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LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

ANNUAL MEETING.

MONDAY, July 2, 1877, }
12 o'clock M. }

The Board met in their chamber, No. 16 City Hall, in accordance with section 13 of chapter 302, Laws of 1859, entitled "An act in relation to Taxes and Assessments in the City of New York, and to amend the several acts in relation thereto."

PRESENT :

Hon. Henry D. Purroy, President ;

ALDERMEN

William L. Cole,
Rufus B. Cowing,
John De Vries,
John W. Guntzer,
William Joyce,

Patrick Keenan,
William Lamb,
Samuel A. Lewis,
John J. Morris,
Lewis J. Phillips,

Joseph C. Pinckney,
William Salmon,
William Sauer,
Thomas Sheils,
Stephen N. Simonson.

On motion, the reading of the minutes of the last meeting was dispensed with.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Department of Taxes and Assessments :

DEPARTMENT OF THE
COMMISSIONERS OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,
CITY HALL PARK, CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, July 2, 1877.

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors :

We herewith transmit the assessment rolls of the real and personal estates of the City and County of New York, for the year 1877, as revised and corrected in this Department.

We inclose also a tabular statement exhibiting the aggregate valuation of real estate in the several wards, as compared with the valuation of 1876, together with a similar statement as to personal property.

Respectfully,
JOHN WHEELER,
JOHN N. HAYWARD, } Commissioners
GEO. H. ANDREWS, } of
Taxes and Assessments.

Relative Value of the Real and Personal Estate in the City and County of New York, as Assessed for 1876 and 1877.

WARDS.	ASSESSMENTS FOR 1876.	ASSESSMENTS FOR 1877.	INCREASE.	DECREASE.
First.....	\$51,003,696	\$51,269,006	\$265,310	.....
Second.....	28,012,100	28,056,500	44,400	.....
Third.....	32,692,000	32,735,900	43,900	.....
Fourth.....	12,685,675	12,605,775	.....	\$79,900
Fifth.....	38,562,450	38,587,950	25,500	.....
Sixth.....	21,432,050	21,419,050	.....	13,000
Seventh.....	15,986,300	15,932,100	.....	54,200
Eighth.....	34,438,040	34,789,142	351,102	.....
Ninth.....	25,919,730	26,097,850	178,120	.....
Tenth.....	17,301,550	17,316,950	.....	44,600
Eleventh.....	14,871,000	14,938,870	67,870	.....
Twelfth.....	67,238,660	68,819,030	1,580,370	.....
Thirteenth.....	9,789,800	9,783,100	.....	6,700
Fourteenth.....	22,395,265	22,390,247	.....	5,018
Fifteenth.....	51,713,250	51,775,513	62,263	.....
Sixteenth.....	32,454,444	32,544,500	90,056	.....
Seventeenth.....	31,704,700	31,707,400	2,700	.....
Eighteenth.....	66,044,750	66,583,500	538,750	.....
Nineteenth.....	119,156,555	120,359,555	1,203,000	.....
Twentieth.....	36,984,850	37,087,750	102,900	.....
Twenty-first.....	72,706,800	72,059,250	.....	647,550
Twenty-second.....	66,449,640	67,392,100	942,460	.....
Twenty-third.....	13,107,950	13,265,250	157,300	.....
Twenty-fourth.....	9,685,760	9,647,645	.....	38,115
	\$892,287,015	\$895,063,933	\$4,441,381	*\$1,664,463
Personal Estate.				
Resident.....	\$118,989,535	\$118,832,577	.....	.....
Non-resident.....	14,491,527	13,581,309	.....	.....
Shareholders of Banks.....	85,145,117	73,614,274	.....	.....
	218,626,179	206,028,160	.....	.....
Total Real and Personal for 1876.....	\$1,110,913,194	Total for 1877.....	\$1,101,092,093	Total Inc. \$4,441,381
Total Valuation for 1877.....	\$1,101,092,093	Total Increase.....	\$4,441,381	Total Dec. \$14,262,482
Total Valuation for 1876.....	1,110,913,194	Total Decrease.....	14,262,482	
Decrease in 1877.....	\$9,821,101	Net Decrease.....	\$9,821,101	

* Increase Real Estate, \$2,776,918.

JOHN WHEELER,
JOHN N. HAYWARD,
GEO. H. ANDREWS,
Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.

Which was ordered on file.

Whereupon the President made the following order :

The tax and assessment rolls having been finally submitted to the Board of Supervisors on this first Monday in July, being July 2, 1877, the undersigned, in the name of the Board of Supervisors, and as one of its acts, and by due virtue of law, authorizes and directs the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments, by themselves and such clerical assistance at their disposal, but without expense to the county, to cause to be properly estimated and computed the taxes under and by virtue of said rolls, and to cause the said estimation and computation to be prepared, set down, and extended in the tax books, as required by section 25 of chapter 120 of the Laws of 1850, and to cause the items of said taxes to be carefully added, and to set down the amount of the same in the said books.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Department of Finance :

FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE—CITY OF NEW YORK,
June 26, 1877.

To the Board of Supervisors of the County of New York :

In pursuance of the provisions of section 112 of chapter 335 of the Laws of 1873, I herewith transmit to you the Comptroller's certificate of the aggregate amount of the final estimate made by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 30th day of December, 1876, for the year eighteen hundred and seventy-seven, to wit : the sum of twenty-eight millions four hundred and eighty-four thousand two hundred and sixty-nine dollars and forty-eight cents, which amount so estimated and certified as aforesaid, the Board of Supervisors of the County of New York is "empowered and directed to cause to be raised, according to law, and collected by tax upon the estates, real and personal, subject to taxation, within the said City and County of New York."

Respectfully,

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE—CITY OF NEW YORK,
June 26, 1877.

To the Board of Supervisors of the County of New York :

I, John Kelly, Comptroller of the City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 112 of chapter 335 of the Laws of 1873, do hereby certify that the aggregate amount of the Final Estimate made by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, on the 30th day of December, 1876, for the year eighteen hundred and seventy-seven, is twenty-eight millions four hundred and eighty-four thousand two hundred and sixty-nine dollars and forty-eight cents ; and hereunto annexed is a copy of said Final Estimate.

Very respectfully,

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

FINAL ESTIMATE FOR THE YEAR 1877.

Made pursuant to Section 112 of Chapter 335 of the Laws of 1873, December 30, 1876, by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the City of New York.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment have considered the objections to, and rectifications of, the Provisional Estimate made by said Board on the 31st day of October, 1876, of the amounts required to pay the expenses of conducting the public business of the City and County of New York, in each Department and branch thereof, and the Board of Education, for the next ensuing financial year, to wit, for the year eighteen hundred and seventy-seven (1877) ; in which estimate is included such sum as is necessary for the payment of the interest on the bonds of the said city and county which becomes due and payable within said year, and also such sum as is necessary to pay the principal of any bonds and stocks which become due and payable from taxes during the said year ; and also so much as may be necessary to pay the proportion of the State tax required to be paid by the City and County of New York in said year, which objections to, and rectifications of, said Provisional Estimate made by the Board of Aldermen were transmitted by the Clerk of said Board, under date of November 24, 1876, and presented to said Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 1st day of December, 1876 ; therefore

Resolved, That after such considerations of said objections to, and rectifications of, said Provisional Estimate, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment does hereby make this a

FINAL ESTIMATE

of the amount required to pay the expenses of conducting the public business of the City and County of New York, in each Department and branch thereof, and the Board of Education, for the next ensuing financial year, viz., the year 1877, in which is included such sum as is necessary for the payment of the interest on the bonds of the said city and county which become due and payable within said year, and also such sum as is necessary to pay the principal of any bonds and stocks which become due and payable from taxes during the said year, and also so much as may be necessary to pay the proportion of the State tax required to be paid by the City and County of New York in said year, as follows :

FINAL ESTIMATE FOR 1877.

THE COMMON COUNCIL.

City Contingencies.....	\$5,000 00
Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council.....	500 00
Salaries—Common Council:	
President of the Board of Aldermen.....	\$5,000 00
Twenty-one Aldermen, at \$4,000 each.....	84,000 00
Clerks and officers, Board of Aldermen.....	20,000 00
	109,000 00
	\$114,500 00

THE MAYORALTY.

Contingencies—Mayor's office.....	\$5,000 00
Salaries—Mayor's office:	
Salary of the Mayor.....	\$12,000 00
Salaries of Clerks and subordinates.....	20,000 00
	32,000 00
Salaries of Bureau of Permits.....	12,000 00
	49,000 00

THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Expenses of conducting the Department:	
Cleaning markets.....	\$20,000 00
Contingencies—Comptroller's office.....	5,000 00
Salaries—Department of Finance:	
For salary of the Comptroller.....	\$10,000 00
For salaries of the Attaches of the Department.....	170,000 00
	180,000 00
Salaries—Chamberlain's office.....	30,000 00
	235,000 00

FOR THE STATE.

State Taxes:	
For General Purposes including New Capitol, etc., 1½ mills, as per Chapter 381, Laws of 1876.....	\$2,255,975 76.7
For Bounty Debt, ½ mill, as per Chapter 381, Laws of 1876.....	401,062 35.8
For salary of Shore Inspector, as per Chapter 604, Laws of 1875, and Certificate of the State Comptroller.....	1,861 88
	\$2,658,900 00

Common Schools for the State:	
For Common Schools, 1¼ mills, as per Chapter 381, Laws of 1876.....	1,503,983 84.5
	4,162,883 85

INTEREST ON, AND INSTALLMENT OF PRINCIPAL OF, THE DEBT OF THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.	
Interest on the City Debt.....	9,176,501 73

REDEMPTION OF THE PRINCIPAL OF THE CITY DEBT.

Floating Debt Fund Stock of 1878:	
Annual Installment, issued in pursuance of Chapter 408, Laws of 1860.....	\$130,763 33
Bonds for Third Avenue Improvement in Twenty-third Ward:	
Issued in pursuance of Chapter 545, Laws of 1872, and Chapter 329, Laws of 1874, payable November 1, 1877.....	41,000 00
Bonds for Liquidation of Claims and Judgments:	
Issued in pursuance of Chapter 756, Laws of 1873, payable July 1, 1877.....	75,000 00
Bonds for State Sinking Fund Deficiency:	
Issued in pursuance of Chapter 147, Laws of 1874, payable May 1, 1877.....	389,949 48
New York County Court-house Stock, No. 1:	
Issued in pursuance of Chapter 167, Laws of 1862, payable November 1, 1877.....	100,000 00

New York County Court-house Stock, No. 2 : Issued in pursuance of Chapter 854, Laws of 1868, payable November 1, 1877.....	160,000 00
Riot Damages Redemption Bonds : Issued in pursuance of Chapter 7, Laws of 1864, payable November 1, 1877.....	500,000 00
Revenue Bonds for Building Lien : Issued in pursuance of Chapter 625, Laws of 1871.....	2,034 53
Revenue Bonds of 1877, for Free Floating Baths : To be issued in pursuance of Chapter 169, Laws of 1876.....	60,000 00
Redemption of the Debt of the annexed Territory of Westchester County : Town of Morrisania.....	\$19,000 00
Town of Morrisania, for assessments.....	21,500 00
Town of West Farms.....	14,400 00
County of Westchester, for proportion of Bounty Loan and Central Park Avenue Bonds, incurred on account of annexed towns.....	25,010 46
Revenue Bond of 1877 : Issued in pursuance of Chapter 9, Laws of 1872, and Chapter 608, Laws of 1873.....	1,893 32
Revenue Bonds of 1877 : Issued in pursuance of Chapters 275 and 300, Laws of 1876.....	3,916 66
Bond of Board of Education, Town of West Farms.....	1,000 00

MISCELLANEOUS PURPOSES.

