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DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Abstract of transactions of the Department of Finance for the week ending March 24, 1877.

Deposits in the Treasury.

On account of the Sinking Fund	\$19,277 77
" " City Treasury	151,589 58
Total	\$170,867 35

Bonds and Stocks Issued.

Four per cent. Bonds	\$300,000 00
Five per cent. Bonds	15,000 00
Five per cent. Stock	18,000 00
Total	\$333,000 00

Warrants Registered and Ready for Payment.

Aqueduct—Repairs and Maintenance	\$153 82
Assessment Fund	2,000 00
Boulevards, Roads, and Avenues, Maintenance of	122 42
Cleaning Markets	70 96
Cleaning Streets under Police Department	59,791 66
College of the City of New York	2 00
Contingencies—Law Department	1,901 00
Croton Water-main Fund	1,259 77
Dock Fund	15,676 14
Election Expenses	1,742 11
Examining Old Claims and Accounts	133 15
Fire Department Fund	6,761 52
For Use and Occupation of Armories and Drill-rooms in the City of New York	10,000 00
Interest on the City Debt	10,628 73
Judgments	19,053 42
Jurors' Fees	84 30
Lamps and Gas	63,464 25
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places	2,396 63
Maintenance and Government of Public Places, Roads, Avenues, and Bridges, including Bridges over Bronx river, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards	1,026 25
Police Fund	266,866 66
Police Station-houses—Alterations, Fitting-up, etc	1,666 66
Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books	824 34
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs	1,696 92
Public Charities and Correction	15,576 87
Public Instruction	7,111 58
Publication of CITY RECORD and Advertising	64 00
Redemption of Debt of Annexed Territory of Westchester County	23,618 89
Repairing and Keeping in Order Wooden and Concrete Pavements	180 00
Repairs and Renewal of Pavements	584 64
Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc	1,642 32
Roads and Avenues, and Sprinkling	381 73
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning	378 83
Sheriff's Fees	74 00
Street Improvement Fund	6,849 34
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices	2,402 31
Supplies for Police	5,833 33
Total	\$532,020 55

CLAIMS FILED.

NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.
Warren & Nilen	\$800 00	For grading and paving East Eighteenth street, from Second to Third avenue	M. A. Gearon.
John Hogan	6,064 00	For granite furnished in 1875, for Third District Court-house	J. H. Strahan.
P. K. & J. A. Horgan	21,379 27	For mason work and materials furnished for bell-tower and prison, 1874 and 1875	"
do	59,768 74	For mason work, etc., in 1876	"
Greater, Keller & Cheeny, assignees	9,983 20	For work, etc., on Bellevue Hospital, by John Elder, Jr.	
Jacob Weber	47 43	For return of assessment paid July 22, 1872, for opening Morningside Park, Nos. 44 to 47, etc	Johnson & Ward.
Charles L. Thatcher	240 00	For transcripts in August, 1871	
Robert Hall	92 00	For damages to carriage, December 23, 1876, at Forty-second street and Lexington avenue	J. M. Levy.
James H. Riley, assignee	1,041 25	For labor on Tenth avenue Boulevard, 1871	
Michael Cohn	20,000 00	For damages for personal injuries, March 21, 1877	
Michael J. Bannon	51,822 62	For regulating, grading, curb, gutter, and flagging Ninety-sixth street, from Second to Fifth avenue	J. H. Strahan.

SUITS, ORDERS OF COURT, JUDGMENTS, ETC.

