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### HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT,  
No. 301 MOTT STREET,  
NEW YORK, June 22, 1875.

The Board of Health met this day.

#### Orders.

593 orders for the abatement of nuisances were made.

#### Suits for Penalties.

The Attorney was directed to commence suits for non-compliance with the orders of the Board in 78 cases.

#### Reports Received.

Weekly reports from the Sanitary Superintendent: On operations of the Sanitary Bureau; contagious diseases; slaughter-houses; operations at receiving-dock; work of the Disinfecting Corps; Riverside Hospital.

Reports: Of work performed by Disinfecting Corps on street dirt dumps and Harlem Flats, with the cost thereof; on application for an increase of appropriation for cleaning Mill Brook; on application for permits; on certain street pavements, etc.; on condition of certain vacant lots; on condition of premises corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fortieth street; on condition of gutter in front of 42 First street; certificates of drainage of certain vacant lots.

From the Register of Records: Weekly Mortuary Report; weekly Letter on Mortality.

#### Communications from City Departments.

From the Police Department: Weekly report of the Sanitary Company of Police.  
From the Finance Department, Comptroller's Office: Weekly report; as to additional clause in vouchers for expenditures; as to indebtedness of Eighth National Bank to the Board of Health.  
From the Department of Public Works: In respect to drainage of lands at Harlem.  
From the Department of Public Parks: On condition of Mill Brook.  
From the Common Council of the City of New York: In respect to the powers of the Common Council in regard to the Departments.

#### Bills Audited.

M. Caun Bros.	\$22 10	J. W. Fiske	\$108 00
Baker, Voorhes & Co.	12 00	H. K. Thurber & Co.	32 32
American Condensed Milk Co.	68 00	Odorless Excavating Co.	400 00
James E. Morris & Co.	130 50		

#### Communications Received.

From Hon. Thomas Cooper Campbell, Chairman of Select Committee of the Assembly, State of New York, in respect to examining books, papers, etc., of this Board.  
From East Side Butchers' Association, on cattle driving.  
From Julian Botts, for permit to remove dead bodies at St. Luke's Church, Hudson street.  
From Drs. George C. Gage and Frederick J. Garbit, for appointment.  
From Drake Brothers, in respect to a new remedy for small-pox and scarlet fever.  
From E. Mouraille, Maria Bernard, and G. W. Irwin, for correction of birth and death records.

#### Reports Referred to other Departments for the necessary action.

To the Fire Department—  
On condition of premises east side of Third avenue, second building north of One Hundred and Fortieth street.

To the Department of Public Works—

On street pavement at east side of Sixth avenue and Fifty-eighth street.  
“ in front of No. 145 East Fifty-fifth street.  
“ at Stanton street, between Pitt and Ridge streets.  
“ at Market street, between Madison and Monroe streets.  
“ at Batavia street, between James and New Chambers streets.  
“ at Fifty-eighth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.  
“ in front of No. 6 Bridge street.  
“ in Thames street, between New Church and Greenwich streets.  
“ in Manhattan street, from East Houston to East Third street.  
On condition of vacant lots, northwest corner of Ninth avenue and One Hundredth street.  
“ at West Ninety-second street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

To the Board of Education—

On condition of gutter in front of No. 42 First street.

#### Permits granted.

To keep six chickens at 500 Grand street.  
“ five cows at south side of Seventieth street, one house north of Tenth avenue.  
“ four pigs at southwest corner of One Hundred and Eighth street and Riverside Park.  
To drive cows from south side of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, near Burke avenue, to Southern Boulevard, near One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street.  
To drive cows from East side of Robbin's avenue, near One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, to east side of Southern Boulevard, near One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street.  
To drive cows from north side of Strong street (One Hundred and Sixty-third street) to east side of Southern Boulevard, near White's Lane.

#### Resolutions.

That a copy of the report of the Sanitary Superintendent, in regard to the plots or parcels of land lying between and bounded by Tenth and Eleventh avenues, One Hundred and Fifty-sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-seventh streets, within the corporate limits of the City and County of New York, be placed on file in this Department, and that said certificate be forwarded to the Department of Public Works, and that said Department be respectfully requested and directed to cause the said plots or parcels to be drained by other means than by sewers, under and by virtue of the provisions of chapter 566 of the Laws of 1866, and chapter 549, Laws of 1875, amendatory thereof.

That a copy of the report of the Sanitary Superintendent, in regard to the plots or parcels of land lying between and bounded by Third and Fifth avenues, One Hundred and Fifth and One Hundred and Ninth streets, within the corporate limits of the City and County of New York, be placed on file in this Department, and that said certificate be forwarded to the Department of Public Works, and that said Department be respectfully requested and directed to cause the said plots or parcels to be drained by other means than by sewers, under and by virtue of the provisions of chapter 566, Laws of 1866, and chapter 549, Laws of 1875, amendatory thereof.

That a copy of the report of the Sanitary Superintendent, in regard to the plots or parcels of land lying between and bounded by Third and Fourth avenues, One Hundred and Third and One Hundred and Fourth streets, within the corporate limits of the City and County of New York, be placed on file in this Department, and that said certificate be forwarded to the Department of Public Works, and that said Department be respectfully requested and directed to cause the said plots or parcels to be drained by other means than by sewers, under and by virtue of the provisions of chapter 566 of the Laws of 1866, and chapter 549, Laws of 1875, amendatory thereof.

### BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS.

#### CONDENSED STATEMENT OF MORTALITY.

REPORTED MORTALITY (week ending June 19, 1875), AND THE ACTUAL MORTALITY (each day in the week, ending at noon, June 12, 1875), WITH AN ENUMERATION OF THE CHIEF CAUSES OF DEATH.