Armories and Drill-rooms : For wages of Armories, in pursuance of section 39, chapter 223, Laws of 1875.....	15,330 00
Armories and Drill-rooms—Rent of : For rent of the following premises for Armories and Drill-rooms, under leases made in conformity with section 120, chapter 223, Laws of 1875 :	

Date of Lease.	Name of Lessor.	For what purpose.	Location of Premises.	Term of Lease.	Annual Rent.	Amount to be provided in 1877.
1876.						
May 16.	W. D. F. & E. A. Manice. }	71st Regt.	Second story of build- ing, on Broadway, Sixth avenue, Thir- ty-fifth and Thirty- sixth streets.....	Three years from May 1, 1876.....	\$12,000	{ 6 mos. in 1876 \$6,000 For 1877, \$12,000
May 10.	Valentine G. Hall, sole sur- viving execu- tor.....	22d Regt.	Fourteenth street, be- tween Sixth and Seventh avenues..	Five years from May 1, 1876.....	15,000	{ 6 mos. in 1876 \$7,500 For 1877, \$15,000
	Cassius H. Read.	5th Regt.	Halls and premises, on second story of buildings Nos. 139, 141, and 143 West Twenty-third street	Five years from May 1, 1876.....	7,500	{ 6 mos. in 1876 \$3,750 For 1877, \$7,500

Coroners' Post-mortem Examinations : As authorized by chapter 620, Laws of 1875.....	2,500 00
Judgments : For judgments recovered against the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, not otherwise provided for.....	200,000 00
Rents (leases in force) : For payment of rent of property leased to the Corporation for public offices and other public purposes, except armories and drill-rooms, as follows :	

LESSOR.	LOCATION.	PURPOSES.	EXPIRATION OF LEASE.	AMOUNT OF RENT FOR 1877.
Henry McCaddin, Jr.	514 Pearl street.....	Second District Civil Court.....	Jan. 1, 1880	\$6,000 00
Morgan Jones.....	106, 108, and 110 Cen- tre street.....	First District Police Court.....	May 1, 1880	7,500 00
Alexander L. White- law.....	389½ and 391 Fourth avenue.....	Sixth District Civil Court.....	May 1, 1878	2,500 00
John Shappert.....	Northeast corner of 2d ave. and 1st street..	Fourth District Civil Court.....	May 1, 1878	2,500 00
William T. and Daniel C. Blodgett.....	125th and 126th streets, 4th and Lexington avenues.....	Ninth District Civil and Fifth District Police Court.....	Dec. 31, 1878	8,000 00
Rebecca D. Champlin	18 Washington place..	Second District Po- lice Court.....	Feb. 15, 1877	3½ months, 525 00
Reuben Smith.....	2 Fourth avenue, 2d, 3d, and 4th floors..	Department of Build- ings.....	May 1, 1879	3,500 00
Benjamin Wood.....	19 Chatham street, 2d floor.....	Board of Assessors..	May 1, 1878	{ Croton water rent, 3,600 00
Jane De Zea.....	40 East Houston street	Excise Office.....	May 1, 1881	3,000 00
Oswald Ottendorfer...	Staats Zeitung build- ing, 3d floor.....	Counsel to the Cor- poration.....	May 1, 1881	7,500 00
Chas. Johnson.....	Southwest corner 7th ave. and 22d street..	Eighth District Civil Court.....	Jan. 1, 1882	3,000 00
John B. Haskin.....	Northeast cor. Kings- bridge road and Col- lege avenue.....	Sixth District Police and Tenth District Civil Court.....	May 1, 1880	1,500 00
Mary A. Schenck, ex- ecutrix.....	27 Chambers street...	Marine Court.....	May 1, 1880	12,000 00
Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank.....	51 Chambers street...	Bureau for the Col- lection of Arrears of Personal Taxes	May 1, 1878	2,500 00
New York Dispensary	Northwest cor. Centre and White streets...	Reception Hospital.	May 1, 1880	9,500 00
Add for Croton water, say.....				25 00

Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, Expenses of.....	2,000 00
Real Estate Expenses : For Payment of Assessments on Corporation Property for Public Improvements; also Taxes on Property in Brooklyn and elsewhere out of the City of New York, except as otherwise pro- vided for.....	25,000 00

THE LAW DEPARTMENT.

Contingencies—Law Department.....	\$40,000 00
Contingencies—Corporation Attorney's Office.....	500 00
Contingencies—Public Administrator's Office.....	1,000 00
Salaries—Law Department : [Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.] Salary of the Counsel to the Corporation.....	\$15,000 00
Salaries of Assistants, Clerks, and Messengers.....	75,000 00
[Bureau of Corporation Attorney.] Salary of the Corporation Attorney.....	\$6,000 00
Salaries of Clerks, Assistants, and Janitor.....	6,000 00
[Bureau of Public Administrator.] Salary of Public Administrator.....	\$5,000 00
Salaries of Clerks and Assistants.....	3,000 00
Salaries—Bureau of the Attorney for the Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes : Salary of the Attorney.....	\$5,000 00
Salary of the Clerk.....	1,500 00

Examining Old Claims and Accounts, etc. : For Services in Examining Old Claims and Accounts, and in Procuring and Present- ing of Evidence Relative to Frauds, prior to January 1, 1872, in the City and County of New York.....	5,000 00	163,000 00
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THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Aqueduct—Repairs and Maintenance.....	\$100,00 00
Boulevards, Roads, and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	40,000 00
Contingencies—Department of Public Works.....	2,500 00
Flagging Sidewalks and Fencing Vacant Lots in front of City Property.....	1,000 00
Free Floating Baths.....	10,000 00
Lamps and Gas.....	725,000 00
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs.....	40,000 00
Public Drinking-hydrants.....	2,500 00
Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues.....	2,000 00
Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	75,000 00
Repairs and Renewal of Pavements.....	200,000 00
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THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places : For Salaries—To pay entirely the salaries of the President, Clerks, Engineers, Architects, and all other employees of the Department, excepting Mechanics, Gardeners, and Laborers, and their Foremen, employed on the work of maintaining the Parks and Places, excepting also the Topographical Engineer and his Assistants in charge of surveying, monumenting, etc., Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, and also excepting the Superintendent and Engineer- in-Charge of Public Places, Roads, Avenues, and Bridges, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	\$45,000 00
Police—Salaries of Captain, Lieutenant, Sergeants, Patrolmen, Post and Gate Keepers, and Night Watchmen.....	90,000 00
Maintenance of the Parks and Places, for wages of Foremen, Gardeners, Mechanics, and Laborers employed on works of maintenance, and including also the sum of \$30,000 for the keeping, preservation, and exhibition of the collection in the American Museum of Natural History, and the Metropolitan Museum of Art, and also the maintenance of the Meteorological Observatory.....	175,000 00
Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvements, and Maintenance.....	7,000 00
Music—Central Park.....	4,000 00
Surveying, Laying-out, and Monumenting Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, including north end of this Island.....	10,000 00
Maintenance and Government of Public Places, Roads, Avenues, and Bridges, including Bridges over the Bronx River, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	26,000 00

THE DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

Contingencies—Department of Buildings.....	\$2,500 00
Salaries—Department of Buildings.....	72,500 00

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION

Public Charities and Correction : For salaries, to pay the salaries of the officers and employees of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, including the services of the Emigrant Exam- ining Clerk.....	\$265,000 00
For supplies, for all supplies for the Department of Public Charities and Correction, including \$50,000 for support of Out-door Poor, and for maintenance of children transferred from Randall's Island Nursery to various institutions.....	800,000 00
For repairs and alterations to buildings and apparatus.....	25,000 00
For poor adult blind.....	20,000 00
For Mansard roof to Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island.....	30,000 00
For three Pavilions, Blackwell's Island.....	10,000 00
For additional accommodation for the insane on Ward's Island.....	40,000 00

THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Health Fund : For salaries.....	\$120,000 00
For law expenses, including Marshals' fees.....	4,000 00
For disinfection.....	10,000 00
For contingent expenses.....	5,000 00
For removal of Night-soil, Offal, and Dead Animals.....	40,000 00
Small-Pox Hospital : For salaries.....	\$8,072 00
For supplies.....	17,800 00

THE POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Police Fund : For salaries of Commissioners of Police.....	\$26,000 00
For salary of Superintendent of Police.....	6,000 00
For salaries of 4 Inspectors of Police.....	14,000 00
For salaries of 19 Sergeants.....	25,000 00
For salaries of 35 Captains, at \$2,000 each.....	70,000 00
For salaries of 140 Sergeants, at \$1,600 each.....	224,000 00
For salaries of 2,261 Patrolmen, at \$1,200 each.....	2,713,200 00
For salaries of 78 Doormen, at \$900 each.....	70,200 00
For salaries of clerks, deputies, stenographers, superintendent of tele- graph, telegraph operators, messengers, cleaners, steamboat, and all other employees.....	50,000 00

Police Station-houses—Rents :

LESSOR.	LOCATION.	PURPOSES.	EXPIRATION OF LEASE.	AMOUNT OF RENT FOR 1877.
Peter Goelet, Robert Goe- let, Jean B. Goelet, and Hannah G. Gerry.....	34 East 29th street...	29th Precinct Police.....	May 1, 1885	{ Croton water taxes and assessments, \$1,500 00
James Neely..	218 East 59th street, rear building.....	19th Precinct Police.....	Apr. 30, 1878	425 00
Joseph H. God- win.....	Twenty-fourth Ward	35th Precinct Police.....	Aug. 1, 1884	{ All taxes, Croton (repairs, etc.), 1,700 00
John Theiss...	Lawrence street, bet. Broadway and 10th ave., Manhattan's	30th Precinct Police.....	May 1, 1880	{ Croton water, 1,450 00
Peter and Rob- ert Goelet..	52 and 54 New street.	1st Precinct Police.....	May 1, 1880	{ Croton and all taxes (and repairs, 4,500 00
Wm. Kramer.	26 Elizabeth street, first floor.....	Office of In- spector of the First District...	Dec. 1, 1877	400 00
Herman T. Liv- ingston.....	Premises on east side of 8th avenue, 20 feet south from 130th street.....	Office of In- spector of the Fourth District...	May 1, 1878	300 00
Add for taxes, Croton water rent, and assessments.....				2,500 00

Police Station-houses—Alterations, fitting up, additions to, and repairs of station-houses, steamboat "Seneca," and Central Department.....	20,000 00
Supplies for Police.....	70,000 00

Cleaning Streets under Police Department : For salaries of clerks, inspectors, foremen, steamboat superintendents and employees, wages of sweepers, laborers, watchmen, trimmers, cart-drivers, and hostlers ; expenses for hired carts, supplies, new scows, harness, horses, and carts, rent of stables, and all expenses for this purpose ; including \$7,500 for scows to receive the ashes, garbage or rubbish from the steamers plying in the Harbor of New York, as provided by chapter 148, Laws of 1875.....	725,000 00	1,030,175 00
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THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Fire Department Fund:

For salaries, viz.:

Headquarters Pay-roll.....	\$42,400 00
Telegraph Force Pay-roll.....	27,720 00
Repair Shop Pay-roll.....	40,000 00
Bureau of Combustibles Pay-roll.....	12,200 00
Bureau of Fire Marshal Pay-roll.....	7,200 00
Bureau of Chief of Department Pay-roll.....	32,700 00
Superintendent of Horses Pay-roll.....	7,000 00
Pay of Foremen, Assistant Foremen, Engineers, Firemen, Ladder-men, and Hosemen, of Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies, and of the Fire Steamboat.....	872,450 00

For apparatus, supplies, etc.:

For new apparatus, horses, rents, and all supplies and expenses of the Department not otherwise provided for, including maintenance of Fire Steamboat, and for buildings, repairs, and alterations.....	185,000 00
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THE DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

Contingencies—Department of Taxes and Assessments.....	\$1,000 00
Salaries—Department of Taxes and Assessments:	
Salaries of Commissioners.....	\$16,500 00
Salaries of Deputies, Clerks, and employees.....	79,300 00
Salaries—Board of Assessors:	
Salaries of the Assessors and their Clerks.....	17,800 00

THE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Public Instruction:	
For salaries of Teachers, Janitors, Superintendents, Clerks, and employees.....	\$2,700,000 00
For supplies, rents, incidental expenses, and current repairs to buildings, furniture, and heating apparatus, including the expense of compulsory education, as provided by Chapter 421, Laws of 1874; and for the support of the Nautical School, established by Chapter 285, Laws of 1873; and all expenses of the Board of Education not included under any other head of account.....	450,000 00
For purchasing, leasing, and procuring sites, and erecting buildings; furnishing, fitting up, altering, enlarging, and repairing buildings and premises under the charge of the Board of Education, and for repairing the furniture and heating apparatus; for the support of schools which shall have been organized since the last annual apportionment of school moneys; and such further sum or sums as may be necessary for any of the purposes authorized by law.....	300,000 00
For school moneys apportioned to the corporate schools.....	103,000 00

THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

College of the City of New York:

For salaries of professors and officers, scientific apparatus, books, and supplies, support and maintenance, and all other expenses.....	\$140,000 00
For repairs to buildings.....	10,000 00

ADVERTISING, PRINTING, STATIONERY, AND BLANK BOOKS.