COURT.	PLAINTIFF OR RELATOR.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION, ETC.	ATTORNEY.
Supreme..	Louisa D. Kane	\$2,500 00	For damages for taking of bulkhead at West and Clarkson streets by Department of Docks, and for possession of bulkhead	R. S. Emmet.
"	Walter Langdon	5,000 00	For damages for taking of bulkhead at West and King streets by Department of Docks, and for possession of bulkhead	"
"	Matthew Wilks	5,000 00	For damages for taking of bulkhead at West and King streets by Department of Docks, and for possession of bulkhead	"
"	Matthew Wilks and wife	2,500 00	For damages for taking of bulkhead at West and King streets by Department of Docks, and for possession of bulkhead	"
"	Woodbury G. Langdon	5,000 00	For damages for taking of bulkhead at Hamersly and West streets by Department of Docks, and for possession of bulkhead	"
"	Marian Langdon et al.	5,000 00	For damages for taking of bulkhead at Hamersly and West streets by Department of Docks, and for possession of bulkhead	"
"	Woodbury G. Langdon	6,000 00	For damages for taking of bulkhead at Leroy and West streets by Department of Docks, and for possession of bulkhead	"
"	Cecilia L. Nottbeck	5,000 00	For damages for taking of bulkhead at Leroy and West streets by Department of Docks, and for possession of bulkhead	"
"	Isabel Laportas	405 50	Notice of Judgment	C. A. H. Bartlett.
"	Sam'l B. Amory et al.	1,883 00	For award in the matter of opening Sixth avenue, from Bloomingdale road to One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street	J. M. Glover.
"	Benjamin F. Miller	666 00	Notice of Judgment	C. S. McKay.
"	F. Sheridan, assignee	6,757 05	For plumbing work performed by Morgan Jones, in 1871 and 1872	C. P. Shaw.
"	Hugh Smith and Wm. M. Tweed, Jr.	192,238 31	For costs, etc., in the matter of Riverside Park opening	Stanley, Brown & C.
"	John Fitzgerald	1,100 00	For award for damages in the matter of grading, etc., One Hundred and Thirty-first street	J. A. Deering.
"	John D. Ottewell	615 91	For steam-fitting in County Jail in 1872, and for ash buckets and repairs in 1874	G. E. Home.
"	John De Wint Hook et al.	2,224 03	Notice of Judgment	J. H. Hammersley.
"	William Clancy	75 00	For balance of salary as Janitor, Fifth District Court, January, February and March, 1876	H. Stiefel.
"	James Mead	142 05	For newspapers furnished to Department of Public Works, in 1871	J. H. Strahan.
Superior..	Frank E. Towle	3,200 73	Summons—Complaint not served	Wingate & Cullen.
"	Brooke Portley vs. W. C. Dickel et al.	Order to pay to Receiver \$10,000, award for rent of drill-room at Nos. 7 to 11 West Thirteenth street	B. Portley.
Com. Pleas	James Keese	1,500 00	For services in Surrogate's office, September 1, 1868, to January 1, 1870	M. Campbell.
"	Edward Condon	5,000 00	For damages for injuries sustained by falling of St. Andrew's Church, February 25, 1875	D. R. Lyddy.
"	A. J. Vanderpoel	294 18	For disbursements as Attorney to Police Department, in 1871	Vanderpoel, G. & C.
"	Wm. E. Worthen	7,648 78	Notice of Judgment	
"	Benj. S. Pike et al.	Order to set aside sale for assessment for sewer in Forty-seventh and Forty-ninth streets	J. Townshend.
"	David Jones	767 24	Notice of Judgment	H. G. Batchellor.

Opening of Proposals.

The Comptroller attended the opening of proposals on March 21, 1877, at the Fire Department, for furnishing miscellaneous materials and supplies, embraced in Classes 1 to 8 inclusive, as per advertisement of said Department, dated March 1, 1877, for the purchase of horse manure from the Fire Department for one year, commencing April 1, 1877, and for furnishing and laying 600 feet of telegraph cable across Little Hell Gate, between Randall's and Ward's Islands.

Approval of Sureties on Proposals.

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

March 19—For furnishing 3,000 tons of coal to Department of Public Charities and Correction for distribution to the out-door poor.

James H. Graham, Avenue A and Ninetieth street, Principal.
Charles Jones, 203 East Eighty-second street, Sureties.
James Gonoude, 241 East Eightieth street, Sureties.

March 20—For furnishing 5,000 barrels fresh burnt Portland cement for use of the Department of Docks.

Johnson & Wilson, 96 Liberty street, Principals.
John P. Kennedy, 10 East Forty-seventh street, Sureties.
Samuel G. Courtney, Highbridge, Sureties.

March 20—For furnishing to Department of Public Parks 1,000 cubic yards of broken stone for roads of Twenty-fourth Ward.

Forsyth & Robert Sherman, Riverdale, Principals.
Alex. Forsyth, Woodlawn, Sureties.
James Cooper, Riverdale, Sureties.

March 23—For furnishing 13,500 gross tons of coal for use of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.

Edward L. Carey, 58 and 60 Cherry street, Principal.
William R. Roberts, Metropolitan Hotel, Sureties.
William Colligan, 58 Monroe street, Sureties.

Return of Proposal.

Proposal of Edward L. Carey, for furnishing 13,500 tons of coal for use of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, returned to said Department for action on the application of Mr. Carey for the substitution of William Colligan, No. 58 Monroe street, as one of the sureties thereon, in the place of Nicholas Kane, 96 Madison street, who originally executed the said proposal as surety.

Official Bond Approved.

Bond of Hugh M. Brady, Deputy Collector of City Revenue, \$2,000.
Joseph F. Rogers, Henry Hellmers, James Barclay, Sureties.

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, {
March 21, 1877. }

The Board of Commissioners met this day.
Present—President Joseph L. Perley, in the chair, and Commissioners Roswell D. Hatch and Vincent C. King.
Affidavits of Supervisor of City Record of publication of advertisements, dated March 1, 1877, were read and filed.
Forms of contract were submitted by the President and laid over.

Proposals

were received and opened in the presence of the Comptroller, as follows:

For Furnishing Materials, Supplies, etc.

