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PROCLAMATION.

With a grateful remembrance of the bountiful blessings of our Heavenly Father during the present year, in the abundant yield of the fruits of the earth, in our exemption from pestilence and other evils to which our great metropolis is ever liable, and in the prevalence of peace and concord throughout our widely extended country,—I recommend to the people of this city the observance of Thursday, the 26th day of November inst., set apart by the President of the United States and the Governor of this State as a day of Thanksgiving and prayer, earnestly hoping, that with such calls to gratitude, the more favored among our citizens will extend to those less fortunate an opportunity of participating in the enjoyments of this happy festival.

Given under my hand and seal, at the Mayor's office, this twentieth day of November, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

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 NOV. 21, 1874.

Resolved, That Edward D. Parker be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of John W. Crump, who has failed to qualify.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 1, 1874.

Adopted by the Board of Assistant Aldermen, November 13, 1874.

Approved by the Mayor, November 14, 1874.

Resolved, That Daniel M. Brady be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Gustave Landman, whose term of office has expired.

Adopted by the Board of Assistant Aldermen, November 9, 1874.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 12, 1874.

Approved by the Mayor, November 14, 1874.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to place two lamps, and have the same lighted in front of the Church of St. Agnes, Nos. 143, 145, 147, and 149 East Forty-third street, the same to remain only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 1, 1874.

Adopted by the Board of Assistant Aldermen, November 13, 1874.

Approved by the Mayor, November 14, 1874.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Andrew B. Williams, to erect bay-windows on his building now in course of erection on southwest corner of Lexington avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street; the same not to extend more than one foot inside of the stoop line, and the bay-windows to be four feet deep; such permission hereby given to remain only during the pleasure of the Common Council, and to be done under the direction and supervision of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Assistant Aldermen, November 9, 1874.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 12, 1874.

Approved by the Mayor, November 14, 1874.

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to the owner or owners of the building, now in course of erection, on the southwest corner of Lexington avenue and Fifty-seventh street, to erect bay-windows, as shown on the annexed diagram, provided the work be done entirely at his or their own expense, under the direction and supervision of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the permission hereby given shall continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 22, 1874.

Adopted by the Board of Assistant Aldermen, November 9, 1874.

Approved by the Mayor, November 14, 1874.

Resolved, That receiving-basins and culverts be built in Cherry street, between New Chambers and Roosevelt streets, in front of Nos. 62 and 65, and the gutters put in proper repair, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 8, 1874.

Adopted by the Board of Assistant Aldermen, November 9, 1874.

Approved by the Mayor, November 14, 1874.

Resolved, That on the north side of Fifty-sixth street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue, curb and gutter stones be set, and the sidewalks be flagged and reflogged full width where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 8, 1874.

Adopted by the Board of Assistant Aldermen, November 9, 1874.

Approved by the Mayor, November 14, 1874.

Resolved, That Leopold Garde 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 Philip H. Moss, who has failed to qualify.

Adopted by the Board of Assistant Aldermen, October 26, 1874.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 5, 1874.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, November 16, 1874, without his approval or objections thereto; 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 One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, from Third to Sixth avenue, be paved with Belgian or granite-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.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 1, 1874.

Adopted by the Board of Assistant Aldermen, November 9, 1874.

Approved by the Mayor, November 17, 1874.

Resolved, That Third avenue, between Westchester avenue and the northern boundary of the Twenty-third Ward, 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.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 1, 1874.

Adopted by the Board of Assistant Aldermen, November 9, 1874.

Approved by the Mayor, November 17, 1874.

Resolved, That Third avenue, between Westchester avenue and the northern boundary of the Twenty-third Ward, 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.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 1, 1874.

Adopted by the Board of Assistant Aldermen, October 12, 1874.

Approved by the Mayor, November 17, 1874.

Resolved, That Eighty-first street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue, be regulated and graded, the curb and gutter stones set, and the sidewalks flagged, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 15, 1874.

Adopted by the Board of Assistant Aldermen, November 9, 1874.

Approved by the Mayor, November 17, 1874.

Resolved, That the sidewalk on west side of Third avenue, between Sixty-ninth and Seventieth streets, be flagged full width, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 1, 1874.

Adopted by the Board of Assistant Aldermen, November 13, 1874.

Approved by the Mayor, November 19, 1874.

JOS. C. PINCKNEY,
Clerk C. C.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Abstract of transactions of the Department of Finance for the week ending November 21, 1874:

Deposits in the Treasury.

On account of the Sinking Fund.....	\$41,227 72
“ “ City Treasury.....	1,386,917 71
Total.....	\$1,428,145 43

Bonds and Stocks Issued.