Publication of the City Record.....	\$22,500 00
CITY RECORD—Salaries and Contingencies.....	7,500 00
Advertising.....	3,500 00
Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books:	
For all printing, stationery, and blank books required by the Common Council, the Departments and Offices of the City Government, except printing the City Record, including the Publishing of Calendars of Courts, under Chapter 656, Laws of 1874.....	130,000 00

THE JUDICIARY.

Salaries—City Courts:	
(Police Courts.)	
Salaries of eleven Police Justices, at \$8,000 each per annum.....	\$88,000 00
Salaries of clerks, attendants, stenographers, interpreters, the Record Clerk, and Secretary of the Board of Police Justices.....	62,600 00
(District Courts.)	
Salaries of nine District Court Justices, at \$6,000 each per annum and one at \$8,000 per annum.....	\$62,000 00
Salaries of clerks, stenographers, interpreters, and attendants.....	117,200 00
Salaries—Judiciary	
(The Supreme Court.)	
Five Justices, at \$11,500 each.....	\$57,500 00
Clerks, clerks, stenographers, and librarian.....	34,500 00
Twenty-four attendants, at \$1,200 each.....	28,800 00
Compensation of judges from other districts.....	5,000 00
(The Superior Court.)	
Six Justices, at \$15,000 each.....	\$90,000 00
Clerks, assistants, and stenographers.....	46,000 00
Fourteen attendants, at \$1,200 each.....	16,800 00
(The Court of Common Pleas.)	
Six Justices, at \$15,000 each.....	\$90,000 00
Clerks, assistants, and stenographers.....	48,000 00
Fifteen attendants, at \$1,200.....	18,000 00
(The Marine Court.)	
Six Justices, at \$10,000 each.....	\$60,000 00
Stenographers and interpreter.....	7,500 00
Clerk, deputy clerks, and assistant clerks.....	33,500 00
Thirteen attendants, at \$1,200 each.....	15,600 00
(The Court of General Sessions and Oyer and Terminer.)	
Clerk.....	\$7,000 00
Deputy clerk.....	5,000 00
Assistant clerk.....	3,000 00
Two additional deputy clerks, one at \$2,500 and one at \$1,200.....	3,700 00
Stenographer.....	2,500 00
Additional stenographer.....	2,000 00
Interpreter.....	2,500 00
Additional interpreter.....	1,200 00
Thirty-six attendants, at \$1,200 each.....	43,200 00
(The Court of Special Sessions.)	
Clerk.....	\$6,000 00
Deputy clerk.....	5,000 00
Stenographer.....	2,500 00
Interpreter.....	2,000 00
Three subpoena servers, at \$2,000 each.....	6,000 00
Messenger.....	1,500 00
(The County Clerk's Office.)	
County clerk, deputies, assistants, clerks, and messenger.....	40,725 00
(The Surrogate's Office.)	
The Surrogate.....	\$12,000 00
Chief clerk, clerks, assistants, stenographers, attendants, and messenger.....	37,000 00
(The District Attorney's Office.)	
The District Attorney.....	\$12,000 00
Assistants, clerks, stenographers, and messenger.....	58,000 00
(The Recorder's Office.)	
The Recorder.....	12,000 00
(The City Judge's Office.)	
The City Judge.....	15,000 00
(The Judge of the Court of General Sessions.)	
The Judge of the Court of General Sessions.....	12,000 00
(The Commissioner of Jurors.)	
Salary of the Commissioner.....	15,000 00

MISCELLANEOUS PURPOSES.

Coroners' Fees:	
For fees of Coroners, as authorized by Chapter 565, Laws of 1868; and for expenses of Attending Physicians, including salary of Clerk to Board of Coroners, as provided by Chapter 462, Laws of 1871.....	\$75,000 00
Contingencies—District Attorney's office.....	5,000 00
Disbursements and Fees of County Officers and Witnesses, exclusive of Sheriff's fees.....	5,000 00
Election Expenses, including the sum of \$9,600 for expenses of special election for Member of Congress in place of Hon. Smith Ely, Jr.....	148,850 00
Jurors' Fees, including expenses of jurors in criminal trials.....	25,000 00
Salaries—Commissioners of Accounts:	
For salaries of two Commissioners of Accounts, at \$3,000 each.....	\$6,000 00
For Clerk hire.....	6,000 00
Support of Prisoners in County Jail, in pursuance of chapter 251, Laws of 1875.....	12,000 00
Sheriff's Fees.....	15,000 00

ASYLUMS, REFORMATORIES, AND CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS.

Asylum for Idiots:	
(Chapter 739, Laws of 1867.)	
For furnishing clothing for twelve inmates from this County, at \$30 each.....	\$360 00
American Female Guardian Society and Home for the Friendless:	
(Chapter 754, Laws of 1872).....	25,000 00
Children's Aid Society:	
(Chapter 70, Laws of 1865).....	\$10,000 00
(Chapter 163, Laws of 1867).....	30,000 00
(Chapter 180, Laws of 1871).....	30,000 00
Foundling Asylum, under charge of the Sisters of Charity:	
(Chapter 635, Laws of 1872.)	
(Chapter 644, Laws of 1874.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 1,720, at 38 cts. per day each.....	238,564 00
Hebrew Benevolent Society:	
(Chapter 230, Laws of 1874.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 325, at \$110 each per annum.....	35,750 00
Hudson River State Hospital:	
(Chapter 446, Laws of 1874.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, between 2 and 3, at \$4 per week each and expenses.....	600 00
Institution for Deaf and Dumb:	
(Chapter 325, Laws of 1863.)	
(Chapter 386, Laws of 1864.)	
(Chapter 721, Laws of 1867.)	
(Chapter 253, Laws of 1874.)	
(Chapter 213, Laws of 1875.)	
For furnishing clothing for 100 State pupils, at \$30 each.....	\$3,000 00
For education and support of 58 county pupils, at \$300 each.....	17,400 00
Institution for Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes:	
(Chapter 725, Laws of 1867.)	
(Chapter 180, Laws of 1870.)	
(Chapter 213, Laws of 1875.)	
For education and support of 40 pupils, at \$300 each.....	\$12,000 00
For clothing of 10 pupils, at \$30 each.....	300 00
Institution for the Blind:	
(Chapter 166, Laws of 1870.)	
For clothing 125 pupils, at \$50 each.....	6,250 00
Le Couteux St. Mary's Institution for the Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes in the City of Buffalo:	
(Chapter 548, Laws of 1871.)	
For education and support of 2 pupils, at \$300 each.....	600 00
Magdalen Female Benevolent Society:	
(Chapter 409, Laws of 1867.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 48, at \$110 per year.....	5,280 00
New York Juvenile Asylum:	
(Chapter 245, Laws of 1866.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 750, at \$110 per annum.....	82,500 00
New York Infant Asylum:	
(Chapter 263, Laws of 1872.)	
(Chapter 213, Laws of 1875.)	
Estimated average number of children under eighteen months old, 100, at \$2.231 each per week.....	\$11,768 12
Estimated average number of children over eighteen months old, 47, at \$75.541 each per annum.....	3,550 00
Estimated number of obstetrical cases in Lying-in Wards, 48, at \$25 each.....	1,200 00
Estimated number of homeless or needy mothers, nursing their own infants, 53, at \$18 each per month.....	11,448 00
New York State Homeopathic Asylum for the Insane:	
(Chapter 446, Laws of 1874.)	
Estimated number of inmates, 2, at \$4 per week each and expenses for clothing, etc.....	572 00
New York State Lunatic Asylum:	
(Chapter 135, Laws of 1842.)	
Between 2 and 3 (average) inmates, at \$4 per week each and expenses.....	600 00
New York Catholic Protectory:	
(Chapter 647, Laws of 1866.)	
(Chapter 428, Laws of 1867.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 2,200, at \$110 per annum each.....	242,000 00
New York Society for the Relief of the Ruptured and Crippled:	
(Chapter 835, Laws of 1872.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 175, at \$150 each per annum.....	26,250 00
Nursery and Child's Hospital:	
(Chapter 650, Laws of 1866.)	
(Chapter 366, Laws of 1869.)	
(Chapter 643, Laws of 1874.)	
Estimated average number of children, 500, at \$120 each per annum.....	\$60,000 00
Estimated average number of Lying-in Women, 180, at \$260 each per annum.....	46,800 00
Protestant Episcopal House of Mercy:	
(Chapter 409, Laws of 1867.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 60, at \$110 each per annum.....	6,600 00
Roman Catholic House of the Good Shepherd:	
(Chapter 409, Laws of 1867.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 160, at \$110 each per annum.....	17,600 00
State Lunatic Asylum for Insane Criminals at Auburn:	
(Chapter 895, Laws of 1869.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 6, at \$4 each per week.....	1,248 00
The Shepherd's Fold:	
(Chapter 269, Laws of 1871).....	5,000 00
The Children's Fold of the City of New York:	
(Chapter 506, Laws of 1874.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 51, at \$2 each per week.....	5,304 00
Union Home and School for Education of Children of Volunteer Soldiers:	
(Chapter 309, Laws of 1870.)	
(Chapter 583, Laws of 1871.)	
(Chapter 143, Laws of 1873.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 161, at \$150 each per annum.....	24,150 00
St. Joseph's Improved Institute for the Instruction of Deaf Mutes:	
(Chapter 213, Laws of 1875.)	
Estimated average number of inmates, 20, at \$300 each per annum.....	6,000 00
Total.....	967,694 12
Deduct amount of estimated revenues of the General Fund not otherwise specifically appropriated by law, including surplus revenue of the Sinking Fund for payment of interest on City Debt.....	2,500,000 00
Total.....	\$28,484,269 48

Twenty-eight millions four hundred and eighty-four thousand two hundred and sixty-nine dollars and forty-eight cents.

Dated New York, December 30, 1876.

WM. H. WICKHAM,

Mayor;

JOHN KELLY,

Comptroller;

SAMUEL A. LEWIS,

President of the Board of Aldermen;

JOHN WHEELER,

President of the Department of

Taxes and Assessments,

Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Alderman Simonson—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Church of the Annunciation to set the iron railing and erect a retaining wall in front of the church, on Broadway, from One Hundred and Thirty-first street to One Hundred and Thirty-third street, out as far as the area line, according to the accompanying diagram, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

By Alderman Joyce—

Resolved, That Croton-mains be laid in One Hundred and Thirty-first street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works. Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Sauer—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Mrs. Lucy O'Connor to retain her stand at the foot of Wall street, as requested in the accompanying petition of persons doing business in that vicinity, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

By Alderman Sheil's—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Law Department.

(G. O. 201.)

By Alderman Sauer—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Prior, to keep a coal-box on the sidewalk in front of premises No. 149 East Thirty-second street, the work to be done at his own expense, and permission hereby given to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative, on a division called by Alderman Phillips, viz.:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Cole, De Vries, Guntzer, Joyce, Keenan, Lamb, Lewis, Salmon, and Sauer—10.

Negative—Aldermen Cowing, Morris, Phillips, Pinckney, and Simonson—5.