No. 1. From Walsh, Coulter & Flagler—
Class 4, \$2,843.91; Class 7, \$1,847.97.
No. 2. From George W. Hartt—
Class 8, \$1,994.86.
No. 3. From John Peyer—
Class 8, \$2,096.64.
No. 4. From the Allen Fire Department Supply Co.—
Class 6, \$3,871.24; Class 7, \$1,944.80.
No. 5. From George W. Sears—
Class 4, \$2,787.96; Class 6, \$3,602.85; Class 7, \$1,590.34.
No. 6. From A. H. Downer—
Class 1 (part only), \$532.50.
No. 7. From M. Feigel & Bro.—
Class 1, \$3,330.75.
No. 8. From Hopping & Felch—
Class 4, \$2,952.58.
No. 9. From F. O. Pierce & Co.—
Class 1, \$3,152.73.
No. 10. From Charles T. Chester—
Class 2, \$1,896.25; Class 3, \$1,559.68.
No. 11. From Guy C. Hotchkiss, Field & Co.—
Class 1, \$3,280.10; Class 2, \$2,063.50; Class 3, \$1,286.03; Class 4, \$2,922.35;
Class 5, \$1,680.05; Class 6, \$3,654.67; Class 7, \$1,727.06; Class 8, \$1,959.06.
No. 12. From James S. Barron & Co.—
Class 4, \$2,829.03.
Which were laid over.

For furnishing and laying Telegraph Cable across Little Hell Gate.

No. 1. From Sarah Bishop, for \$500. Which was laid over.
Pending the opening of the above the following proposals were received, opened, read and disposed of, as follows:

For Furnishing Materials, Supplies, etc.

No. 13. From F. W. Devoe & Co., received at 9:37 A. M.—
Class 1, \$2,943.77.
No. 14. From L. G. Tillotson & Co., received at 9:37 A. M.—
Class 1, \$3,074.45; Class 2, \$2,067.50; Class 3, \$1,414.98; Class 4, \$2,844.45;
Class 5, \$4,026.99; Class 7, \$1,602.92.
No. 15. From P. W. Mead, received at 9:40 A. M.—
Class 1, \$2,995.71.
No. 16. From Pearce & Jones, received at 9:52 A. M.—
Class 3, \$1,315.55.
Which were laid over.

The Comptroller retired.

The minutes of the meetings held on the 14th and 17th instant were read and approved.

Proposal.

was received, at 10 A. M., from L. G. Tillotson & Co., for furnishing, etc., telegraph cable for \$710, and marked No. 2.

Communications

were received and disposed of, as follows:

From—
The President, returning report of inspection of the uniformed force, with information that action has been taken upon the recommendations, etc., where deemed advisable. Filed.

Chief of Department, recommending changes in bill of dress. Approved, with directions to promulgate in orders, and filed.

Inspector of Combustibles—List of names, etc., of thirteen applicants for licenses for sale of kerosene oil. Filed, and following resolution adopted:

Resolved, That the applications for licenses for the sale and storage of kerosene oil, presented by the Inspector of Combustibles, at this meeting, be and the same are hereby granted.

Same, reporting violations of law. Filed, and following resolution adopted:

Resolved, That Albert A. Holter, of No. 127 Greene street, be and is hereby fined \$50 for violation of section 4, chapter 742, Laws of 1871; and that Hugh Auchincloss, of No. 17 West Forty-ninth street, and Samuel B. Dana, of No. 60 West Nineteenth street, be and are hereby fined \$5 each, for violations of section 9, chapter 742, Laws of 1871, and that the Inspector of Combustibles be and is directed to enforce the collection of the penalties.

Same, relative to kerosene oil refinery, Banks and West streets, and forwarding diagram of the premises. Filed, with directions to notify proprietors of provisions of law.

Fire Marshal—Report of operations for month of February. Filed.

Examining Board—Reports of examination of following applicants for promotion:

Engineer of Steamer Joseph Shaw, of Engine Co. No. 12.

Fireman Henry F. Mackey, of Engine Co. No. 17.

“ Francis Egan, of Engine Co. No. 28.

“ George S. Searle, of Engine Co. No. 43.

“ Sidney Vredenburgh, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 4.

Filed.

Superintendent of Telegraphs, relative to repairs to telegraph machinery. Referred back, with directions to have repairs made.

Medical Officer, recommending extension of leave of absence to Foreman Thomas Coyle, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 16. Granted, on half-pay, and filed.

Same, recommending extensions of leaves of absence to

Fireman Paul Bauer, of Engine Co. No. 1.

“ James McLaughlin, of Engine Co. No. 4.

“ James Bulkey, of Engine Co. No. 43.

“ Alphonso Doncourt, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 7.

Granted and filed.

Same, recommending that Fireman William Cahill, of Engine Co. No. 5, be excused from fire duty. Approved and filed.

Superintendent of Horses, recommending that two horses be sent to pasture. Referred back, with directions to carry out recommendation.

Same, returning communication relative to purchase of two horses, with report of selection and estimate of cost, \$680.00. Referred back with directions to purchase.

Chief of Battalion in charge of Repair Shop—Report of damage to private property at test of Engine Co. No. 24, with estimate of cost of repairs required. Referred back with directions.

Same, recommending repairs at quarters of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 14. Referred back for particulars.

Same—Requisition for repairs to steam gauges; estimated cost, \$10.00. Referred back with directions to have repairs made.

Same—Requisition for supplies; estimated cost \$5.47. Referred to the Supply Clerk with directions to purchase.

