

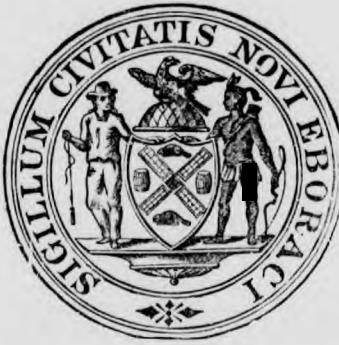
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LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

STATED SESSION.

THURSDAY, November 16, 1876, 2 o'clock p. m.

The Board met in their Chamber, No. 16 City Hall.

PRESENT:

Hon. Samuel A. Lewis, President;

ALDERMEN

Oliver P. C. Billings,
John W. Guntner,
Jacob Hess,
Henry E. Howland,
Patrick Keenan,

William H. McCarthy,
John J. Morris,
Henry D. Purroy,
John Reilly,

William Sauer,
Peter Seery,
Thomas Sheils,
James J. Slevin.

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

INVITATION.

To attend the exhibition of Ostberg's Fire Diving and Extinguishing Apparatus.

NEW YORK, November 13, 1876.

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—The undersigned respectfully invites your Honorable Board to be present at the exhibition of Ostberg's Fire Diving and Extinguishing Apparatus, at Jones' Wood, on Thursday, November 16, at 4 o'clock p. m.

I have the honor to be, gentlemen,

Your very obedient servant,

CAPT. CHRISTIAN WRAA,
Marine Officer, A. D.

Which was accepted.

PETITIONS.

By Alderman McCarthy—

Petition of property-owners in Fifty-eighth street, for stone flagging pavement on the south side of Fifty-eighth street, from No. 344 to Ninth avenue.

To the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York:

The undersigned, owners of the property on Fifty-eighth street, most respectfully petition that the sidewalk between Eighth and Ninth avenues, south side, be paved with stone flagging pavement, southeast of Ninth avenue to house No. 344 Fifty-eighth street.

And your petitioners, as in duty bound, will ever pray, etc.

Chas. P. Daly, 3 houses, 60 feet.

Isaac Bernheimer, 5 houses, 100 feet.

Edward Schell, 3 houses, 60 feet.

S. R. Comstock, 2 houses, 40 feet.

James H. Goodsell, 20 feet.

A. C. White, 1 house, 21 feet.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Sheils—

Petition of the Consumers' Ice Company for permission to remove scales from Horatio street and Thirteenth avenue to the Thirteenth avenue.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Purroy—

Petition for the numbering of premises in William street, at the northwest corner of Fulton street.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York:

We, the subscribers, owners and occupants of property on the north side of Fulton street, between William and Nassau streets, would respectfully call the attention of your Honorable Body to the erection of fine buildings on the site of the North Dutch Church property, northwest corner of Fulton and William streets, and for which no numbers are or have been provided. We are subject to continual annoyance in our business from two sets of numbers, and would ask of your Honorable Body that you renumber Fulton street, at least on this block.

Most respectfully submitted,

F. W. Devoe & Co., 101 and 103 Fulton street.
James M. Montgomery, 105 Fulton street.
J. M. C. Martin & Sons, 107 Fulton street.
Peets & Throckmorton, 109 Fulton street.

If renumbered from William street to Broadway on north side only, will remedy all confusion.

New York, November 13, 1876.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT—CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, November 14, 1876.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—I herewith return to you, without my signature or approval, the resolution proposing to authorize Mary Fitzgerald to keep a stand at the corner of New Bowery and Madison street.

I am not willing to create such an obstruction in the street as the proposed stand would be.

W. H. WICKHAM, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Mary Fitzgerald to keep a stand, for the sale of fruit, at the northeast corner of New Bowery and Madison street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Which was laid on the table, and ordered to be printed in the minutes and published in the CITY RECORD.

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, November 14, 1876.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—I herewith return to you, without my signature or approval, the resolution proposing to authorize Peter Highland to keep a stand or cart at the intersection of Catharine and Division streets.

I am not willing to create such an obstruction in the street as the proposed stand or cart would be.

W. H. WICKHAM, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Peter Highland to keep a stand or cart for the sale of oysters (a few hours in the evening) at the head of Catharine street, at the intersection of Division street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Which was laid on the table, and ordered to be printed in the minutes and published in the CITY RECORD.

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT—CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, November 14, 1876.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—I herewith return to you, without my signature or approval, the resolution and proposed ordinance for paving West street and Tenth avenue, from Gansevoort to Little West Twelfth street, with granite-block pavement, and for an assessment therefore, etc.

The street at the locality indicated has already been paved with cobble stones, and under the existing law this ordinance, with the provision for an assessment upon the property-holders, is, therefore, not authorized.

The street is, however, in need of a better pavement; and I am advised that it is within the power of the Commissioner of Public Works to make there repairs which will meet the requirements of the case.

W. H. WICKHAM, Mayor.

Resolved, That West street and Tenth avenue, from Gansevoort to Little West Twelfth street, be paved with 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.

Which was laid on the table, and ordered to be printed in the minutes and published in the CITY RECORD.

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT—CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, November 13, 1876.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—I herewith forward for your information a communication from Henry C. Murphy, President, and John H. Prentice, Treasurer, being a "Statement of the cash receipts and expenditures of the New York and Brooklyn Bridge, for the month ending Tuesday, October 31, 1876."

W. H. WICKHAM, Mayor.

Statement of the Cash Receipts and Expenditures of the New York and Brooklyn Bridge for the month ending Tuesday, October 31, 1876.

RECEIPTS.

Interest on deposits in Atlantic State Bank.....	\$395 29
For rent.....	257 00
From the City of New York.....	25,000 00
From Marston & Son (five horses).....	750 00
For material sold.....	22 20

\$26,424 49

EXPENDITURES.