On motion of Alderman Sauer, the above vote was reconsidered, and the paper laid over.

By Alderman Reilly—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Law Department.

Alderman Cole moved that this Board do now adjourn.

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

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote, on a division called by Alderman Sauer, viz.:

Affirmative—Aldermen Cole, Keenan, and Morris—3.

Negative—The President, Aldermen Cowing, De Vries, Guntzer, Joyce, Lamb, Lewis, Phillips, Pinckney, Salmon, Sauer, and Simonson—12.

(G. O. 202.)

By Alderman Simonson—

Resolved, That Croton water-mains be extended from Eleventh avenue and Seventieth street to the railroad bridge, with a hydrant, as provided in section , chapter 477, Laws of 1875, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

We, the undersigned residents of the Twenty-second Ward, do respectfully petition that the Croton water be extended from Eleventh avenue and Seventieth street to the railroad bridge, with a hydrant, there being no accommodation nearer than the Boulevard.

John S. Lynch, 69th street.

John D. Robinson.

Edward L. Wilson.

Albert Komp.

John R. Clark.

Joseph Stilger.

Charles Frick.

John P. Smith.

Andrew Marshall.

Geo. P. Geissel.

William H. Arndt.

Charles Lentz.

Richard V. Freemer.

William A. Wagner.

Conrad Roth.

Andre Lyle.

Z. Rempton.

William W. Gage.

John S. Gage.

George Bruner.

Samuel Christman.

George Christman.

Amos Welde.

Hugh O'Neill.

John Noll.

Elias B. Conover.

Thomas Thorp.

David Lewis.

Warren M. Conover.

Thomas Dwyer.

Which was laid over.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS RESUMED.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Commissioners of Excise:

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EXCISE COMMISSIONERS,
No. 299 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, June, 1877.

To the Hon. the Board of Supervisors of the County of New York:

Herewith is submitted a true statement of all moneys received by the Commissioners of Excise in and for the City and County of New York, as such Commissioners, in their official capacity, during the year ending April 30, 1877, together with the name of every person in said city and county to whom the said Commissioners have granted a license to sell strong and spirituous liquors, wines, ale or beer, under any section of the law passed April 16, 1857, and of the acts of the Legislature amendatory and supplementary thereto.

Respectfully,

GEORGE W. MORTON,

OWEN MURPHY,

J. M. PATTERSON, JR.,

Commissioners of Excise
in and for the City and
County of New York.

Total amount received for applications for licenses, from May 1, 1876, to April 30, 1877..... \$296,866 75

Amount of fees for licenses granted, from May 1, 1876, to April 30, 1877, \$287,262 25

Paid into City Treasury, as per receipt (or certificate) of City Chamberlain hereunto annexed..... \$287,262 25

There was received accompanying applications for licenses which were refused, from May 1, 1876, to April 30, 1877..... 2,885 00

Of which sum there has been returned to the applicants..... \$1,940 00

Remaining in hands of Owen Murphy, Treasurer of this Board, on account of rejected applications..... 945 00

\$2,885 00

Applications were received to April 30, 1877, which, in consequence of the decision rendered by the Court of Appeals the latter part of March, 1877, remained unacted on by this Board, and the sums accompanying which are on deposit in the hands of the Treasurer..... 6,719 50

Total..... \$296,866 75

RECAPITULATION.

Total cash received from May 1, 1876, to April 30, 1877..... \$296,866 75

Paid into City Treasury..... \$287,262 25

Returned applications rejected..... 1,940 00

Cash in hands of Treasurer, balance on account of applications rejected..... \$945 00

Applications for license remaining unacted on by the Board April 30, 1877..... 6,719 50

7,664 50

\$296,866 75

No amount of money was received by this Board from May 1, 1876, to April 30, 1877, for fines or penalties.

In addition to the foregoing, there was received before the amount of license fee to be exacted for each class of license was fixed the sum of \$1,825 in excess of the amount required for the license fee as determined, and which amount was subsequently returned to the several applicants who deposited the same.

Which was ordered on file.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

By Alderman Guntzer—

Resolved, That Edward F. Hassey be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Law Department.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS AGAIN RESUMED.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Department of the County Clerk:

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE, NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, June 30, 1877.

Hon. HENRY D. PURROY, President Board of Aldermen:

DEAR SIR—Inclosed herewith I transmit to your Honorable Board a list of the names of Commissioners of Deeds whose terms expire during the month of July.

Very respectfully yours,

HENRY A. GUMBLETON, County Clerk.

List of Commissioners whose terms of office expire during the month of July, 1877.

NAME.	TERM EXPIRES.
Samuel G. Barnard.....	July 20, 1877.
Louis Bauer.....	" 20, "
Charles I. Bushnell.....	June 14, "
Charles A. Clark.....	July 8, "
William Cohn.....	" 20, "
Charles M. Earle.....	" 8, "
John J. Finney.....	" 20, "
Edward F. Hassey.....	" 20, "
William J. Hirschfield.....	" 20, "
Louis Lensbuscher.....	" 1, "
Benjamin B. Levy.....	" 20, "
Albert E. Luther.....	" 20, "
John McCauley.....	" 20, "
John Mathews.....	" 20, "
John J. Nealis.....	" 20, "
Robert Prati.....	" 26, "
James M. Sweeney.....	" 1, "
Michael H. Siegerson.....	" 20, "
William Van Valkenburgh.....	" 8, "

Which was referred to the Committee on Law Department.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Alderman Pinckney called up G. O. 184½, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That Fortieth street, from Tenth avenue to the Hudson river, be paved with Belgian or trap-block pavement, and that at the several intersecting streets and avenues crosswalks be laid where not now laid, and relaid where those now laid are, in the opinion of the Commissioner of Public Works, not in good repair, or are not upon a grade adapted to the grade of the proposed new pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

He then moved to refer the paper to the Committee on Public Works.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Morris moved that the Board do now adjourn.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the President announced that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday, July 10, 1877, at 2 o'clock P. M.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Abstract of transactions of the Department of Finance for the week ending June 30, 1877.

Deposits in the Treasury.

On account of the Sinking Fund.....	\$137,548 71
" " City Treasury.....	151,996 48
Total.....	\$289,545 19

Bonds and Stocks Issued.

Three per cent. Bonds.....	\$19,000 00
Five per cent. Bonds.....	400,000 00
Five per cent. Stock.....	90,000 00
Total.....	\$509,000 00

Warrants Registered and Ready for Payment.

Additional Free Floating Baths.....	\$625 00
Advertising.....	64 80
Aqueduct—Repairs and Maintenance.....	191 18
Assessment Fund.....	5,549 60
Assessment Fund Stock.....	52,000 00
Bonds for Liquidation of Claims and Judgments.....	75,000 00
Boulevards, Roads, and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	2,160 76
City Contingencies.....	50 00
City Parks Improvement Fund.....	62 80
CITY RECORD—Salaries and Contingencies.....	625 00
College of the City of New York.....	20,851 65
Commissioners of Excise Fund.....	3,951 26
Contingencies—Comptroller's Office.....	203 42
" Law Department.....	1,771 57
" Mayor's Office.....	2,000 00
" Public Administrator's Office.....	78 00
Croton Water-main Fund.....	167 40
Croton Water Rent—Refunding Account.....	14 00
Dock Fund.....	20,096 54
Examining Old Claims and Accounts.....	75 00
Fire Department Fund.....	84,430 47
Free Floating Baths.....	1,496 18
Fund for Small-pox Hospital and Cure of Contagious Diseases.....	627 77
Health Fund.....	11,196 34
Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvement, and Maintenance.....	440 13
Interest on the City Debt.....	86,677 70
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places.....	1,293 70
Maintenance and Government of Public Places, Streets, Roads, Avenues, and Bridges, including Bridges over Bronx river, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	27 60
Music—Central Park.....	275 00
New County Court-house.....	833 30
New York Bridge Fund.....	50,000 00
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs.....	197 13
Public Charities and Correction.....	29,011 37
Public Instruction.....	161,158 71
Refunding Taxes Paid in Error.....	14 00
Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues.....	94 50
Repairs and Renewal of Pavements.....	3,352 11
Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	105 90
Revenue Bonds of 1876.....	23,500 00
Salaries—Board of Assessors.....	1,483 33
" Bureau of Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.....	541 66
" Bureau of Permits.....	999 97
" City Courts.....	13,608 29
" Chamberlain's Office.....	2,500 00
" Commissioners of Accounts.....	1,000 00
" Common Council.....	9,124 89
" Department of Finance.....	9,854 31
" " Public Works.....	8,357 30
" " Taxes and Assessments.....	8,174 90
" Judiciary.....	111,734 81
" Law Department.....	9,174 92
" Mayor's Office.....	2,458 32

Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning.....	3,624 00
State Taxes.....	500,000 00
Street Improvement Fund.....	31,996 02
Street Improvements above Fifty-ninth street.....	28 47
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....	5,937 82
Surveying, Laying-out, Monumenting, etc., Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	7 33
Third District Court-house Fund.....	210 32
Wells and Pumps—Repairing and Cleaning.....	184 70
Total.....	\$1,361,841 25

SUITS, ORDERS OF COURT, JUDGMENTS, Etc.

COURT.	PLAINTIFF OR RELATOR.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION, ETC.	ATTORNEY.
Supreme..	John McCloskey.....	\$18 27	Notice of Judgment.....	Johnson & Ward.
"	Manhattan Real Estate Association.....		Order to receive tax of 1874, without interest.....	W. P. Dixon.
"	T. Quincy Browne.....		Order to vacate assessment, paving Forty-fifth street, Madison to Fifth avenue.....	E. O. Andrews.
"	George W. Dean.....		Order to vacate assessment, outlet sewer in One Hundred and Tenth street.....	"
"	Benj. H. Hutton.....		To vacate sale for assessments in 1874 on One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street opening, Eighth avenue and Harlem river.....	T. F. Neville.
"	"		To vacate sale for assessments in 1874 in sixteen cases, in matter of St. Nicholas avenue opening.....	"
"	"		To vacate sale for assessments in 1874 in four cases, in matter of One Hundred and Seventeenth street opening, Fourth to Eighth avenue.....	"
"	"		To vacate sale for assessments in 1874, One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street opening, Eighth avenue and Harlem river.....	"
"	"		To vacate sale for assessments in 1874, opening Public Drive.....	"
"	"		To vacate sale for assessments in 1874, opening One Hundred and Twentieth street, Sixth to Eighth avenue.....	"
"	"		To vacate sale for assessments in 1874, opening One Hundred and Thirtieth street, Hudson to Harlem river.....	"
"	Lucy E. White.....		To vacate sale for assessments in 1874, opening Twelfth avenue.....	"
"	"		To vacate sale for assessments in 1874, opening Public Drive.....	"
"	Hebrew Benevolent and Orphan Society.....		Order to vacate sale of 1874, opening Lexington avenue.....	Johnson & Ward.
"	Mary Black.....		Order to vacate assessment for paving Stone street, Broad to Whitehall street.....	E. O. Andrews.
"	Ellen M. Yelverton.....	1,378 80	For award for damage by change of grade of One Hundred and Twenty-third street, Mt. Morris square and Eighth avenue.....	J. A. Deering.
"	H. S. & A. H. Mott.....		Order to vacate sale for assessment, Eleventh avenue curb, gutter, and flagging.....	E. O. Andrews.
"	Joshua C. Sanders.....		Order to vacate sale for assessment, Seventy-ninth and Eighty-eighth streets sewers, Fourth to Fifth avenue.....	"
"	Ruth Ann Wallace.....		Order to vacate sale for assessment, Fifty-second and Fifty-third streets sewers, Eighth to Ninth avenue.....	"
"	Mary H. Lester.....		To vacate assessment sale of 1874, Sixth avenue widening, One Hundred and Tenth street to Harlem river.....	E. M. Neville.
"	Harlem Presbyterian Church.....	170 63	Notice of Judgment.....	Johnson & Ward.
Com. Pleas	Mary Ashley.....		Summons, complaint not served.....	C. S. Spencer.
Superior..	John Elder, Jr.....		For extra work on heating apparatus, Bellevue Hospital and Medical College.....	
Surrogate's	Estate of James Watson, deceased.....	2,904 48	Order allowing administratrix to draw and collect the award for widening Broadway.....	Wingate & Cullen.