Same—Requisition for nozzles for the chemical engines. Referred back for information.

Foreman of Engine Co. No. 17, reporting assistance rendered by W. P. Allen, at fire No. 24 Ludlow street, on 11th instant. Filed.

Foreman of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 11, recommending locating of duplicate key for fire alarm box No. 329. Filed, with directions to issue.

Fireman John Reilly, of Engine Co. No. 20, requesting transfer. Filed.

Arctic Insurance Company, applying for a badge. Laid over.

Farragut Fire Insurance Company, applying for a badge. Granted and filed.

Cyrus W. Field, recommending Patrick Fox for appointment. Filed.

George Place, proposing to furnish one “Screw Cutting Engine Lathe.” Referred to Chief of Battalion in charge of Repair Shops for opinion.

George H. Smith & Co., soliciting an order for “American Carbolic Disinfectant.” Referred to Supply Clerk for his information.

Joseph S. Smith, requesting trial of the “Bangor Extension Ladder.” Filed.

A. R. Whitney—Reply to communication of 15th instant. Filed.

Young Men’s Christian Association, requesting detail of one fireman on Sundays at Parepa Hall, Eighty-sixth street and Third avenue. Referred to Chief of Department with power.

Bills audited and ordered to be transmitted to the Comptroller for payment:

For the year 1876—Schedule No. 67.

Eureka Fire Hose Co., new apparatus, etc.	\$5,475 00
For the current year—Schedule No. 9.	
Banks & Fullerton, apparatus, supplies, etc.	\$900 00
Morris, J. W., & Co. “	6 14
Pearce & Jones, “	29 80
Screw Dock Co., “	50 00
Sheridan, Bernard, “	59 90
Smith, Woodbridge, “	6 50
	\$1,052 34

On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Counsel to the Corporation for the week ending March 24, 1877.

The Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York are defendants, unless otherwise mentioned.

SCHEDULE “A.”

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED.

SUPREME COURT.

John Fitzgerald—Award made in change of grade, One Hundred and Thirty-first street, \$1,100. In re George Bough—To vacate an assessment for trap-block pavement, Nineteenth street, from Sixth to Ninth avenue.

Anne Connors, as administratrix of Mary Ann Connors, deceased, vs. Walter W. Adams—Death of intestate by St. Andrew’s Church disaster, February 25, 1875, \$5,000.

John D. Ottewell—Steam fitting, etc., Ludlow Street Jail, October 31, 1872, to August 13, 1874, \$615.91.

William Clancy—Balance of salary Janitor Fifth District Court, \$75.

James Meade—Files of newspapers furnished Department Public Works, \$142.57.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Leopold Eidlitz—Preparing plans, elevations, etc., in construction of Riverside Drive, 1872-3, \$4,500. In matter application, etc., John J. Astor to have award of \$1,062 made in regulating, grading, etc., Little Twelfth street, paid to Chamberlain, and referee appointed, etc.

COMMON PLEAS.

Edward Condon vs. Walter W. Adams—Personal injuries by St. Andrew’s Church disaster, February, 1875, \$5,000.

SCHEDULE “B.”

JUDGMENTS ENTERED AND ORDERS OF THE SPECIAL AND GENERAL TERMS.

People, ex rel. Amelia Sleight, vs. Cady—Order entered denying motion for mandamus, with \$10. cost.

People, ex rel. M. Donohue, vs. Cady—Order entered denying motion for mandamus, with \$10 cost. Charles Henri Raberg, administrator, etc., John Dewint Hook, executor, etc.—Discontinued.

George C. Coffin—Discontinued. In re Trustees Central Presbyterian Church—Order entered at General Term affirming order Special Term, without costs.

In re Congregation Shaari Zedek—Order entered at General Term affirming order Special Term, without costs.

Matthew Keilly—Order entered, by consent, opening plaintiff’s default.

Benj. F. Miller—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$666.

Joseph C. Pinckney—Judgment entered in favor of city for \$60.04.

People, ex rel. Wm. Myer—Order entered at General Term affirming Special Term, with costs and disbursements.

The Mayor, etc., vs. N. E. Transfer Co.—Judgment entered in favor of defendants for \$102.91 costs.

Thomas Gearty—Judgment entered in favor of defendants for \$167.04.

Rector, etc., Church of the Holy Trinity—Discontinued upon payment of costs by plaintiffs.

Church of the Holy Trinity—Discontinued upon payment of costs by plaintiffs.

Metropolitan Gas-light Co.—Entered order General Term reversing judgment in favor of plaintiff, and granting new trial, etc.

Bernard Cassidy—Order of discontinuance entered.

People, ex rel. Augustus Miller, vs. Board of Police—Order entered denying motion for mandamus, etc.

William E. Worthen—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$7,648.78.

Charles H. Harriman—Judgment entered in favor of defendants, \$47.53.

John Dewint Hook, executor—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff, \$2,224.03.

In re Harry P. Pike et al.—Order entered vacating, etc., and setting aside sale.

Russell D. Miner—Order entered reviving action in name Matilda D. Walbridge, executor, etc.