Salaries of engineers and assistants.....	\$2,496 66
Salary of master mechanic.....	333 33
Salaries of officers and clerks.....	541 66
H. N. Conkling's Son, lumber.....	123 04
N. Y. Scavenger Co., emptying vault.....	18 00
Empire Roofing Works, roofing.....	59 83
Norman Hubbard, labor on clamps.....	25 20
Hosford & Sons, stationery.....	23 35
O. P. O'Rourke, ice.....	12 60
Brooklyn Eagle, bill-heads, printing, etc.....	10 25
Keystone Bridge Co., stirrups, clevises, etc.....	839 17
A. C. Nickerson, towing.....	73 00
Jos. H. Mumby, horse feed.....	78 50
B. T. Carman, oil.....	13 27
E. Lyon, repairing hydraulic jacks.....	8 34
J. C. Wilson & Co., hardware.....	29 46
Union White Lead Manufacturing Co., white lead.....	10 50
Keuffel & Esser, drawing materials.....	14 21
N. Y. Daily Bulletin Association, advertising.....	18 80
N. Y. Tribune, advertising.....	40 59
The World, advertising.....	24 75
Munn & Co., advertising.....	36 00
N. Y. Times, advertising.....	30 00
W. H. Paine, traveling expenses.....	24 00
Chrome Steel Co., wire rope.....	4,459 04
Joseph Brennan, granite.....	2,499 72
Egleston Bros. & Co., iron.....	45 19
Geo. Pool & Sons, oil, wick, etc.....	17 16
New Jersey Steel & Iron Co., chain.....	60 97
M. Lefters, galvanizing.....	75
Fowler, Crampton & Co., oil.....	52 08
Marston & Son, coal.....	14 00
Burr & Co., sheaves.....	36 48
S. B. Wells, leathers, etc.....	7 25
Stackpole & Brother, instruments and repairs.....	59 50
John Bunce, hardware.....	8 06
F. O. Norton, cement.....	37 50
Brooklyn Union Publishing Co., advertising.....	15 00
John D. Martin, carting boiler.....	8 00
P. W. Shute, removing slates.....	13 00
Pearce & Mitchell, castings.....	20 00
American Steam Gauge Co., lubricator.....	12 00
Labor pay-roll, ending October 12.....	2,536 45
Robbins Battell, executor for property, 273 Front street, N. Y.....	5,000 00
Smith Brothers, labor.....	2 25
G. M. Eddy, repairing tapes.....	75
W. M. Allen & J. W. Quincy, Trustees, etc., for premises No. 170 South street, New York.....	15,575 00
Labor pay-roll ending October 26.....	2,549 72
Estate of Guillaume Merle, for premises No. 287 Water street, New York.....	26,586 00
Brooklyn Daily Times, advertising.....	17 10
Brooklyn Daily Argus, ".....	18 00
M. Fitzpatrick, horseshoeing.....	11 25
Freight on wire and carting tools.....	1 75

F. Collingwood, traveling expenses.....	2 56
Incidental office expenses.....	125 59
Incidental construction items.....	7 69
	<u>\$64,654 23</u>

HENRY C. MURPHY, President.
JOHN H. PRENTICE, Treasurer.

County of Kings, ss.:

Henry C. Murphy, President, and John H. Prentice, Treasurer of the Trustees of the New York and Brooklyn Bridge, being severally duly sworn, each for himself deposes and says, that the foregoing statement is in all respects true, according to the best of their knowledge, information, and belief.

HENRY C. MURPHY,
JOHN H. PRENTICE.

Sworn before me, the 4th day of
November, 1876,

O. P. QUINTARD, Notary Public, Kings Co.

Which was ordered on file.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Alderman Tuomey—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to J. A. Bostwick to place and keep two bay-windows on the building about to be erected on the northeast corner of Fifth avenue and Sixty-first street, as shown on the accompanying diagram, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Howland—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to C. F. Livermore to place and keep two bay-windows and doorway on the building on Fifth avenue, between Twenty-sixth and Twenty-seventh streets, as shown on the accompanying diagram, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 425.)

By Alderman Purroy—

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by this Board, October 27, 1876, and approved by the Mayor, November 2, 1876, to lay Croton water-mains in One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, from Willis avenue four hundred and eighty feet east, be and the same is hereby amended by substituting the words and figures "chapter 477 of the Laws of 1875," in place of the words and figures "chapter 432, Laws of 1876."

Which was laid over.

By Alderman J. Reilly—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Henry Bauk to place and keep an ornamental lamp-post and lamps in front of No. 1214 Broadway, provided the post shall not exceed the dimensions now prescribed by resolution of the Common Council, that the work be done and gas supplied at his own expense, and under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Keenan—

Resolved, That George W. Nash be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of George W. Nash, whose term of office has expired.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Billings, Guntzer, Hess, Howland, Keenan, McCarthy, Morris, Purroy, J. Reilly, Sauer, Seery, and Sheils—13.

By Alderman Sauer—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the proprietor of the Merrifield House to retain a storm-door at the Twentieth street entrance of the premises at the northeast corner of Broadway and Twentieth street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Keenan—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

(G. O. 426.)

By Alderman Cudlipp—

Resolved, That a receiving-basin and culvert be built on the northwest corner of South and Corlears street, to connect with sewer in Corlears street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 427.)

By Alderman Tuomey—

Resolved, That Croton water-pipes be laid in Forty-ninth street, from the First avenue to the East river, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, as provided in section 2, chapter 477, Laws of 1875.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 428.)

By Alderman McCarthy—

Resolved, That a receiving-basin and culvert be built on the southeast corner of Fourth avenue and Sixty-fifth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 429.)

By the same—

Resolved, That a receiving-basin and culvert be built on the southeast corner of Lexington avenue and Sixty-ninth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 430.)

By Alderman Purroy—

Resolved, That Fifty-fourth street, between Broadway and Eighth avenue, 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.

To the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York:

The undersigned, owners of the property on Fifty-fourth street, most respectfully petition that Fifty-fourth street, between Broadway and Eighth avenue, be paved with Belgian or trap-block pavement.

And your petitioners, as in duty bound, will ever pray, etc.

Robert Paterson, 259 West 54th street, 18 feet 9 inches.

Luther Horton, 257 West 54th street, 18 feet 9 inches.

Andrew Casey, 267 West 54th street, 25 feet.

John J. Betz, 252 and 256 West 54th street, 25 and 24 feet.

R. Robertson, 254 West 54th street, 25 feet.

Helen Taylor, 248 West 54th street, 25 feet.

J. August, 255 West 54th street, 18 feet 9 inches.

Henrietta Bell, 260, 262, and 264 West 54th street, 100 feet.

Thomas Darragh, 243, 245, 247, and 249 West 54th street, 75 feet.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Hess—

Resolved, That vacant lots situated on Fifth avenue, between Seventy-third and Seventy-fourth streets, and running one hundred and fifty (150) feet towards Madison avenue on Seventy-fourth street, be fenced in, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

PETITIONS RESUMED.

By Alderman McCarthy—

Petition of the Union Stock Yard and Market Co., and the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Co., for a change of grade of Fifty-ninth street, between Eleventh and Twelfth avenues.

Which was referred to the Commissioner of Public Works to be advertised.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

By Alderman McCarthy—

Resolved, That Edward C. Sheehy 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. Sheehy, whose term of office has expired.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Billings, Guntzer, Hess, Howland, Keenan, McCarthy, Morris, Purroy, J. Reilly, Sauer, Seery, and Sheils, and Slevin—14.

Alderman Purroy moved that when the Board adjourns, it do so to meet on Monday, the 20th inst., at 2 o'clock P. M.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

REPORTS.

