

OAKLAND, No. 3—Located in new engine-house on Eighth street, near Wood. This new steamer went into commission April 1st, 1876. It is a second-class Silsby, costing \$5,000. William Myles, Foreman; George Demorest, Engineman; William Ennis, Driver; D. Cronion, Hose Driver; J. E. Bacon, P. McQuade, M. M. Kelly, A. H. Myers and John Farrell, Extramen.

BROOKLYN, No. 3—This is a volunteer company, with apparatus located on East Twelfth street, East Oakland. It was organized in May, 1869. It is supplied with a hand-engine, of the Jeffries manufacture. The company numbers 53 men. It is probable that this company will soon become a component part of the regular paid Fire Department of Oakland, in which case it will have the title of Brooklyn, No. 4. James Moffatt, Foreman; E. Lawrence, First Assistant; George Lewis, Second Assistant; William Hamilton, President; George Chase, Secretary; H. Tum Suden, Treasurer.

RELIEF HOOK AND LADDER Co., No. 1—Located on Sixth street, between Broadway and Washington. The truck is now drawn by two horses. The company is composed of eight men. J. O. Sarpy, Foreman; W. Ennis, Driver; J. G. Robinson, Tillerman; George Farwell, P. Skirrington, E. Campbell, Charles Ellis and J. C. Orr, Extramen.

Cisterns are located as follows: On the corner of Second and Broadway, Third and Broadway, Fourth and Broadway, Eighth and Broadway, Thirteenth and Broadway. The construction of two additional cisterns—one at the intersection of Eighth and Wood streets, and one in East Oakland near Fourteenth street and Twelfth avenue—is proposed and will probably soon be accomplished.

Eleven new hydrants were constructed during 1875, in addition to the fifty-four previously in use. The location of the new hydrants is as follows: Corner Fourteenth and Harrison streets; Webster street, between Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets; corner Franklin and Bernie streets; corner Broadway and Durant streets; corner Jackson and Fourteenth streets; corner Tenth and Poplar streets; corner Eighth and Filbert streets; corner Fifth avenue and East Fourteenth streets; Harrison street, between Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets; corner Ninth avenue and East Fourteenth streets; corner Twelfth and Webster streets.