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IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings

OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT, No. 2 FOURTH AVENUE.

DETAILED STATEMENT OF SPECIFICATIONS FOR THE ERECTION OF BUILDINGS.

1. State how many buildings to be erected, *one*
2. How occupied; if for dwelling, state the number of families, *Engine Company, No. 5, N.Y. Fire Dept.*
3. What is the Street or Avenue, and the number thereof, *West 14th St. 165th W. 1st Ave*
4. On which side, North, South, East, or West, *South*
5. How many feet from the nearest street, *165 feet*
6. Whether North, South, East, or West of said street, *West*
7. What is the nearest street, *1st Ave.*
8. Size of lot, No. of feet front, *25.0*; No. of feet rear, *25.0*; No. of feet deep, *103.3*
9. Size of building, No. of feet front, *25.0*; No. of feet rear, *25.0*; No. of feet deep, *103.3*; No. of stories in height, *Three*; No. of feet in height, from curb level to highest point, _____
10. What will each building cost (exclusive of the lot), \$ *13,500*
11. What will be the depth of foundation walls, from curb level or surface of ground, *10.6* feet.
12. Will foundation be laid on earth, rock, timber, or piles, *earth*
13. What will be the base, stone or concrete, *stone footing*, if base stones, give size, and how laid, *12" thick, bedded in cement mortar*; if concrete, give thickness, _____
14. What will be the sizes of piers, *12" x 14" blue stone under wooden posts in cellar*
15. What will be the sizes of the base of piers, *24" x 14"*
16. What will be the thickness of foundation walls, *20"*, & *4 feet 2.6" piers* and of what materials constructed, *stone brick laid in cement mortar*
17. What will be the thickness of upper walls in 1st story, *12* inches; 2d story, *12* inches; 3d story, *12* inches; from thence to top, *Coping 8* inches; and of what materials to be constructed, *brick laid in cement & sharp grit sand mortar*
18. Whether Independent or Party walls; if Party walls, give thickness thereof, *Independent*
19. With what material walls to be coped, *Blue stone, walls to be carried up 24" above line of roof*
20. What will be the materials of front, *brick, iron & stone*; if of stone, what kind, *Brown stone*; give thickness of front *6"*, and thickness of backing thereof, *8"*
21. Will the roof be Flat, Peak, or Mansard, *Flat*
22. What will be the materials of roofing, *tile*
23. What will be the means of access to roof, *ladder leading to hose shaft*
24. What will be the materials of cornices, *galv. iron*

25. If there are to be skylights in roof, give size of same, and of what materials constructed, *Two Sky lights over extension, of galv. iron, about 6'0" x 6'0"*
26. Is the building to be provided with iron shutters or blinds, *no*
27. Give size and material of floorbeams, 1st tier, *3x12* x _____; 2d tier, *3x12* x _____; 3d tier, *3x12* x _____; 4th tier, _____ x _____; 5th tier, _____ x _____; 6th tier, _____ x _____; roof tier, *3x12* x _____. State distance from centres on 1st tier, *12* inches; 2d tier, *16* inches; 3d tier, *16* inches; 4th tier, _____ inches; 5th tier, _____ inches; 6th tier, _____ inches; roof tier, *20* inches.
28. If floors are to be supported by columns and girders, give the following information: Size and material of girders ^{under} 1st floor, *geo. p. 8" x 8"* x _____; 2d floor, _____ x _____; 3d floor, _____ x _____; 4th floor, _____ x _____; 5th floor, _____ x _____; 6th or roof girders, _____ x _____. Size and material of columns ^{under} 1st floor, *geo. p. 8" x 8"*; 2d floor, _____ x _____; 3d floor, _____ x _____; 4th floor, _____ x _____; 5th floor, _____ x _____; 6th or roof columns, _____ x _____.
29. What will be the distance of wooden girders, beams, or timbers, from all flues, *12"*
30. If any hoistways, state how protected, *hoist shaft protected by plank breastwork*
31. Will headers and trimmers be hung in stirrup-irons, *yes*
32. State if any hot air, steam, or other furnaces, *hot air, flues, lined with tin*
33. If the front, rear, or side walls are to be supported in whole or in part, by iron girders or lintels, give definite particulars, *the two upper stories of rear of front bldg. will be supported upon a girder formed of three 15" rolled light beams with c. iron separators*
34. If girders are to be supported by brick piers and columns, state the size of piers and columns, _____
35. Will a Fire-Escape be provided, *no*