CLAIMS FILED.

NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.
Daniel Blackwell.....	\$100 00	For services as Rodman, Department of Public Works, December, 1871.....	
Mary A. Vandewater, administratrix of Henry Vandewater, assignee.....	3,311 50	For services of various employees of Department of Public Works, July and August, 1871.....	E. Sandford.

CONTRACTS REGISTERED.

NO.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT.	NAMES OF CONTRACTORS.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.
4031	June 27, 1877	Fire.....	Ch. E. Heuberer.....	1,800 bags oats, at \$1.28½ per bag, \$2,317.50; 1,200 bags fine feed, at 63 cents per bag, \$756 (total, \$3,073.50).
4032	" 13, "	"	James H. Graham.....	1,800 tons egg coal, 1,200 tons stove coal, at \$3.34 per ton (total, \$10,020).
4033	" 18, "	"	John H. Brady.....	Alterations, repairs, etc., on house of Hook & Ladder Co. No. 14 (estimate, \$838).
4034	" 18, "	Parks.....	Edward Boote.....	Tiling work on the Museum of Natural History, Central Park; to be completed Oct. 18, 1877 (estimate, \$20,700).
4035	May 1, "	"	Jones & McQuade.....	Fixing price of additional pipe for construction of Brook avenue sewer, supplementary to Contract No. 3838. Per lineal foot, 30 cents; total not to exceed \$1,000 additional to original estimates.
4036	June 18, "	Public Works.....	Patrick Burns.....	Fencing vacant lots on the south side of Forty-third street, between Lexington and Third avenues (estimate, \$65.26).
4037	" 19, "	"	George F. Doak.....	Fencing vacant lots on both sides of Broadway, from Forty-second to Fifty-ninth street (estimate, \$54.40).
4038	" 19, "	"	"	Fencing lots on plot bounded by Second and Third avenues and Seventy-first and Seventy-second streets (estimate, \$188.57).

Opening of Proposals.

The Comptroller attended the opening of proposals at the Department of Public Works, on June 28, 1877, for furnishing 489 tons cast-iron water pipes and special castings, 4 thirty-inch stop-cocks and gearing, and 4 twenty-inch stop-cocks.

Removal.

Joseph Fay, Cartman at Centre, Clinton, and Jefferson Markets.

Resignation.

John O'S. Lynch, Assistant Clerk, Comptroller's Office.

Appointments.

George H. Andrews, Commissioner of the Department of Taxes and Assessments of the City of New York, designated by the Comptroller as a member of the Commission to carry out the provisions of the act, chapter 473 of the Laws of 1877.

Dennis Ward, Cartman at Centre, Clinton, and Jefferson Markets.

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Counsel to the Corporation for the week ending June 30, 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.

In the matter of the petition of Frederick Steule et al.—To vacate a sale for non-payment of assessment for Forty-seventh and Forty-ninth streets sewers.
In the matter of the petition of Adam W. Speis—To vacate a sale for non-payment of assessment for Fifty-sixth street flagging.
In the matter of the petition of John Matthews—To vacate a sale for non-payment of assessment for First avenue sewer.
Ellen M. Yelverton—For an award of \$1,378.80, change of grade of One Hundred and Twenty-third street.
James R. Wood et al.—To foreclose mortgage; City is judgment creditor.
In the matter of the petition of Ephraim D. Brown, executor of John Clapp, deceased, No. 1.—To set aside a sale for non-payment of assessments.
In the matter of the petition of Ephraim D. Brown, No. 2.—To set aside a sale for non-payment of assessments.
In the matter of the petition of Ephraim D. Brown, executor of John Clapp, deceased, No. 3.—To set aside a sale for non-payment of assessments.
In the matter of the petition of Ephraim D. Brown, No. 4.—To set aside a sale for non-payment of assessment.
In the matter of the petition of Ephraim D. Brown, executor of John Clapp, deceased, No. 5.—To reduce an assessment for opening Madison avenue, between Eighty-sixth and One Hundred and Twentieth streets.
In the matter of the petition of Gould Hoyt—To set aside a sale for non-payment of assessment.
In the matter of the petition of Isaac and Simon Bernheimer—To set aside a sale for non-payment of assessment.
Mary H. Lester—To vacate sale for non-payment of assessment for Sixth avenue widening, \$10.
In the matter of the petition of David King, Jr., and another, trustees—To vacate assessment for paving Seventy-second street.
In the matter of the petition of Frederick Steule et al., No. 2.—To vacate sale for non-payment of assessment for Forty-seventh and Forty-ninth streets sewers.
Samuel D. Brooks—To foreclose mortgage; city interested as judgment creditor.
In the matter of the petition of Ann McElvany for a writ of mandamus—Directing the Comptroller to cancel certain arrears of taxes.
People, ex rel. Margaret Hudson, vs. The Fire Department—Certiorari to review proceedings of Commissioners removing relator's husband from the Department.

COMMON PLEAS.

Mary Ashley—Summons for relief.

SCHEDULE "B."

JUDGMENTS ENTERED AND ORDERS OF THE SPECIAL AND GENERAL TERMS.

John Shea—Order of discontinuance entered.

David Irwin—	do	do
Nicholas Judge—	do	do
James Reilly—	do	do
John H. Munn—	do	do
John Norton—	do	do
George Heid—	do	do
Elverina Dooley—	do	do
George Reinhardt—	do	do
James P. Walker—	do	do
Edward Macy—	do	do

In re T. Quincy Brown—Order entered to vacate sale for non-payment of assessment.

In re George W. Dean—Order entered to reduce assessment.

In re Hebrew Benevolent Orphan Asylum Society—Order entered to vacate sale for assessment.

In the matter of the Broadway widening—Order entered referring matters to Geo. W. Loren, referee.

Jeremiah H. Moore—Order entered in favor of the city, denying motion to discontinue, without costs.

James Bigler et al.—Entered judgment in favor of the city, dismissing complaint, and for \$1,278.98.

Manhattan Real Estate Association—Order entered directing that Clerk of Arrears receipt for taxes, etc.

People, ex rel. John Coughlin—Peremptory writ of mandamus issued directing Comptroller to issue assessment bonds to pay award for change of grade of Eighth avenue.

People, ex rel. Matthew Smelt—Peremptory writ of mandamus issued directing Comptroller to issue assessment bonds to pay award for change of grade of Eighth avenue.

People, ex rel. Patrick Kelly—Peremptory writ of mandamus issued directing Comptroller to issue assessment bonds to pay award for change of grade of Eighth avenue.

People, ex rel. Robert Pembroke—Peremptory writ of mandamus issued directing Comptroller to issue assessment bonds to pay award for change of grade of Eighth avenue.

People, ex rel. Thomas Geary—Peremptory writ of mandamus issued directing Comptroller to issue assessment bonds to pay award for change of grade of Eighth avenue.

People, ex rel. Ann Brady—Peremptory writ of mandamus issued directing Comptroller to issue assessment bonds to pay award for change of grade of Eighth avenue.

People, ex rel. Elizabeth Voegt—Peremptory writ of mandamus issued directing Comptroller to issue assessment bonds to pay award for change of grade of Eighth avenue.

People, ex rel. Wm. C. Ammerman—Peremptory writ of mandamus issued directing Comptroller to issue assessment bonds to pay award for change of grade of Eighth avenue.

People, ex rel. Ann Tyrrell—Peremptory writ of mandamus issued directing Comptroller to issue assessment bonds to pay award for change of grade of Eighth avenue.

People, ex rel. H. Hase—Peremptory writ of mandamus issued directing Comptroller to issue assessment bonds to pay award for change of grade of Eighth avenue.

E. B. O'Callaghan—Order entered overruling defendant's demurrer, with leave to answer on payment of costs.

In re Hopper S. Mott—Order entered to vacate sale for non-payment of assessment.

In re J. C. Sanders—do do do

In re Ruth A. Wallace—do do do

Wm. H. Dannatt against The Board of Education—Judgment entered in favor of the plaintiff.

Patrick Meehan, \$119.04—Judgment entered dismissing complaint and with costs to the city.

James Dunphy, \$284.49—do do do

Martin Reilly, \$87.16—do do do

John Traub, \$87.16—do do do

Dennis Donovan, \$87.16—do do do

Edward Tracey, \$87.16—do do do

Geo. Taggart, \$87.16—do do do

Bryan Morrissey, \$87.16—do do do

In re James A. Striker—Order entered to vacate assessment.
 In re Elizabeth Jones—Order entered to discontinue proceedings.
 In re George Hoffman—Order entered denying motion to vacate.
 In re Harlem Presbyterian Church—Order entered reducing judgment to \$170.63.
 Michael Donohue—Order of discontinuance entered.
 John Dowling—do do do
 Tuttle & Bailey Manufacturing Company—Order of discontinuance entered.
 In re Matthew Kane—Order entered confirming referee's report.

SCHEDULE "C."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED OR ARGUED.

James Dunphy—Tried before Van Brunt, J., and a jury; complaint dismissed.
 Patrick Meehan—Trial concluded; complaint dismissed.
 James Murray—Tried before Freedman, J., and a jury; complaint dismissed; exceptions to be heard in the first instance at the General Term.
 Sarah M. Norman—Tried before Freedman, J., and a jury; complaint dismissed.
 In re Aaron Raymond—Proof taken.
 In re William Ryan—Reference proceeded with.
 In re Alfrederick Hatch—Reference proceeded with.
 In re Hebrew Benevolent Orphan Asylum Society—Proof taken, and matter submitted at Chambers.
 In re John McCloskey—Proof taken.
 In re Catharine Leary—Proof taken.
 In re Female Academy of the Sacred Heart—Proof taken.
 In re Simon Rothschild—Proof taken.
 In re H. P. McGown—Proof taken.
 In re Charles Bathgate—Proof taken.
 In re John Foster—Argued at Chambers.
 Washington Heights Methodist Episcopal Church—Tried before Donohue, J.; decision reserved.
 Matilda A. Walbridge—Reference proceeded with.
 Robert Cushing—Reference proceeded with.

WM. C. WHITNEY, Counsel to the Corporation.

APPROVED PAPERS.

AN ORDINANCE to amend section 7 of chapter XV. of the Ordinances of 1866, entitled "Of flagging, and laying, and repairing sidewalks and curb and gutter stones."

The Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York do ordain as follows:

Section 1. Section 7 of the above-entitled ordinance is hereby amended, and shall read as follows:

§ 7. No sidewalk, or any part of a sidewalk laid with brick or flagging shall hereafter be taken up, or the brick or flagging removed therefrom, for any purpose whatever, in the Twenty-third or Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, without the written permission of the President of the Department of Public Parks, or in any other part of the City of New York without the written permission of the Commissioner of Public Works, under the penalty of twenty-five dollars for every such offense; but the provisions of this section (unless such work should come within the limits of an ordinance of the Common Council) shall not apply to any person engaged in the necessary repairs of any such sidewalk, the resetting, when necessary, of any curb or gutter stones that may have become displaced, broken or sunken, or the necessary repair or alteration of any coal-slide under any such sidewalk, nor shall a permit for any such purpose be necessary.

Sec. 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 19, 1877.

Approved by the Mayor, June 25, 1877.

Resolved, That the name of James J. Jarvis, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be and is hereby corrected so as to read James M. Jarvis.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 19, 1877.

Approved by the Mayor, June 25, 1877.

Resolved, That the name of Anthony F. Gallagher, recently appointed as a Commissioner of Deeds, be and is hereby corrected so as to read Anthony T. Gallagher.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 19, 1877.

Approved by the Mayor, June 25, 1877.

Resolved, That the name of Marcus Block, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be and is hereby amended so as to read Marcus Bloch.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 19, 1877.