E. HARRIS, M. D., Registrar.

Annual Death rate per 1000 during week (Pop. estimated at 1,040,000).	Deaths in corresponding week, 1874.	Average Deaths in corresponding week for the past 5 years.	Total Actual Mortality during the week ending June 12, 1875.	Actual number of Deaths each day.							CAUSES OF DEATH.	Deaths reported during the week ending June 19, 1875.
				June 12.	June 11.	June 10.	June 9.	June 8.	June 7.	June 6.		
21.80	444	487.0	436	66	67	77	53	54	65	54	Total Deaths from all Causes.	489
7.90	125	151.6	158	26	21	22	19	20	27	23	Total Zymotic Diseases.	174
4.15	94	103.6	83	15	16	14	9	10	11	8	Total Constitutional Diseases.	95
7.25	167	170.0	145	19	21	25	21	19	23	17	Total Local Diseases.	163
1.00	30	30.0	20	4	4	3	2	4	2	1	Total Developmental Diseases.	33
1.50	28	25.8	30	2	5	13	2	1	2	5	Deaths by Violence.	24
1.90	6	15.8	38	5	5	7	4	7	4	6	Small-pox.	33
.20	7	10.6	4	—	2	1	—	—	—	1	Measles.	9
.55	16	21.0	11	1	5	2	1	—	1	1	Scarlatina.	14
2.25	14	9.4	45	7	4	3	8	7	9	7	Diphtheria.	50
.50	6	6.0	10	3	1	—	2	—	4	—	Membranous Croup.	11
.35	6	5.0	7	2	1	—	1	—	1	2	Whooping Cough.	8
—	—	1.2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Typhus Fever.	—
.20	7	4.8	4	—	—	1	1	—	2	—	Typhoid Fever.	3
.15	12	8.0	3	—	1	—	—	1	1	—	Puerperal Diseases.	8
.85	25	36.2	17	4	1	3	1	3	3	2	Under 5 years. } Diarrhoeal Diseases.	24
.85	27	41.8	17	4	1	3	1	3	3	2	All ages. }	26
.15	8	6.0	3	1	1	1	—	—	—	—	Alcoholism.	3
.35	7	7.0	7	2	—	—	—	2	2	1	Cancer.	10
2.60	56	65.2	52	9	11	9	7	7	5	4	Phthisis Pulmonalis.	66
.60	17	15.0	12	—	4	1	—	3	3	1	Bronchitis.	12
1.35	27	27.2	27	5	2	7	4	2	5	2	Pneumonia.	34
1.15	11	15.8	23	4	1	4	5	4	2	3	Heart Diseases.	13
.45	10	12.0	9	—	3	1	1	—	3	1	Marasmus—Tubes Mesenterica and Scrofula.	6
.55	12	13.4	11	3	1	3	1	1	1	1	Hydrocephalus and Tubercular Meningitis.	9
.45	19	16.6	9	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	Meningitis and Encephalitis.	14
.60	14	17.6	12	1	2	1	—	2	4	2	Convulsions.	16
.05	—	0.6	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	Direct Effect of Solar Heat.	1
1.80	51	54.0	36	4	4	6	3	4	10	5	All Diseases of the Brain and Nervous System.	44
.85	18	19.8	17	4	4	3	2	2	1	1	Bright's Disease and Nephritis.	24
.20	3	1.2	4	1	—	2	—	—	—	1	Deaths by Suicide.	1
.25	11	7.0	5	—	1	2	1	—	1	—	Deaths by Drowning.	5
4.90	87	101.4	98	13	13	20	8	17	12	15	Deaths in Institutions.	96
1.20	25	23.6	24	2	1	6	—	5	6	4	All Deaths of Persons 70 years old or more.	21
4.60	123	130.4	92	19	13	9	12	11	15	13	Under 1 year. } Total Deaths in Children.	114
7.05	160	175.6	141	27	21	19	19	14	23	18	Under 2 years. }	156
10.20	207	224.0	204	35	30	31	26	21	36	26	Under 5 years. }	220

That a copy of the report of the Sanitary Superintendent, in regard to the plots or parcels of land lying between and bounded by Fourth and Fifth avenues, Ninety-sixth and One Hundred and Fifth streets, within the corporate limits of the City and County of New York, be placed on file in this Department, and that said Department be respectfully requested and directed to cause the said plots or parcels to be drained by other means than by sewers, under and by virtue of the provisions of chapter 566 of the Laws of 1866, and chapter 549, Laws of 1875, amendatory thereof.

That a copy of the report of the Sanitary Superintendent, in regard to the plots or parcels of land lying between and bounded by Tenth and Eleventh avenues, the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, and the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-first street, and on or near the line of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, west of Eleventh avenue, within the corporate limits of the City and County of New York, be placed on file in this Department, and that said certificate be forwarded to the Department of Public Works, and that said Department be respectfully requested and directed to cause the said plots or parcels to be drained by other means than by sewers, under and by virtue of the provisions of chapter 566, Laws of 1866, and chapter 549, Laws of 1875, amendatory thereof.

That a copy of the report of the Sanitary Superintendent, in regard to the plots or parcels of land lying between and bounded by Third avenue, Harlem river, One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Eighth streets, within the corporate limits of the City and County of New York, be placed on file in this Department, and that said certificate be forwarded to the Department of Public Works, and that said Department be respectfully requested and directed to cause the said plots or parcels to be drained by other means than by sewers, under and by virtue of the provisions of chapter 566 of the Laws of 1866, and chapter 549, Laws of 1875, amendatory thereof.

That the Attorney and Counsel be authorized to discontinue suit against Kane and Ryan upon payment of \$800 in full of penalty and costs.

That the Sanitary Superintendent be authorized to grant temporary permits to drive cattle from the stock yards, on the North river, to the slaughter-houses, on the East river, whenever and during the time that the navigation of the river is impossible on account of fog or ice.

That John H. Mannahan be authorized, under the direction of the Sanitary Superintendent, to



act as Inspector of street dirt and ashes collected by the Street Cleaning Bureau, and to certify to the Board of Police as to such material as may be suitable for filling at Blackwell's Island.

Whereas, A Select Committee of the Assembly, of which Hon. Thomas Cooper Campbell is Chairman, has, under date of June 19, requested permission for its Counsel, Mr. John D. Townsend, to inspect and examine such books and papers of this Department as relate to the subject of investigation; therefore

Resolved, That permission be granted to Mr. John D. Townsend, Counsel to a Select Committee of the Assembly, to inspect and examine the books and papers of this Department, and that the officers of this Department be directed to afford every possible facility for that purpose.

That an additional sum of one hundred and fifty (\$150) dollars be appropriated for cleaning Mill Brook.

Whereas, The efforts of this Board to reduce the amount of small-pox, by sending a large force of Vaccinators into the districts in which the disease prevails, has been successful in preventing such a marked increase of the disease as was dreaded, but has not as yet controlled the epidemic force of the disease;

Resolved, That this Board hereby respectfully request the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for \$2,500, in order to continue the same number of Vaccinators for another month as an absolute necessity for the preservation of the public health.