IF THE BUILDING IS TO BE OCCUPIED AS A TENEMENT HOUSE, GIVE THE FOLLOWING PARTICULARS:

36. State how many families are to occupy each floor, and the whole number in the house; also, if any part is to be used as a Store or for other business purposes, state the fact, _____
37. What will be the heights of ceilings on 1st story, _____ feet; 2d story, _____ feet; 3d story, _____ feet; 4th story, _____ feet; 5th story, _____ feet; 6th story, _____ feet.
38. State if a fire-escape is to be provided, and what kind, _____

39. If any wood houses, state where located, and of what materials, _____

40. How is the building to be ventilated, _____

41. How are the hall partitions to be constructed and of what materials? _____

42. How are the stairways to be constructed and of what materials? _____

43. How are the floors and ceilings of the cellar and first story to be constructed? _____

44. If there is any building already erected on the front or rear of the lot, give size of the same, state how occupied, (if for a tenement, state by how many families,) and how many feet of space there will be between the building proposed to be erected, and the one already erected, _____

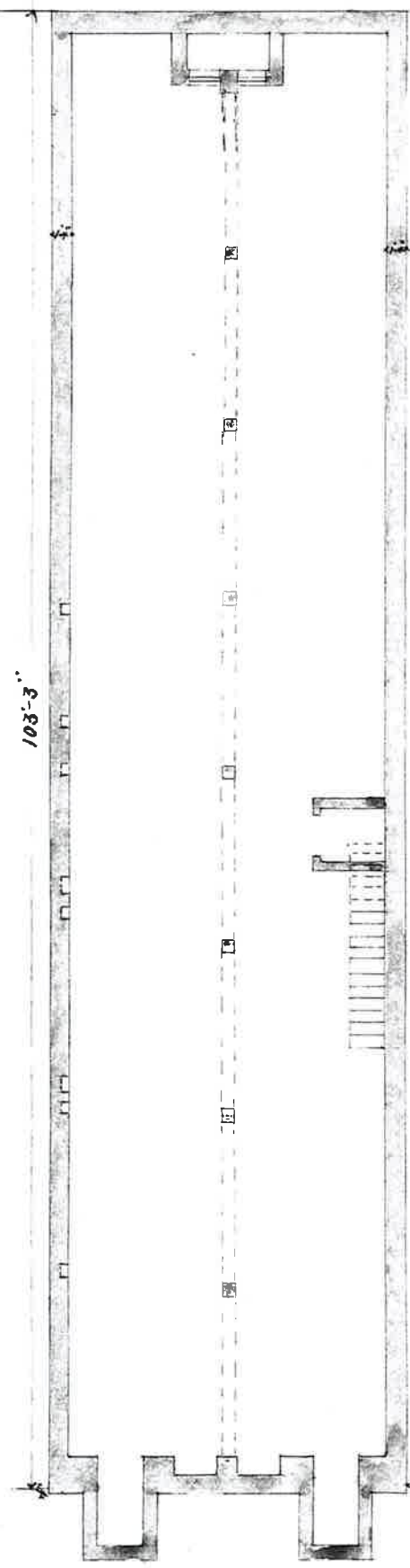
45. Will all materials and workmanship be in accordance with the requirements of the law, _____
46. If any walls already built are to be used as party-walls, fill up the application below.

APPLICATION TO USE PARTY-WALLS.

