. Fire Marshal—Reports for months of August and September. Filed. Inspector of Buildings—Forwarding reports of Examiners: on fire escapes (15), on violations (6), on unsafe buildings (13), with recommendation. Referred back, with directions. Attorney—Report for quarter ending September 30. Filed. C. G. Moritz, attorney—Inviting attention to draft of bill relative to inspection of steam boilers, etc. Referred to Commissioner Purroy. Grant, Gillespie & Co.—Offering to deliver a load of American Cannel coal, free of expense, for test. Accepted. Supply Clerk—Relative to supply of forage. Filed, with directions to advertise. Same—Requisition for articles required, estimated cost \$188. Ordered. Comptroller—Statement of condition of appropriation to 20th instant. Filed. Same—Requesting that all vouchers transmitted for payment contain a reference to law and ordinance authorizing the contracting of the debt. Compliance directed. Health Department—Report on Sanitary condition of premises corner Chambers and Centre streets. Referred to Committee on Repairs and Supplies. Department of Charities and Correction—Requesting that a special building signal be placed in Bellevue Hospital. Referred to Superintendent of Telegraph, for recommendation. George B. McLane—Commending Assistant Foreman Michael McAvooy for services rendered at fire Nos. 4 and 6 West Fourteenth street. Filed. Howard & James, attorneys—Petition of James H. Mappleson for discontinuance of several actions brought against him. Referred to Inspector of Buildings, for recommendation. L. T. Kruse—Requesting permit to use patent hose-bridge. Filed. H. S. Downs—Claim for damage to sign. Referred to Chief of Department, for investigation. William Anthony—Applying for appointment in the uniformed force. Laid over. Retail Dealers' Protective Association and M. Brennan—Claims against members of uniformed force. Filed, with directions to notify.

Detail Ordered.

Machinist Robert Clarke, Repair Shops, as Acting Engineer of Engine Co. No. 43. The draft of General Orders No. 14, current series, was read and approved, and promulgation ordered.

Bills

—audited and transmitted to the Comptroller for payment—

For the Current Year—Schedule No. 71.

Table with 2 columns: Name and Amount. Includes entries like Avery, Thomas C., apparatus, supplies, etc. \$10 00; Barr Co., Edward, 3 50; Chesebro & Whitman, 59 30; Clapp & Jones Mfg. Co., 29 35; Composite Iron Works Co., 75 00; Dunne, Thomas, 175 00; Gates, H. D. & Co., 200 00; Gutta Percha & Rubber Mfg. Co., apparatus, supplies, etc., 209 61; Illsley, Doubleday & Co., 142 25; Merrill, E. R., 3 36; McAnney, M. F., 10 00; National Stove Co., 797 48; Ogden & Wallace, 15 26; Pollock & Van Wagener, 23 40; Schwabland, John, 306 72; Shea, Joseph, 7 70; Wellman, W. P., trustee, 250 00; Willis, Thomas, 39 75; Wright, R. J., 546 69.

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On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSSEN, Secretary.

DECEMBER 26, 1884.

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

Communications

From—Inspector of Buildings—Forwarding reports of Examiners: on fire-escapes (17), on violations (8), on unsafe buildings (11), with recommendation. Referred back, with directions. Z. I. Pratt—Offering to place improvement in wheel runners on a Department apparatus for test, without expense. Referred to Chief of Department. On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSSEN, Secretary.

DECEMBER 27, 1884.

Present—President, Cornelius Van Cott and Commissioner Henry D. Purroy.

Communications

From—Inspector of Buildings—Forwarding reports of Examiners: on fire escapes (9), on violations (14), on unsafe buildings (4), with recommendation. Referred back, with directions. Foreman-in-charge Repair Shops—Recommending suspension of mechanical and laboring force from 5 P. M. this day to 1st proximo. Ordered. On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSSEN, Secretary.

CIVIL SERVICE ADVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

An open competitive examination for the position of Inspector of Provisions will take place on Monday, January 19, 1885, at 2.30 P. M., at No. 23 East Twentieth street.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S OFFICE—BUREAU OF LICENSES, NEW YORK CITY, January 17, 1885.

