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LAW DEPARTMENT.

LETTER FROM THE ASSISTANT COUNSEL TO THE CORPORATION TO THE COMPTROL-LER.

AUGUST 3, 1874.

Hon. ANDREW H. GREEN, Comptroller :

SIR-Your letter of the 23d ult. to the Counsel to the Corporation in reference to the contract for regulating, etc., Broadway, between Thirtysecond and Fifty-ninth streets, was duly received. You state that the ordinance authorizing these improvements was passed by a three-fourths vote of the Common Council, and contained the following provision : " The same to be done in such manner as the said Commissioner may deem expedient and for the best interests of the city and propertyowners." You refer to section 91 of the Charter relating to contracts, and then say that the Common Council may have the power to direct that work should be done otherwise than by contract. by a three-fourths vote, but their directions must be explicit, and not confer the power on a department to do work either by contract or days' work, as such department may elect, or, in other words, that the Common Council may suspend the provision that requires work to be done by days' work, but they cannot dispense with the requirement to do work by contract at public letting, so that the department may do it by contract at private letting; and you request to be informed whether a contract so made is in conformity with the Charter, and if you are justified in making payments thereon.

Your letter raises two questions. First, whether it was within the power of the Common Council to adopt an ordinance in the form in which this one was framed ; and, secondly, whether, if the ordinance was valid, the Commissioner of Public Works, if he elected to do the work by contract, was not obliged to do it by public letting.

Section 91 of the Charter of 1873 provides, among other things, that work involving the expenditure of more than \$1,000 shall be done by contract, under such regulations concerning it as shall be established by ordinance of the Common Council, "unless otherwise ordered by a vote of three-fourths of the members elected to the Common Council."

It is possible that the words quoted from section of might admit of the construction put upon them in your letter, but such a construction, in my opinion, would be forced and unnatural, and would do violence to the clearly expressed intention of the Legislature. The only grounds upon which I can imagine that it can be claimed that the ordinance referred to did not order the work in question to be done "otherwise" than by contract, under the ordinances of the Common Council, are two : First, The ordinance authorizes the work to be done in such manner as the Commissioner of Public Works may deem expedient, and for the best interests of the city and property-This language is broad enough to allow the Commissioner to do the work in any manner in which it can be done, including the doing of it by contract at public letting ; and, therefore, I suppose, it is argued that, as the Common Council allow him to do it in certain ways, one of which is by contract at public letting, they have not ordered him to do it "otherwise" than by contract at public letting. But I cannot suppose that a court of law would ever put such a narrow and strained construction upon the language used in the statute. The evident intent of the Legislature was, that, as a rule, work should be done by contract at public letting; but that, if the Common Council, by a three-fourths vote of all the members elected, saw fit to allow it to be done in any other way, it should have the power to do it. It is perfectly clear that the Common Council did intend that it should, or might be, done in some other way than that prescribed by

the statute, and it is the duty of the departments to carry their intentions into effect; and when they say that the work shall be done in any manner in which it can be done, including that allowed by the statute, they do substantially lay down a different rule for the action of the Commissioner than that prescribed by the statute itself, and, in my opinion, they do, in the language of the statute, "otherwise order."

Secondly. It is claimed, as I understand, that the ordinance is invalid, because it leaves it discretionary with the Commissioner of Public Works to choose in what manner the work shall be done. I fail to perceive the force of this objection, and I think there is nothing whatever in the statute to sustain it. I do not see why the Common Council, by a three-fourths vote, could not direct that this work should be done in one of two ways, leaving it discretionary with the Commissioner to select which of those two ways he would adopt ; and if they could do this, I see no reason why they cannot direct that it should be done in one of a dozen ways, if there are so many in which it can be done, and that that one should be selected by the Commissioner of Public Works.

My opinion is equally decided upon the other question raised by your letter, whether, as the Commissioner of Public Works elected to do the work by contract, he could do it by contract at private letting. This question has been repeatedly passed upon by the Courts. It was raised in the suits and proceedings brought by Charles Guidet to recover payment for work done in South Fifth avenue and a portion of Church street. Section 6 of chapter 872 of the Laws of 1872 provides that the work on those two streets might be done by days' work, or by contract, or in such manner as the said Commissioner of Public Works might deem expedient. The work was done by contract at private letting, and it was claimed that this rendered the contracts invalid, and that Mr. Guidet could not recover. The point was severel times presented to the Court, but was always overruled. The Court held distinctly, that, as the Commissioner had the right to do the work in such manner as he might deem expedient, he had the right to do it by contract or private letting. The same question was recently raised in a proceeding taken to vacate the assessments for work done in South Fifth avenue. His Honor, Judge Lawrence, however, decided that it was competent for the Commissioner of Public Works to have the work performed in the manner and form which he adopted, and that he was not obliged to advertise for bids for the work of paving said street or avenue, under the provisions of the act above referred to. The question raised by your letter has thus been distinctly brought before different judges, at different times, and in different suits and proceedings, and as such judges have uniformily overruled the objection, and as I see no reason whatever for doubting the correctness of their decisions, I must advise you that the law upon this point is to be regarded, for present purposes, as settled.

I accordingly advise you-

First. That it was within the power of the Common Council, by a three-fourths vote of all the members elected thereto, to adopt the ordinance in question, and that the ordinance is valid and binding.

Secondly. That, under the ordinance in question, it was not necessary for the Commissioner of Public Works to advertise for bids, and that it was competent for him to make the contract to do the work in question at private letting, and without such advertisement or bids.

I am, sir,

Yours, very respectfully, GEORGE P. ANDREWS.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 31st day of July, 1874. Present-Messrs. Matsell, Duryce, Disbecker, and Voorhis, Commissioners.

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		Precinct.	Days Without pay.
	Patrick Byrne	14	1/2
Patrolman,	Thomas J. Waters	13	1
"	Jacob Schwarz	13	1/2
	John Layden	14	1/2
	James Fitzs mmons	14	12
	Patrick B. Leddy	25	14
**	James Moran		1/2
**	Austin Kenney	8	16
**	Frank Baker	13 8 18	14
	Thomas Carlin	5	12
	John F. Carroll	21	14
	Eugene Beglan	20	12

Parades Allowed.

Guttenberg Lodge, No. 1, July 30, funeral. Polar Star Lodge, F. & A. M., August 2, funeral. Irish Volunteers, August 4, parade. Eighth Ward Scheutzen Corps, August 17, target excursion. Manhattun D. K. U. Verein, August 3, picnic. Uhland Lodge, S. of H., August 2, funeral. Resignation Accepted.

Patrolman Thomas Suckley, Fifth Precinct.

Resolved, That the following transfer be approved :

Patrolman Edward Kush, from Fourteenth Precinct to Mounted Squad.

On hearing the report of the Committee on Rules and Discipline, on motion of Commissioner Voorhis, it was

Resolved, That the pension of Mrs. Mary H. Murphy be discontinued from this date.

On motion of Commissioner Disbecker, it was Resolved, That Michael Geary, Francis W. Levien, Thomas Wallace, and George C. Glatt, applicants for appointment, be notified to appear before the Board.

On motion of Commissioner Duryee, it was Resolved, That Patrick Costello, an applicant for appointment, be notified to appear before the Board.

On hearing the report of the Finance Com-mittee, on motion of Commissioner Disbecker, it

Resolved, That the Treasurer be authorized and directed to pay the salary of Captain John M. Robbins, Thirty-third Precinct, upon his furnish-ing a proper release from his pension.

Commissioner Voorhis reported upon the ap-plication of William A. Lines for leave to apply for reappointment, that under a resolution of the Board the request cannot be granted, whereupon the application was ordered on file.

On motion of Commissioner Duryee, it was Resolved, That John Maher be appointed Pa-trolman, and assigned to the Fifth Precinct for duty.

On motion of Commissioner Disbecker, it was Resolved, That James A. Driscoll be appointed Patrolman, and assigned to the Fifth Precinct for duty.

The Committee on Repairs and Supplies sub-mitted the following bills, which were referred to the Finance Committee :

Robert	C. Brown	 	 	 	 	\$32 21
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	**					28 48
Duke &	Moore	 	 	 	 	710 00
		 	 	 	 	400 00

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On hearing report of the Committee on Rules

and Discipline, it was Resolved, That Roundsman James Geraghty, Thirty-first Precinct, be remanded to post duty. Commissioners Duryee, Disbecker, and Voorhis, voting aye ; Commissioner Matsell, voting no.

On motion of Commissioner Disbecker, it was Resolved, That the subject of transfers of mem-bers of the force be referred to the Committee on Rules and Discipline for report.

Commissioner Disbecker offered the following : Whereas, There is no provision of law creating the office of "Medical Director;" therefore Resolved, That the services of Dr. John Os-borne, as Medical Director, be and they are here-by dispensed with. Adopted.

An application of Patrolman Richard Geary, Third Precinct, for assignment to lighter service, was ordered on file.

Communication from John Eickhorn offering to sell two lots in Manhattanville for station-house purposes (Thirtieth Precinct), was referred to the Committee on Repairs and Supplies.

Supplies.

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cells in the Sixth Precinct Station-house, was refer-red to the Committee on Repairs and Supplies.