(G. O. 431.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of granting permission to the American District Telegraph Company to erect ornamental illuminated clocks in certain portions of the city, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed permission should be granted. They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to the American District Telegraph Company to erect ornamental illuminated clocks at the following places:

62 Broadway.	637 Sixth avenue.
68 Fulton street.	812 Sixth avenue.
254 Broadway.	1000 Sixth avenue.
407 Broadway.	554 Third avenue.
516 Broadway.	Corner 14th street and 8th avenue.
689 Broadway.	Corner 23d street and 8th avenue.
791 Broadway.	Corner 34th street and 8th avenue.
946 Broadway.	Corner 14th street and 3d avenue.
1205 Broadway.	Corner 124th street and 3d avenue, Harlem.

— the standard not to be more than eighteen inches in diameter, the same to remain only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

WM. H. McCARTHY, Committee
HENRY D. PURROY, on
JACOB HESS, Public Works.

Alderman J. Reilly moved to amend by adding to the resolution the following: "And that as a condition of this permission, they erect similar clocks at Fourteenth street and First Avenue, Avenue B and Fourteenth street, northeast corner of Grand and Essex streets, Avenue A and Houston street, Canal street and East Broadway; and Eighty-second street and Third avenue, A and Houston street, Canal street and East Broadway; and Eighty-second street and Third avenue.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

The resolution, as amended, was then laid over on motion of Alderman Seery.

COMMUNICATIONS.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from James E. Serrell, City Surveyor, relative to an additional supply of Croton water:

NEW YORK, Nov. 8, 1876.

Hon. S. A. LEWIS, President Board of Aldermen, City of New York:

DEAR SIR—It is my desire that you, or our Board of Aldermen, of which you have the honor to be President, should not be deceived or deceive the people whom you have the honor to represent, on the great question presented at your meeting, October 27, of our water supply, and I will now set forth facts and figures from the reports of the public Departments of the city having charge of such matter, that if such are the facts, that all the storage reservoirs would only supply the city for twenty-two days, using them to the extent which they are claimed to have been used, provided not any accession has been made to them during the short period of twenty-two days.

By my mode proposed, we will have a never-failing supply, unless we "pump the Hudson river dry."

I have endeavored to condense the following, in continuation of my suggestions, presented to your Honorable Body on 27th October last, all of which is respectfully presented to your Honorable Board.

Yours truly,

JAMES E. SERRELL,
No. 244 West 49th street.

NEW YORK, November 8, 1876.

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—That in the consideration of our water supply there are two facts, first, the increased use, and second, that the source does not diminish as the progress of civilization changes the surface of the country; also, where does all the water come from in its routine of circulation; and it is likewise a matter of great importance to ascertain beyond a shadow of doubt, what effect the "cutting down of the outlets," and also the changes produced thereby, have had upon the natural action of its circulation, tracing the effects to first causes.

The following will present facts and figures which are intended to truthfully state matters as they now are.

The capacity of the storage lakes to supply water to the City of New York, as shown by the statements of Mr. John C. Campbell, Chief Engineer of the Croton Aqueduct Department, is as follows. This computation is made from the statement of Mr. Campbell, printed in the New York Sun and other papers, October 28, 1876, which gave sizes and depths, and from which the table is made, from the amounts stated to have been drawn off each lake or pond:

	ACRES.	SQUARE FEET.	PEET DRAWN OFF.	Cubic FEET DRAWN OFF.
Lake Mahopac.</				

Patrolman John G. Creighton, Ninth Precinct.
 " George F. Niggersmith, Twelfth Precinct.
 Acting Sergeant Walter L. Thompson, Twelfth Precinct.
 Patrolman Christopher Dixon, Thirteenth Precinct.
 " Daniel Nealis, Seventeenth Precinct.
 " Thomas McKenna, Eighteenth Precinct.
 " William F. McGinn, Eighteenth Precinct.
 " James Fahey, Twenty-first Precinct.
 " Michael Dailey, Twenty-second Precinct.
 " David O'Callahan, Twenty-seventh Precinct.
 " Edward J. McGoldrick, Twenty-ninth Precinct.
 " John J. Cavanagh, Twenty-ninth Precinct.

Street Cleaning.

Communication from Geo. W. Blunt, Secretary Board of Pilot Commissioners, submitting copy of resolutions asking a conference with the Board of Police as to best method of disposing of City refuse, was referred to the Chairman of the Committee on Street Cleaning to confer with the Board of Pilot Commissioners to fix the time for the proposed meeting.

Adjourned.

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

The Board of Police met on the 15th day of November, 1876.

Present—Messrs. Smith, Wheeler, Erhardt, and Nichols, Commissioners.

Resolved, That James Terwilliger, be and is hereby appointed a Clerk, with compensation at the rate of \$1,800 per annum, and assigned to duty in the office of the Chief Clerk.

Resolved, That George P. Fall be and is hereby appointed Messenger, with compensation at the rate of \$600 per annum, and assigned to the Treasurer for duty.

Resolved, That Bernard Murtha be and is hereby appointed Patrolman, and assigned to the Nineteenth Precinct for duty.

Resolved, That the following-named members of the Police Force be and they are hereby transferred to the Precincts hereinafter named, respectively:

Acting Sergeant Stephen Paret, from Eighteenth Precinct to Eleventh Precinct.

Roundsman Hugh Martin, from Twenty-first Precinct to Fourteenth Precinct.

Patrolman James Pilkington, from First Precinct to Twenty-fifth Precinct.

Street Cleaning.

Resolved, That the following pay-rolls of the Bureau of Street Cleaning, for the month of October, be ordered paid by the Treasurer—all voting aye:

WARDS.	LABORERS.	POLICE DEPARTMENT CART DRIVERS.	HIRE CARTS.
First.....	\$1,220 40	\$91 00	\$2,005 99
Second and Fourth.....	1,140 20	45 50	1,737 00
Fifth.....	1,330 60	45 50	1,520 03
Seventh.....	940 60	229 67	587 40
Eighth.....	757 60	45 50	1,301 30
Ninth.....	1,117 60	135 18	1,248 55
Tenth.....	755 60	134 74	1,223 58
Eleventh.....	855 40	87 49	687 33
Twelfth, Twenty-third, and Twenty-fourth.....	1,310 40	1,870 30	1,771 18
Thirteenth.....	754 80	302 25	507 17
Fourteenth and Sixth.....	1,340 20	1,427 50	1,145 57
Fifteenth.....	1,017 20	89 68	1,145 57
Sixteenth.....	1,081 40	89 24	1,470 28
Seventeenth.....	950 40	265 96	1,744 76
Eighteenth.....	1,015 40	133 43	6,615 20
Nineteenth.....	1,135 60	2,018 38	1,630 27
Twentieth.....	955 40	45 50	1,722 42
Twenty-first.....	1,177 60	91 00	2,186 36
Twenty-second.....	954 80	44 62	407 03
Broadway.....	767 00	493 14
Avenues, east.....	926 20	497 22
Avenues, west.....	966 00
Total.....	\$22,468 40	\$2,113 44	\$29,512 80

VARIOUS.