The undersigned gives notice that _____ intends to use the _____ wall of building _____ as party-wall in the erection of the building described above, and respectfully requests that the same be examined and a permit granted therefor. The foundation wall _____ built of _____, _____ inches thick; the upper wall _____ built of _____, _____ inches thick, _____ feet in height, _____ feet deep, _____

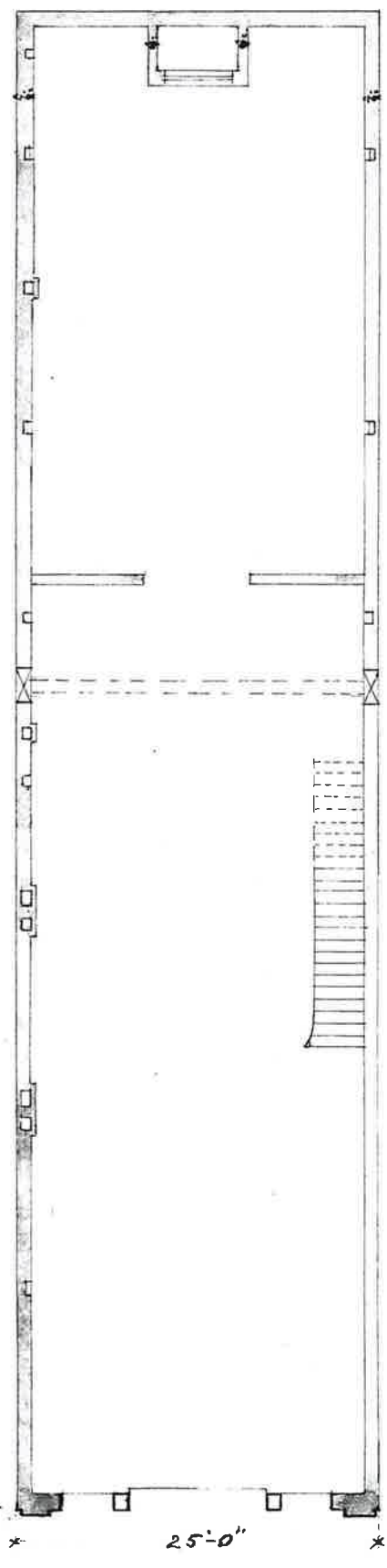
(SIGN HERE,)

Owner *City of New York* Address *155 & 157 Mercer St.*
 Architect *N. LeBrun* Address *24 Park Place*
 Contractor *John McQuire* Address *236 E. 37th St.*
 Carpenter _____ Address _____

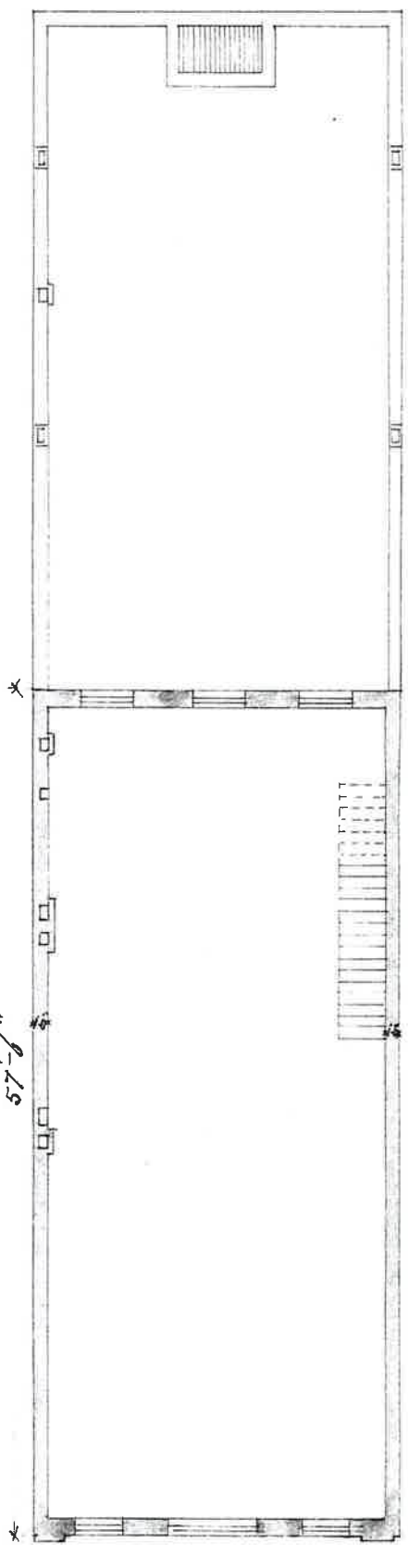


Cellar.