Resolved, That Anthony Bishop be and is hereby appointed Fireman, Steamer Seneca.

Communication from S. H. Hurd, Treasurer Hippodrome, asking detail of Patrolman George A. Phillips, was ordered on file.

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The Chief Clerk submitted an inventory of books and papers belonging to the Department of Parks, and delivered to the Department, with a receipt for the same. Which was ordered on file.

he had deposited the following sums of money to the credit of the Treasurer of Police. Which was referred to the Treasurer.

On account of appropriation, Police Fund..... \$265,503 00 Street Cleaning, On account of appropriation, Street Cleaning, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.... 833 33

Total \$341,336 33

In the Bank of North America :

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			tions, etc			\$2,916	6
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On account of appropriation, Construction of Stables 8,333 33 1,948 12

Total..... \$13,198 II

On reading communication from the Board of Health, on motion of Commissioner Disbecker, it

Resolved, That the Board of Police accede to the proposal of the Board of Health for a joint

the proposal of the Board of Health for a joint meeting of the two Boards. Resolved, That it be referred to a committee of two, to be appointed by the President, to confer with the Board of Health, and agree upon a time for such meeting.

The President appointed Commissioners Dis becker and Voorhis as such Committee.

Street Cleaning.

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Daily reports (4) of the Superintendent of Boats were referred to the Committee on Street Cleaning.

The Committee on Street Cleaning submitted the following bills, which were referred to the Finance Committee : Fina

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"			 	186 40
erson & Bros			 	18 00
iam Davison			 	800 00
sons & Co			 	13 80
ry Schmelke S. Canfield & C			 	07 20
S. Canfield & C	0		 	240 00

Communication from F. C. Stolley, asking a payment on account of construction of stables, was referred to the Committee on Repairs and

Communication from J. H. Godwin, relative to completion of station-house buildings, Thirty-fifth Precinct, was referred to the Committee on Repairs

An application of L. Johnson, Cook, Steamer Seneca, for increase of pay, was ordered on file.

Report of Captain Kennedy on the condition of

On motion of Commissioner Duryee, it was Resolved, That Michael McQuade be and is hereby appointed Deck-hand, Steamer Seneca.

An application of Neil Duffy, for appointment as doorman, was ordered on file.

Report of the Examining Surgeons of examina-tions on Tuesday, 28th inst., was ordered on

On reading and filing report of Captain Steers, Thirty-fourth Precinct, relative to a horse with glanders, on motion of Commissioner Voorhis,

Resolved, That Captain Steers be directed to have the horse killed, in accordance with law.

Notice was received from the Comptroller that

In the Chatham National Bank :

Assistant Counsel to the Corporation.

Statement and Return of moneys received by Isaac Dayton, Public Administrator in the City of New York, for the month of July, 1874, rendered to the Comptroller in pursuance of the provisions of section 3, part II., chapter VI., title VI., Revised Statutes; and sections 38 and 96 of chapter 335 of the Laws of 1873 :

Date.		Commi	
aly 2.	Jacob Schonleber	. \$5	75
2.	Andrew Moran	. 2	50
2.	Henry G. Klein	. 2	25
2.	Emil Holer		00
21.	Mary G. Brinckerhoff	1,551	47
	Total\$	1,563	97

Resolved. That the services of Woodward H. Lyon, Clerk to the Medical Director, be dispensed with from this date. Adopted.

Commissioner Disbecker offered the following : Resolved, That the Committee on Surgeons report a programme of Surgeon's Districts for the city, on the basis of nineteen Surgeons, with the view to organize the Surgeons as a Board, in pur-suance of the rules and regulations of the Department.

Referred to the Committee on Surgeons. Commissioner Disbecker offered the following : Resolved, That the Board of Examining Surgeons be abolished. Referred to the Committee on Surgeons.

Report of the Medical Director and Surgeon F. Thomas, on condition of Patrolman James A. Thomas, on condition of Fattonian putter McArthur, Thirtieth Precinct, was referred to the President.

Weekly statement of the Comptroller, showing amount of appropriations and payments to the Police Department, was referred to the Treasurer.

Kenerer	9 00	
Hull, Griffenen & Co	20 29	
Martin B. Brown	15 25	
"	28 50	

On motion of Commissioner Disbecker, it was Resolved, That requisition for patterns for castings of portions of sweeping machines be allowed.

A statement of the Treasurer in reply to demand of the Comptroller for returns of street cleaning material sold, was received and laid on the table.

Proposal of William H. Albertson to cast sweep-ings, etc., from the lower Wards, was referred to the Committee on Street Cleaning.

Affidavit of Daniel Sheehan, setting forth a claim for pay as Inspector, was referred to the Committee on Street Cleaning.

Communication from John Myers, stating that he was obliged to pay the Foreman of the Seventh Ward for his retention as cartman, was referred to the Committee on Street Cleaning.

An application of William H. Clark, for ap-

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Communication from W. B. Silber, complaining of condition of streets in the Twelfth Ward, was referred to the Committee on Street Cleaning.

Two communications from the Health Department, relative to the separation of ashes and garb-age, were referred to the Committee on Street Cleaning.

On hearing report of the Committee on Street Cleaning, on motion of Commissioner Disbecker, it was

It was Resolved, That the following named persons, who have been in the employ of the Street Clean-ing Bureau, and have resigned or have been removed, be paid for the service actually rendered by them, respectively, during the month of July, 1874, the amounts set opposite their names, re-spectively to with spectively, to wit :

Michael Martin, Foreman, 21 days..... Henry B. Stevens, Foreman, 29 days.... \$56 44 77 95

Resolved, That the following named persons, having been in the employ of the Bureau of Street Cleaning, in the capacity and at the rate of com-pensation set opposite their names, respectively, be paid at said rate for services actually rendered during the month of July, 1874, and until other-wise ordered :

wise ordered : Per Year. John Miller, Superintendent of Machines. 51,500 John Battersbury, Foreman. 1,000 John Hurley, Foreman. 1,000 Patrick Mallon, Foreman. 1,000 Patrick Mallon, Foreman. 1,000 Carriek Mallon, Foreman. 1,000 Carriek Mallon, Foreman. 1,000 Thomas Moore, Foreman. 1,000 Thomas Moore, Foreman. 1,000 R. W. Beebe, Foreman. 1,000 Frank Magee, Foreman. 1,000 Frank Magee, Foreman. 1,000 Frank Magee, Foreman. 1,000 Michael Martin, Foreman. 1,000 James Irwing, Jr., Dump Inspector. 800 John Site, Dump Inspector. 800 John Mahon, Dump Inspector. 800 John Mahor, John John John John Sector. 800 John Mahor, John John John John John 400 George Harrington, Deck-hand 400 George Harrington, Deck-hand 400 George Harrington, Deck-hand 400 George Harrington, Deck-hand 400 Joseph Kentana, Captain tug 'W. S. Grant ', 1,200 Alonzo Ingrau, Treman. 450 Thomas Christe, Steward 400 Chen Alerson, Deck-hand 450 Thomas Christe, Steward 450 Chen Alerson, Deck-hand 450 Thomas Christe, Steward 450 Chen Alerson, Deck-hand 450 Chen Al

Resolved, That S. B. Noe be appointed Map Clerk, at the compensation of \$1,200 per year, to be paid for services rendered in that capacity from

be paid for services rendered May 16, 1874. Resolved, That the Chief Clerk of the Bureau of Street Cleaning keep an alphabetical force book, in which shall be recorded the names of all persons appointed or employed in the Bureau at monthly compensation, with their age, residence, date of appointment, and date of resignation or dismissal

Resolved, That John Z. O'Brien, appointed Deputy Inspector on May 9, 1874, be paid at the rate of \$2,000 per year for services rendered for the time elapsed since the date of his appointment, and for which no payment has been made.

Bureau of Elections.

The Chief of the Bureau of Elections submitted The Chief of the hureau of Elections submitted the following collated report of bids received for making 5,000 registry books, 5,000 copies election law, and 1,000 copies election district boundaries (pumphlet form), and stated that although the bid of Lange, Little & Co. was irregular, the Corpo-ration Counsel has advised that the irregularity may be waived :

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	Martin B. Brown	\$1,400	00	
	Clarence Levy	2,355	58	
	Charles F. Bloom	1.787	25	
	Cushing & Bardua		00	
	Lange, Lattle & Co	1,302	00	
	John Kennard			
	Tower, Gildersleeve & Co			
	Robert Bowne & Co			
	J. R. Swain	1,934		
	John Polhemus	1,942	52	

Whereupon it was

Whereupon it was Resolved, That the contract for making 5,000 registry books, and printing 5,000 copies of the election law and 1,000 copies of election district boundaries (in pamphlet form), be given to Lange, Little & Co., for the sum of \$1,302, they being the lowest bidders ; and that the President execute said contract on behalf of this Board when the Comptroller shall have approved the security offered as adequate and sufficient, as provided in sec. 91 of the Charter of 1873.

The Chief of the Bureau of Elections submitted the following collated report of bids opened by the Board on the 28th inst., for making Congressional District maps :

AFTER RECESS. Dismissal.