Approved by the Mayor, June 25, 1877.

Resolved, That the name of Clarence R. Dorsett, recently appointed as a Commissioner of Deeds, be and is hereby amended so as to read R. Clarence Dorsett.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 19, 1877.

Approved by the Mayor, June 25, 1877.

Resolved, That the name of John J. Healy, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be and is hereby corrected so as to read John J. Healy, Jr.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 19, 1877.

Approved by the Mayor, June 25, 1877.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is respectfully requested to cause the carriageway of Jackson, Gouverneur, Montgomery, Clinton, Jefferson, Rutgers, Henry, Madison, Monroe, Cherry, and Water streets to be repaired, and placed in good condition immediately.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 19, 1877.

Approved by the Mayor, June 25, 1877.

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to James Jordan, a disabled soldier, to keep a stand for the sale of fruit, in front of No. 1 Warren street, he having obtained the permission of owner of the premises to keep said stand; said permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 19, 1877.

Approved by the Mayor, June 25, 1877.

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to Henry Hilton to place two ornamental lamp-posts and lamps in front of premises on the westerly side of Fourth avenue, between Thirty-second and Thirty-third streets, the same to be at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, and the gas be supplied from his own meter; this permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 19, 1877.

Approved by the Mayor, June 25, 1877.

Resolved, That the Clerk of the Common Council be and he is hereby authorized and directed to cause one thousand copies of all laws relating particularly to this city, passed at the late session of the Legislature, to be printed in the usual manner, in document form, for the use of the Mayor, Common Council, and Departments; the expense of procuring certified copies of such laws, which shall not exceed the usual legal fees, to be paid from the appropriation for "City Contingencies," by the Comptroller.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 19, 1877.

Approved by the Mayor, June 25, 1877.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Richardson & Fuller to put down platform scales near bulkhead, between Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets, North river, for the purpose of weighing ice, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 19, 1877.

Approved by the Mayor, June 28, 1877.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be requested to repair the carriageway in Fifty-first street, from Broadway to Ninth avenue; also Fifty-second street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 19, 1877.

Approved by the Mayor, June 25, 1877.

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

O'Callaghan, T. O'D.	in place of O'Callaghan, T. O'D.
Beekman, C. M.	" Burke, Michael F.
Downs, Walter H.	" Carpenter, Wm. C.
Breumich, Henry	" Ingraham, D. Phoenix.
Clegg, John C.	" Heogh, Sylvester R.
Raphael, J. Jamieson	" McLoughlin, M. J.
Howland, Horace	in place of Howland, Horace.
McCullough, Peter	" McCullough, Peter.
Miller, William H.	" Van Holland, Henry.
O'Donnell, Wm.	" Wilmurt, Jefferson.
Stone, Mason A.	" Stone, Mason A.
Earle, Chas. M.	" Wendell, David S.
Koehler, Jos.	" Coutrell, John.
Rothschild, Henry E.	" Caldwell, Wm.
Smith, James B.	" Hawley, Seth, Jr.
Stirrat, Wm. R.	" Buell, Luther H.
Barrett, Thomas E.	" MacKenzie, Thomas.
Walters, Chas. F.	" Raphael, J. Jamieson.
Wilson, Jotham	" Spooner, Chas. W.
O'Hara, Bernard	" Scholl, John A.
Clarke, Daniel W.	" Clarke, Daniel W.
Gilmore, James M.	" Smith, Wm. E.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 19, 1877.

Approved by the Mayor, June 25, 1877.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby requested to repair the pavement of Forty-third street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues; Forty-seventh street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues; also Tenth avenue, from Fortieth to Fifty-fifth street, be put in good repair immediately.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 19, 1877.

Approved by the Mayor, June 25, 1877.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to N. Poggie to retain a stand, four feet by six inches, at No. 150 Canal street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 19, 1877.

Approved by the Mayor, June 28, 1877.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to C. Stegman & Son to retain the watering-trough now in front of their premises No. 239 Pearl street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 19, 1877.

Approved by the Mayor, June 28, 1877.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Joseph Lindo to erect a small sign at the outer edge of the sidewalk in front of No. 487 Eighth avenue, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 19, 1877.

Approved by the Mayor, June 28, 1877.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Alexander B. Barnard to erect a pole and place a sign thereon in front of No. 441 Third avenue, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 19, 1877.

Approved by the Mayor, June 28, 1877.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to D. W. Luhning to erect a flag-pole in place of the one already there, on Fifth avenue, between Fifty-ninth and Sixtieth streets, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 19, 1877.

Approved by the Mayor, June 28, 1877.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Mrs. Mary Curry to keep a newspaper stand on the northeast corner Marion and Spring streets; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 19, 1877.

Approved by the Mayor, June 28, 1877.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Henry F. Kilburn to repair bay-window on house No. 10 East Fifty-fourth street, the same to be done at his own expense, and under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 19, 1877.

Approved by the Mayor, June 28, 1877.

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to the College of St. Francis Xavier to place and keep a porch over the entrances to the church about to be erected on Sixteenth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, as requested in the accompanying petition; the work to be done at the expense of the said college, and under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 21, 1877.

Approved by the Mayor, June 28, 1877.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks be and they are respectfully requested to allow children under the age of twelve years to use all portions of the grounds of the Battery and City Hall Parks for recreation.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 21, 1877.

Approved by the Mayor, June 28, 1877.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Joseph Nimphius to erect a pump and watering-trough in front of his premises on the west side of Third avenue, near One Hundred and Forty-ninth street.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 21, 1877.

Approved by the Mayor, June 28, 1877.

AN ORDINANCE to amend section 7 of chapter XIII. of the Ordinances of 1866, entitled "Of the firing of fire-arms, cannons, and fireworks."

The Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York do ordain as follows:

Section 1. Section 7 of the above-entitled ordinance is hereby amended by inserting after the word "combustion" the words "except on the third and fourth days of July in year 1877," so that said section, when so amended, shall read as follows:

Section 7. No person shall fire, discharge, or set off, in the City of New York, any rocket, cracker, torpedo, squib, balloon, or other fire-works or thing containing any substance in a state of combustion, except on the third and fourth days of July in year 1877, under the penalty of five dollars for each offense.

Section 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 26, 1877.

Approved by the Mayor, June 28, 1877.

COMMON COUNCIL.

Names, Residences, and Places of Business of the Members of the Board of Aldermen.

NAMES.	RESIDENCE.	PLACE OF BUSINESS.
Henry D. Purroy...	Fordham.	261 Broadway.
Wm. L. Cole.....	142 E. 60th st.	57 Murray st.
Rufus B. Cowing....	134 E. 78th st.	106 Broadway.
John De Vries.....	112 Sullivan st.	114 Wooster st.
Ferd. Ehrhart.....	139 E. Houston st.	139 E. Houston st.
John W. Guntzer....	83 2d st.	83 2d st.
George Hall.....	54 Eldridge st.	51 Bowery.
Henry E. Howland....	300 Lexington av.	60 Wall st.
William Joyce.....	445 W. 44th st.	445 W. 44th st.
Patrick Keenan.....	610 E. 12th st.	216 Avenue B.
William Lamb.....	102 W. 21st st.	102 W. 21st st.
Samuel A. Lewis....	314 W. 14th st.	59 University pl.
John J. Morris.....	127 W. 21st st.	6 Pine st.
Lewis J. Phillips....	24 E. 74th st.	27 Stuyvesant st.
Jos. C. Pinckney....	27 Stuyvesant st.	73 Monroe st.
Bryan Reilly.....	73 Monroe st.	365 W. 34th st.
William Salmon....	365 W. 34th st.	55 E. 20th st.
William Sauer.....	55 E. 20th st.	71 E. B'way.
Thomas Sheils.....	55 Pike st.	304 W. 52d st.
Stephen N. Simonson	307 W. 48th st.	25 Spring st.
James J. Slevin.....	131 Mott st.	133 E. 43d st.
Michael Tuomey....	133 E. 43d st.	

HENRY D. PURROY, President.
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

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, 8½ A. M. to 4½ 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 WORK

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. 18½.
Bureau of Repairs and Supplies, No. 18.
Lamps and Gas, No. 13.
Incumbents, No. 13.
Street Improvements, No. 11.
Chief Engineer Croton Aqueduct, No. 11½.
Water Register, No. 10.
Water Purveyor, No. 4.
Streets and Roads, No. 13.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Commissioners' Office, No. 66 Third avenue, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Out Door Poor Department, No. 66 Third avenue a ways open, entrance on Eleventh street.
Reception Hospital, Ninety-ninth street and Tenth avenue, always open.
Bellevue 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 MOTT 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. 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.
DEPARTMENT 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., on Saturday, 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.
Surveyor's Bureau, 19 Chatham street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Board of Assessors.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

Superintendent's Office, 2 Fourth avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

BOARD OF EXCISE.

Commissioners' Office, first floor, 299 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

CORNER GRAND AND ELM STREETS.
Office of the Board, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Superintendent of Schools, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

Commissioners' Office, 27 Chambers street, second floor, front office

COMMISSIONERS OF THE COUNTY COURT-HOUSE.

Office, Room B, third floor, northwest corner County Court-house.

THE CITY RECORD.

Office, No. 2 City Hall, northwest corner basement, 8 A. M. to 6 P. M.

MISCELLANEOUS OFFICES

HOURS 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Coroners' Office, 40 East Houston street, second floor.
Sheriff's Office, first floor, southwest corner of New County Court-house.
County Clerk's Office, first floor, northeast corner of New County Court-house.
Surrogate's Office, first floor, southeast corner of New County Court-house.
Register's Office, Hall of Records, City Hall Park.
District Attorney's Office, second floor, Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Commissioner's Office, Rotunda, north side, New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

COURTS.

SUPREME COURT.

General Term, Special Term, Chancery, Circuit Part I, Circuit Part II, Circuit Part III, second floor, New County Court-house, 10½ A. M. to 3 P. M.

SUPERIOR COURT.

General Term, Trial Term Part I, Trial Term Part II, third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.
Clerk's Office, third floor, New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

COMMON PLEAS.

General Term, Equity Term, Trial Term Part I, Trial Term Part II, third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.
Clerk's office, third floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

MARINE COURT.

General Term, Trial Term Part I, room 15, old City Hall; Trial Term Part II, Trial Term Part III, third floor, 27 Chambers street; Special Term, Chambers, second floor, 27 Chambers street, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
Clerk's Office, basement, Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

GENERAL SESSIONS.

Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, second floor, room 14, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
OVER AND TERMINER.
General Term, New County Court-house, second floor, southeast corner, room 11, 10:30 A. M.
Clerk's Office, Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, second floor, northwest corner.

SPECIAL SESSIONS.

At Tombs, corner Franklin and Centre streets, Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays, 10 A. M.
Clerk's Office, Tombs.

DISTRICT COURTS.

First District—First, Second, Third, and Fifth Wards, southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Second District—Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards No. 514 Pearl street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Third District—Eighth, Ninth and Fifteenth Wards No. 12 Greenwich avenue, 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.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of Trustees of Common Schools of the several wards, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, for the various kinds of work, etc., hereinafter named, as follows:

By the Trustees of the Nineteenth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Monday, July 16, 1877, for the Desks, Seats, and other Furniture required for the new School-house in East Seventy-fifth street, near Third avenue.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same time and place for Steam Heating-apparatus for said School-house.

F. T. HOPKINS,
Chairman, Board of School Trustees,
Nineteenth Ward.

MEYER THALMESSINGER,
Secretary.
Dated New York, June 30, 1877.

By the Trustees of the Twenty-second Ward, until 9½ o'clock A. M., on Monday, July 16, 1877, for the Desks, Seats, and other Furniture required for the new School-house on West Fifty-eighth street, near Tenth avenue.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same time and place for Steam Heating-apparatus for said School-house.

JOEL W. MASON,
Chairman, Board of School Trustees,
Twenty-second Ward.

WALTER CARTER, Secretary.
Dated New York, June 30, 1877.