Resolved, That all persons conducting the business of melting lard, tallow, or other fat, or the manufacture of oil without a permit from this Board, be required to apply for a permit before the first day of July next, or they will be prosecuted for violations of the Sanitary Code.

#### Sanitary Bureau.

The following is a record of the work performed by the Sanitary Bureau for the week ending June 19, 1875. The total number of inspections made by the Inspectors was 2,502, as follows: 2 public buildings, 114 tenement houses, 240 private dwellings, 108 other dwellings, 29 manufactories and workshops, 14 stores and ware-houses, 106 stables, 64 slaughter-houses, 6 fat-rendering establishments, 1 gut-cleaning establishment, 1 stock yard, 6 dumping grounds, 2 lands and places, 3 manure heaps, 58 sunken and vacant lots, 104 yards, courts, and areas, 58 cellars and basements, 80 waste-pipes and drains, 252 privies and water-closets, 76 street gutters and sidewalks, 7 dangerous stairways, 4 cisterns and cesspools, 1 dangerous and smoky chimney, 3 other nuisances, and 130 visits of the Inspectors to cases of contagious diseases.

The number of reports thereon received from the Inspectors was 1,045.

During the past week 97 complaints were received from citizens, and referred to the Inspectors for investigation and report.

80 permits were issued to the consignees of vessels to discharge cargoes, on vouchers from the Health Officer of this Port.

235 permits were granted scavengers to empty, clean, and disinfect privy-sinks.

The Disinfecting Corps have visited 140 premises where contagious diseases were found, and have disinfected and fumigated 120 houses, together with clothing, bedding, etc. They have also disinfected 1,447 privies and water-closets, 106 yards, courts, and areas, 57 cellars and basements, and 94 1/2 miles of street gutters.

88 cases of small-pox were removed to hospital, and 4 dead bodies to the Morgue by the Ambulance Corps.

The following number of cases of contagious diseases were reported during the week ending June 19, 1875: Typhus fever, 1; typhoid fever, 3; scarlet fever, 29; measles, 38; diphtheria, 105; small-pox, 125, and cerebro-spinal meningitis, 3.

8 tanks and 3,987 cans of night-soil were removed by the scavengers from the privy-vaults of the city during the past week.

During the week ending June 19, 1875, the following amount of meat and fish was condemned by the officers as unfit for human food: cattle, 1 carcass; calves, "bob," 3 carcasses; beef, 447 pounds; poultry 284 pounds; and fish, 300 pounds.

#### Bureau of Vital Statistics.

During the week ending June 19, 1875, there were issued from this Bureau 489 burial permits for city deaths, 34 for bodies *in transitu*, and 42 for the interment of still-born infants. There were recorded 489 deaths, 156 marriages, 393 births, 42 still-births, 34 applications for transit permits, and 65 returns from Coroners. There were 37 searches of the registers of births, marriages, and deaths, and 10 transcripts of birth-record, 1 of marriage, and 29 of death were issued from this Bureau. 1 case of death was referred to the Coroners.

By order of the Board,

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 19th day of June, 1875.

Present—Messrs. Matsell, Disbecker, Voorhis, and Smith, Commissioners.

On motion of Commissioner Voorhis, the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, It appears by the daily press that at a recent session of a Select Committee of the New York State Assembly, held in this city, of which Hon. T. C. Campbell is chairman, that one W. A. Martinot, formerly connected with the Police Department of this city, testified before said Committee in effect that a certain Captain of Police, viz., Henry Burden, did, while in command of the Twenty-ninth Precinct, and in violation of the rules of the Police Department, knowingly permit various illegal, immoral, and disreputable houses and establishments to exist in said Precinct, for which permission various sums of money were paid to and received by said Captain Burden; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Police be and hereby is directed to institute a thorough investigation into the circumstances and allegations as set forth in the testimony of the said Martinot, and to that end he is to make application to said Committee for a copy of said testimony, and also to make diligent effort to obtain further and corroborative evidence of the truth of said allegations from any person or number of persons he may be informed of or has reason to believe is knowing thereto.

Resolved, That, upon the receipt of such testimony and information, the Superintendent shall lay a copy thereof before the Board of Police for its consideration, unless, in the opinion of the Superintendent, the evidence obtained should be sufficient for the preferment of charges against said Captain, or any other member of the Police Department, in which event he is hereby directed to prefer charges against said Captain Burden, or other officer or officers that may appear to have been guilty of a violation of the rules of the Police Department.

Commissioner Disbecker gave notice that he would introduce a resolution at the next meeting of the Board, directing a more general inquiry into the same subject.

Communication from John D. Townsend, Counsel to Assembly Committee, asking leave to examine certain records, was received, and, on motion, the request was granted.

#### Street Cleaning.

On motion of Commissioner Disbecker, the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, it is provided by a law passed during the last session of the Legislature, that—

"§ 3. The various scows employed by the cities of New York and Brooklyn, or by the contractors, for removing ashes, garbage, and refuse of said cities, while moored at the various dumping boards of said cities, are hereby designated and required to receive directly any and all ashes and garbage or rubbish from any steam tug or steam vessel in the harbor of New York, and, in addition to the foregoing provisions, two or more scows shall be located at one or more of the said dumping boards on the East and North rivers respectively, or at such other points as the Commissioners of Pilots may direct, for the special use of boats and vessels wishing to discharge ashes, garbage, or rubbish; and the ashes, garbage, or rubbish received by all of the said scows shall be disposed of as part of the refuse of, and at the expense of, said cities;" and

Whereas, Requisition has been made on the Police Department by the Commissioners of Pilots to place two scows in the Harbor of New York—one at the sand spit shoal off Governor's Island, on the East river; the other in the North river, on the Communipaw Flats, each scow to be provided with night-signals and lanterns, and a watchman; and

Whereas, The Police Department has no funds appropriated which can be lawfully expended to defray the expense of keeping and maintaining scows in conformity to the above requisition; therefore,

Resolved, That in view of the said requisition, made on the Police Department by the Commissioners of Pilots, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and they are hereby respectfully requested to appropriate and set apart from the unexpended balance of the appropriation for cleaning the streets for the year 1874 the sum of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000), to be used and expended for the purpose set forth in section 3 of chapter 148 of the Laws of 1875.