Patrolman Thomas Madden, Twenty-first Pre-

cinct. Communication from A. M. Dickinson, Clerk Telegraph Office, asking pay for extra work per-formed, was referred to the Finance Committee.

On motion of Commissioner Disbecker, it was Resolved, That the Superintendent be directed to prefer charges against Patrolman Bryan Reilly,

Sanitary Company.

The Finance Committee having reported favor-ably on the following bills, it was Resolved, That said bills be ordered paid :

Duke & Moore					\$200 00
**					400 00
**					48 35
					710 00
					220 00
Robert C. Brow					32 21
**					48 70
**					28 48
					15 24
**					27 50
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Resolved, bill of F. H.	That Carr,	the T not o	reasu	rer be directed ling \$5.00 in a	to pay mount.
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On hearing report of the Finance Committee, it

was Resolved, That the following bills be ordered naid :

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FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, Wednesday, July 29, 1874.

The Board of Commissioners met this day as above.

Present-President Joseph L. Perley in the chair, and Commissioners Roswell D. Hatch and Cornelius Van Cott.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Communications

were received and disposed of as follows :

From-The Chief of Department, inclosing com-munication from the Fire Marshal of Chicago. Filed.

The Inspector of Combustibles, reports for the weeks ending 18th and 25th inst. Filed.

The same, returning communication relative to proposed building adjoining the repair shops, with report of cost of protecting the same, and his action in the matter. Laid over.

The Chief of Battalion in charge of the Repair Shops, relative to sale of property of Jersey City Fire Department. Filed,

The same, reporting sale at auction of old apparatus belonging to the Fire Department, Filed.

The same, reporting suspension from pay and duty of Machunist Warren W. Scott. Action approved and filed.

The Superintendent of Telegraph, requisition for signal buttons. Referred to the Superintend-ent of Supplies, with directions to purchase.

The same, returning application of Hoe & Co., for an alarm station at Grand and Sheriff streets, with recommendations. Laid over.

The same, recommending in route of line in Washington avenue. Filed.

The Vice Medical Officer, reporting condition of Fireman John McClane, Engine Co. No. 19, and recommending extension of his leave of absence. Granted and filed.

The Instructor of the Corps of Sappers and Miners, submitting report of experiments on Ward's Island, on June 23, 1874. Filed.

The Operators and Assistant Operators, Te

Fireman Daniel H. Callaghan, Engine Co. No. 4, requesting transfer. Filed.

Fireman John McGoldrick, Engine Co. No. 4, requesting transfer. Referred to the Chief of De-partment for approval or disapproval.

Fireman John Reilly, Engine Co. No. 11, requesting transfer. Filed.

Hoseman Philip C. Bliel, Chemical Engine Co No. 1, tenders resignation. Accepted and filed.

Hoseman Charles W. Tarbox, Chemical Engine No. 4, tendering resignation. Accepted and filed.

Ladderman Washington Burdett, Hook and Ladder No. 18, tendering resignation. Accepted and filed.

The Comptroller, statement of appropriation for week ending 18th inst. Filed.

The President of the Department of Public Parks, stating that telegraph poles on Third ave-nue, Twenty-third Ward, interfere with setting of curb, and requesting their removal. Filed.

The Secretary *pro tem*, of the Board of Health, relative to cards on hydrophobia. Filed.

The Superintendent of Buildings, notice of unsafe condition of chimneys on premises in Law-rence street, near Tenth avenue. Referred to the Inspector of Combustibles for investigation and report.

Buckley & Merritt, stating that they have four (4) two-wheeled tenders. Referred to Superintendent of Supplies with directions.

Robert Bustin, relative to his "Portable Fire-scape." Laid over. escape."

A. H. Hart & Co., applying for an alarm-box key. Referred to the Commanding Officer, En-gine No. 23, fcr opinion.

John W. Johnson, late Engineer of Steamer, applying for reinstatement. Appointed and filed.

F. W. Murgatroyd, applying for appointment as Machinist. Filed.

Ellen McGuire, relative to meritorious conduct of Assistant Foreman O'Brien and Fireman Moss, Engine Co. No. 28, at fire 194 Avenue C, on 23d inst. Filed, with directions to enter on Koll of Merit.

Thomas McGuire, relative to leasing of No. 2331/2 Water street. Filed.

James McKee, relative to furnishing telegraph poles. Filed with directions.

R. H. Plass, calling attention to his "Econo-mic Gas Governor". Referred to the Chief of Battalion in charge of the Repair Shops for investigation and report.

John R. M. Schiel, acknowledging receipt of notice of return by the Comptroller of his bills for re-audit and declining to make any deductions. Filed with directions to return the bills referred to, to the Comptroller.

The Rector of the Catholic Protectory, inviting the Board to visit that institution. Filed.

Chas. J. White, applying for a badge. Granted and filed.

Richard Baxter, complaining of various mem-bers of the Department for misconduct. Laid over.

Taken from file.

Commissioner Hatch : Whereas, The Chief of the Department has re-ported to this Board, that a large quanity of hose now in use by the Department is in an unreliable condition, and recommends a supply of new hose, therefore he is The application of James E. Naugle for re-opening of his case, was considered, and the pre-vious action of the Board ordering his dismissal was confirmed.

Dismissal

was ordered on recommendation of the Committee on Discipline, as follows :

Fireman Thomas Smith, Engine 23, 1st prox. Appointment.

John N. Johnson, as Engineer of Steamer, Engine 13, 1st prox.

Resignations.

Commissioner Hatch : Resolved, That the Inspector of Combustibles be and he is hereby directed to examine the engine-houses and fuel depots of the Department, and ascertain what repairs are necessary to put the same in good order and serviceable condition, stating in detail the repairs necessary to be made, and to report the same to the Board at the next regular meeting. Hoseman Philip C. Bliel, Chemical Engine 1, 16th

Hoseman Charles W. Tarbox, Chemical Engine 4, 1st prox. Ladderman Washington Burdett, Hook and

Ladder 18, 25th inst. Fromotions.

Assistant Foreman Hamilton F. Perley, Engine

Assistant Foreman Hamilton F. Perley, Engine 8, to be Foreman Engine 40, 1st prox. Assistant Engineer of Steamer, William Brown-ing, Engine Co. No. 20, to be Engineer of Steamer, Engine Co. No. 32, 1st prox. Assistant Operator J. Elliott Smith, to be Oper-ator, at a salary of one thousand three hundred

and eighty per annum, 1st prox.

Fines Imposed.

On recommendation of Committee on Discipline :

cal Engine Co. No. 4, to Chemical Engine Co.

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- No. 3: Assistant Foreman. Roger B. Hamblett, Chem-ical Engine Co. No. 3, to Chemical Engine Co.
- Assistant Foreman, Roger B. Hammer, Chemical Engine Co. No. 3, to Chemical Engine Co. No. 4.
 Assistant Foreman, Isaac Fisher, Engine Co. No. to, to Engine Co. No. 32.
 Assistant Foreman, James H. Casey, Engine Co. No. 32, to Engine Co. No. 40.
 Engineer of Steamer, Charles Woodhull, Engine Co. No. 32, to Engine Co. No. 40.
 Engineer of Steamer, James R. Rodman, Engine Co. No. 32, to Engine Co. No. 40.
 Engineer of Steamer, James R. Rodman, Engine Co. No. 32, to Engine Co. No. 40.
 Engine Co. No. 24, to Engine Co. No. 40.
 Fireman, Ralph W. Jarboe, Engine Co. No. 34, to Engine Co. No. 40.
 Fireman, Peter Hanlon, Engine Co. No. 34, to Engine Co. No. 40.
 Fireman, Owen Hart, Engine Co. No. 34, to Engine Co. No. 40.
 Fireman, James Clare, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 4, to Engine Co. No. 40.
 Fireman, James K. P. Robinson, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 16, to Engine Co. No. 40.
 Fireman, A. H. Hendrickson, Hook and Ladder Company No. 14.
 Fireman, Michael McAvoy, Hook and Ladder

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 Fireman, Michael McAvoy, Hook and Ladder
 Co. No. 14, to Hook and Ladder Company No. 11.
 Fireman, James McManus, Engine Co. No. 25, to Engine Co. No. 16.
 Fireman, James J. Hurley, Hook and Ladder
 Co. No. 4, to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 16.
 Fireman, George Cusick, Hook and Ladder Co.
 No. 11, to Engine Co. No. 28.
 Fireman, Lawrence P. Farley, Engine Co. No.
 13, to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 8.
 Fireman, Edward Leonard, Hook and Ladder
 Co. No. 8, to Engine Co. No. 13. No. 14.

Resolutions Adopted.

On motion of the President : Resolved, That when the pay-rolls of this De-partment for the current month are approved by the respective heads of bureaus, and duly certified by the Commissioners, the Secretary be and he is hereby directed to forward the same to the Comp-te-lue for payment.

Resolved. That the Chief of Department, In-spector of Combustibles and Fire Marshal, be and

they are hereby directed to furnish this Board forthwith with an estimate of the amount of forage and coal that will be required to meet the wants of the Department for the remainder of the year

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Supplies be and he is bereby directed to purchase one steam boiler, similar in all respects to one now attached to Engine 29, of this Department.