Scale, 12' to 1 inch.



1st Floor.



2nd Floor.

A. L. Brun & Son, Arch^{ts}

*Plan for No. 5 Equino house
14th St. W. of Ave. N. Y. City.*

MEMORANDA.

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The

Department of Buildings.
Bureau of Inspection of Buildings
DETAILED STATEMENT OF SPECIFICATIONS

FOR

NEW BUILDINGS

No. 663 Submitted Aug 5 1880

LOCATION
S. E. 14th St. 165' W. 1st Ave

Owner City of New York

Architect N. Le Brun

Builder John McQuinn

Referred to 18

Returned by 18

Report favorable.

New York, Aug 6th 1880

This is to Certify that I have examined the within detailed statement, together with a copy of the plans relating thereto, and find the same to be in accordance with the provisions of the Laws relating to Buildings in the City of New York: that the same has been approved (subject to the rules and regulations of the Health Department, as applied to buildings), and entered in the records of this Department.

Inspector, Superintendent of Buildings.

Referred to Inspector 5th Dist

Aug. 13th 1880

Returned 1881

John Riley
Inspector.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS,
CITY OF NEW YORK

Form No. 2-1896.

Plan No. 2086

APPLICATION TO ALTER, REPAIR, Etc.

Application is hereby made to the Superintendent of Buildings of the City of New York, for the appraisal of the detailed statement of the specifications and plans herewith submitted, for the alteration or repair of the building herein described. All provisions of the Building Law shall be complied with in the alteration or repair of said building, whether specified herein or not.

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(Sign here) Maudy V. Cutter
Asst. Insp. Supt. N.Y. Fire Dept.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28, 1899.

1. State how many buildings to be altered. One
2. What is the street or avenue and the number thereof? Give diagram of property. 340 East 14th Street.
3. How much will the alteration cost? \$ 6000.⁰⁰

GIVE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION AS TO THE PRESENT BUILDING:

1. Size of lot on which it is located, No. of feet front, 25; feet rear, 25; feet deep, 102'6"
2. Size of building, No. of feet front, 25; feet rear, 25; feet deep, 102'6" No. of stories in height, Three; No. of feet in height from curb level to highest point of beams, 44
3. Material of building, Brick; material of front, Brick
4. Whether roof is peak, flat, or mansard, Flat.
5. Depth of foundation walls 10 feet; thickness of foundation walls, 16"; materials of foundation walls, Brick.
6. Thickness of upper walls, 12 inches. Material of upper walls, Brick
7. Whether independent or party walls, Independent
8. How the building is or was occupied, Engine House

IF TO BE RAISED OR BUILT UPON, GIVE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

1. How many stories will the building be when raised? _____
2. How high will the building be when raised? _____
3. Will the roof be flat, peak, or mansard? _____
4. What will be the thickness of wall of additional stories? _____ story, _____ inches; _____ story, _____ inches.
5. Give size and material of floor beams of additional stories; _____ 1st tier, _____, _____ x _____ 2d tier, _____, _____ x _____ Distance from centres on _____ tier, _____ inches; _____ tier _____ inches.
6. How will the building be occupied? _____

IF TO BE EXTENDED ON ANY SIDE, GIVE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION.

1. Size of extension, No. feet front, _____; feet rear, 25; feet deep, 27; No. of stories in height, Two; No. of feet in height, 37ft in height on 2nd & 3rd stories. The rear wall of cellar and 1st story is 16 feet above curb level
2. What will be the material of foundation walls of extension? Brick. What will be the depth? 10 feet. What will be the thickness? 16 inches.
3. Will foundation be laid on earth, sand, rock, timber or piles? Earth.

IF TO BE EXTENDED ON ANY SIDE GIVE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION.