Resolved, That a copy of the foregoing preamble and resolution be transmitted immediately to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

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

James Gorton..... \$10 40 | Gardner Smith..... \$8 00  
John Moonan..... 122 61 | L. L. Squires' Sons..... 226 35

Commissioner Disbecker presented forms of specifications for furnishing scows to receive street cleaning materials, to be located at One Hundred and Sixth street, East river, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, North river, and Port Morris, with a form of advertisement for proposals, which were approved, and the notice ordered to be published in the CITY RECORD.

On recommendation of the Committee on Street Cleaning, it was Resolved, That the resignation of Joseph Mentana, Captain of tug "Wm. Parks," be and is hereby accepted.

Resolved, That such carts as are designated for the collection and removal of garbage be painted yellow, with the word "Garbage," conspicuously painted on each.

Resolved, That the following named steamers be granted permission to dump ashes, etc., on the scows:

M. A. Lenox,  
James Watt,  
J. G. Neafie,  
R. S. Carter,

E. M. Barrett,  
Thos. Shortland,  
Gen'l F. Sigel,  
A. T. Hamill.

The Committee on Street Cleaning reported that the Board of Health had been notified, through Dr. Day, in regard to sending an Inspector to examine the scows sent to the Commissioners of Charities and Correction at Blackwell's Island.

The Committee also reported a conference with George W. Blunt in regard to a new style of scows; whereupon, it was

Resolved, That Mr. Blunt be requested to express his views in writing.

A report of Deputy Inspector John Z. O'Brien, relative to taking material to sea in scows, presented by the Committee on Street Cleaning, was ordered on file.

Adjourned.

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

The Board of Police met on the 22d day of June, 1875.

Present—Messrs. Matsell, Disbecker, Voorhis, and Smith, Commissioners.

#### Leaves of Absence Granted.

Precinct.	Days.	Precinct.	Days.
Captain..... John J. Ward.....	22	1	
Sergeant..... Myron Allen.....	15	10	
"..... Wm. H. Leferts.....	San. Co. 1		
Precinct. Without Pay.			
Roundsman..... J. A. Brookheim.....	11	1/2	
"..... Thomas Mangin.....	33	1/2	
Patrolman..... Wm. W. Morse.....	16	3	
"..... Henry O. Corbett.....	21	1	
"..... James Tyrell.....	27	1	
"..... Thomas Hill.....	29	1	
"..... Jacob R. Wilkens.....	33	1	
"..... Wm. B. Nixon.....	San. Co. 1		
Precinct.			
"..... James P. Quinn.....	1	1/2	
"..... John McCabe.....	2	1/2	
"..... Jacob Rever.....	9	1/2	
"..... Simon Martin.....	10	1/2	
Patrolman..... James Van Ranst.....	10	1/2	
"..... Patrick Ginley.....	11	1/2	
"..... Daniel McInerney.....	12	1/2	
"..... Bartholomew Shine.....	14	1/2	
"..... John Gallagher.....	18	1/2	
"..... Patrick Dolan.....	18	1/2	
"..... J. B. McLaughlin.....	18	1/2	
"..... Peter Harding.....	18	1/2	
"..... Edward McMahon.....	19	1/2	
"..... John O'Rourke.....	19	1/2	
"..... N. B. Abbott, Jr.....	19	1/2	
"..... Wm. A. C. Nevins.....	23	1/2	
"..... Joseph Nobles.....	26	1/2	
"..... John Kelly.....	29	1/2	
"..... William Cahill.....	31	1/2	
Doorman..... Michael Killilea.....	16	1/2	

#### Parades Allowed.

Nathan & Co.'s Circus, June 21. Parade.	Journeymen Horseshoers' Association, June 22. Funeral.
"..... June 22. Parade.	William Tell Lodge No. 33, June 21. Pic-nic.
Silestian Lodge No. 2, F. and A. M., June 22. Parade.	Kaiser Wilhelm Lodge, G. O., June 21. Pic-nic.
Lexington Council, O. U. A. M., June 20. Funeral.	Germania Order, June 21. Pic-nic.
Silestian Lodge No. 198, F. and A. M., June 20. Funeral.	Madison Avenue Baptist Sunday-school, June 22. Pic-nic.
Jerry Lodge, I. O. O. F., June 22. Funeral.	Alanson M. E.
St. Columbus Temperance Association, June 22. Funeral.	Young Salamander Guards, June 21. Target excursion.

An application of Patrolman Joseph Cottrell, Twenty-second Precinct, to receive \$25 as a reward for the recovery of a buggy, was referred to the Committee on Rules and Discipline.

Communication from the Comptroller, asking the Board of Police to furnish an official statement of the claim of the Police Department against the Eighth National Bank, was referred to the Treasurer; whereupon the Treasurer submitted the following report, which was ordered on file, and a copy ordered to be transmitted to the Comptroller:

TREASURER'S OFFICE, POLICE DEPARTMENT,  
CITY OF NEW YORK, June 19, 1875.

To the Board of Police:

GENTLEMEN—I herewith hand you a statement showing the amount of indebtedness to the Board of Police of the Eighth National Bank, at the time of the failure of said Bank, and the payments received (dividends) from the Receiver of said Bank on account of said indebtedness.

Respectfully,  
JOHN R. VOORHIS, Treasurer.

Per GEO. P. GOTT, Book-keeper.

The Eighth National Bank of the City of New York, to the Board of Police,			Dr.
December 13, 1871.. To cash balance in bank at time of failure.....		\$30,432	33
March 28, 1872.. By cash, first dividend, 25 per cent.....	\$7,608	08	
June 26, 1872.. By cash, second dividend, 25 per cent.....	7,608	08	
March 22, 1873.. By cash, third dividend, 10 per cent.....	3,043	23	
		18,259	39
To balance.....		\$12,172	94

An application of Daniel Cashman, for appointment as Doorman, was ordered on file.

Petition of Ellen Murphy (widow of Thomas Murphy, ex-Patrolman, of Morrisania), for compensation for her husband's services, was, on motion of Commissioner Smith, referred to the Counsel of the Board for report.

On motion of Commissioner Voorhis, it was

Resolved, That the materials named in the following schedule be sold at public auction by the Property Clerk:

1 lot of old iron.	1 lot of bedsteads.
2 washstands.	1 " iron railing.
1 lot letter press.	1 glasscase.
1 " lead.	5 iron doors.
1 " old matting.	1 small desk.