Commissioner Van Cott : Resolved, That J. Elliott Smith, Assistant Operator, be and he is hereby promoted to be an Operator, to take effect on the 1st proximo, at a

salary of thirteen hundred and eighty dollars per

Resolved. That Chief of Department be and he is hereby directed to cause an inventory to be made of all such hose in the Department, specify-ing the exact number of feet in possession of each company, and report the same to this Board, in order that the quantity of new hose may be known, that will be required to meet the wants of the Department, in this particular.

Resolved, That Engine Co. No. 40 be and is hereby organized and located temporarily at the Rink, until quarters are completed for them in Sixty-eighth street and Broadway.

Commissioner Hatch: Resolved, That the Superintendent of Supplies be and he is hereby directed to purchase the articles called for in the requisition of the Super-intendent of Telegraph, under date of the 13th instant, and in the estimate of the Chief of Bat-talion in charge of the Repair Shops, under date of the 10th instant.

troller for payment.

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therefore be it

The President :

Commissioner Hatch :

Commissioner Van Cott:

Names.		Per addi- tional 1,000	Per 1.400, or 2,000 of each.
Major & Knapp	\$200 00	\$140 00	
Fred. Mayer		200 00	1
Russell & Struthers	200 00	180 00	
Snyder & Black	100 00	85 00	1
The Graphic Company . Mayer, Merkel & Ott-	861 56	752 50	
man	150 00	100 00	
facturing Co	1		\$450 00
T. Lasell	118 75	83 75	
Lange, Little & Co			300 00

Whereupon, it was

Resolved, That the Chief of the Bureau of Elections be authorized to contract with Snyder & Black to furnish 7,000 maps, being 1,000 of each Congressional District, for the total sum of \$100.

At this stage in the proceedings the Board took a recess.

raph Bureau, requesting leave of absence. Filed.

The Chief of the Sixth Battalion, reporting mer-Pirice and Fireman Joseph Moss, Engine Co. No. 28, at a fire at No. 194 Avenue C, on 23d Filed, with directions to enter on Roll of lerit.

The Foreman commanding Engine Co. No. 23, eport of inspection of No. 321 West Fifty-third treet. Referred to the Inspector of Combustibles.

The Foreman commanding Engine Co. No. 30, ecommending issue of a duplicate key for alarm box No. 181. Filed, with directions to make rejuisition therefor.

The Foreman commanding Hook and Ladder Co. No. 8, recommending issue of duplicate key for alarm box, for Hudson River Railroad freight depot. Filed, with directions to make requisition therefor.

Assistant Foreman Albert F. Louis, Engine Co. No. 33, applying for promotion. Referred to the Examining Board.

Engineer of Steamer, Robert Pallett, Engine Co.

o. No. 30, 1 day's pay. Fireman, John S. Craft, Engine Co. No. 30, 1

day's pay. Fireman, Ralph W. Jarboe, Engine Co. No. 17, 5 days' pay. Fireman, Benjamin C. Dean, Engine Co. No.

15, 3 days' pay.

Leave of Absence.

Fireman, James McLane, Engine Co. No. 19, 30 days, 16th inst.

Transfers.

To take effect on the 4th inst. :

Fireman, William Hughes, Engine Co. No. 4, to Engine Co. No. 20.

Fireman, John Reilly, Engine Co. No. 11, to Engine Co. No. 20.

Engine Co. No. 20. To take effect on the 1st prox.: Foreman, John H. Kehoe, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 6, to Engine Co. No. 10. Foreman, William Mitchell, Engine Co. No. 10, to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 6. Assistant Foreman, Egbert A. Hallock, Chemi-

The President :

of the 10th instant.

Commissioner Hatch :

Resolved, That the route of the new line of telegraph in Washington avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-fifth and One Hundred and Seventy-seventh streets, be and it is hereby aban-doned, and the Superintendent of Telegraph be and he is hereby authorized and directed to build a parallel line on Third avenue, as recommended in his communication to this Board, dated July 29.

Bills Audited

and ordered to be sent to the Comptroller for pay-

Campbell & Murphy, buildings	\$284	
John R. M. Sheil, buildings	975	00
P. H. Egan, buildings	463	88
Thomas R. Jackson, buildings	200	00
Blair & Ferrier, buildings	99	
Berna.d Sheridan, buildings	1,489	14
John C. Baxter & Son, buildings	10	53
Phelps, Dodge & Co., buildings	30	00
Seaman Johnson, buildings	25	
M. J. A. Keane, general supplies		œ
loseph Andrade & Co., general supplies	120	
Enoch Morgan's Sons, general supplies		65
Lasker & Bernstein, general supplies	163	01

AUGUST 4.

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Apparatus 75 00 Walter Shay, harness shop. 229 82 E. G Hilton, machine shop. 22 20 Gottsleben & Condon, machine shop. 103 co Amoskeag Mruuf strang Co. muchine shop. 85 00 The New York Mutual Gas-light Co. gas. 15 95 Philip McGuire, horses. 900 John Wells, horses feed and straw. 15 256 58 John J. Huer, rents. 10 00 Corporation Trinity Church, rents. 150 00 Adjourned 40

Adjourned.

W. B. WHITE, Secretary.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Report for the week ending August 1, 1874 : Licenses granted and amounts received for licenses and fines by First Marshal :

Licenses granted..... Amount received \$549 25 Permits issued for street stands, signs, show-cases, deliveries, etc., and amount received for same :

Permits issued. . W. F. HAVEMEYER,

Mayor.

ORDINANCES, RESOLUTIONS,

&c., &c.,

PASSED BY BOTH BRANCHES OF THE COMMON COUNCIL

AND

APPROVED BY THE MAYOR,

DURING THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 1, 1874.

AN ORDINANCE to amend an ordinance en-AN ORDINANCE to amend an ordinance en-titled "An ordinance to regulate permits for street-stands, sheds, cases, signs, stairways, hoistways, and deliveries," approved Feb-ruary 24, 1866. The Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York do ordain as follows : SECTION I. Section 5 of the above-entitled or-dinance is hereby amended, and shall read as follows:

follows :

follows: § 5. Every grantee of a privilege under this ordinance for a show-case, sigas, stairways, or hoistways, shall pay a sum of one dollar for each, and grantees of all other privileges the sum of one dollar, towards the expense of exe-cuting this ordinance, to be accounted for among other fees of the Mayor's office. It is hereby un-derstood and expressed that for the receiving and delivering of goots no tee shall be charged. And the Corporation Attorney shall not here-after institute suits for alleged obstructions occa-sioned by the receipt or delivery of merchandise in the ordinary course of business; * * * * * * but no person shall deposit any article or articles upon any street or sidewalk in this city in such manner as to obstruct the free use thereof by the public. The aggregate sum for any one pernit containing all or any portion of the privileges expressed in this section shall not exceed the sum of three dollars, and all may be granted for that fee; but in no case is permission to be given to use the street beyond the stoop line. 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 imme idately. Adoted by the Board of Aldermen, June 24, 1874. § 5. Every grantee of a privilege under this

idately.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 24, 1874. Adopted by the Board of Assistant Aldermen, June 29,

Adopted by the Board of Assistant Aldernen, June 29, 1874. Board of Aldermen, July 8, 1874, received from his Honor the Mayor, with his objections thereto. Board of Aldermen, July 27, 1874, taken up, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, two-thirds of all the members elected having voted therefor. Board of Assistant Aldermen, July 27, 1874, taken up, and the above action of the Board of Al lermen concurred m, two-thirds of all the members elected having voted therefor, therefore, under the provisions of an act entitled "An act to Reorganize the Local Government of the City of New York," passed April 30, 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That Joshua W. Crosby and Louis Beckhardt be and they are hereby appointed as Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in the places, respectively, of Francis H. Taylor and John Woods, whose terms of office have expired.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 21, 1874. Adopted by the Board of Assistant Aldermen, July 27, 1874. Approved by the Mayor, July 30, 1874.

Resolved, That Philip H. Moss be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place and stead of John J. Donovan, who failed to qualify.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 24, 1874. Adopted by the Board of Assistant Aldermen, July 27, 1874. Approved by the Mayor, July 30, 1874.

Resolved, That permission be and hereby is given to Mary A. Dubois, First Directress of the Nursery and Child's Hospital, to release that por-tion of land contained in a perpetual lease, made by the City of New York, to the said Nursery and Child's Hospital, described on a map or diagram accompanying a petition of the said Mary A. Dubois, being the northeast corner of Fiftieth street and Lexington avenue, twenty, three feet street and Lexington avenue, twenty-three feet three inches on Fiftieth street, and thirty-four feet eleven inches on Lexington avenue The said release shall not impair, alter or affect in any wise the lease now existing between the City of New York and the said Nursery and Child's Hernited Hospital.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 21, 1874. Adopted by the Board of Assistant Aldermen, July 27, 1874. Approved by the Mayor, July 30, 1874.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Messrs. Birch, Wambold & Backus to erect two ornamental lamps in front of their premises, No. 1195 Broadway, the gas to be supplied by their own meter, and 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, July 21, 1874. Adopted by the Board of Assistant Aldermen, July 27, 1874. Approved by the Mayor, July 30, 1874.