4. What will be the base, stone or concrete? concrete If base stones, give size and thickness and how laid, _____ If concrete, give thickness, 12"
5. What will be the sizes of piers? _____ What will be the sizes of the base of piers? _____
6. What will be the thickness of upper walls? 1st story, 12 inches; 2d story 12 inches; 3d story, 12 inches; 4th story, _____ inches; 5th story, _____ inches; 6th story, _____ inches; 7th story, _____ inches; from thence to top, _____ inches; and of what materials to be constructed, Brick
7. State whether independent or party-walls. Independent If party-walls give thickness thereof. _____
8. With what material will walls be coped? Blue stone
9. What will be the materials of front? _____ If of stone, what kind? _____ Give thickness of front ashlar. _____ Give thickness of backing. _____
10. Will the roof be flat, peaked or mansard? Flat
11. What will be the materials of roofing? Tim.
12. Give size and material of floor beams, 1st tier, Steel I Beams 21 lbs per ft.; 2d tier, 3" x 12"; 3d tier, 3" x 12"; 4th tier, _____; 5th tier, _____; 6th tier, _____; 7th tier, _____; roof tier, 3" x 12" State distance from centres on 1st tier, 5' 10" inches; 2d tier, 16 inches; 3d tier, 16 inches; 4th tier, _____ inches; 5th tier, _____ inches; 6th tier, _____ inches; 7th tier, _____ inches; roof tier, 20 inches
13. If floors are to be supported by columns and girders, give the following information: Size and material of girders under 1st floor, Two 7" steel I Beams 21 lbs per ft. under each of the upper floors, _____ Size and material of columns under first floor, 6" int. iron pipe 1/2 in metal under each of the upper floors, _____
14. If the front, rear or side walls are to be supported, in whole or in part, by iron girders or lintels, give definite particulars, The two upper stories of rear wall is supported by two 15 in steel I Beams 50 lbs per ft.
15. If girders are to be supported by brick piers and columns, state the size of piers and columns. 6 in int. iron columns 1/2 in metal
16. How will the extension be connected with present or main building? On 2nd + 3rd stories the new extension will form part of (old or) present building
17. How will the extension be occupied? If for dwelling purposes, state how many families are to occupy each floor. Fire Engine House.
18. State who will superintend the alterations. Bldg. Supt. N.Y. Fire Dept.

IF ALTERED INTERNALLY, GIVE DEFINITE PARTICULARS AND STATE HOW THE

BUILDING WILL BE OCCUPIED:
 The present apparatus floor will be removed and replaced with new apparatus floor composed of 4 in steel I Beams 21 lbs per ft. about 5' 10" apart supported on girder at centre by two 4 in steel I Beams 21 lbs per ft. under will rest on 6" int iron columns 1/2 in metal about 14' 8" apart. Columns will set on blue stone 18" square 8" thick, blue stone to set on foundation of concrete 3 ft square 12" thick, the space between the beams will be filled in with 4 in bonded brick arches and covered with about 4 in of concrete and cement, above the crown of arch. They will be blue stone templates for beams + girders built in walls, beams and girders will have all necessary tie rods, separators, + standard connections, columns to have caps + bases. The present hose shaft will be removed and replaced with new one composed of solid fire proof blocks set between 3 in steel I beams, angles + channels extending from first story to roof. New toilet room will be built at rear of 2d story.

IF THE FRONT, REAR, OR SIDE WALLS, OR ANY PORTION THEREOF, ARE TO BE TAKEN OUT AND REBUILT, GIVE DEFINITE PARTICULARS, AND STATE IN

WHAT MANNER:

Portion of the present rear wall of the first story and the present rear wall of the second and third stories will be removed. Portion of the present side walls of extension will be taken down to the height of about the top of the second story beams. The old walls to be used to form a portion of the new envelope and side walls as shown. These will be new walls built at the rear of first story and cellar as shown, which will form the enclosing of the first story. At a distance of about 8' 5" from the street line at the rear of main building a new rear wall will be built in the second and third stories and carried up to the roof. Present brick wall will be extended at the rear of new hose loft which will be covered with tim. and filled in between the studs with fire proof material. New metal skylights will be put in roof of first story extension, and hose loft. New chimney flue will be built for furnace. The new rear wall of 2nd + 3rd stories will be supported on two 15 in steel I Beams 50 lbs per ft.