By the Trustees of the Twenty-third Ward, until 9½ o'clock A. M., on Tuesday, July 17, 1877, for the Desks, Seats, and other Furniture required for Grammar School-house No. 62, on Third avenue, near One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street.

WILLIAM HOGG,
Chairman, Board of School Trustees,
Twenty-third Ward.

NATHAN S. KING, M. D., Secretary.
Dated New York, July 2, 1877.

By the Trustees of the Twenty-fourth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Tuesday, July 17, 1877, for the Desks, Seats, and other Furniture required for the new School-house on Third avenue, near One Hundred and Seventy-third street.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same time and place for Steam Heating-apparatus for said School-house.

M. K. HAMILTON, Jr.,
Chairman, Board of School Trustees,
Twenty-fourth Ward.

FRANKLIN EDSON, Secretary.
Dated New York, July 2, 1877.

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

Proposals will not be considered unless the following provisions are strictly complied with:

The party submitting a proposal and the parties proposing to become sureties must each write his own name and place of residence on said proposals.

Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, are required in all cases.

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

DEPARTMENT PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, June 28, 1877.

TO MASONS AND BUILDERS.

PROPOSALS, INCLOSED IN A SEALED ENVELOPE, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received at this office until Wednesday, July 11, 1877, at 12 o'clock M., at which hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read:

FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF RETAINING WALLS, ARCH, STEPS, RAILING, AND FOR THE FILLING AND GRADING NECESSARY FOR THE SUPPORT AND PROTECTION OF THE FORTY-FEET ROADWAY EXCAVATED IN THE CENTRE OF FORTY-SECOND STREET, BETWEEN FIRST AND SECOND AVENUES.

Blank forms of proposals, the specifications and agreements, the proper envelope in which to inclose the bids, and any further information desired, can be obtained on application to the Contract Clerk, at his office, Room 21, City Hall.

The Commissioner of Public Works reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, if, in his judgment, the same may be for the best interests of the city.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Commissioner of Public Works

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, June 29, 1877.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 1, chapter 476, Laws of 1875, inclosed in a sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until Friday, July 13, 1877, at 12 o'clock M., at which hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read, for each of the following works:

No. 1. Paving West Broadway, from Chambers to Canal street, including railroad tracks, and College place, from Chambers street to Barclay street, with granite-block pavement, and laying crosswalks at the several intersecting streets and avenues where required.

No. 2. Paving Sixth avenue, from the southerly side of Forty-second street to the southerly side of Fifty-ninth street, from curb to curb, excepting the horse-paths of the Sixth Avenue Railroad, with granite-block pavement, and laying crosswalks at the several intersecting streets and avenues where required.

Blank forms of proposals, the specifications and agreements, the proper envelope in which to inclose the bids, and any further information desired, can be obtained on application to the Contract Clerk, at his office, Room 21, City Hall.

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, June 30, 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 Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction report as follows:

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island, June 29, 1877—Christopher Boxlitter; aged 74 years; 5 feet 10 inches high; gray hair; dark eyes. Clothing old and worn out. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

John Peters; aged 65 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; brown hair; blue eyes. Had on when admitted, black pants, check shirt, brogan shoes. 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, June 30, 1877.

PROPOSALS FOR 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 Saturday, July 14, 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—

30,000 pounds Brown Sugar.
4,500 pounds Rio Coffee.
2,000 pounds Coffee Sugar.
2,000 pounds Crushed Sugar.
20,000 pounds Hard Soap.
10,000 pounds Rice.
4,000 pounds Oolong Tea.
5,000 pounds Pearl Barley.
3,000 gallons Molasses (hogsheads to be returned).
4,500 pounds good sweet New York State Dairy Butter, to be delivered in quantities as required.
1,000 pounds best quality Leaf Potatoes.
250 barrels good sound Irish Potatoes, to weigh 168 pounds to the barrel net; to be delivered at Store-house Dock, Blackwell's Island.
50 dozen Bed Pans.

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 under that proposal, they will, on its being so 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 reserve 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 furnished.

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

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, June 28, 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 Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction report as follows:

At Hart's Island Hospital, June 27, 1877—Patrick O'Connell; aged 65 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; gray eyes and hair. Had on when admitted, black coat, vest and pants, felt hat, laced shoes. 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, June 27, 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 Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction report as follows:

At Infants' Hospital, Randall's Island, June 25, 1877—Carrie Morris; aged 39 years; 5 feet 10 inches high; light hair; blue eyes. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island, June 26, 1877—William Ingham; aged 47 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; brown eyes and hair. Had on when admitted blue coat and pants, brown vest, brogan shoes. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from New York Hospital—Unknown man; aged about 45 years; 5 feet 10 inches high; sandy hair; whiskers and moustache mixed with gray. Was dressed in olive colored coat, black vest, check pants, check calico shirt, white knit drawers and undershirt, white cotton socks, gaiter shoes, black felt hat.

By Order,
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, June 25, 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 Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction report as follows:

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island, June 22, 1877—Jeremiah Butler (colored); age 45 years; 5 feet 10 inches high; black hair and eyes. Had on when admitted, gray coat and pants, black cloth cap, gaiter shoes. Nothing known of his friend's or relatives.

By Order,
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, June 29, 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 Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction report as follows:

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from Thirteenth Precinct Station-house—Unknown man; age about 35 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; dark brown hair. Was dressed in black cloth coat, pants and vest, white shirt, gaiter shoes, white straw hat.

By Order,
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,
300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, June 1, 1877.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk, Police Department, 301 Mott street, Room 39, for the following property, now in his custody without claimants:
Revolvers, gold and silver watches, male and female clothing, rope, boats, and several small amounts of money found and taken from prisoners.

C. A. ST. JOHN,
Property Clerk.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT,
NO. 301 MOTT STREET,
NEW YORK, June 12, 1877.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH of the Health Department of the City of New York, held at its office on the 12th day of June, 1877, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That, under the power conferred by law upon the Health Department, the following additional section to the Sanitary Code, for the security of life and health, be and the same is hereby adopted and declared to form a portion of the Sanitary Code:

Section 187. That every person who omits or refuses to comply with, or who resists any of the provisions of the Sanitary Code, or any of the rules, orders, sanitary regulations, or ordinances established or declared by this Board, under or pursuant to any of the provisions of the seventy-fourth chapter of the Laws of 1866; or of chapter six hundred and eighty-six of the Laws of 1866; or of chapter nine hundred and fifty-six of the Laws of 1867; or of chapter three hundred and thirty-five of the Laws of 1873; or of chapter seven hundred and fifty-seven of the Laws of 1873; or of chapter six hundred and thirty-six of the Laws of 1874; or refuses or neglects to comply with any of the provisions of the said laws, in so far as the same are now in force, and applicable to the City of New York; or omits or refuses, or neglects the execution of any order or special regulation of this Department, will be liable to the arrest, suit, penalty, fine, and punishment in said laws provided and declared; of all of which, notice must be taken.

[L. S.] CHARLES F. CHANDLER,
EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT,
NO. 301 MOTT STREET,
NEW YORK, June 5, 1877.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH of the Health Department of the City of New York, held at its office on the 5th day of June, 1877, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That section 155 of the Sanitary Code be and the same is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof the following: Provided that the same effect shall be given, under this section, to a burial or transit permit issued by the Board of Health or Health Officer of the City of Yonkers, as to a burial or transit permit issued from this Department when the death of the person named in the permit shall have occurred in said city of Yonkers.

[L. S.] CHARLES F. CHANDLER,
EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

GAS COMMISSION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, June 19, 1877.

PROPOSALS FOR FITTING UP AND LIGHTING PUBLIC LAMPS AT RIVERDALE IN THE TWENTY-FOURTH WARD.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE GAS OR other illuminating material for, and Lighting, Extending, Cleaning, Fitting-up and Maintaining Public Lamps at Riverdale in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, formerly in the town of Kingsbridge for the period from July 16, 1877, to December 31, 1877.

Proposals for the above, made in accordance with section 73, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, and Revised Ordinances of 1859, chapter 8, article 2, and enclosed in a sealed envelope endorsed "Proposals for furnishing the Illuminating Material for, and Lighting, Extending, Cleaning, Fitting-up and Maintaining the Public Lamps," with the name of the party making the same written thereon, will be received at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, until 12 o'clock M. of Monday, July 2, 1877, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened and read.

Bidders are required to state in their proposals their names and places of residence; the names of all persons interested with them; and if no other person be so interested, they shall distinctly state the fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the above supplies and 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 proposals 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. When more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each proposal shall be 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 to the person or persons making the bid, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he or they shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he or they would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to any higher bidder to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of security required for the above work, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise; that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by article 2, chapter 8, of the Revised Ordinances of 1859, or organizing the Municipal Government 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 sureties offered to be determined by the Comptroller.

Bidders are required to state in their proposals what kind of material they propose to furnish.

Bidders are also required to state the price for which they will furnish the illuminating material for each lamp, including the lighting, extending, cleaning, repairing, reglazing, and painting lamp-posts and lamps, replacing the cocks, tubes, burners, crossheads, lamp-irons, and lanterns thereto, for the period from July 16, 1877, to December 31, 1877, both days inclusive; stating the price for the above named period of five and one-half months, for each lamp.

Bidders are also required to state a price for which they will fit up and repair lamp-posts.

The bidders are required to write out the amount of their bids in their estimates, in addition to inserting the same in figures.

The number of lamps to be contracted for is from 50 to 75. The lamps are to burn on an average of 1,855 hours and fifty minutes each, per term.

The burners are to be of a capacity to burn three cubic feet of gas per hour under a pressure of one inch, and in case the illuminating material shall be other than coal-gas, then the burners to be used for such illuminating material shall give a light (by photometrical test, equal to the light given by the gas-burners now in use in the public lamps in the City of New York. Should any alteration of, or any attachment be required to any portion of the lamps for which proposals are made, such alterations shall be done, and attachments placed on the lamps without expense to the city.

The amount of security required is \$2,500.00. The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract is so awarded neglect or refuse to accept to contract within forty-eight hours after written notice that the same has been awarded to his bid or proposal, or if he accept but does not execute the contract and give the proper security, it may be re-advertised and let as above provided.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless a written permission shall have been previously obtained from the Mayor, Comptroller, and Commissioner of Public Works.

The right is reserved to assign and designate to any bidder the number and location of the lamps for which proposals are received, and to increase or diminish the numbers.

The right is reserved to determine and designate, after the proposals are opened, what illuminating material shall be used in the public lamps, or any portion of them, during the period above mentioned; also to decline any or all proposals if deemed for the interests of the Corporation; and no proposal 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 security or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Ten days time will be allowed after the execution of the contract for the erection of the lamps, but no payment will be made for the time so allowed, nor except for the time during which all the requirements mentioned in the specifications shall have been fully performed.

Blank forms of proposals, the specifications and agreements, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the bids, and any further information desired can be obtained at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works.

SMITH ELY, JR.,
Mayor.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Commissioner of Public Works.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT

THE COMMITTEE ON STREETS WILL MEET every Friday, at 1 o'clock P. M.

BRYAN REILLY,
JAMES J. SLEVIN,
LEWIS J. PHILLIPS,
Committee on Streets

THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS WILL meet in Room No. 16, City Hall, every Wednesday, at 2 o'clock P. M.

THOMAS SHEILS,
WILLIAM JOYCE,
WILLIAM SALMON,
STEPHEN N. SIMONSON,
JOSEPH C. PINCKNEY,
Committee on Public Works.

THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE WILL MEET in Room No. 16, City Hall, every Monday, at 3 o'clock P. M.

PATRICK KEENAN,
WILLIAM L. COLE,
SAMUEL A. LEWIS,
JOHN I. MORRIS,
JOSEPH C. PINCKNEY,
Committee on Finance.

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

SAMUEL A. LEWIS,
GEORGE HALL,
HENRY E. HOWLAND,
Committee on Law Department.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
ROTUNDA, NEW COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, June 30, 1877.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the following assessment list was received this day in this Bureau for collection:

CONFIRMED JUNE 16, 1877.