DIRECTORY

OF THE

COMMON COUNCIL.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

BOARD OF ALDERMENT.
Samuel B. H. Vance, 200 West 23d street.
Oliver P. C. Billings, 143 East 34th street.
Jenkins Van Schaick, 1 University place.
Stephen V. R. Cooper, 213 West 57s street.
John Falconer, 308 East 14th street.
George Koch, 638 Lexington avenue.
Peter Kehr, 50 Seventh avenue.
Robert McCafferty, 838 Lexington avenue.
Oswald Ottendorier, 7 East 17th street.
Kadard Gilon, 537 Hulson street.
Richard Flanagan, 312 West 22d street.
John Reilly, 314 East 14th street.
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Joseph A. Monheimer, 23 East 315 street.
Joseph C. PIXEKNEY, Clerk, 27 Stryvesant street.
STANDING COMMUTICEEE

STANDING COMMITTEES.

ARTS AND SCIENCES, INCLUDING PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.— Jormen Billings, Monheimer, and Reilly. FINERIES.—Alderman Falconer, Cooper, and Lysaght. FINERIES.—Aldermen Van Schaick, Gilon, Kehr, Morris, Jone J.

ud Ottendorfer, LANDS AND PLACES.-Aldermen McCafferty, Koch, and

LANDS AND PLACES.—Aldermen McCanerty, Rossing Gilon. LAW DEPARTMENT.—Aldermen Cooper, Billings, and Flanggan. MARKATS.—Aldermen Morris, Kehr, and Lysaght. PRINTING AND ADVERTISING.—Aldermen Kehn, Otten-dorfer, and Falconer. PUBLIC WORKS.—Aldermen Koch, Morris, and Gilon. RATLROADS.—Aldermen Billings, Van Schaick, and Otten-dorfer.

REPAIRS AND SUPPLIES .- Aldermen Kehr, Cooper, and

RIPARS AND SCITCE Cooper, Gilon, and Reilly. ROADS.—Aldermen Cooper, Gilon, and Reilly. SALARIES AND OFFICES.—Aldermen Ottendorfer, Koch, and McCafferty. STREETS.—Aldermen Monheimer, Billings, and McCaf-lativ STREETS.—Aldersten Monnaimer, Billings, and McCat-ferty. STREET PAVEMENTS.—Aldermen Falconer, Monheimer, and Van Schaick.

BOARD ASSISTANT ALDERMEN.

THE CITY RECORD.

MARKETS.—Assistant Aldermen Kelly, Kehoe, Keating, oley, and Beyea NATONAL AFF MRS.—Assistant Aldermen Theiss, Mur-phy, Cumisky, Simonson, and Codington. ORDINANCES.—Assistant Aldermen Wisser, Kehoe, and

Sommers. —Assistant Aldermen Wisser, Kehoe, and PRINTING AND ADVERTISING.—Assistant Aldermen Keat ing, Kreps, Beyca, Sommers, and Theiss. POBLIC HEALTH.—Assistant Aldermen Theiss, Wisser, and Cumisky. PUBLIC BUILDINGS.—Assistant Aldermen Keenan, Mur-phy, and Wisser. POBLIC WORKS.—Assistant Aldermen Sommers, Keating, and Kreps. RAILBOADS.—Assistant Aldermen Healy, Keenan, Linden, Cumisky, and Theiss. ROADS.—Assistant Aldermen Cumisky, Thornell, and Brucks. SALARDS. AND OFFICER. Assistant Aldermen Linden, Cumisky.

Brucks, SALARIES AND OFFICES.—Assistant Aldermen Brucks, Kehoe, and Wisser. SEWERS.—Assistant Aldermen Kelly, Wade, and Wisser. STREETS.—Assistant Aldermen Brucks, Theiss, and Linden.

STREET PAVEMENTS.—Assistant Aldermen Foley, Som-mers, and Simonson. JOINT COMMITTEE ON ACCOUNTS.—Assistant Aldermen Sommers, Keenan, and Linden.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

STATEMENT OF THE HOURS DURING WHICH all the Public Offices in the City are open for busi-ness, and at which each Court regularly opens and ad-journs, 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, to A. M. to 3 P. M. Mayor's Marshal, No. 5, City Hall, to A. M. to 3 P. M. Permit Bureau, No. 1, City Hall, to A. M. to 2 P. M. License Bureau, No. 1, City Hall, to A. M. to 2 P. M.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT. Clerk of the Common Council and of Board of Super-visors, 7 and 8, City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 F. M. Clerk of Board of Assistant Aldermen, 9¼ City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 F. M.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.
WE COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, OFFICE HOURS 9 A. M. TO 4 P. M. Comptroller's Office, West end.
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 an anaged by the city : Ground floor, west end.
Bureau for the Collection of Arrears of Taxes and Sa essenats and Water Rents; Ground floor, west end.
Bureau of Licenses: Ground floor, west end.
Bureau of Markets: Rents, and floor, west end.
Bureau of Markets: Round floor, west end.
Bureau for the collection of Assessments and Countersigned by the Office of Chamberlain and County treasurer; Main floor, west end.
Bureau for the Collection of Assessments; Rotunda.

Second District—Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, No. 514 Pearl street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Third District—Fighth, Ninth and Fifteenth Wards, No. 12 Greenwich avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards, No. 163 East Houston street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards, No. 154 Clinton street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Sixth District—Site of the Archive Seventh and Twenty-second Wards, Fifty-seventh street, between Third and Lexington avenues, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards, south-west corner Twenty-second street and Seventh avenue, 930; A. M. to 4 P. M.

Bureau for the Collection of Assessments; Rotunda, LAW DEPARTMENT.
 Counsel to the Corporation, Staats Zeitung Building, 3d 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, 8¹/₃ A. M. to 4¹/₄ P. M.
 Attorney for the Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes; Brown stone building, City Hall Park, 32 Cham-bers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 Attorney to the Department of Buildings, 20 Nassau street, room 52, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS. CITY HALL, 9. A. M. TO 4 P: M. Commissioners' Office, No. 70. Chief Clerk's Office, No. 70. Contract Clerk's Office, No. 70. Engineer in charge of Sewers, No. 71. "Bureau of Repairs and Supplies, No. 18. "Bureau of Repairs and Supplies, No. 18. "Lamps and Gas, No. 73. "Lamps and Gas, No. 73. "Lamps and Gas, No. 73. "Street Improvements, No. 11. "Chief Engineer Croton Aqueduct, No. 11½. "Water Register, No. 10. "Water Purveyor, No. 4. "Streets and Roads, No. 73.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION. Central Office, No. 66 Third avenue, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Out Door Poor Department, No. 66 Third avenue, al-ays open; entrance on Eleventh street. Free Labor Bureau, Nos. 8 and 10 Chnton place, 8 A. M.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

NOS. 127 AND 129 MERCER ST., 9 A. M. TO 4 P. M. Commissioners' Office. Chief of Department. Inspectors of Combustibles. Fire Marshal.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

ception Hospital, City Hall Park, northeast corner, Reception Hospital, Cu, always open. Reception Hospital, Ninety-ninth street and Tenth ave-nue, always open. Bellevue Hospital, foot of Twenty-sixth street, East tions always open.

VS OPEN

POLICE DEPARTMENT. NO. 300 MULIERRY STREET. ALWAYS O Contrail Office. Superinteendent's Office. Inspectors' Office. Chief Clerk's Office, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Property Clerk, " " " " Bureau of Street Cleaning, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Bureau of Elections, " " "

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 10, 1874. Adopted by the Board of Assistant Aldermen, July 27, 1874. Approved by the Mayor, July 30, 1874.

Resolved, That Richard Seybold be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place and stead of Charles Schneider, whose term has expired.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 21, 1874. Adopted by the Board of Assistant Aldermen, July 27, 874. Approved by the Mayor, July 30, 1874.

Resolved, That Edward H. Fletcher be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Edward C. Ripley, whose term of office has expired.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 21, 1874. Adopted by the Board of Assistant Aldermen, July 27, Approved by the Mayor, July 30, 1874.

Thomas Foley, 18 West street.
 Charles M. Clancy, 167 Molt street.
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 John C. Kcating, 321 Cherry street.
 Henry Wisser, 151 Prince street.
 Michael Healy, 19 Ridge street.
 Thos. L. Thornell, 169 West rath street.
 John Theiss, 223 Bowery.
 George F. Codington, 62 Perry street.
 Jose P. Strack. 179 Third street.
 Milliam S. Kreps, 354 West 27th street.
 Jose P. Strack. 179 Third street.
 William Nade, 174 West 27th street.
 William Wade, 144 West 21st street.
 George K. Clay, 318 West 27th street.
 George K. 193 First avenue.
 Edward Brucks, 429 West 20th street.
 George K. 194, 318 West 20th street.
 Stenhen N. Sumonson, 305 West 48th street.
 Philip Cumisky, 552 First avenue.
 Henry A. Linden, 68th st., bet 10th and 11th aves.
 Issas Sommers, 165 East Ged street.
 Benjamin Beyea, 171st street near 4th avenue
 JOSEPH P. STRACK, President.
 W. H. MOLONEV, Clerk.

STANDING COMMITTEES.