Number of licenses issued and amounts received therefor for the week ending Friday, January 16, 1885:

Table with 3 columns: DATE, NUMBER OF LICENSES, AMOUNTS. Rows for dates from January 10, 1885 to 16, 1885, and a Totals row.

THOMAS W. BYRNES, Mayor's Marshal.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

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

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

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

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

Room 78, Tribune Building, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. THE MAYOR, President; JAMES W. 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. ADOLPH L. SANGER, President Board of Aldermen. FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

City Library.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Bureau of Water Purveyor. No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. ALSTON CULVER, Water Purveyor.

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

Bureau of Streets. No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. GEO. E. BARCOCK, Superintendent.

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

Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park. MARTIN J. KRESE, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office. No. 15 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. EDWARD V. LOEW, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.

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

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

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

Nos. 1 and 3 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. FRANCIS TOMES, Collector of the City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets.

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

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

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

Office of the City Paymaster.

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

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation. Staats Zeitung Building, third floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. E. HENRY LACOMBE, Counsel to the Corporation. ANDREW T. CAMPBELL, Chief Clerk.

Office of the Public Administrator.

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

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

Headquarters.

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

Bureau of Chief of Department.

CHARLES O. SHAY, Chief of Department.

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

Bureau of Fire Marshal.

GEORGE H. SHELDON, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

WM. P. ESTERBROOK, Inspector of Buildings.

Attorney to Department.

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

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent of Telegraph, No. 155 and 157 Mercer street.

Central Office Fire Alarm Telegraph open at all hours.

Repair Shops.

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

Hospital Stables.

Ninety-ninth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues. JOSEPH SHEA, Foreman-in-Charge. Open at all hours.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

No. 36 Union Square, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. JOHN D. CRIMMINS, President; EDWARD P. BARKER, Secretary.

Civil and Topographical Office.

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

Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.

One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and Third avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. LUCIUS J. N. STARK, President; JOHN T. CUMING, Secretary.

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

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

Staats Zeitung Building, Tryon Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 3 P. M. THOMAS B. ASTEN, President; FLOYD T. SMITH, Secretary.

Office Bureau Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes. Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. CHARLES S. BEARDSLEY, Attorney; WILLIAM COMBERFORD, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

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

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE ADVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

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

BOARD OF EXCISE.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, DRY GOODS, HARDWARE, CROCKERY, LUMBER, AND PAINTS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

- GROCERIES. 6,000 pounds Dairy Butter; sample on exhibition Thursday, January 29, 1885. 2,000 pounds Cheese. 1,000 pounds Pepper. 500 barrels good sound Irish Potatoes, to weigh 168 pounds net per barrel, to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.

- DRY GOODS. 1,000 Toilet Quilts. 10 bales Cotton Batts, 50 pounds each, 16 ounces to the pound. 12 gross Plantation Combs. 12 gross Fine Combs. 6 gross Dressing Combs. 1,600 yards Linen Diaper.

- HARDWARE. 6 dozen Cast Butts, 4 in. 36 dozen Saw Files, 12-3 in., 12-4 in., 6-5 in., 6-6 in. 6 dozen Brass Drawer Locks. 6 dozen Small Closet Locks. 250 gross Screws, as per schedule. 100 pounds Shoe Tacks, 2 oz. 30 papers Tinned Rivets, 20-2 lbs., 10-3 lbs. 10 papers Black Rivets, 4 lbs. 6 dozen Stove Brushes. 12 dozen W. W. Brushes.

- CROCKERY. 5 gross Handled Mugs. 3 gross Chambers. 1 gross Lantern Globes.

- LUMBER. 10,000 feet prime quality Pine Shelving, dressed both sides. 250 Hemlock Joists, 3x4 inches. All Lumber to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.