An application of Patrolman William Bendon, Twentieth Precinct, for transfer, was referred to the Committee on Rules and Discipline.

The following applications for promotion were referred to the Committee on Rules and Discipline:

Precinct.	Precinct.
Patrolman..... Edward Pertel.....	23
Patrolman..... William T. Coffey.....	20

A report of Superintendent Crowley, relative to telegraphic connection between the Mechanics' Bank and First Precinct Station-house, was referred to the Committee on Rules and Discipline, on motion of Commissioner Smith.

On motion of Commissioner Voorhis, it was

Resolved, That D. B. Hasbrouck, Chief of the Bureau of Elections, be granted leave of absence for one week.

Report of Captain Bennett, relative to property in Thirty-fourth Precinct Station-house of a combustible and dangerous nature, owned by Raymond Cahue, and a letter from District Attorney Phelps in relation thereto, was, on motion of Commissioner Voorhis, referred to the President, with power to order that the property be delivered to the owner.

Communication from the Board of Aldermen, being preamble and resolution, empowering its members to visit all Departments and public places, was ordered on file, on motion of Commissioner Disbecker.

Report of Surgeon Felter on the condition of Patrolman Bernard Falconer, Thirty-fifth Precinct, was ordered on file.

On hearing the report of the Finance Committee, it was

Resolved, That the following bills be ordered paid—all voting aye:

Arnold, Constable & Co., tablecloths, Twenty-fourth Precinct.....	\$29 85	Joseph R. Swain, printing.....	\$4 00
H. & C. Clark, lumber, Thirty-fourth Precinct.....	18 55	W. H. Schieffelin & Co., liniment, Thirty-second Precinct.....	8 37
F. W. Devoe & Co., oil, Twenty-seventh Precinct.....	1 50	Jas. C. Talcott, feed, Thirty-second Precinct.....	171 50
L. G. Goulding, directories.....	250 00	D. C. Westervelt, repairs, Seventeenth Precinct.....	9 37
Kingsland & Co., pens.....	2 00	D. C. Westervelt, repairs, Ninth Precinct.....	18 98
Kingsland & Co., roll-board, Fourth Precinct.....	4 75	".....	54 97
Kingsland & Co., printing.....	3 50	D. C. Westervelt, repairs, Seventeenth Precinct.....	12 59
"..... binding.....	8 00	Joseph R. Wheeler, painting.....	5 00
"..... blanks.....	11 75	Mary Webb, prisoners' meals.....	23 40
"..... pens.....	20 00	J. Zeigler & Co., drawer pulls.....	3 50
"..... erasers.....	3 25		



On motion of Commissioner Disbecker, the following preamble and resolutions were adopted :

Whereas, By the Charter of the City of New York it is enacted that members of the Police Force are removable only after charges shall have been preferred against them, and after charges have been publicly examined into, upon such reasonable notice to the person charged, and in such manner of examination as the rules and regulations of the Police Board may prescribe ; and

Whereas, Allegations have been made in reference to the action or conduct of some members of the Police Force, which, if sustained by proper testimony, it would be the duty of this Board, upon conviction, to impose the penalty of dismissal from the Force ; and

Whereas, It is proper that all such allegations should be thoroughly investigated, and the truth in reference thereto ascertained, to the end that the efficiency of the Force may be maintained, and the public interests preserved ; therefore

Resolved, That the Counsel of this Board, in conjunction with the Chief Clerk, be and they are hereby directed and required forthwith to investigate into the truth or falsity of all allegations, complaints, or charges which have been or may be made in reference to the action or conduct of any member of the Force, and if, in their judgment, the acts charged warrant such a course, to prefer charges against any member of the Force whose conduct or action would justify this Board in imposing a penalty of dismissal from the Force.

Resolved, That where any allegation, complaint, or charge has been or may be made as to the past action or conduct of any member of the Force, and which, upon investigation, the Counsel to the Board and Chief Clerk have not made the basis of charges against the member of the Force complained of, it shall be the duty of said Counsel and Chief Clerk, and they are hereby directed and required, to report to this Board, in writing, the particular allegation, complaint, or charge made, and the facts in reference thereto, with their reasons for no action being taken by them against such member upon charges—such report to be accompanied by the testimony elicited upon the investigation made by them.

Resolved, That the Superintendent be and he is hereby required to co-operate with and give every aid and assistance in his power to the Counsel of the Board and the Chief Clerk in prosecuting the investigation hereby directed.

Commissioner Disbecker submitted the draft of a new rule (No. 24), relative to complaints against members of the Force, which was referred to the Committee on Rules and Discipline.

#### Street Cleaning.

Communication from E. S. Mellon, asking the use of dumping board foot of Laight street, and a communication from the Department of Docks relative thereto, were referred to the Committee on Street Cleaning.

On hearing the report of the Finance Committee, it was

Resolved, That the following bills be ordered paid—all voting aye :

James Gorton, pump repairs.....	\$10 40	Gardner Smith, liniment.....	\$8 00
John Moonan, feed.....	122 61	L. L. Squire's Sons, rope.....	226 35

Adjourned.

S. C. HAWLEY,  
Chief Clerk.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DAILY MEETINGS, June 14 to 19, 1875.

Present—Commissioners Bailey, Brennan, and Cox.

#### Communications Received.

From Penitentiary—Reporting number of prisoners received during week ending June 12, 1875—males 44, females 9. Ordered on file.

From Lunatic Asylum—Reporting history of fourteen patients received during week ending June 12, 1875. Referred to Examining Clerk.

From N. Y. City Asylum for Insane—Reporting history of seventeen patients received during week ending June 12, 1875. Referred to Examining Clerk.

From Austin Flint, M. D.—Transmitting communication in relation to establishing at Charity Hospital a school for nurses as per resolution adopted May 27, 1875. Ordered to be printed.

From Assistant Counsel to the Corporation, transmitting copy of letter to be sent to Adam Norrie, President Board of Trustees of N. Y. Dispensary, on the lease of building corner of White and Centre streets, as a "Reception Hospital." Forwarded.

From Fire Department, transmitting resolution adopted June 17, directing Chief of Department to designate a light Steam Fire Engine, fully equipped, for service on Blackwell's Island.

#### Resolutions.

Resolved, That proposals be invited by public advertisement in the CITY RECORD for 10,000 tons of coal, for use of the Department. Adopted.