Six per cent. Bonds issued.....	\$30,500 00
Seven “ “ “ (re-issue).....	10,000 00
Six per cent. Stocks issued.....	10,000 00
Total.....	\$50,500 00

Premiums on the above.....	\$150 00
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Warrants Registered and Ready for Payment.

Aqueduct—Repairs and Maintenance.....	\$1,668 08
Armories and Drill-rooms—Rents of.....	166 67
Additional Alterations of the Aqueduct.....	4,947 40
College of the City of New York.....	494 45
Contingencies—Comptroller's Office.....	102 59
“ Department of Buildings.....	6 50
“ Law Department.....	246 25
“ Clerk of the Common Council.....	92 74
City Contingencies.....	448 79
Cleaning and Supplies for Offices and Buildings formerly belonging to the County.....	485 30
Croton Water Main Fund.....	1,100 00
Court-house (Third District) Fund.....	254 58
City Parks Improvement Fund.....	3,130 43
Commissioners of Excise Fund.....	66 82
Dock Fund.....	26,749 14
Fire Department Fund.....	19,475 93
Free Floating Baths.....	161 12
Harlem River Bridges.....	477 64
Health Fund.....	68 80
Hudson River State Hospital.....	213 86
Heating County Offices and Buildings.....	157 50
Interest on the City Debt.....	2,873 75
Judgments.....	8,640 01
Judgment Fund.....	90 00
Lamps and Gas.....	1,596 80
Museum of Art Fund.....	23 63
Museum of Natural History Fund.....	21 45
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places.....	1,640 22
Maintenance and Government of Public Places, Streets, Roads, and Avenues, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	266 91
New York Catholic Proctory.....	17,309 65
Observatory, Museum, and Gallery of Art—Maintenance and Government of.....	1 45
Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.....	337 75
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs.....	230 71
Public Charities and Correction.....	33,014 52
Public Instruction.....	259,089 00
Public Drinking Hydrants and Urinals.....	231 20
Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	2,575 15
Salaries—Department of Public Works.....	229 16
“ City Courts.....	5,333 33
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning.....	824 00
Sewer Repair Fund.....	2,061 04
Streets—Repaving, and Repairs to Stone Pavements.....	1,123 78
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....	279 46
Street Improvement Fund.....	18,980 93
Street Improvements above Fifty-ninth street.....	15,407 72
Wells and Pumps, Repairing and Cleaning.....	97 01
Total.....	\$432,794 12

CLAIMS FILED.

NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.
Matthew Cassidy.....	\$60 00	For balance of pay as Sweeper in Public Markets, from November 1, 1869, to May 1, 1870.....	H. Parsons.
Michael H. Whalen.....	25 00	For balance of pay as Janitor, Fifth District Court, for October, 1874.....	E. Sanford.
James Kiernan.....	25 00	For balance of pay as Janitor, Sixth District Court, for October, 1874.....	“
John Moore.....	25 00	For balance of pay as Janitor, First District Court, for October, 1874.....	“
Joseph Hartman.....	25 00	For balance of pay as Janitor, Fourth District Court, for October, 1874.....	“
John Murray.....	25 00	For balance of pay as Janitor, Ninth District Court, for October, 1874.....	“
John McCullough.....	25 00	For balance of pay as Janitor, Second District Court, for October, 1874.....	“
Henry McAnally.....	25 00	For balance of pay as Janitor, Eighth District Court, for October, 1874.....	“
F. C. Cronin, assignee.....	75 00	For claim of Hiram B. Ferguson, assigned to him.....	Cook & Nassau.
John Moore.....	75 00	For balance of pay as Janitor, First District Court, from July 1 to October 1, 1874.....	E. Sanford.
Sarah Heron.....	20 00	For pay as Cleaner, Bureau of Elections, from March 1 to 10, 1872.....	“
John Creggy.....	600 00	For damages of horse falling into man-hole in Hudson street, near Eleventh street, October 22, 1874.....	Thos. Cushing.
William C. Dickel.....	7,500 00	For rent of Armory, Nos. 7 to 11 West Thirtieth street, from August 1 to November 1, 1873, and from February 1 to August 1, 1874.....	J. A. Godfrey.
Mary Elizabeth Mayporter.....	1,000 00	For damages, falling through coal-hole Nos. 2 and 4 Jackson street, September 8, 1874.....	H. A. Riley.
John McKesson, assignee ..	1,500 00	For amount of award to Philip McCaffrey, on change of grade of One Hundred and Twenty-second street, from Eighth avenue to Mount Morris Square.....	“

Opening of Proposals.