- PAINTS. 250 pounds Red Lead, prime quality, ground in oil, 3-50, 4-25. 20 pounds English Vermilion, dry, in pounds. 100 pounds Indian Red, ground in oil, 14-5, 10-2, 10-1. 50 pounds Venetian Red, ground in oil, 7-5, 5-2, 5-1. 100 pounds Raw Sienna, ground in oil, 14-5, 10-2, 10-1. 200 pounds Burnt Umber, ground in oil, 5-10, 24-5, 10-2, 10-1. 50 pounds Raw Umber, ground in oil, 7-5, 5-10, 5-1. 100 pounds Chrome Yellow, ground in oil, 14-5, 10-2, 10-1. 500 pounds Chrome Green, ground in oil, 40-10, 15-5, 10-2, 5-1. 1 barrel Lampblack. 5 barrels prime quality Spanish Whiting.

will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M.; of Friday, January 30, 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, Crockery, Lumber, and Paints," with his or her name and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, January 19, 1885.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, JANUARY 6, 1885.

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

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—James Gallagher; committed December 9, 1884.

William Lyle; committed November 4, 1884. Sarah E. Howland; committed August 24, 1884.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Kate Roach; aged 35 years; 5 feet 1/2 inches high; brown eyes and hair.

Jennie Young; aged 32 years; 5 feet 3/4 inch high; brown eyes and hair.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Ada Carlow; aged 30 years; 5 feet 2 inches high; blue eyes, brown hair. Had on when admitted black cloak, brown striped dress, gaiters, black straw hat.

William White; aged 23 years; 5 feet 9 inches high; brown eyes, black hair. Had on when admitted black suit of clothes.

At Hart's Island Hospital—Bridget Tucker; aged 65 years.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order, G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, by the School Trustees of the Twenty-third Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Thursday, the 29th day of January, 1885, for erecting two Iron Stairways for Primary Department Grammar School-house No. 60, on Courland avenue, near One Hundred and Forty-eighth street.

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

The party submitting a proposal, and the parties proposing to become sureties, must each write his name, place of residence, and place of business on said proposal. Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, are required in all cases.

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

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

WILLIAM R. BEAL, L. A. FULLGRAFF, WILLIAM HOGG, SAMUEL SAMUELS, ALVAH TROWBRIDGE, Board of School Trustees, Twenty-third Ward.

Dated, New York, January 15, 1885.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, CITY OF NEW YORK, 31 AND 32 PARK ROW, NEW YORK, JAN. 14, 1885.

ASSESSMENT COMMISSION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT A MEETING of the Commissioners under the act, chapter 550 of the Laws of 1880, entitled "An act relating to certain assessments for local improvements in the City of New York," passed June 9, 1880, will be held at their office, No. 27 Chambers street, on Tuesday, January 20, 1885, at 2 o'clock P. M.

DANIEL LORD, JR., JOHN KELLY, ALLAN CAMPBELL, JOSEPH GARRY, Commissioners under the Act. JAMES J. MARTIN, Clerk.

THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

A STATED MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the College of the City of New York will be held at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, on Tuesday, January 20, 1885, at 4 o'clock P. M.

LAWRENCE D. KIERNAN, Secretary. Dated New York, December 12, 1884.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS, 117 AND 119 DUANE STREET, TO CONTRACTORS. (No. 221.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRING AND EXTENDING THE HOMEOPATHIC HOSPITAL PIER AT WARD'S ISLAND, EAST RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRING AND EXTENDING the Homeopathic Hospital Pier at Ward's Island, East river, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M., of

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

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

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

Table with 2 columns: Description and Feet B.M. measured in the work. Includes items like Yellow Pine Timber, White Pine, Oak Fender Piles, etc.

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

White Pine, Yellow Pine, Cypress or Spruce Piles, about 159 (It is expected that these piles will not have to be more than about 30 feet long, measured in the work, to comply with the specifications.)

White or Yellow Pine Mooring Piles, 5 (It is expected that these piles will have to be about 35 feet long, to comply with the specifications.)

Oak Fender Piles, 14 (It is expected that these piles will have to be about 35 feet long, to comply with the specifications.)

Spring and Cluster Piles, 25 (It is expected that these piles will have to be about 45 feet long, to comply with the specifications.)

Half-round Oak Fenders, about 11

Crib Logs, 40 to 45 feet, 56

Cast-iron Cleats, about 400 pounds.