Resolved, That Warden Dunphy, of Hart's Island, be notified that boys marked for School Ship are to be sent on board as soon as properly quarantined and examined. Adopted.

By Commissioner Brennan—

Resolved, That Dr. Alpheus B. Crosby be and is hereby appointed Attending Physician to Bellevue Hospital, to fill vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Dr. Isaac E. Taylor. Adopted.

By Commissioner Brennan—

Resolved, That Dr. John P. White be and is hereby appointed Attending Physician to Department of Children at Bellevue Hospital, to fill vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Dr. Gouverneur M. Smith. Adopted.

By Commissioner Brennan—

Resolved, That the Secretary of Medical Board of Charity Hospital be requested to call a special meeting for Friday, June 18, to nominate candidates at that meeting to fill vacancy occasioned by the resignation of John P. White, M. D. Adopted.

Resolved, That proposals be invited by public advertisement in CITY RECORD for 200 bushels peas ; 2 gross bowls ; 2 gross mugs ; 2 gross chambers ; 20 pieces Royal Navy Duck ; 200 dozen scrub brushes ; 200 pounds linen thread, \$40 ; 200 bags coarse meal. Adopted.

#### Appointments.

June 14.—Theodore B. Sage, Apothecary, Randall's Island.

John Morton, Keeper City Prison.

" 15.—William A. Colburn, Attendant N. Y. City Asylum for Insane.

John Clarker, Keeper, Hart's Island.

" 16.—John Kerr, Clerk, Bellevue Hospital.

" 17.—Philip McCourt, Attendant N. Y. City Asylum for Insane.

#### Removals.

June 15.—James Barrett, Attendant N. Y. City Asylum for Insane.

" 16.—D. W. Norris, Clerk Bellevue Hospital.

JOSHUA PHILLIPS, Secretary.

## LAWS OF THE STATE RELATING TO THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

### Chapter 609.

AN ACT to authorize a recovery at law for repairs heretofore made to the pavement of Broadway, in the City of New York.

(Passed June 21, 1875 ; three-fifths being present.)

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows :

SECTION 1. The plaintiff in the action now pending in the Supreme Court of this State against the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the expense of repairing the pavement of Broadway in the said city, from Fourteenth street to the Bowling Green, may prosecute the same and recover judgment therein ; provided the court and jury are satisfied that in equity said plaintiff ought to be entitled to recover judgment therein, notwithstanding an appropriation had not been made for such work, or the expense thereof, and the necessity thereof had not been certified by any department of the city government, and the expenditure authorized by the Common Council, and public notice inviting proposals for the performance of the work had not been given or published, and proposals were not received or contract made therefor ; provided that he shall prove upon the trial of the action that the work was directed to be done by the head of the department charged with the supervision of such work, that it was necessary to be done immediately in consequence of the

omission of the commissioners appointed by chapter eight hundred and sixty-seven of the laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-six, entitled "An act to provide for improving the pavement of Broadway, in the City of New York, between the Battery and Fourteenth street," to commence work under the said act ; that he shall only recover for the value of the repairs proved to have been actually made, with interest, and that the principal sum recovered by him shall not exceed twelve thousand three hundred and seventeen dollars and twenty-five cents.

§ 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

### Chapter 631.

AN ACT to amend chapter seven hundred and fifty-seven of the Laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-three, entitled "An act to amend chapter three hundred and thirty-five of the Laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-three, entitled 'An act to reorganize the local government of the City of New York,' " passed April thirteenth, eighteen hundred and seventy-three.

(Passed June 21, 1875 ; three-fifths being present.)

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows :

SECTION 1. Section nineteen of chapter seven hundred and fifty-seven of the Laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-three, entitled "An act to amend chapter three hundred and thirty-five of the Laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-three, entitled 'An act to reorganize the local government of the City of New York,' " passed April thirteenth, eighteen hundred and seventy-three, is hereby amended, so as to read as follows :

§ 19. Section one hundred and eleven of the said chapter is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof the following : Nothing herein contained shall apply to any printing or supplies of stationery for the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, where by the concurrent vote of the Mayor, Counsel to the Corporation, and the Commissioner of Public Works, it shall be decided to have such printing done, or such stationery furnished, without contract, let after advertisement for bids or proposals ; but in such cases such printing shall be done and such stationery procured in the manner and on such terms and conditions as the said officers shall deem to be for the best interests of the city.

§ 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

## DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS,  
NEW YORK, June 21, 1875.

The following comprises the operations of the Department of Buildings for the week ending June 19, 1875.

W. W. ADAMS,  
Superintendent of Buildings.

### BUREAU OF INSPECTION OF BUILDINGS.

#### New Buildings.

No. of plans and specifications filed, etc. ....	13
No. of buildings embraced in same.....	15
Classified, as follows :	
First-class dwellings.....	1
Second-class dwellings.....	1
French flats.....	1
Tenement houses.....	6
Hotels and boarding-houses.....	1
First-class stores.....	1
Second-class stores.....	1
Third-class stores.....	1
Office buildings.....	1
Manufactories and workshops.....	1
School-houses.....	1
Churches.....	1
Public buildings.....	1
Stables.....	4
Frame buildings (in upper districts).....	1
Total.....	15

Plans passed upon, including those previously filed.....	24
Approved.....	19
Amended and approved.....	2
Disapproved.....	1
Pending.....	3
Total.....	24

#### Altered Buildings.

No. of plans and specifications filed.....	21
No. of buildings embraced in same.....	21
Classified, as follows :	
First-class dwellings.....	2
Second-class dwellings.....	8
French flats.....	1
Tenement houses.....	4
Hotels and boarding-houses.....	2
First-class stores.....	1
Second-class stores.....	1
Third-class stores.....	1
Office buildings.....	1
Manufactories and workshops.....	1
School-houses.....	1
Churches.....	1
Public buildings.....	1
Stables.....	1
Frame buildings.....	3
Total.....	21

Buildings examined and plans relating thereto passed upon, including those previously filed.....	30
Approved.....	16
Amended and approved.....	3
Disapproved.....	1
Pending.....	10
Total.....	30

#### Special Applications.

Number filed and examinations made.....	29
Approved.....	13
Disapproved.....	5
Pending.....	11
Total.....	29

Respectfully submitted,  
ROBERT MCGINNIS,  
Chief of Bureau.