Dump expenses, 1.....	\$1,627 50	Stable expenses.....	\$621 50
2.....	646 80	Blacksmith.....	255 81
		Horseshoers.....	182 00
		Wheelwrights.....	156 00
		Harness makers.....	78 00
Scows, R. & S.....	\$141 87	Carpenters.....	615 00
		Dock Builders.....	270 00
Machine and Water-cart Drivers.....	\$1,016 00		\$2,178 31

Adjourned.

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DAILY MEETINGS, November 6 to 11, 1876.

Communications Received.

From Penitentiary—

List of prisoners received during week ending November 4, 1876. Males, 48; females, 7. On file.

List of 41 prisoners to be discharged from November 12 to 18, 1876. Transmitted to Prison Association.

From Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—

History of 11 patients received during week ending November 4, 1876. Referred to Examining Clerk.

From New York City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—

History of 3 patients received during week ending November 4, 1876. Referred to Examining Clerk.

From Examination Office, Bellevue Hospital—

Number of patients admitted to the various Hospitals of the Department during October, 1876, 1,021. On file.

From City Prison Physician—

Monthly report of professional service during October, 1876. On file.

Appointment.

November 6—John Rooney, Night Watchman, Twenty-sixth street dock.

Removal.

November 6—William Stone, Night Watchman, Twenty-sixth street dock.

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Levie Shields to erect two ornamental lamp-posts and lamps in front of No. 114 West Twenty-sixth street, the said posts to be of the usual dimensions, and the gas to be supplied from his own meter, and the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 2, 1876.

Approved by the Mayor, November 6, 1876.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to James Floy to erect a bay-window, northwest corner of Madison avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, and to extend four feet from the house line, according to the annexed diagram, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 27, 1876.

Approved by the Mayor, November 2, 1876.

Resolved, That Croton water-pipes be laid in One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, from Willis avenue, four hundred and eighty feet east, as provided in chapter 432, Laws of 1876, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 27, 1876.

Approved by the Mayor, November 2, 1876.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be requested to cause the street pavement of Hanover square to be put in good condition immediately, and that the crosswalks be repaired where necessary.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 27, 1876.

Approved by the Mayor, November 2, 1876.

Resolved, That Frederick P. Hummel be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deed: in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Ernst C. F. Gasteyer, resigned.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 27, 1876.

Approved by the Mayor, November 2, 1876.

BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS.

CONDENSED STATEMENT OF MORTALITY.

REPORTED MORTALITY (week ending Nov. 11, 1876), AND THE ACTUAL MORTALITY (each day in the week, ending at noon, Nov. 4, 1876), WITH AN ENUMERATION OF THE CHIEF CAUSES OF DEATH.

WALTER DE F. DAV, M. D.,
Sanitary Superintendent and Register.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	Actual number of Deaths each day.							Deaths reported during the week ending Nov. 11, 1876.
	November 4.....	November 5.....	November 6.....	November 7.....	November 8.....	November 9.....	November 10.....	
Total Deaths from all Causes.	91	54	64	61	62	47	78	413
Total Zymotic Diseases.	102	13	14	13	15	8	14	102
Total Constitutional Diseases.	96	11	14	20	9	13	28	96
Total Local Diseases.	168	28	25	19	26	20	24	168
Total Developmental Diseases.	27	5	3	6	5	3	5	27
Deaths by Violence.	20	1	3	3	7	3	7	20
Small-pox.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Measles.	2	—	—	—	—	—	2	2
Scarlatina.	9	1	—	3	1	1	3	9
Diphtheria.	23	—	—	—	—	—	—	23
Membranous Croup.	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	9
Whooping Cough.	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	8
Typhus Fever.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Yellow Fever.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Typhoid Fever.	13	—	—	—	—	—	—	13
Puerperal Diseases.	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	8
Under 5 years, Diarrhoeal Diseases.	11	11	12	13	14	15	21	11
All ages.	16	1	1	1	1	1	1	16
Alcoholism.	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	4
Cancer.	11	—	—	—	—	—	—	11
Phthisis Pulmonalis.	71	8	9	14	7	9	21	71
Bronchitis.	16	2	6	5	2	6	4	16
Pneumonia.	51	9	6	5	7	4	5	51
Heart Diseases.	15	2	4	1	2	3	2	15
Marsupium—Tubes Mesenterica and Scrofula.	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	7
Hydrocephalus and Tubercular Meningitis.	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	2
Meningitis and Encephalitis.	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	10
Convulsions.	13	—	—	—	—	—	—	13
Direct Effect of Solar Heat.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Apoplexy.	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	3
All Diseases of the Brain and Nervous System.	32	1	1	1	1	1	1	32

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

STATEMENT OF THE HOURS DURING WHICH
all the Public Offices in the City are open for business, and at which each Court regularly opens and adjourns, as well as of the places where such offices are kept and such Courts are held.

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

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

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, OFFICES HOURS 9 A. M. TO 4 P. M.
Comptroller's Office, second floor, west end.
1. Bureau for the collection of the revenue accruing from rents and interest on bonds and mortgages, and revenue arising from the use or sale of property belonging to or managed by the City, first floor, west end.
2. Bureau for the Collection of Taxes; Brown stone building, City Hall Park.
3. Bureau for the Collection of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and Water Rents, first floor, west end.
4. Auditing Bureau, second floor, west end.
5. Bureau of Licenses, first floor, west end.
6. Bureau of Markets, first floor, west end.
7. Bureau for the reception of all moneys paid into the Treasury in the City, and for the payment of money on warrants drawn by the Comptroller and countersigned by the Mayor, at the Office of Chamberlain and County Treasurer, second floor, west end.
8. Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, Rotunda, south side.