Cast-iron pile shoes, about 891 "

1/4", 1/2", and 1" wrought-iron Screw Bolts, and 3/4" Ring Bolts, about 2,000 "

3/4" x 22", 3/4" x 20", 3/4" x 18", 3/4" x 16", 3/4" x 14", 3/4" x 12", 3/4" x 10", and 3/4" x 8" square wrought-iron Dock Spikes, about 8,000 "

Cast-iron Washers, about 1,265 "

3/8-inch Chain, about 350 "

Crib Stone, in place, about 142 cub. yds. (It is expected that sufficient stone for this purpose can be obtained out of the old crib work to be removed under this contract.)

Labor of removing so much of the old material of the existing pier as is to be removed under this contract.

Labor of every kind for repairing and extending the pier.

N. B.—As the above-mentioned quantities, though stated with as much accuracy as is possible, in advance, are approximate only, bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become part of every estimate received:

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

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

The bidder to whom the award is made shall give security for the faithful performance of his contract, in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance, in the sum of two thousand dollars.

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and all the work to be done under the contract is to be fully completed on or before the first day of April, 1885, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

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

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

any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder.

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

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

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

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

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

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

No estimate will be accepted from, or 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 right to decline all the estimates is reserved, if deemed for the interest of the Corporation of the City of New York.

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

LUCIUS J. N. STARK, WILLIAM LAIMBEER, JOHN R. VOORHIS, Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

Dated, New York, January 8, 1885.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS, 117 AND 119 DUANE STREET, TO CONTRACTORS. (No. 222.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRING THE CRIB BULKHEAD, AND ITS APPURTENANCES, ON RIVINGTON STREET, EAST RIVER; AND FOR REPAIRING PIER 61, EAST RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRING THE CRIB Bulkhead and its appurtenances, on Rivington street, East river, and for repairing Pier 61, East river, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

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

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

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

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

CLASS I. CRIB BULKHEAD ON RIVINGTON STREET, EAST RIVER.

1. New crib work above foundation cap, complete, including its fenders, backing logs, mooring posts, etc., about 20,825 cubic feet. Also the following additional quantities of labor and material:

Feet B.M. measured in the work.

2. Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 12", 2,352

" " 10" x 12", 560

" " 6" x 12", 75

" " 8" x 8", 650

Total, 4,237

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

3. Piles—Yellow Pine, White Pine, Cypress or Spruce..... 50
(It is expected that these piles will have to be from 35 to 40 feet long to meet the requirements of the specification for driving.)

4. Oak Fender Piles, about 55 feet long..... 2

5. Half-round Oak Fenders..... 12

6. $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 22", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 20", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 16", and $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 14" Square Wrought-iron Dock Spikes, about..... 695 pounds.

7. 1" Wrought-iron Screw Bolts, about..... 57 "

8. Cast-iron Washers, about..... 57 "

9. Labor of removing existing crib, and disposal of surplus material, according to the terms of the specifications.

10. Labor and material for relaying, paving and resetting curbing, for about 64 square yards.

11. Labor of back filling, grading, and labor of every description.

CLASS 2—PIER 61, EAST RIVER.

	Feet B.M., measured in the work.	
1. Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 12".....	6,960	
" " " 6" x 12".....	858	
" " " 4" x 12".....	480	
" " " 10" x 10".....	833	
" " " 8" x 8".....	905	
" " " 5" x 10".....	4,017	
" " " 3" plank.....	11,412	
Total.....	25,465	
2. Spruce Timber, 3" x 12".....	1,998	
" " " 4" Plank.....	24,472	
" " " 3" ".....	18,705	
Total.....	45,175	

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

3. Piles—White Pine, Yellow Pine, Cypress or Spruce..... 35
(It is expected that 42 of these piles will have to be from about 35 feet to about 45 feet long, to meet the requirements of the specifications for driving.)

4. White or Yellow Pine Mooring Piles..... 5

5. White or Yellow Pine Mooring Posts..... 1

6. Oak Fender and Spring Piles, about 45 feet long..... 29

7. Half-round Oak Fenders..... 14

8. $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 22", $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 16, $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 18", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 16", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 14", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 11", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 10", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 7", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 6", $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 9" square wrought-iron Dock Spikes, about 11,900 pounds.