## BUREAU OF VIOLATIONS AND APPLICATIONS.

Operations for the week ending June 19, 1875 :

Complaints received from outside sources.....	14
Violations of the law reported.....	8
"    "    removed.....	15
Unsafe buildings reported.....	33
"    "    made safe.....	33
"    "    taken down.....	1
Surveys held on unsafe buildings.....	1
Violation cases sent to the attorney for prosecution.....	0
Unsafe building cases sent to the attorney for prosecution.....	0
Violation notices served.....	14
Unsafe building notices served.....	67
Buildings surveyed as to general condition.....	0
Total.....	33

The classification of the unsafe buildings reported is as follows :

Unsafe walls.....	21
"    chimneys.....	7
"    balconies.....	2
"    generally.....	1
"    balustrade.....	1
"    beams.....	1
Total.....	33

Respectfully submitted,  
ANDREW OWENS,  
Chief of Bureau.

## BUREAU OF FIRE-ESCAPES AND IRON WORK.

Operations for the week ending June 19, 1875 :

Buildings reported for fire-escapes.....	34
Fire-escapes provided.....	83
Arch girders tested (approved).....	18
"    (not approved).....	1
Iron beams tested (approved).....	26
"    (not approved).....	1
Iron lintels tested (approved).....	6
"    (not approved).....	1
Notices for fire-escapes served.....	50
Cases sent to the attorney for prosecution.....	7
Total.....	200

Respectfully submitted,  
CHAS. K. HYDE,  
Chief of Bureau.

## APPROVED PAPERS.

Ordinances, Resolutions, etc., approved by the Mayor during the week ending June 19, 1875.

Resolved, That Samuel Eckstein be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of J. Percival Mickelbacher, who failed to qualify.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 10, 1875.

Approved by the Mayor, June 14, 1875.

Resolved, That Edwin D. Conover be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Charles A. Stadler, whose term of office has expired.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 10, 1875.

Approved by the Mayor, June 14, 1875.

Resolved, That John G. Burrough and Richard B. Tunstall be and are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in the places respectively of Francis J. Twomey and Andrew J. Smith, who have failed to qualify.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 10, 1875.

Approved by the Mayor, June 14, 1875.







## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF  
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,  
NEW YORK, June 17, 1875.

### PROPOSALS FOR 10,000 TONS OF COAL.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS above, will be received from Producers, by the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, until 10 o'clock A. M., of the 30th day of June, 1875, at which time they will be publicly opened, for furnishing and delivering 10,000 tons of white ash coal of the best quality, to be well screened, and in good order and each ton to consist of 2,240 pounds. None other will be accepted. All of said coal to be delivered in about the following sizes and quantities, free of all expenses, at the following places, during the months of July and August, 1875, in such quantities as may be called for:

- At Blackwell's Island—  
3,280 tons grate size.  
250 tons stove size.  
1,000 tons grate size, "for steamboats."
- At Ward's Island—  
1,650 tons grate size.
- At Randall's Island—  
330 tons egg size.  
120 tons stove size.  
600 tons grate size.  
560 tons nut size.
- At Hart's Island—  
280 tons grate size.
- At foot of Twenty-sixth street, East river, for Bellevue Hospital—  
1,350 tons grate size.
- For Steamboats—  
296 tons grate size.
- At Tombs—  
100 tons egg size.
- At Essex street, Third District Prison—  
39 tons egg size.
- At Fifty-seventh street, Fourth District Prison—  
25 tons egg size.
- At Harlem, Fifth District Prison—  
25 tons egg size.
- At Third avenue and Eleventh street—  
50 tons egg size.
- At Park Hospital—  
25 tons egg size.
- At Ninety-ninth street Hospital—  
20 tons egg size.

Proposals to state the particular description of coal to be delivered as known in the market, from what mine produced, and all particulars, to enable the Board to arrive at a proper decision.

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

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

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF  
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,  
NEW YORK, June 12, 1875.

### SCHOOL FOR NURSES.

THE COMMISSIONERS OF PUBLIC CHARITIES and Correction purpose opening a School for Nurses, at Charity Hospital, on the first day of August next. It is their design to offer to worthy young women, between the ages of twenty and thirty-five, the opportunity to acquire proficiency in a pursuit, which is at once honorable, useful, and remunerative, by educating them in the profession of Nursing. Every effort will be made to elevate the occupation, by a course of careful instruction from competent teachers, and by considerate and generous treatment of the pupils. The course of training will occupy two years, and will embrace lectures upon nursing, food, ventilation, midwifery, and all subjects connected with nursing.

The lectures will be given by Physicians connected with the Hospital, and will include a course of twelve lectures upon each subject every six months, and frequent instruction at the bedside.

At the expiration of two years the Nurses will be examined by a Committee of Physicians, and those who are competent and qualified will receive diploma, signed by the Commissioners of Charities and Correction and the Examining Committee.

Applications, stating name in full, age, and names of Clergyman and Family Physician, should be addressed to

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,  
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF  
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, June 3, 1875.

THE COMMISSIONERS WISH TO APPRENTICE the boys and girls under their charge, of all ages under 18, to reputable parties from whom they will be sure of kind treatment and suitable employment.

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,  
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF  
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH STREET,  
NEW YORK, June 23, 1875.

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, June 21, 1875, from 357 West Forty-sixth street—Unknown man; age about 35 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; brown hair; red moustache. Had on brown frock coat, with velvet collar, black vest, hickory shirt, dark tweed pants, brogan shoes, black felt hat. No effects found on his person.

By Order,  
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,  
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF  
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,  
NEW YORK, June 14, 1875.

### PROPOSALS FOR DRY GOODS, TEA, SOAP, ETC.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS above, will be received by the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, until 10 o'clock A. M. of the 26th day of June, 1875, at which time they will be publicly opened, for furnishing and delivering at the foot of East Twenty-sixth street, free of all expense to the Department:

- 10 pieces White Flannel,
- 10 pieces White Linen.
- 5 pieces Burlaps.
- 5,000 pounds Oolong Tea.
- 30,000 pounds Hard Soap.
- 250 dozen Women's Cotton Hose.
- 250 dozen Men's Woolen Socks.

Samples of the above can be seen at this office.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF  
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,  
NEW YORK, June 17, 1875.