SCHEDULE “C.”

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED OR ARGUED.

James Driscoll, administrator—Argued at General Term.

Thomas McSpedon—Argued at General Term.

Ed. C. Genet—Argued at General Term.

People, ex rel. Augustus Miller, vs. Board of Police—Motion for mandamus. Argued before Lawrence, J.

Charles A. Harrington—Argued at General Term.

Ed. Gridley—Submitted at General Term (case having been amended).

Middleton Bell—Motion for reference argued. Decision reserved.

People, ex rel. John Haneman, vs. Tax Commissioners—Argued at General Term.

McKown vs. Kelly—Submitted.

WM. C. WHITNEY, Counsel to the Corporation.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Abstract of proceedings for the week ending March 24, 1877.

MEETING, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 21.

Plans and estimates relating to the construction of the new bridge over the Harlem river were ordered to be prepared as requested by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

The opening of the proposals for the construction of the iron bridge over the Harlem river, at Madison avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, was further adjourned until Wednesday, the 4th day of April, 1877, at 9:30 o’clock A. M., at this office.

The Superintendent was directed to remove the skating house at the Lake in Central Park, as in previous seasons.

The Superintending Architect was directed to prepare an estimate for P. McDermott, contractor, on account, to an amount not exceeding \$1,000.

Also estimates on account for other contractors, as follows, viz.: For J. V. Donvan, \$7,00

Riverside Park, under the supervision of the Superintendent of Parks, and that the Treasurer be authorized to issue such order for the work of said removal, as may be necessary.

The Director of the Menagerie submitted his report for the year ending December 31, 1876, and the President was authorized to make requisition for the printing of 400 copies of the same.

A license was given Mr. Isaac Hall to move his bath-house outside the wall of Battery park, at a license fee of \$575.

The President presented the assessment list for the work of flagging the west side of Berrian avenue, from second angle north of Kingsbridge road to Isaac street, together with the statement of the amount and cost of the work, and it was ordered that they be signed by the Commissioners and transmitted to the Board of Assessors.

The following resolutions were adopted, viz.:

I.

Resolved, That the Secretary be directed to prepare and insert advertisements for proposals for supplying illuminating material to, lighting, cleaning, and reglazing, etc., all or any portion of the public lamps on the public parks, squares, places, and bridges, under the control of this Department, from May 1, to December 31, 1877, both days inclusive.

II.

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor, the Comptroller, and the Commissioner of the Department of Public Works, forming the Gas Commission, be, and hereby are respectfully requested to light the lamps in the public parks, places, and bridges, under the control of this Department, as well as those on the streets, and to pay for the expense thereof out of the appropriation for "Lamps and Gas" for the year 1877.

III.

Resolved, That a contract be given to the New York and New Jersey Globe Gas-light Company to fix their improved attachment to the lamps now in use on the Battery Park, and to light said lamps during the month of April, 1877, for the sum of \$2.25 per lamp, and on the conditions, terms, and specifications contained in the form of contract now used by the Department for lighting the lamps, and that the President be and hereby is authorized to execute said contract for and on behalf of this Department.

Forwarded Finance Department.

Bills..... \$13,628 30

Animals received at Central Park Menagerie, for week ending March 24, 1877:

Donations.

1 Capuchin Monkey (*Cebus satuellus*), presented by Dr. Agramonte, N. Y. City.
1 Raccoon (*Procyon lotor*), presented by Miss Blanck, N. Y. City.

Born.

27 Southdown lambs (*Ovis aries*).

Number of Visitors to the American Museum of Natural History.

Monday, March 19.....	349
Tuesday, ".....	463
Wednesday, ".....	1,234
Thursday, ".....	963
Friday, ".....	1,434
Saturday, ".....	5,347
Total.....	9,790

WM. IRWIN, Secretary D. P. P.

APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That Edward B. O'Donnell be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Edward B. O'Donnell, whose term of office has expired.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 15, 1877.

Approved by the Mayor, March 23, 1877.

Resolved, That Samuel Eckstein be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 15, 1877.

Approved by the Mayor, March 23, 1877.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street-lamps lighted in One Hundred and Twenty-third street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 15, 1877.

Approved by the Mayor, March 23, 1877.

Resolved, That all papers placed on file by the Board of Aldermen on December 28, 1876, be taken from file and referred to the appropriate Committees.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 15, 1877.

Approved by the Mayor, March 23, 1877.

Resolved, That Thomas C. Vache be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Josiah T. Lovejoy, whose term of office has expired.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 15, 1877.

Approved by the Mayor, March 23, 1877.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of Police be and they are hereby respectfully requested to employ immediately on the work of cleaning the streets, and removing the accumulation of dirt and rubbish with which they are encumbered, every man that can availably be so employed.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 15, 1877.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, March 23, 1877, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section II, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That Alexander M. Eagleson be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Thomas E. Smith, whose term of office has expired.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 15, 1877.

Approved by the Mayor, March 23, 1877.

Resolved, That the name of Gary G. Moulton, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be corrected so as to read Gary J. Moulton.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 15, 1877.