ARTS AND SCIENCES.—Assistant Aldermen Cumisky, Murphy, and Codington. DONATIONS.—Assistant Aldermen Sommers, Wisser, and

Wade

FERRIES. - Assistant Aldermen Healy, Kehoe, and Theiss. — Assistant Aldermen Healy, Kehoe, and FINANCE.—Assistant Aldermen Clancy, Sommers, and Wade

LAMPS AND GAS .- Assistant Aldermen Foley, Beyea, and Brucks.

LAW DEPARTMENT.-Assistant Aldermen Clancy, Kee-nan, and Thornell.

No. 301 MOTT STREET. Commissioners' Office, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Sanitary Superintendent, always open. Register of Records, for granting burial permits, on all days of the week, except Sunday, from 7 A. M. to 6 P. M. and on Sundays from 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS. missioner's Office, 36 Union Sq., 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. Commis

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS. commissioner's Office, 346 and 348 Broadway, corner mard street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Commissio

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS. Commissioners' Office, brown stone building, City Hall Park, 32 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; on Saturday, 9 A. M. to 3 P. M. Surveyor's Bureau, 39 Chatham street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Board of Assessors. Hall

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS. Superintendent's Office, 2 Fourth avenue, o.a.

e, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

BOARD OF EXCISE. Commissioners' Office, 299 Mulberry st., 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

BOARD OF EDUCATION. CORNER GRAND AND ELM STREETS Office of the Board, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Superintendent of Schools, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS. Office, No. 32 Chambers street (basement).

^{1875.} All the mason's work to be completed by the roth of No-ember, 1875. No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two responsible householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residences being named, to the effect that they will become bound as surelies in the sum of Twelve Thousand dollars for the faithful performance of the contract, should it be awarded upon that proposal, for the granite work; and in the sum of Fifteen Thousand dollars for the faithful performance of the contract, should it be awarded upon that proposal, for the mason's work. Each proposal must state the name and place of resi-gnersons interested with him therein ; that it is made with-out collusion with any other person making an estimate for the same work ; and that no member of the Common Council or other officer of the Corporation is directly or indirectly interested therean, or in any portion of the profit thereot. The Department reserves the right to reject any or all proposals. Proposed sureties must verify their consent before a Judge of a Court of Record in the County of New York. Torms of proposals may be obtained, and the terms of the contract estimate by law seen at the officer of the contract estimate the law seen at the officer of the contract estimate the law seen at the officer of the contract estimated the law seen at the officer of the contract estimated the law seen at the officer of the contract estimated the law seen at the officer of the contract estimated the law seen at the officer of the contract estimated accounted by law seen at the officer of the contract estimated accounted by law seen at the officer of the contract estimated accounted by law seen at the officer of the contract estimated accounted by law seen at the officer of the contract estimated accounted by law seen at the officer of the contract estimated accounted by law seen at the officer of the contract estimated accounted by law seen at the officer of t

before a Judge of a Court of Record in the Central York. Forms of proposals may be obtained, and the terms of the contract settled as required by law, seen at the office of the secretary as above. Proposals must be addressed to the President of the De-partment of Public Parks, and indorsed "Proposals for mason's work, Museum of Art," or "Proposals for mason's work, Museum of Art," or "Proposals for mason's work, Museum of Art," a the case may be. H. G. STEBBINS, President, PHILIP BISSINGER, D. B. WILLIAMSON, THOMAS E. STEWART, Commissioners D. P. P.

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COMMISSIONERS OF EMIGRATION

THE CITY RECORD. Office, No. 2, City Hall, northwest corner, basement, 8 . M. to 6 P. M.

MISCELLANEOUS OFFICES.

Court-house. Surrogate's Office, first floor southeast corner of New Court-house. Register's Office, Hall of Records, City Hall Park. District Attorney's Office, second floor, Old Court-house 32 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS. Commissioner's Office, New County Court-house, 9 A. M.

General Term, Special Term, Chambers, Circuit Part I, Circuit Part II, second floor, New Court-house, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M COURTS

P. M SUPERIOR COURT. Part I, Part II, Third floor, New Court-house, 11 A. M. Clerks' Office. Third floor, New Court-house, 9 A. M

O 4 P. M. COMMON PLEAS
 Third floor, New Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. GENERAL SESSIONS.
 No. 32 Chambers street, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M. Clerk's Office, 32 Chambers street, room 14, 10 A. M. to 9 M.

OVER AND TERMINER. General Term, Special Term, No. 32 Chambers street, room 11, 10 A. M.

FOOM 11, 10 A. M.
 MARINE COURT.
 General Term, room 17; Special Term, room 15; Chambers, room 18; 10 A. M. to 3 P. M. Clerk's Office, room 19, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 No. 32 Chambers street.
 SPECIAL SUSSIONS.
 At Tombs, corner Franklin and Centre streets, Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays, 10 A. M.
 JUSTICES' OR DISTRICT COURTS.
 First District-First, Second, Third, and Fifth Wards, southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets, 10 A. M.
 to 4 P. M.

to 4 P. M. Second District-Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards,

west corner Twenty-second street and Seventh avenue, 930: A. M. to 4 P. M. Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, No. 2374 Fourth avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Tenth District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, northeast corner of Third avenue and Southern Boulevard, Harlem Bridge, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. First District—Fourteenth, Twenty-fourth, Twenty-fifth, Twenty-sixth, Twenty-seventh, and portion of Sanitary Presence, Tombs, corner Franklin and Centre streets, 7 A. M. to 3 P. M.

Precinct, Tombs, corner Franklin and Centre streets, 7 A. M. to 3 P. M. Second District—Eighth. Ninth. Fifteenth, Sixteenth. Twenty-inth Precinces, Greenwich avenue, corner of Tenth street. 9 A. M. to 6 F. M. Third District—Saventh, Tenth, Eleventh, Thirteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth, and portion of Sanitary Precinct, No. 66 Esses street, 8 A. M. to 4 P. M. Fourth District—Nineteenth, Twenty-first, Twenty-sec-ond, Twenty-third and Nineteenth Sub-station, Fifty-sev-enth street, between Third and Lexington avenues, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

10 5 P. M. Fifth District-Twelfth Ward, No. 2374 Fourth avenue (Harlem), 8 A. M. to 4 P. M.

DEPARTMENT PUBLIC PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, 36 UNION SQUARE, New YORK, July 31, 1874.) PROPOSALS FOR GRANITE AND MASON work of a portion of the building known as the Momento of Art, situate on the Central Park, City of New York.

York. S. parate proposels in scaled envelopes will be received at the Office of the Department of Public Parks, as above, un-til Friday, the rath day of August, 1874, at the hour of 9:30 o'clock A.M., when they will be publicly opened, for the construction and erection of— 18t. The granite work. ad. The mason's work of a portion of the building known as the Museum of Art, situate on the Central Park, City of New York, in accordance with the plans and specifications for the same, which may now be seen at the office of C. Vaux, architect, tro Broadway, New York. All the granite to be delivered ready to set by the 1st of April, 1875.

April, 1875. All the granite work to be completed by the 15th of July,

75. All the mason's work to be completed by the roth of No-

HOURS 9 A. M. TO 4 P. M. Coroners' Office, 40 East Houston street. Sheriff's Office, first floor, northeast corner of New Court-Duse. County Clerk's Office, first floor, southwest corner of New

CASTLE GARDEN. Commissioners' Office, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. Superintendent's Office, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Court-he

to 4 F. M.

to 4 P. M.

4 P. M.

WM. IRWIN, Secretary D. P. P.

THE CITY RECORD.

COPIES OF THE CITY RECORD CAN BE OB-tained at No. 2 City Hail (northwest corner) basement. Price taree ce

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SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Pub-lic Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Fifty-first street, from the westerly line of Ninth avenue to the Hudson river, in the City of New York.

in the City of New York. PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES OF THE State of New York in such case made and provided, the Department of Paolac Works, for and on behalt of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonality of the City of New York, hereby give notice that the Couosel to the Corpora-tion of said city will apply to the Sapreme Count of the First Judical District or the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be head at the Channers thereof, in the New County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Monday, the twenty-fourth day of August, A. D. 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon of that diay, or as soon there-after as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter.

of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the accelentitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the opening of One Handred and Futy-first street, from the westerly line of Ninth avenue to the Hadson river, as said street is had out on a certain map of the City of New York, executed and signed by the Commissioners of Streets and Roads in said city, under an act of the Legislaure, passed April 5, 1807, and filed in the office of the Commis-sioner of the Department of Public Works, April 1, x. p. 1811.

sioner of the 1.54 1811. New York, July 30, 1874. E. DELAFIELD SMITH, Counsel to the Corporation, No. 2 Tryon Row

In the matter of the application of the Department of Pub-lic Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of Inwood street, from the westerly line of Kingsbridge road to the Hudson river, in the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES OF THE STATE **DURSUANT** TO THE STATUTES OF THE STATE of New York, in such case made and provided, the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonality of the City of New York, hereby give notice that the Counsel to the Corpora-tion of said city will apply to the Supreme Court in the First Judicial District of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the New Court-house, in the City of New York, on Mon-day, the twenty-fourth day of August, a. D. 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Com-missioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter.