LAW DEPARTMENT.
Counsel to the Corporation, Staats Zeitung Building, third floor, 9 A. M. to 1 P. M.
Public Administrator, 115 and 117 Nassau street, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Corporation Attorney, 115 and 117 Nassau street, 8½ A. M. to 4½ P. M.
Attorney for the Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes, No. 51 Chambers street, second floor.
Attorney to the Department of Buildings, 2 Fourth avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.
NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET, ALWAYS OPEN.
Commissioners' Office, second floor.
Superintendent's Office, first floor.
Inspectors' Office, first floor.
Chief Clerk's Office, second floor, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Property Clerk, first floor (rear) " " "
Bureau of Street Cleaning, basement (rear), 8 A. M. to 1 P. M.
Bureau of Elections, second floor (rear), 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.
CITY HALL, 9 A. M. TO 4 P. M.
Commissioner's Office, No. 19.
Chief Clerk's Office, No. 20.
Contract Clerk's Office, No. 21.
Engineer in charge of Sewers, No. 21.
" Boulevards and Avenues, No. 18½
Bureau of Repairs and Supplies, No. 18.
" Lamps and Gas, No. 13.
" Incumbrances, No. 13.
" Street Improvements, No. 11.
" Chief Engineer Croton Aqueduct, No. 11½.
" Water Register, No. 10.
" Water Surveyor, No. 4.
" Streets and Roads, No. 13.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.
Commissioners' Office, No. 66 Third Avenue, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Our Door Poor Department, No. 66 Third avenue, always open, entrance on Eleventh street.
Reception Hospital, Ninety-ninth street and Tenth avenue, always open.
Bellevue Hospital, foot of Twenty-sixth street, East river, always open.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.
NOS. 153, 155 AND 157 MERCER ST., 9 A. M. TO 4 P. M.
Commissioners' Office. Chief of Department. Fire Marshal.
Inspectors of Combustibles.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS
Commissioners' Office, 36 Union Square, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.
Commissioners' Office, 117 and 119 Duane street, A. M. to 4 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.
Commissioners' Office, Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. on Saturday, 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.
Surveyor's Bureau, 19 Chatham street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Board of Assessors, "

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

BOARD OF EXCISE.
Commissioners' Office, first floor, 299 Mulberry street, A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.
Commissioners' Office, 27 Chambers street, second floor, front office.

COMMISSIONERS OF THE COUNTY COURT-HOUSE.
Office, Room B, third floor, northeast corner County Court-house.

THE CITY RECORD.
No. 2 City Hall, northwest corner basement, 10 A. M. to 6 P. M.

MISCELLANEOUS OFFICES.
HOURS 9 A. M. TO 4 P. M.

Coroner's Office, first floor, southwest corner of New Sheriff's Office, "

County Court-house, first floor, northeast corner of County Clerk's Office, "

New County Court-house, st floor, southeast corner of New Surrogate's Office, "

County Court-house, Records, City Hall Park, "

Register's Office, Hall of, second floor, Brown-stone District Attorney's Office, M. to 5 P. M.

building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

COURTS.

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

SUPERIOR COURT.
General Term, Trial Term Part I, Trial Term Part II, third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.

Clerk's Office. Third floor, New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

THE CITY RECORD.

COPIES OF THE CITY RECORD CAN BE OBTAINED AT NO. 2 CITY HALL northwest corner base-ment. Price three cents each.

JURORS.

NOTICE

IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

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

APPLICATIONS FOR EXEMPTIONS WILL BE HEARD HERE, FROM 9 TO 4 DAILY, FROM ALL PERSONS HITHERTO LIABLE OR RECENTLY SERVING WHO HAVE BECOME EXEMPT, AND ALL NEEDED INFORMATION WILL BE GIVEN.

THOSE WHO HAVE NOT ANSWERED AS TO THEIR LIABILITY, OR PROVED PERMANENT EXEMPTION, WILL RECEIVE A "JURY ENROLLMENT NOTICE," REQUIRING THEM TO APPEAR BEFORE ME THIS YEAR. WHETHER LIABLE OR NOT, SUCH NOTICES MUST BE ANSWERED (IN PERSON, IF POSSIBLE, AND AT THIS OFFICE ONLY) UNDER SEVERE PENALTIES. IF EXEMPT, THE PARTY MUST BRING PROOF EXEMPTION; IF LIABLE, HE MUST ALSO ANSWER IN PERSON, GIVING FULL AND CORRECT NAME, RESIDENCE, ETC., ETC. NO ATTENTION PAID TO LETTERS.

PERSONS "ENROLLED" AS LIABLE MUST SERVE WHEN CALLED OR PAY THEIR FINES. NO MERE EXCUSE WILL BE ALLOWED OR INTERFERENCE PERMITTED. THE FINES, RECEIVED FROM THOSE WHO, FOR BUSINESS OR OTHER REASONS, ARE UNABLE TO SERVE AT THE TIME SELECTED, PAY THE EXPENSES OF THIS OFFICE, AND IT UNPAID WILL BE ENTERED AS JUDGMENTS UPON THE PROPERTY OF THE DELINQUENTS.

ALL GOOD CITIZENS WILL AID THE COURSE OF JUSTICE, AND SECURE RELIABLE AND RESPECTABLE JURIES, AND EQUALIZE THEIR DUTY BY SERVING PROMPTLY WHEN SUMMONED, ALLOWING THEIR CLERKS OR SUBORDINATES TO SERVE, REPORTING TO ME ANY ATTEMPT AT BRIBERY OR EVASION, AND SUGGESTING NAMES FOR ENROLLMENT. PERSONS BETWEEN SIXTY AND SEVENTY YEARS OF AGE, SUMMER ABSENTEES, PERSONS TEMPORARILY ILL, AND UNITED STATES AND DISTRICT COURT JURORS ARE NOT EXEMPT.

EVERY MAN MUST ATTEND TO HIS OWN NOTICE. IT IS A MISDEMEANOR TO GIVE ANY JURY PAPER TO ANOTHER TO ANSWER IT IS ALSO PUNISHABLE BY FINE OR IMPRISONMENT TO GIVE OR RECEIVE ANY PRESENT OR BRIBE, DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY, IN RELATION TO A JURY SERVICE, OR TO WITHHOLD ANY PAPER OR MAKE ANY FALSE STATEMENT, AND EVERY CASE WILL BE FULLY PROSECUTED.

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

ARMORY COMMISSION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO CLAIMANTS FOR COMPENSATION UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 429, LAWS OF 1876, ENTITLED "AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR PAYMENT FOR THE USE AND OCCUPATION OF ARMORIES AND DRILL-ROOMS IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK," THAT THE COMMISSION CONSTITUTED BY SAID ACT, AND CONSISTING OF THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, AND ONE COMMISSIONER OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, PREVIOUSLY DESIGNATED BY THE COMPTROLLER UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE ACT, THE SAME BEING GEORGE H. ANDREWS, ESQ., MET AT THE COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE ON THURSDAY, JUNE 8, 1876, AT 3 O'CLOCK P.M., AND ORGANIZED BY THE ELECTION OF THE MAYOR AS CHAIRMAN.

ACCORDING TO THE TERMS OF THE ACT, "CLAIMANTS MAY BE HEARD BEFORE THE COMMISSION UPON TEN DAYS' NOTICE TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE."