Approved by the Mayor, March 23, 1877.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to James F. Gillen to erect and occupy a fruit stand on the sidewalk, in front of 270 Canal street, the said stand not to exceed 6 x 2 1/2; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 15, 1877.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, March 23, 1877, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section II, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Mary Donevan to keep a stand for the sale of fruit in front of No. 11 Park row, she having obtained permission from the owners of the premises; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 15, 1877.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, March 23, 1877, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section II, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That the lamp-post and lamp now in front of No. 114 West Fourteenth street, be removed, and placed in front of No. 112 West Fourteenth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 8, 1877.

Approved by the Mayor, March 19, 1877.

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.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

Mayor's Office, No. 6, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
Mayor's Marshal, No. 7, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
Permit Bureau, No. 1, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
License Bureau, No. 1, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT

Board of Aldermen and Supervisors, No. 9, City Hall, office hours from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk of the Common Council and of Board of Supervisors, No. 8, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT

NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, OFFICE HOURS 9 A. M. TO 4 P. M.
Comptroller's Office, second floor, west end.

1 Bureau for the collection of the revenue accruing from rents and interest on bonds and mortgages, and revenue arising from the use or sale of property belonging to or managed by the City, first floor, west end.

2. Bureau for the Collection of Taxes; Brown stone building, City Hall Park.

3. Bureau for the Collection of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and Water Rents, first floor, west end.

4. Auditing Bureau, second floor, west end.

5. Bureau of Licenses, first floor, west end.

6. Bureau of Markets, first floor, west end.

7. Bureau for the reception of all moneys paid into the Treasury in the City, and for the payment of money on warrants drawn by the Comptroller and countersigned by the Mayor, at the Office of Chamberlain and County Treasurer, second floor, west end.

8. Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, Rotunda, south side.

LAW DEPARTMENT

Counsel to the Corporation, Staats Zeitung Building third floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Public Administrator, 115 and 117 Nassau street, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Corporation Attorney, 115 and 117 Nassau street, 8 1/2 A. M. to 4 1/2 P. M.

Attorney for the Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes, No. 51 Chambers street, second floor.

Attorney to the Department of Buildings, 2 Fourth avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

POLICE DEPARTMENT

NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET, ALWAYS OPEN.

Commissioners' Office, second floor.

Superintendent's Office, first floor.

Inspectors' Office, first floor.

Chief Clerk's Office, second floor, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Property Clerk, first floor (rear) " " "

Bureau of Street Cleaning, Avenue C, from Sixteenth to Seventeenth street, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Bureau of Elections, second floor (rear), 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

CITY HALL, 9 A. M. TO 4 P. M.

Commissioner's Office, No. 19.

Chief Clerk's Office, No. 20.

Contract Clerk's Office, No. 21.

Engineer in charge of Sewers, No. 21.

" " " Boulevards and Avenues, No. 18 1/2

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies, No. 18.

" Lamps and Gas, No. 13.

" Incumbrances, No. 13.

" Street Improvements, No. 11.

" Chief Engineer Croton Aqueduct, No. 11 1/2

" Water Register, No. 10.

" Water Purveyor, No. 4.

" Streets and Roads, No. 12.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION

Commissioners' Office, No. 66 Third avenue, 8 A. M.

Out Door Poor Department, No. 66 Third avenue, al-

ways open, entrance on Eleventh street.

Reception Hospital, Ninety-ninth street and Tenth avenue, always open.

Belle Vue Hospital, foot of Twenty-sixth street, East river, always open.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

NOS. 153, 155 AND 157 MERCER ST., 9 A. M. TO 4 P. M.

Commissioners' Office, Chief of Department.

Inspectors of Combustibles.

Fire Marshal.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

NO. 301 WOTT STREET.

Commissioners' Office, second floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Attorney's Office, third floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Sanitary Superintendent, always open, third floor.

Register of Records, third floor, for granting burial permits, on all days of the week, except Sunday, from 7 A. M.

to 6 P. M., and on Sundays, from 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

Commissioners' Office, 36 Union Square, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DÉPARTEMENT OF DOCKS

Commissioners' Office, 117 and 119 Duane street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS

Commissioners' Office, Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Surveyor's Bureau, 19 Chatham street, 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.

Board of Assessors.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS

Superintendent's Office, 2 Fourth avenue, 9 A. M.

BOARD OF EXCISE

Commissioners' Office, first floor, 299 Mulberry street,

9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

THE CITY RECORD.

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

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT

THE COMMITTEE ON LAW DEPARTMENT will meet every Monday, at 2 o'clock P. M., in Room No. 16, City Hall.

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, March 23, 1877.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, STRAW,
HAY, PAINTS.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS
above, will be received by the Commissioners of
Public Charities and Correction, at their office, until 9
o'clock A. M., of Thursday, April 5, 1877, at which
time they will be publicly opened and read by the head
of said Department, for furnishing and delivering, at the
foot of East Twenty-sixth street, free of all expense, to the
Department—

GROCERIES.