Sixty-fifth street opening, from the easterly line of Third (3d) avenue to the East river.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before August 29, 1877, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of confirmation.

The Collector's office is open daily, from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M., for the collection of money, and until 4 P. M. for general information.

EDWARD GILON,
Collector of Assessments.

CORPORATION SALE OF THE FRANCHISE OF THE FERRY FROM BULKHEAD AT THE FOOT OF WHITEHALL STREET, NEW YORK, TO THE FOOT OF SIXTY-FIFTH STREET, BAY RIDGE, IN THE TOWN OF NEW UTRICHT, LONG ISLAND.

THE FRANCHISE OF THE FERRY FROM THE bulkhead at the foot of Whitehall street, New York, to the foot of Sixty-fifth street, Bay Ridge, in the Town of New Utrecht, Long Island, established by the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, on June 4, 1877, will be sold at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the office of the Comptroller of the City of New York, on Saturday, June 30, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, for the period of ten years, from July 1, 1877. The form of the lease required to be executed by the highest bidder can be seen at the Comptroller's office, on and after June 28, 1877.

All bids will be regarded as made with reference to said form of lease, and in case the highest bidder shall neglect or refuse to execute a lease according to said form for ten days after the sale, his bid will, at the option of the Comptroller, be rejected.

The minimum rate for which the ferry franchise or license to operate ferries shall be used or enjoyed has been appraised and set by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at five per cent. of the gross receipts for ferriage that shall hereafter accrue at each separate ferry, collected at the landing place in the City of New York, such percentage to be paid quarterly to the Corporation, and a covenant will be contained in each lease requiring the lessee to make and deliver to the Comptroller of the City of New York, quarterly, a statement in writing, verified by oath or affirmation of the lessee, or of such proper officer of the lessee as may be designated by the Comptroller, of the actual total gross receipts for ferriage received by such lessee during the preceding three months, and also, that the lessee shall keep regular books of account, showing the daily gross receipts of the ferry leased, and allow said Comptroller, or any person designated by him, to examine such books.

The franchise will be put up and knocked down to the person offering to pay the largest percentage on the gross receipts collected at the landing place in the City of New York.

All moneys received for the conveyance of passengers, animals, vehicles, or freight from New York to Bay Ridge to be collected at the landing place in New York, or, if collected elsewhere, to be included in the receipts, upon which such five per cent. is to be calculated and paid.

No bid less than five per cent. on such gross receipts will be entertained.

Security, satisfactory to the Comptroller will be required for the punctual performance by the lessees of the covenants of the lease of the franchise in their behalf.

The right to reject any bid, if deemed to be to the interest of the City of New York, is reserved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.
JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, June 21, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Saturday, July 7, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, June 30, 1877.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
ROTUNDA, NEW COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, June 2, 1877.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the following assessment list was received this day in this Bureau for collection:

CONFIRMED MAY 19, 1877.

Widening of the Boulevard, 25 feet on the westerly side thereof, as now opened, between One Hundred and Seventh and One Hundred and Eighth streets, westerly from the westerly line of Eleventh avenue.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before August 2, 1877, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of confirmation.

The Collector's office is open daily from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M., for the collection of money, and until 4 P. M., for general information.

EDWARD GILON,
Collector of Assessments.

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 1653 to 1877, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

Grantors, grantees, sales in equity, insolvents' and Sheriffs' sales, in 61 volumes, full bound, price, \$100.00. The same, in 25 volumes, half bound, price, \$50.00. Complete sets, folded, ready for binding, price, \$15.25. Records of Judgments, 25 volumes, bound, price, \$10.00.

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

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, February 6, 1877.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
ROTUNDA, NEW COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, May 28, 1877.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the following assessment lists were received this day in this Bureau for collection:

CONFIRMED MAY 22, 1877.

31st street, paving, from 12th avenue to bulkhead line. 8th street, paving, from 3d to 4th avenue.

8th street, paving, from Circle at 59th street to 125th street.

21st street, regulating, grading, etc., between 11th and 13th avenues.

35th street, regulating, grading, etc., between 1st avenue and East river.

95th street, regulating, grading, etc., between 1st and 3d avenues.

130th street, regulating, grading, etc., between 7th and 8th avenues.

143d street, regulating, grading, etc., between St. Ann's avenue and Mill Brook.

9th avenue, regulating, grading, etc., between 123d and 126th streets.

63d street, flagging, between 3d and 5th avenues.

120th street, flagging, between 3d and 6th avenues.

125th street, flagging, between 3d and 8th avenues.

Thomas avenue, flagging, east side, between Kingsbridge road and New Fordham School-house.

8th avenue, sewer, between 68th and 81st streets.

124th street, sewer, between 1st avenue and Harlem river, and in Avenue A, between 123d and 124th streets.

Basin on southeast corner Ridge and Houston streets.

Basin on southeast corner 2d street and Avenue A.

Basin on southeast corner 6th street and 4th avenue.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before July 27, 1877, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of confirmation.

The Collector's office is open daily from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M., for the collection of money, and until 4 P. M. for general information.

EDWARD GILON,
Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
ROTUNDA, NEW COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, May 9, 1877.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the following assessment list was received this day in this Bureau for collection:

CONFIRMED APRIL 18, 1877.

175th street opening, from Kingsbridge road to 10th avenue.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before July 9, 1877, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of confirmation.

The Collector's office is open daily from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M., for the collection of money, and until 4 P. M. for general information.

EDWARD GILON,
Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
ROTUNDA, NEW COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, May 5, 1877.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the following assessment lists were received this day in this Bureau for collection:

CONFIRMED APRIL 17, 1877.

One Hundred and Tenth street, widening to the width of 80 feet to a point 250 feet west of Eighth avenue to the Eighth avenue.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before July 5, 1877, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of confirmation.

The Collector's office is open daily from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M., for the collection of money, and until 4 P. M. for general information.

EDWARD GILON,
Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
ROTUNDA, NEW COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, May 1, 1877.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the following assessment list was received this day in this Bureau for collection:

CONFIRMED APRIL 17, 1877.

One Hundred and Tenth street, widening to the width of 80 feet to a point 250 feet west of Eighth avenue to the Eighth avenue.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before July 5, 1877, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of confirmation.

The Collector's office is open daily from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M., for the collection of money, and until 4 P. M. for general information.

EDWARD GILON,
Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
ROTUNDA, NEW COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, May 28, 1877.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the following assessment list was received this day in this Bureau for collection:

CONFIRMED MAY 19, 1877.

Widening of the Boulevard, 25 feet on the westerly side thereof, as now opened, between One Hundred and Seventh and One Hundred and Eighth streets, westerly from the westerly line of Eleventh avenue.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before August 2, 1877, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of confirmation.

The Collector's office is open daily from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M., for the collection of money, and until 4 P. M., for general information.

EDWARD GILON,
Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
ROTUNDA, NEW COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, May 28, 1877.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the following assessment list was received this day in this Bureau for collection:

CONFIRMED MAY 22, 1877.

31st street, paving, from 12th avenue to bulkhead line. 8th street, paving, from 3d to 4th avenue.

8th street, paving, from Circle at 59th street to 125th street.

21st street, regulating, grading, etc., between 11th and 13th avenues.

35th street, regulating, grading, etc., between 1st avenue and East river.

95th street, regulating, grading, etc., between 1st and 3d avenues.

and the north and south sides of Seventy-fourth, Seventy-fifth, Seventy-sixth, and Seventy-seventh streets; and the north side of Seventy-eighth street, west of Fourth avenue (excepting on the southwest corner of Seventy-first street and Fourth avenue which was built on the Fourth avenue improvement).

No. 3. Receiving basins and culverts on the northeast corner Madison avenue and Sixty-fifth street; at the southwest corner Fourth avenue and Sixty-fifth street; on the south side Sixty-second street, west of Fourth avenue; on the south side Sixty-third street, east of Fourth avenue; on the south side Sixty-fourth street, east of Fourth avenue; and the southeast and southwest corners of Sixty-sixth and Sixty-ninth streets and Fourth avenue.

No. 4. Sewer in Water street, between Jackson and Corlears streets.

No. 5. Regulating, grading, setting, curb and gutter stones, and flagging Ninety-seventh street, from Fifth avenue to the Harlem river.

No. 6. Regulating, grading, setting, curb and gutter stones and flagging Seventy-sixth street, from Eighth avenue to the Hudson river.

No. 7. Regulating, grading, setting, curb and gutter stones and flagging Seventy-ninth street, from the Boulevard to the Hudson river.

No. 8. Regulating, grading, setting, curb and gutter stones and flagging One Hundred and First street, between the Boulevard and Riverside Park.

No. 9. Setting, curb and gutter stones and flagging east side of West street and Tenth avenue, from Gansevoort to Little West Twelfth street.

No. 10. Sewer in Forty-fourth street, between Second and Third avenues.

No. 11. Belgian pavement over the Fourth avenue roadway at Seventy-fourth street, and curb and gutter the four corners of Seventy-fourth street, at its intersection with Fourth avenue.

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. Block bounded by South and Front streets, Jackson and Corlears streets.

No. 2. Block bounded by Sixty-ninth and Seventieth streets, Lexington and Fourth avenues; and north side of Seventy-third street, between Lexington and Fourth avenues; and east side of Fourth avenue, between Seventy-third and Seventy-fourth streets; and north side of Seventy-second street, between Madison and Fourth avenues; and blocks bounded by Seventy-third and Seventy-ninth streets, Madison and Fourth avenues.

No. 3. South side of Sixty-second street, between Madison and Fourth avenues; and south side of Sixty-fourth street, between Fourth and Madison avenues; and south side of Sixty-fifth street, between Fourth and Madison avenues; and block bounded by Sixty-fifth and Sixty-sixth streets, Fourth and Madison avenues; and south side of Sixty-ninth street, between Madison and Fourth avenues; and west side of Fourth avenue, between Sixty-eighth and Sixty-ninth streets; and south side of Sixty-third street, between Lexington and Fourth avenues; and east side of Fourth avenue, between Sixty-second and Sixty-third streets; and south side of Sixty-fourth street, between Lexington and Fourth avenues; and east side of Fourth avenue, between Sixty-third and Sixty-fourth streets; and south side of Sixty-fifth street, between Lexington and Fourth avenues; and east side of Fourth avenue, between Sixty-fifth and Sixty-sixth streets; and block bounded by Sixty-eighth and Sixty-ninth streets, Lexington and Fourth avenues.

No. 4. Both sides of Water street, between Jackson and Corlears streets.

No. 5. Both sides of Ninety-seventh street, from Fifth avenue to the Harlem river, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 6. Both sides of Seventy-sixth street, from the Eighth avenue to the Hudson river, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 7. Both sides of Seventy-ninth street, from the Boulevard to the Hudson river, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 8. Both sides of One Hundred and First street, between the Boulevard and Riverside Drive, and to the extent of half the block at the intersection of Eleventh avenue.

No. 9. East side of West street and Tenth avenue, between Gansevoort and Little West Twelfth streets.

No. 10. Both sides of Forty-fourth street, between Second and Third avenues.

No. 11. To the extent of half the block at the intersection of Seventy-fourth street and Fourth 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. 19 Chatham street, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

The above described assessment lists will be transmitted as provided by law to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 24th day of July ensuing.

THOMAS B. ASTEN,
JOHN MULLALLY,
EDWARD NORTH,
WILLIAM L. WILEY,
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
NEW YORK, June 23, 1877.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE following Assessment Lists have been received by the Board of Assessors, from the Commissioner of Public Works, for—

No. 1. Setting curb and gutter stones and flagging Eightieth street, between Fourth and Madison avenues, and crosswalks across Fourth avenue and Eightieth street, and across Eightieth street, west side Fourth avenue, \$1,076.19.

No. 2. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones and flagging One Hundred and Thirteenth street from Morningside Drive to Riverside Drive, \$7,513.30.

No. 3. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones and flagging, Ninety-ninth street, from Eighth to Eleventh avenue,