ELIOT MCCORMICK,
Secretary pro tem.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
117 AND 119 DUANE STREET,
NEW YORK, NOVEMBER 11, 1876.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR REMOVING A PART OF PIER 47 (OLD NUMBER), AT THE FOOT OF HOUSTON STREET, NORTH RIVER, AND ALL THE SHEDS AND BUILDINGS THEREON, AND PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING A NEW WOODEN PIER ON THE SITE OF SAID PIER 47, TO BE KNOWN AS NEW PIER 39, NORTH RIVER.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR REMOVING A PART OF PIER 47 (OLD NUMBER), AND ALL THE SHEDS AND BUILDINGS THEREON, AND FOR BUILDING A NEW WOODEN PIER AT THE FOOT OF HOUSTON STREET, NORTH RIVER, INDORED AS ABOVE, AND ADDRESSED TO "SALEM H. WALES, PRESIDENT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS," WILL BE RECEIVED AT THIS OFFICE, UNTIL 11 O'CLOCK A. M. OF THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 1876, AT WHICH TIME AND PLACE THE BIDS WILL BE PUBLICLY OPENED BY THE HEAD OF SAID DEPARTMENT AND READ. THE AWARD OF THE CONTRACT WILL BE MADE AS SOON AS PRACTICABLE AFTER THE OPENING OF THE BIDS.

ANY BIDDER FOR THIS CONTRACT MUST BE KNOWN TO BE A SKILLED DOCK OR BRIDGE BUILDER, WELL PREPARED FOR THE BUSINESS, AND SHALL GIVE SECURITY FOR THE FAITHFUL PERFORMANCE OF HIS CONTRACT, IN THE MANNER PRESCRIBED AND REQUIRED BY ORDINANCE, IN THE SUM OF TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS.

THE ENGINEER'S ESTIMATE OF THE QUANTITIES IS AS FOLLOWS:

	MEASURED IN THE WORK.
1. Yellow pine timber	5 in. plank..... 287,513 feet B.M.
" "	12 in. x 12 in..... 206,748 "
" "	10 in. x 10 in..... 140,570 "
" "	8 in. x 8 in..... 5,418 "
" "	12 in. x 6 in..... 10,800 "
Total.....	651,049 "
2. White oak timber	12 in. x 12 in..... 924 "
" "	12 in. x 8 in..... 14,230 "
" "	12 in. x 5 in..... 5,800 "
" "	12 in. x 6 in..... 300 "
Total.....	21,254 "
3. Spruce timber.....	3 in. x 4 in..... 2,976 "
4. Wrought iron screw-bolts, bands, pile-shoes, 2 in. horizontal brace-rods, with turnbuckles, straps, eye-bolts, washers, etc., about.....	26,028 pounds.
5. 22 in. x ½ in., 18 in. x ¾ in., 16 in. x ¾ in., 12 in. x ¾ in., 10 in. x ¾ in., 10 in. x ½ in., 6 in. x ½ in., 10 in. x ¾ in., 6 in. x ¾ in., and 4 in. x ¾ in., wrought iron spike pointed bolts, about.....	33,700 "
6. Cast-iron mooring posts.....	15,136 pounds.
7. Cast-iron washers and brackets.....	6,607 "
8. Boiler plate armatures.....	6,650 "
9. 62 piles to be spliced and the points to be furnished by contractors.	84 feet or more in length to be driven.
10. 846 piles furnished by the Department of Docks to be driven.	84 feet or more in length to be driven.
11. 48 columns 20 in. x 20 in. in section, 84 feet or more in length to be driven.	84 feet or more in length to be driven.

12. LABOR OF FRAMING AND CARPENTRY, INCLUDING ALL MOVING OF TIMBER, JOINTING, PLANKING, BOLTING, SPiking, PAINTING, OILING, OR TARRING, AND FURNISHING THE MATERIALS FOR PAINTING, OILING, OR TARRING, AND THE TREENAILS AND WEDGES FOR THE COLUMNS, ETC., AND LABOR OF EVERY DESCRIPTION. FOR THAT PART OF THE PIER WHERE THE BAYS ARE 12 FEET 6 IN. SPAN, 4,875 SQUARE FEET, AND FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE PIER, 38,775 SQUARE FEET.

THE FOREGOING ARE THE QUANTITIES WHICH HAVE BEEN ESTIMATED APPROXIMATELY FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE WORK. THEY FORM, HOWEVER, NO PART OF THE CONTRACT, AND PERSONS BIDDING ARE CAUTIONED THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS DO NOT HOLD THEMSELVES RESPONSIBLE THAT ANY OF THEM SHALL STRICTLY OBTAIN IN THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE WORK, AND BIDDERS ARE REQUIRED TO EXAMINE THE PLANS AND THE PREMISES, AND TO JUDGE FOR THEMSELVES OF THE QUANTITY AND OTHER CIRCUMSTANCES AFFECTING THE COST OF THE WORK.

THE TIME ALLOWED FOR THE COMPLETION OF THE WORK (EXCEPT ABOUT 100 FEET OF THE SHORE END OF THE PIER, WHICH WILL NOT BE CONSTRUCTED UNTIL THE BULKHEAD WALL IN THE REAR IS ERECTED) IS SIX MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THE EXECUTION OF THE CONTRACT, AND A PENALTY OF FIFTY DOLLARS PER DAY, AS LIQUIDATED DAMAGES, WILL BE EXACTED FOR EACH DAY THAT THE CONTRACT MAY BE UNFULFILLED, AFTER THE SAID SIX MONTHS HAVE EXPIRED, SUNDAYS AND HOLIDAYS NOT TO BE EXCEPTED.

ALL THE OLD MATERIAL TAKEN FROM SAID PIER 47, AND THE SHEDS AND BUILDINGS THEREON, TO BE REMOVED UNDER THIS CONTRACT, WILL BE RELINQUISHED TO THE CONTRACTOR, AND BIDDERS MUST ESTIMATE THE VALUE OF SUCH MATERIAL WHEN CONSIDERING THE PRICE FOR WHICH THEY WILL DO THE WORK UNDER THE CONTRACT.

BIDDERS WILL STATE IN THE FOLLOWING PROPOSAL THE PRICE FOR THE WHOLE OF THE WORK TO BE DONE IN CONFORMITY WITH THE ANNEXED SPECIFICATIONS, BY WHICH THE BIDS WILL BE TESTED. THIS PRICE IS TO COVER THE EXPENSES OF FURNISHING ALL THE NECESSARY MATERIALS AND LABOR AND THE PERFORMANCE OF ALL THE WORK SET FORTH IN THE ANNEXED AGREEMENT.

BIDDERS WILL WRITE OUT THE AMOUNT OF THEIR ESTIMATE FOR DOING THIS WORK, IN ADDITION TO INSERTING THE SAME IN FIGURES.

SHOULD THE LOWEST BIDDER OR BIDDERS NEGLECT OR REFUSE TO ACCEPT THIS CONTRACT WITHIN FORTY-EIGHT (48) HOURS AFTER WRITTEN NOTICE THAT THE SAME HAS BEEN AWARDED TO HIS OR THEIR BID, HE OR THEY SHALL BE CONSIDERED AS HAVING ABANDONED IT, AND AS IN DEFAULT TO THE CORPORATION; AND THE CONTRACT WILL BE REAVERDICTED AND RELET, AND SO ON UNTIL IT IS ACCEPTED AND EXECUTED.