20,000 pounds Brown Sugar.
100 barrels Oatmeal.
300 barrels good sound Irish Potatoes, to weigh 168
pounds to the barrel net, to be delivered at
Store-house dock, Blackwell's Island.

250 bags Fine Meal.

250 bags Coarse Meal.

Meat to be delivered as required.

STRAW AND HAY.

500 bales Long Bright Rye Straw.

100 bales best Timothy Hay.

Above to be delivered in quantities as required.

PAINTS.

250 pounds Patent Dryer in 5s.
250 pounds Burnt Umber in 5s.
20 barrels Paris White.

The quality of the goods furnished must conform in
every respect to the samples of the above to be seen at this
office.

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

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by
the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders
of the City of New York, with their respective places of
business or residence, to the effect, that if the contract be
awarded, become bound as sureties in the estimated
amount of fifty per cent, for its faithful performance,
which consent must be verified by the justification of each
of the persons signing the same for double the amount of
surety required. The sufficiency of such security to be
approved by the Comptroller.

The Department of Public Charities and Correction re-
serve the right to decline any and all proposals if deemed
to be for the public interest, and to accept an offer for
the whole bid or for any single article included in the
proposal, and no proposal 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
defaulter, as security or otherwise, upon any obligation to
the Corporation.

Blank forms of proposals and specifications, which are to
be strictly complied with, can be obtained on application
at the office of the Department, and all information fur-
nished.

THOMAS S. BRENNAN,
ISAAC H. BAILEY,
TOWNSEND COX,
Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, March 16, 1877.

PROPOSALS FOR DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, ETC.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS
above, will be received by the Commissioners of
Public Charities and Correction, at their office, until 9
o'clock A. M., of Thursday, March 29, 1877, at which
time they will be publicly opened and read by the head
of said Department, for furnishing and delivering, at the
foot of East Twenty-sixth street, free of all expense to the
Department:

DRY GOODS.

500 Toilet Quilts.
25 pieces R. N. Duck, No. 3.
10 pieces Table Linen, 60 inches wide.

GROCERIES.

5,000 galls. Molasses.
500 lbs. Wheaten Grits.
500 lbs. Pure Mustard.
30 bbls. Pure Cider Vinegar.
250 bbls. Fine Flour. Empty barrels to be returned
and deducted from the price of flour.

HAY.

100 bales best Timothy Hay.

LIME.

50 bbls. Jolita Lime.
100 bbls. Common Lime.
25 bbls. Plaster Paris.
20 bbls. Chloride of Lime, containing not less than
30 per cent. chlorine.

The quality of the goods furnished must conform in
every respect to the samples of the above to be seen at this
office.

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

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by
the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders
of the City of New York, with their respective places of
business or residence, to the effect, that if the contract be
awarded, become bound as sureties in the estimated
amount of fifty per cent, for its faithful performance,
which consent must be verified by the justification of each
of the persons signing the same for double the amount of
surety required. The sufficiency of such security to be
approved by the Comptroller.

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the whole bid or for any single article included in the
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as security or otherwise, upon any obligation to the
Corporation.

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be strictly complied with, can be obtained on application
at the office of the Department, and all information fur-
nished.

THOMAS S. BRENNAN,
ISAAC H. BAILEY,
TOWNSEND COX,
Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, March 20, 1877.

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 Com-
missioners of Public Charities and Correction report as
follows:

At Randall's Island Hospital, March 16, 1877—Margaret
Kelly; age 30 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; blue eyes;
auburn hair; pitted with small-pox. Nothing known of
her friends or relatives.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island, March 17,
1877—James Degan; age 33 years; 5 feet 3 inches high;
gray eyes; dark hair. Had on when admitted, brown
sack coat, striped pants, black fed hat, gaiters. Nothing
known of his friends or relatives.

By Order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, March 21, 1877.

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 Com-
missioners of Public Charities and Correction report as
follows:

At Almshouse, Blackwell's Island, March 19, 1877—
Edward McGrath; age 47 years. Nothing known of his
friends or relatives.

By Order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

JURORS.

NOTICE

IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE
COURTS.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, June 1, 1876.

APPLICATIONS FOR EXEMPTIONS WILL BE
heard here, from 9 to 4 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 an-
swered in person, and at this office only, under
severe penalties. If exempt, the party must bring proof of
exemption; if liable, no 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, received from those
who, for business or other reasons, are unable to serve at
the time selected, pay the expenses of this office, and it
unpaid will be entered as judgments upon the property of
the delinquent.

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 mis-
demeanor to give any jury paper to another to answer it.
It is also punishable by fine or imprisonment to give or
receive any present or bribe, directly or indirectly, in re-
lation to a jury service, or to withhold any paper or make
any false statement, and every case will be fully pros-
ecuted.