missioners of Estimate and research in the improvement hereby in-matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby in-tended, is the opening of Inwood street, from the westerly line of Kingsbridge road to the Hudson river, as said street is laid out on a certain map made for the Commissioners of the Central Park by John J. Serrell, Civil and Topograph-ical Engineer, and filed in the office of the Kegister of the City and County of New York, May 27, A. D. 1869. New York, July 20, 1874. E. DELAFIELD SMITH, Counsel to the Corporation,

Counsel to the Corporation, No. 2 Tryon Row

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Alder-men, and Commonalty of the City of New York, rela-tive to the opening of One Hundred and Tenth street, from the Second avenue to the Harlem river, in the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES OF THE STATE of New York, in such case made and provided, the Department of Public Works for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, hereby give notice that the Commel'to the Corpora-tion of said city will apply to the Suprem Court in the First Judicial District of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court to be held at the Chambers the of the New Court-hause, in the City of New York, on Monday, the twenty-tourth day of August, A. D. 187, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon there of Commissioners of Escimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extend the improvement hereby in-finded, is the opening of One Hundred and Tenih street, friver, as laid out on a certain map of the City of New York, executed and signed by the Commissioners of Streets and Rods, in the City of New York, under an act of the Egislature, passed April 5, 180, and filed in the office of the Commissioner of the Department of Public Works, on the frast day of April A. D. 181. Date New York, July 29, 187. Tereated New York, under an act of the Commensioner of the Composition of the City of New York, executed and signed by the Commissioners of Streets and Rods, in the City of New York, under an act of the field at yord April 4, 20, 181. Date New York, July 29, 187. The Concellon Stringth of the Composition of the City of New York, under an act of the Department of Public Works, on the Commissioner of the Department of Public Works, on the Composition of the City of New York, under an act of the field and yord April 4, 20, 181. DURSUANT TO THE STATUTES OF THE STATE

el to the Corporation, No. 2 Tryon Row

In the matter of the application of the Department of Pub-lic Works, for and on behalt of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundredth street, from the westerly line of the Bloomingdale road to the easterly line of Riverside avenue, in the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES OF THE STATE of New York in such case made and provided, the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonality of the City of New York, hereby give notice that the Counsel to the Corpora-tion of said city will apply to the Supreme Court in the First Judicial District of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the new Court. house in the City of New York, and Aspecial Term of said court, to be held at the Chambers thereof, and the new Court. house in the City of New York, on Monday, the twenty-fourth day of August, A. D. 1874, at eleven véclock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Com-missioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled marer.

matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby in-tended, is the opening of One Hundredth street, from the westerly line of the Bloomingdale road to the easterly line of Riverside avenue, as said street is laid out on a certain map of the City of New York, executed and signed by the Commissioners of Streets and Roads in said city under an act of the Legislature passed April 5, r807, and filed in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, April 1, 1811.

CENTRAL DEFARTMENT OF THE MUNICIPAL POLICE, 300 MULBERRY STREET, PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE, ROOM 39, New York, July 14, 1874. OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk, 300 Mulberry street, room 30, for the follow-ing property now in his custody without columna's -4 gross harness rings, seven revolvers, three silver watches, tour costs, three pairs pants, let furniture, opera glass, small boiler and pipe, money found in street.

C. A. SF. JOHN

Property Clerk

THE CITY RECORD.

CORPORATION NOTICES

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands, affected thereby, that the following assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors for examina-tion by all persons interested, viz.: No 1. For regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter, and flagging One Hundred and Thirty-enghth street, be-tween Boalevard and Twelfth avenue. No 2. For regulating and grading, setting curb and gutter, and flagging Sisty-eighth street, between Third and Fourth avenues.

No. 2. For regulating and grading, setting curb and gutter, and flagging Sixty-eighth street, between Third and Fourth avenues.
 No. 3. For setting curb and gutter in Fifty-seventh street, from Eleventh avenue to North river.
 No. 4. For flagging Fifty-seventh street, from Sixth to Eighth avenue.
 No. 5. For flagging Fifty-seventh street, from Eleventh avenue to North river.
 No. 6. For building sewer in Mangin street, between Houston and Stanton streets.
 No. 6. For building sewer in Montgomery street, between Houston and Stanton streets.
 No. 7. For building no the northwest corner of Manhattan street and East Broadway.
 No. 8. For building underground drains between Ninety-sixth and One Hundred and Eleventh streets, and between Tenth at Eleventh avenues.
 The limits embraced by such assessment include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land, stitued on
 No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, between Bleventh avenues.
 No. 2. Both sides of Fifty-seventh street, between Eleventh avenues.
 No. 3. Both sides of Fifty-seventh street, between Eleventh avenues.
 No. 4. Both sides of Fifty-seventh street, between Eleventh avenues.
 No. 5. Both sides of Fifty-seventh street, between Eleventh avenues.
 No. 6. The east side of Mangin street, between Eleventh avenues and North river.
 No. 6. Both sides of Fifty-seventh street, between Eleventh avenues and Morth river.
 No. 7. Both sides of Fifty-seventh street, between Eleventh avenues and Morth river.
 No. 7. Both sides of Mangin street, between Henry street and East Broadway, except the southeast corner of East B

No. 8. The property known as Ward Nos. 4 to r3 in-clusive. No. 9. The blocks bounded by Ninety-sixth and One Hundredth streets, and Eleventh avenue and Boulevard, and the blocks bounded by One Hundred and First and One Hundred and Eleventh streets, and Tenth avenue and Boulevard.

Boulevard.' All persons whose interests are affected by the abo named assessments, and who are opposed to the same either of them, are requested to present their objection writing to Thomas B. Asten, Chairman oi the Board Assessors, at their office, No. 19 Chaitham street, with thirty days from the date of this notice. THOMAS B ASTEN, JOHN MCHARG, MUNSON H. TREADWELL, VALENTINE S. WOODRUFF, Board of Assessor OPFICE, BOARD OF ASSESSORS.)

OFFICE, BOARD OF ASSESSORS, NEW YORK, July 30, 1874.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO P the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following agessments have been com-pleted, and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assess-ors for examination by all persons interested, viz.

No. 1. For laying Belgian pavement in One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, from Harlem river to Manhattan street, and Manhattan street, from One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street to North river.

No. 2. For building sever in Sixty-seventh street, be-tween Ninth and Tenth avenues. No. 3. For building underground drains in Sixty-second and Sixty-eighth streets, and between Eighth and Ninth

avenues. The limits embraced by such assessment include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land, situated on No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, from Harlem river to Manhattan street, and both sides of Manhattan street, from One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street to Hudson river, to the extent of one-half the block at the intersecting streets. No. a. Both sides of Sixtra seventh street between Fighth

No. 2. Both sides of Sixty-seventh street, between Eighth and Tenth avenues, both sides of Sixty-eighth street, be-tween Eighth avenue and Public Drive, both sides of Sixty-ninth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, both sides of Ninth avenue, between Sixty-sixth and Seventieth streets, and both sides of Public Drive, between Sixty-seventh and Sixty-ninth streets.

No. 3. T Sixty-eighth Boulevard. The property bounded by Sixty-second and th streets, and between Eighth avenue and

Boulevard. 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 Thomas B. Asten, Chairman of the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 19 Chatham street, withir thirty days from the date of this notice. THOMAS B. ASTEN

date of this notice. THOMAS E. ASTEN, JOHN MCHARG, MUNSON H. TREADWELL, VALENTINE S. WOODRUFF, Board of Assessors

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS, New YORK, July 17, 1874.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE FOL-

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

AUGUST 4.

SPENCER KIRBY, Collector of Assessment

GEO. M. VAN NORT, Commissioner of Public Works

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JOSHUA PHILLIPS,

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, NO. 66 THIED AVENUE, NEW YORK, July 29, 1874

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DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, ROTUNDA, COURT-HOUSE, New York, July 2, 1874.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED

CONFIRMED JUNE 16, 1874. Outlet Sewer in Eightieth street, from Hudson river to Road, to Eighty-first street, to Tenth avenue, to Eighty-third street, to Ninth avenue, to Eighty-eighth street, to Eighth avenue,

WITH BRANCHES IN NINTH AVENUE TO NINETY-SECOND

STREET.

STREET. All payments made on the above assessment on or before September 1, 1874, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven 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 in-formation.

DEPARTMENT PUBLIC WORKS.

TO CONTRACTORS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, Commissioners' Office, 19 Cuty Hall & CONSUMERS OF CROTON WATEX ARE hereby notified that the water rends for 1874 are now due, and are payable at the office of the Water Register, Room No. 70, Cuty Hall from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M. each day. A penalty will be added to all water rents re-maining unpaid on the 1st of August.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHAR-

ITIES AND CORRECTION.

New York, August 1, 1874.] IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE ORDINANCE of the Common Council "In relation to the burial of strangers and unknown persons who may die in any of the public institutions of the City of New York," the Commis-sioners of Public Charities and Correction report as follows: At New Yerk City Asylum for the Insane, Ward's Island, July 27, 1874.—George V. Snyder, admitted 18th July, 1874; born in Germany; 41 years of age: 5 feet 5 inches high; brown hair; gray eyes. Had on black frock coat, light cotton pants, white shirt, knit undershirt, and black soft hat. No effects, and no person has visited him or any information obtained as to his friends. By order.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, Corner of Third Avenue and Eleventh Street, New York, July 31, 1874.