BIDDERS ARE REQUIRED TO STATE IN THEIR PROPOSALS THEIR NAMES AND PLACES OF RESIDENCE; THE NAMES OF ALL PERSONS INTERESTED WITH THEM THEREIN; AND IF NO OTHER PERSON BE SO INTERESTED, THE PROPOSAL SHALL DISTINCTLY STATE THE FACT; ALSO THAT THE BID IS MADE WITHOUT ANY CONNECTION WITH ANY OTHER PERSON MAKING ANY ESTIMATE FOR THE SAME WORK, AND THAT IT IS IN ALL RESPECTS FAIR, AND WITHOUT COLLUSION OR FRAUD; AND ALSO THAT NO MEMBER OF THE COMMON COUNCIL, HEAD OF A DEPARTMENT, CHIEF OF A BUREAU, DEPUTY THEREOF, OR CLERK THEREIN, OR OTHER OFFICER OF THE CORPORATION, IS DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY INTERESTED THEREIN, OR IN THE SUPPLIES OR WORK TO WHICH IT RELATES, OR IN ANY PORTION OF THE PROFITS THEREOF; WHICH PROPOSALS MUST BE VERIFIED BY THE OATH, IN WRITING, OF THE PARTY MAKING THE ESTIMATE, THAT THE SEVERAL MATTERS STATED THEREIN ARE IN ALL RESPECTS TRUE. WHERE MORE THAN ONE PERSON IS INTERESTED, IT IS REQUISITE THAT THE VERIFICATION BE MADE AND SUBSCRIBED BY ALL THE PARTIES INTERESTED.

Each proposal shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the bid, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to any higher bidder to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that each is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27, of chapter VIII, of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York. The adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

BIDDERS ARE INFORMED THAT NO DEVIATION FROM THE SPECIFICATIONS WILL BE ALLOWED, UNLESS UNDER THE WRITTEN INSTRUCTIONS OF THE ENGINEER-IN-CHIEF.

NO PROPOSAL WILL BE ACCEPTED FROM, OR CONTRACT AWARDED TO, ANY PERSON WHO IS IN ARREARS WITH THE CORPORATION, UPON DEBT OR CONTRACT, OR WHO IS A DEFaulTER, AS SURETY OR OTHERWISE, UPON ANY OBLIGATION TO THE CORPORATION.

THE FORM OF THE AGREEMENT, INCLUDING SPECIFICATIONS, AND SHOWING THE

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, November 16, 1876.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN ORDINANCE OF
the Common Council, "In relation to the burial of
strangers or unknown persons who may die in any of the
public institutions of the City of New York," the
Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction report as
follows:

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island, November 15,
1876—Peter Meister; age 52 years; 5 feet 9 inches high;
gray and brown hair; gray eyes. Had on when admitted,
black coat and pants, striped woolen shirt, felt hat. Nothing
known of his friends or relatives.

Theodore Kelly; age 40 years; 5 feet 10 inches high;
brown hair; gray eyes. Had on when admitted, blue
cloth coat, pants, and vest, plaid flannel shirt, black
hat, cloth shoes. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

At New York City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island,
November 13, 1876—John Cancannon; age 32 years; 6 feet
1 inch high; gray eyes; brown hair. Admitted April 20,
1872. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By Order,
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, November 15, 1876.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN ORDINANCE OF
the Common Council, "In relation to the burial of
strangers or unknown persons who may die in any of the
public institutions of the City of New York," the
Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction report as
follows:

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island, November 13,
1876—Bridget Gilligan; age 36 years; 5 feet 3 inches high;
dark brown hair; gray eyes. Had on when admitted,
calico dress, balmoral skirt, cotton chemise, red plaid
shawl, black silk bonnet. Nothing known of her friends
or relatives.

By Order,
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, November 14, 1876.

PROPOSALS FOR POULTRY.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS
above, will be received by the Commissioners of
Public Charities and Correction, until 10 o'clock A.M., at
Saturday, the 23rd day of November, 1876, at which
time they will be publicly opened and read by the head
of said Department, for furnishing and delivering at the
foot of East Twenty-sixth street, tree or all expense to the
Department, 14,000 pounds poultry, viz.:

6,500 pounds Turkeys,
7,500 pounds Chickens.

— to be of good quality, as to age and condition, and
subject to careful inspection, and all delivered on Tuesday,
November 28, 1876.

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

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

The Department of Public Charities and Correction re-
serve the right to decline any and all proposals if deemed
to be for the public interest, and no proposal will be ac-
cepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is
in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or
who is defaulter, as security or otherwise, upon any obliga-
tion to the Corporation.

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

THOMAS S. PRENNAN,
ISAAC H. BAILEY,
TOWSEND COX,
Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, November 13, 1876.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN ORDINANCE OF
the Common Council, "In relation to the burial of
strangers or unknown persons who may die in any of the
public institutions of the City of New York," the
Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction report as
follows:

At Homoeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island, November 11,
1876—Robert McCann; age 44 years; 5 feet 6 inches high;
dark eyes; gray hair. Had on when admitted, black
coat, gray vest, brown pants, blue overalls, black hat,
brogan shoes. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By Order,
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, November 14, 1876.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN ORDINANCE OF
the Common Council, "In relation to the burial of
strangers or unknown persons who may die in any of the
public institutions of the City of New York," the
Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction report as
follows:

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island, November 12,
1876—Catherine McArdle; age, 35 years; 5 feet 6 inches
high; hazel eyes; brown hair. Admitted June 30, 1871.
Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island, November 13,
1876—Samuel Carroll; age, 65 years; 5 feet 8 inches high;
gray and brown hair. Had on when admitted black
diagonal pants, gray vest, white shirt, black overcoat, black
felt hat. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

At Hart's Island Hospital, Hart's Island, November 13,
1876—Rose Hall; 5 feet 5 inches high; gray eyes; dark
hair. Had on when admitted brown calico dress, gray
shawl, balmoral petticoat, striped stockings. Nothing
known of her friends or relatives.

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital—Unknown man, from
Pier 53, North river; age about 40 years; 5 feet 8 inches high;
gray hair, moustache, and beard. Had on dark
coat, dark check pants, gray flannel drawers, white twill
shirt with red and blue stripes, black cloth vest, gray
woolen socks, garter shoes, blue and white woolen
comforter. Body about three weeks in water.

By Order,
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, November 9, 1876.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN ORDINANCE OF
the Common Council, "In relation to the burial of
strangers or unknown persons who may die in any of the
public institutions of the City of New York," the
Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction report as
follows:

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island, November 8,
1876—Mary A. Peire; age 55 years; 5 feet 2 inches high;
black hair and eyes. Nothing known of her friends or
relatives.