THOMAS DUNLAP, Commissioner,
County Court-house (Chambers street entrance)

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 Fifty-sixth street, from
the westerly line of Kingsbridge road to the easterly
line of Eleventh avenue; One Hundred and Fifty-seventh
street, from the westerly line of the Road or Public
Drive, near the Harlem river, to the easterly line of
Eleventh avenue; One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street,
from the westerly line of Kingsbridge road to the Hudson
river; and One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, from
the westerly line of the Road or Public Drive, near the
Harlem river, to the easterly line of Eleventh 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:

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 in the New Court-house, at the
City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 17th day of
April, 1877, at the opening of the Court on that day,
and that then and there, as soon thereafter as counsel
can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said
report be confirmed.

Dated New York, March 3, 1877.

SMITH E. LANE,
JOHN T. MCGOWAN,
DENNIS O'DONOGHUE,
Commissioners.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
300 MULBERRY STREET,
March 20, 1877.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT
the Central Department of Police, until 10 o'clock
A. M. of the third day of April, 1877, at which time and
place proposals will be publicly opened by the head of the
Department and read, for plumbing a station-house, lodg-
ing-house, and prison on East Fifty-first street, in the City of
New York.

Proposals must be addressed to the President of the
Board of Police, be indorsed "Proposals for Steam Heating,"
and must contain the name and address of the
parties making the same.

Two responsible sureties, freeholders in this city, will be
required with each proposal, who must justify in the sum
of two thousand dollars each.

Plans may be examined and specifications and blank
proposals obtained by application to the undersigned, at
his office in the Central Department.

By order of the Board,

S. C. HAWLEY,
Chief Clerk.

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ing-house, and prison on East Fifty-first street, in the City of
New York.

Proposals must be addressed to the President of the
Board of Police, be indorsed "Proposal for Plumbing,"
and must contain the name and address of the
parties making the same.

Two responsible sureties, freeholders in this city, will be
required with each proposal, who must justify in the sum
of two thousand dollars each.

Plans may be examined and specifications and blank
proposals obtained by application to the undersigned, at
his office in the Central Department.

By order of the Board,

S. C. HAWLEY,
Chief Clerk.

CORPORATION NOTICES.

ALL PARTIES PRESENTING CLAIMS FOR DAM
age to property by reason of closing the Blooming-
dale road, are required in filing such claims, to produce
their title deeds to said property.

THOMAS B. ASTEN,
JOHN MULLALY,
EDWARD NORTH,
WILLIAM L. WILEY,
Board of Assessors.
OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
NEW YORK, February 27, 1877.

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 exam-
ination by all persons interested, viz:

No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter
stones and flagging, Sixty-eighth street, from Third avenue
to the East river, except between First and Third
avenues.

No. 2. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter
stones and flagging, Avenue A, from Fifty-fourth to
Fifty-seventh street.

No. 3. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter
stones and flagging, Forty-third street, from First avenue
to the East river.

No. 4. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter
stones and flagging, One Hundred and Twenty-fourth
street, from Eighth avenue to St. Nicholas avenue.

No. 5. Belgian pavement in One Hundred and Twenty-
sixth street, from Second to Seventh avenue.

No. 6. Belgian pavement in Fifty-ninth street, from
First to Eleventh avenue.

No. 7. Belgian pavement in Sixtieth street, from Tenth
to Eleventh avenue.

No. 8. Belgian pavement in Fiftieth street, from Tenth
to Eleventh avenue.

No. 9. Belgian pavement in Fifty-eighth street, from
Tenth to Eleventh avenue.

No. 10. Belgian pavement in Bogart street, from West
street to Thirteenth avenue.

No. 11. Belgian pavement in One Hundred and Twenty-
seventh street, from Third to Sixth avenue.

No. 12. Belgian pavement in Fifty-sixth street, from
Second to Third avenue.

No. 13. Sewer in Tenth avenue, between Seventy-fifth
and Seventy-seventh streets, with branches.

No. 14. Sewer in One Hundred and Fifth street, between
Third and Fourth avenues.

No. 15. Sewer in One Hundred and Sixteenth street,
between Seventh and Eighth avenues.

No. 16. Laying crosswalks in Lexington avenue at the
intersection of Seventy-eighth street.

No. 17. Laying crosswalks at each of the intersections of
Madison avenue and Eighty-sixth, Eighty-seventh, Eighty-
eighth, and Eighty-ninth streets.

The limits embraced by such assessment include all the
several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and
parcels of land situated on—

No. 1. Both sides of Sixty-eighth street, from Third
avenue to the East river, and to the extent of half the block
at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of Avenue A, between Fifty-fourth
and Fifty-seventh streets, and to the extent of half the block
at the intersection of Fifty-fourth, Fifty-fifth, and
Fifty-seventh streets.

No. 3. Both sides of Forty-third street, from First
avenue to the East river, and to the extent of half the block at
the intersection of First avenue.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-fourth
street, from Eighth avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas.

No. 5. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth
street, from Second to Seventh avenue.

No. 6. Both sides of Fifty-ninth street, from First
avenue to Avenue A, and to the extent of half the block at
the intersection of First avenue.

No. 7. Both sides of Sixtieth street, from Tenth to
Eleventh avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the
intersection of Tenth and Eleventh avenue.

No. 8. Both sides of Fiftieth street, from Tenth to
Eleventh avenue, and to the extent