By order.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHABITIES AND CORRECTION, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE, New York, August 1, 1874.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, missioner's Office, Room 19, City Hall, New York, July 25, 1874.

Bureau this day for collection :

BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, ROTUNDA, COURT-HOUSE, NEW YORK, July 29, 1874.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED day in this Bureau for collection :

CONFIRMED JULY 21, 1874.

CONFIRMED JULY 21, 1874. Paving with stone-blocks, Seventy-seventh street, from Third to Madison avenue. Paving with stone-blocks, Seventy-fourth street, from Third to Fifth avenue. Paving with stone-blocks, Eighty-sixth street, from Third to Fifth avenue. Paving with stone-blocks, Sixty-ninth street, from Third to Fifth avenue. Regulating and grading Seventy-ninth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues. Regulating and grading, setting curb and gutter, and flagging One Hundred and Twelfth street, from Second avenue to Harlem river. Basin on the southwest corner of Beckman and South streets.

Basin on the northwest corner of Beekman and South

reets. Basin on the northwest corner of Fifty-first street and

Basin on the northwest corner of Filty-first street and Sixth avenue. Basin on the northwest corner of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street and Third avenue. Underground drains between Sixty-sixth and Sixty-seventh streets, and between Fifth and Madison avenues. Underground drains between Seventy-seventh and Eighty-eighth streets, and between Ninth avenue and Hundson river.

Hudson river. All payments made on the above assessments on or be-fore the 28th day of September, 1874, 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 5 P. M. for general information.

SPENCER KIRBY, Collector of Assess

BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, ROTUNDA, COURT-HOUSE, NEW YORK, June 23, 1874.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPOSALS INCLOSED IN A SEALED ENVE-lope, with the tile of the work indorsed thereon, will be received at this office until the sixth day of August, 1874, at 12 o'clock M., for Regulating, Grading, Paving with Granite-blocks, laying Crosswalks, setting Curb and Gutter Stones, and Flagging, and Repaving, Relaying Crosswalks, Resetting Curb and Gutter Stones, and Reflagging Worth street, from Broadway to Chatham street, and the streets intersecting Worth street, between Centre street and Chat-ham street, at and near the places where they intersect it, not to exceed one block on either side of Worth street. Blank forms of proposal, the specifications and agreement, 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. The Commissioner reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, if, in his judgment, the same may be for the best interest of the city. Commissioner of Public Works PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the following assessment lists were received this day in this Bureau for collection :

CONFIRMED MAY 28, 1874.

CONFIRMED MAY 28, 1874. Opening Ninety-fourth street, from Eighth avenue to New Road, and from Twelfth avenue to the Hudson River. Opening Ninety-fifth street, from Eighth avenue to New Road, and from Twelfth avenue to the Hudson River. All payments made on the above ass-sments on or before All payments made on the above ass-sments on or before August 22, 1874, will be exempt (according to law), from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of 7 per cent. from the date of confirmation. The Collector's office is open daily from 9.4. M. to 2 F. M. for the collection of money, and until 4 F. M. for general information. SPENCER KIREY. SPENCER KIRBY, Collector of A

BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, ROTUNDA, COURT-HOUSE, NEW YORK, June 20, 1874.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED JUNE 16, 1874.

Sewers in First avenue, between Third and Sixth streets, ad between Ninth and Tenth streets. Sewer in Cannon street, between Grand and Broome

Sewer in Cannon street, between Grand and Broome streets. Sewers in One Hundred and Eleventh and One Hundred and Twelfth streets, between First avenue and Avenue A. Sewer in Avenue A, between One Hundred and Twen-ticht and One Hundred and Twenty-third streets, with branch in One Hundred and Twenty-third streets, with branch in One Hundred and Twenty-third street. Paving with stone blocks on Fifty-seventh street, from Sixth to Eighth avenue. All payments made on or before August 21, 1874, on the above assessments, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven per cent. from the date of confirmation. The collector's office is open daily from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M., for the collecton of money, and until 4 F. M., for general inform ition. SPENCER KIREY,

New York, July 31, 1874.] New York, July 31, 1874.] IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE ORDINANCE of the Common Council "In relation to the burial of Strangers and Unknown persons who may die in any of the Public Institutions of the City of New York," the Commis-sioners of Public Charities and Correction report as follows : At Incurable Hospital, Blackwell's Island, July 30, 1874– Mary A. Bliss, admitted March 5, 1872; age, 106 years : mative of Germany; widow. No friends ever visited her, and did not inform that she had any. At Morgue, from foot of East Sixty-first street, July 29, 1874–Unknown man, about forty years of age; five feet matix, corded black vest, brown woolen shirt, gray knit drawers, gray woolen socks, and shoes. Body too much decomposed to be placed in Morgue. By order. JOSHUA PHILLIPS,

SPENCER KIRBY, Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, ROTUNDA, COURT-HOUSE, New York, June 8, 1874.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the following assessment list was re day in this Bureau for collection.

CONFIRMED APRIL 29, 1874 CONFIRMED APRIL 29, 1574. Opening Eleventh avenue, from Fifty-ninth street to the Boulevard. All payments made on the above assessment on or before the 8th day of August next, will be exempt (according to izw), from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven per cent. from the date of confirmation. The Collector's office is open daily from 9 A. M. to 2 F. M., for the collector of money, and until 4 F. M., for genera.

act of the Legislature passed April 5, 1807, and filed in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, April 1, 1811. New York, July 30, 1874.	OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS, New York, July 17, 1874.	the 8th day of August next, will be exempt (according to new), from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven per cent, from the date of confirmation.	TN ACCORDANCE WITH THE ORDINANCE OF			
E. DELAFIELD SMITH, Counsel to the Corporation, No. 2 Tryon Row.	NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE FOL- lowing Assessment Lists have been received by the Board of Assessors from the Commissioner of Public Works : Persons interested are requested to call and examine the same.	The Collector's office is open daily from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M., for the collectors of money, and until 4 P. M., for general information. SPENCER KIRBY Collector of Assessments.	public institutions of the City of New York," the Commis- sioners of Public Charities and Correction report as follows. At Morgue, from Pier 37, East river, July 28, 1874.— Unknown woman; age, about 40 years : 5 feet high; dark brown hair : had on green and black-plaid dress, purple			
POLICE DEPARTMENT. POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, NEW YORK, July 30, 1874. SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the Bareau of Elections, until To of clock A.W., on the	No. 1. For sewer in Manhattan street, between Twelfth and St. Nicholass avenues. No. 2. For regulating and grading, curb and gutter, and flagging Eighty-fourth street, from Boulevard to River Drive. No. 3. For regulating and grading, curb and gutter, and	DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, ROTUNDA, COURT-HOUSE, New York, July 6, 1874.	and white plaid shawl, quilted petticoat, white cotton stock- ings, and shoes nearly new. Found on person, brown scapular, fastened round neck. By order, JOSHUA PHILLIPS, Secretary.			
rith day of August next, for making two hundred and fifty ballot-boxes; material to be thoroughly seasoned, and in all respects equal to sample on exhibition at the Bureau of Elections. D. B. HASBROUCK, Chief of the Bureau of Elections.	flagging Twenty-fourth street, from Eleventh avenue to Hudson river. The limits to be assessed are embraced as follows, viz, : No. r. The property bounded by One Hundred and Fitch street, and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh and Man- hatan streets, between Seventh and Claremont avenues.	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 18, 1874.	LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT. OFFICE OF CLEHK OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN AND SUPERVISORS, No. 8 City Hall,			
CENTRAL DEPARTMENT OF THE MUNICIPAL POLICE, No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, PROFFETY CLERK'S OFFICE, ROOM 39, NEW YORK, line 20, 1874. OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk, 300 Mulberry street, Room 36, for the follow- ing articles, now in his custody, without claimants:-Case of brandy : five revolvers ; seven pieces farmers' satin : chest of tea ; case sardines; twenty straw hats ; gold locke ; money tound and taken from insane person. C. A. ST. JOHN, Property Clerk.	No. 2. Both sides of Fighty-fourth street, between Boule- vard and River Drive, to the extent of one-half the block at the intersecting streets. No. 3. Both sides of Twenty-fourth street, between Eleventh and Thriteenth avenues, to the extent of one-half the block at the intersecting streets. THOMAS B. ASTEN, Chairman. OFFICE, BOARD OF ASSESSORS, No. 79 Chatham street, July 21, 1874.	Opening Ninety-seventh and Ninety-eighth streets, from Eighth avenue to the Boulevard. All payments made on the above assessment on or before September 5, 1874, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven 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 in- formation. SPENCER KIREY, Collector of Assessments.	New YORK, June 3, 1874.) PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL persons having claims against the County of New York, that such claims cannot now be audited by the Board of Supervisors, but must be presented directly to the De- partment of Finance for payment. Also, that all bills pending before said Board, or its Com- mittees, have been transmitted to the Department aforesaid for action thereon. JOSEPH C. PINCKNEY, Clerk of the Board of Aldermen and Supervisors.			