9. $\frac{1}{2}$ ", $\frac{3}{4}$ " and 1" wrought-iron Screw bolts, about..... 1,182 "

10. Cast-iron Washers for $\frac{1}{2}$ ", $\frac{3}{4}$ " and 1" Screw Bolts, about..... 810 "

11. Cast-iron Cleats, about..... 390 "

12. $\frac{5}{8}$ " Wire Iron Chain, about..... 224 "

13. Wrought-iron Armature Plates and Bands, about..... 3,088 "

14. Material and labor for relaying pavement for about..... 23 square yards.

15. Material for painting and oiling or tarring.

16. Labor of removing portions of the existing pier, according to the terms of the specifications.

17. Labor of framing and carpentry, including all moving of timber, jointing, planing, bolting, spiking, etc., and labor of filling and grading, as set forth in the specifications.

N. B.—As all the above-mentioned quantities, though stated with as much accuracy as is possible, in advance, are approximate only, bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become part of every estimate received:

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

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

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and the entire work to be done under both or either of the above classes, is to be fully completed on or before the first day of April, 1885; and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

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

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

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

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at this office with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days from the date of 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 of the Corporation; and the contract will be re-advertised and relet, and so on until it be accepted and executed.

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

Each estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation of the City of New York

any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled on its completion, and that which said Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person 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 to be done in each class, by which the bids are tested; the consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York, after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be 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 by the Comptroller to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but, if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him by the Comptroller.

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

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

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

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

LUCIUS J. N. STARK,
WILLIAM LAMBEER,
JOHN R. VOORHIS,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

Dated, New York, January 8, 1885.

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

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

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

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 817 OF THE City Consolidation Act of 1882, it is hereby advertised that the books of "The Annual Record of the Assessed Valuations of Real and Personal Estate" of the City and County of New York, for the year 1885, will be open for examination and correction from the second Monday of January, 1885, until the first day of May, 1885.

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

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

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

JURORS
NOTICE
IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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 1762, No. 1. Regulating and grading, setting curb and flagging in Eighty-first street, from the Boulevard to Riverside Drive.

List 1839, No. 2. Regulating and grading, setting curb and flagging One Hundred and Fifty-third street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard.

List 1924, No. 3. Sewer in Lexington avenue, between Eighty-fifth and Eighty-sixth streets.

List 1934, No. 4. 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 the intersection of Eleventh avenue.

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-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 11 1/2 City Hall, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 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. 11 1/2 CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, November 29, 1884.

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, now in his custody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc., also small amount money taken from prisoners and found by patrolmen of this Department

JOHN F. HARRIOT,
Property Clerk

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

It becomes my duty to state that on and after the first day of April, 1885, all extra charges, such as steam-engines, bakeries, barbers, bathing-tubs, boarding-houses, boarding-schools, building purposes, horses, horse-troughs, hotels, porter-houses, taverns, etc., printing offices, stone cutting or dressing, slaughter-houses, dyeing, water-closets and urinals, laundries, restaurants, soda fountains, extra families, oyster and coffee saloons, water by meter measurement, meters and meter setting, and all other purposes for which the use of Croton water is chargeable according to law, are liens, and unless paid on or before the 30th day of April next must be returned to the Clerk of Arrears, with the amount due on each lot.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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 28th day of January, 1885, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten weekdays next after the said 28th day of January, 1885, and that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2 o'clock, P. M.

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

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

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

Dated New York, December 16, 1884.
HAROLD MORGAN SMITH,
E. HOGAN,
JOHN WHALEN,
Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.
INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

THE INTEREST ON THE BONDS AND STOCKS of the City of New York, due February 1, 1885, will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office in the Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street.

The Transfer Books will be closed from January 17 to February 1, 1885.
EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, January 10, 1885.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

REAL ESTATE RECORDS

THE ATTENTION OF LAWYERS, REAL Estate Owners, Monetary Institutions engaged in making loans upon real estate, and all who are interested in providing themselves with facilities for reducing the cost of examinations and searches, is invited to these Official Indices of Records, containing all recorded transfers of real estate in the City of New York from 1853 to 1885, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

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Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Angell, Comptroller's Office, New County Court-house."
EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller.

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