By Order,
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, November 8, 1876.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN ORDINANCE OF
the Common Council, "In relation to the burial of
strangers or unknown persons who may die in any of the
public institutions of the City of New York," the
Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction report as
follows:

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from Pier 7, East river
—Unknown woman; age about 30 years; 5 feet 4 inches high;
dark brown hair. Had on woolen dress, olive colored
cloak, blue cotton petticoat, gray wool in petticoat,
unbleached muslin chemise, white waist with black stripes,
white ribbed stockings, laced shoes.

Unknown man from Pier 1, East river; age about 40
years; 5 feet 2 inches high; brown hair. Had on gray
woolen pants, white shirt, white ribbed drawers, white
socks, garter shoes. On his person was found watch key,
key ring, shield marked I. Kenall Chatham, Chatham
Ortario.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island, November 7,
1876—Eliza J. Stein alias McClane; age 60 years; 5 feet
4 1/2 inches high; gray eyes and hair. Nothing known of
her friends or relatives.

Pauline Hagenlocher; age 34 years; 5 feet 1 1/2 inches
high; gray eyes, brown hair. Nothing known of her
friends or relatives.

By Order,
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

A SPECIAL SESSION OF THE BOARD OF
TRUSTEES OF THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK
will be held at the Hall of the Board of Education (corner
Grand and Elm streets), on Wednesday, November 22d,
1876, at 4 P.M.

By order of the Chairman,
LAWRENCE D. KIERNAN,
Secretary.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY
the School Trustees of the Twenty-fourth Ward, at
the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and
Elm streets, until Tuesday, the 28th day of November,
1876, and until 4 o'clock P.M., on said day, for altering and
enlarging Grammer School No. 62, on Third avenue, near
One Hundred and Seventy-third street.

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

Proposals must state the estimate for each branch of the
work separately, and be indorsed. "Proposal for Mason
Work," "Proposal for Carpenter Work," "Proposal for
Painting."

Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this
city, will be required from each successful bidder.

The party submitting a proposal and the parties pro-
posing to become trustees must each write his name and
place of residence on said proposal.

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

MARK K. HAMILTON, JR.,
FRANKLIN EDSON,
JAMES C. HULL,
GEO. H. MOLLER,
FERNAND MEYER,
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-fourth Ward.
Dated New York, November 14, 1876.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT
the office of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and
Elm streets, until the 29th day of November, 1876, at 4 o'clock P.M.,
for printing required by the said Board for the year 1877. Samples of the various
documents, etc., required to be printed, may be seen at the
office of the Clerk of the Board, where blank forms of pro-
posals may also be obtained. Each proposal must be ad-
dressed to the Committee on Supplies, and indorsed.
"Proposals for Printing." Two sureties satisfactory to
said Committee will be required for the faithful perfor-
mance of the contract.

The Committee reserve the right to reject any bid if
deemed for the public interest.

Dated New York, November 14, 1876.
RUFUS G. BEARDSLEE,
JAMES M. HALSTED,
DAVID WETMORE,
CHARLES PLA E.,
HENRY P. WEST,
Commissioned on Supplies.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS WILL
meet every Wednesday, at 1 o'clock P.M.

WM. H. McCARTHY,
JACOB HESS,
HENRY D. PURROY,
Committee on Public Works

F. J. TWOMEY,
Clerk

THE COMMITTEE ON STREET PAVEMENTS
will meet every Tuesday, at 2 o'clock P.M., in Room
No. 9, City Hall.

JOHN W. GUNTZER,
WILLIAM H. McCARTHY,
JOSEPH C. PINCKNEY,
Committee on Street Pavements

F. J. TWOMEY,
Clerk

THE COMMITTEE ON ARTS AND SCIENCES
will meet every Friday, at 2 o'clock P.M., in Room
No. 9, City Hall.

MAGNUS GROSS,
MICHAEL TUOMEY,
JOHN J. MORRIS,
Committee on Arts and Sciences

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY,
Clerk

THE COMMITTEE ON SALARIES AND OFFICES
will meet every Tuesday, at 3 o'clock P.M., in Room
No. 9, City Hall.

WILLIAM L. COLE,
THOMAS SHEILS,
JOSEPH C. PINCKNEY,
Committee on Salaries and Offices

F. J. TWOMEY,
Clerk

THE COMMITTEE ON COUNTY AFFAIRS WILL
meet every Monday, at 1 o'clock P.M., in Room
No. 9, City Hall.

PETER SEERY,
PATRICK KEENAN,
J. W. GUNTZER,
O. P. C. BILLINGS,
HENRY E. HOWLAND,
Committee on County Affairs

THE COMMITTEE ON FERRIES AND DOCK.

Department will meet every Wednesday, at 2 o'clock
P.M., in Room No. 9, City Hall.

MAGNUS GROSS,
MICHAEL TUOMEY,
WILLIAM WADE,
Committee on Ferries and Dock Department.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY,
Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,
300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, November 9, 1876.

TWENTY-SECOND AUCTION SALE OF
UNCLAIMED GOODS.

JACOB SEEBAKER, AUCTIONEER.

THE TWENTY-SECOND AUCTION SALE OF
unclaimed goods will take place Thursday, November
22, 1876, at 10 A.M., at 301 Mott street, Police Head-
quarters, consisting of miscellaneous articles, boats, male
and female clothing, boots, shoes, gold and silver watches,
revolvers, lead, rope, zinc, etc.; also, at same time and
place, a lot of goods to be sold for cartage.

C. A. ST. JOHN,
Property Clerk.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
ROTUNDA, NEW COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, November 16, 1876.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED NOVEMBER 14, 1876.

Regulating and grading Fifth avenue, from Eighty-sixth
street to Mount Morris square.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before
January 10, 1877, will be exempt (according to law)
from interest. After that date interest will be charged at
the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of confirmation.

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

NICHOLAS F. BUTENSCHON,
Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
ROTUNDA, NEW COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, October 20, 1876.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED SEPTEMBER 28, 1876.

One Hundred and Twenty-third street, sewer, between
Sixth and Seventh avenues.

One Hundred and Twenty-third street, sewer, between
Sixth and Seventh avenues, connecting with ends of present
sewers.

Eighth street, basin, northeast corner of Second avenue.

Eighty-second street, regulating, grading, etc., from
Eighth avenue to Boulevard.

Thirty-third street, regulating, grading, etc., from First
avenue to East river.

Mangin street, curbing, guttering, and flagging, west
side, from Stanton to Rivington street.

Thirty-seventh street, flagging, north side, from Third
avenue to Lexington avenue.

Fifty-seventh street, curbing, guttering, and flagging,
from Second to Third avenue.

Sixtieth street, flagging, south side, from Fourth to Fifth
avenue.