### PROPOSALS FOR DRY GOODS, CROCKERY, PEAS, MEAL.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS above, will be received by the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, until 10 o'clock A. M., of the 30th day of June, 1875, at which time they will be publicly opened, for furnishing and delivering at the foot of East Twenty-sixth street, free of all expense to the Department:

- 20 pieces Royal Navy Duck.
- 200 pounds Linen Thread No. 40.
- 2 gross Bowls.
- 2 gross Mugs.
- 1 gross Chambers.
- 200 dozen Scrub Brushes.
- 200 bushels Canada Peas.
- 200 bags Coarse Meal.

Samples of the above can be seen at this office.

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF  
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH STREET,  
NEW YORK, June 19, 1875.

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 No. 2 North river, unknown woman; age about 25 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; brown hair, and eyes. Had on morning wrapper, white chemise with pleated bosom, white and brown striped petticoat, white cotton flannel drawers, black morocco buttoned shoes. No effects found on her person.

Unknown man from foot of Sixth street, East river; age about 35 years; 5 feet 10 inches high, light brown hair, mixed with gray, light brown moustache and imperial. Body naked with exception of dark gray cross-barred shirt. No effects found on his person.

Unknown man from foot of Thirty-fourth street, East river; body about 2 months in water; 5 feet 8 inches high. Had on black frock coat, dark striped vest and pants, calico shirt with dark dots, white knit undershirt and drawers, white cotton socks, elastic gaiters. On his person was found silver watch (open face), brass chain, 87 cents, knife, pocketbook found on his person.

By Order,  
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,  
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF  
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
COR. OF THIRD AVE. AND ELEVENTH ST.,  
NEW YORK, June 21, 1875.

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—Mary Brown, admitted April 12, 1875, aged 46 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; gray eyes; brown hair and gray hair. No effects found on her person.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Catharine Shea, transferred from Charity Hospital June 21, 1875; age 30 years; 5 feet 3 inches high; blue eyes, black hair. No effects found on her person.

By Order,  
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,  
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF  
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,  
NEW YORK, June 16, 1875.

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 Penitentiary Hospital, Blackwell's Island, June 15, 1875—Julia Devoe, age 20 years. She has no relatives or friends.

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, June 15, 1875—From off Blackwell's Island, unknown man, about 50 years of age, 5 feet 9 inches high. Had on black frock coat, with raised stripes; dark corded vest; black diagonal corded pants; white bosom shirt; gray knit undershirt; blue cotton socks, with white tops and toes; elastic side shoes. On his person was found pocket-book and 73 cents. Body appeared to have been in water about four weeks.

By Order,  
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,  
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF  
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,  
NEW YORK, June 14, 1875.

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 New York City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island June 10, 1875—Neil Paulson; age 43 years; 5 feet 10 inches high; gray hair and eyes. Had on gray mixed pants, white shirt. This patient was transferred from Emigration Department, July 1, 1874. There has been no person to visit him, nor could any information be obtained of his friends or relatives. No effects found on his person.

By Order,  
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,  
Secretary.

## LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

OFFICE CLERK OF THE COMMON COUNCIL,  
No. 8 CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, June 14, 1875.

THE STATED SESSIONS OF THE BOARD OF Aldermen will be held in their Chamber, room No. 15, City Hall, on Thursday of each week, at 2 o'clock, P. M.

SAMUEL A. LEWIS,  
President.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY,  
Clerk.

OFFICE CLERK OF COMMON COUNCIL,  
No. 8 CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, January 2, 1875.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE COMPTROLLER, the Commissioner of Public Works, the Corporation Counsel, and the President of each Department of the City Government, pursuant to the provisions of section 5 of chapter 335, Laws of 1873, that the Board of Aldermen have designated Thursday of each week, at 2 o'clock P. M., as the time for holding the regular meetings of the Board.

The Board meets in Room No. 15, City Hall.  
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY,  
Clerk.

OFFICE CLERK OF THE COMMON COUNCIL,  
No. 8 CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, January 20, 1875.

NOTICE.—THE COMMITTEE ON STREET Pavements of the Board of Aldermen will meet hereafter every Wednesday, at 2 o'clock P. M., in Room No. 9, City Hall, for the consideration of such subjects as may have been referred to the Committee.

PETER SEERY,  
WM. H. MCCARTHY,  
CHESTER H. SOUTHWORTH,  
Committee on Street Pavements.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY,  
Clerk.

OFFICE CLERK OF THE COMMON COUNCIL,  
No. 8 CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, April 6, 1875.

THE COMMITTEE ON RAILROADS OF THE Board of Aldermen will meet every Tuesday, at 2 P. M., in room No. 9, City Hall, for the consideration of such subjects as may have been referred for its action.

ANDREW BLESSING,  
J. WILLIAM GUNTZER,  
HENRY E. HOWLAND,  
Committee on Railroads.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY,  
Clerk.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN,  
NEW YORK, February 4, 1875.

THE COMMITTEE ON FERRIES WILL MEET every Monday, at No. 9, City Hall, at 2 o'clock, for the consideration of all subjects referred to the consideration of the Committee.

ROBERT POWER,  
JOHN REILLY,  
HENRY E. HOWLAND,  
Committee on Ferries.

F. J. TWOMEY,  
Clerk.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN,  
NEW YORK, February 27, 1875.

THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE WILL MEET hereafter every Wednesday, at 3 o'clock P. M., at No. 9 City Hall, for the transaction of such public business as may be referred to the Committee.

MAGNUS GROSS,  
W. L. COLE,  
PATRICK LYSAGHT,  
S. B. H. VANCE,  
JOHN J. MORRIS,  
Committee on Finance.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY,  
Clerk.

NOTICE.—THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC Works of the Board of Aldermen will meet every Monday, at 3 P. M., in Room No. 9, City Hall, for the consideration of such subjects as may have been referred for its action.

JOHN REILLY,  
EDWARD L. SHANDLEY,  
JOHN J. MORRIS,  
Committee on Public Works.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY,  
Clerk.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN,  
NEW YORK, January 30, 1875.

THE COMMITTEE ON STREETS OF THE Board of Aldermen will meet every Monday, at 2 o'clock, P. M., at No. 9 City Hall, for the transaction of such business as may be referred to the Committee.

J. W. GUNTZER,  
PATRICK LYSAGHT,  
S. N. SIMONSON,  
Committee on Streets.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY,  
Clerk.

## THE CITY RECORD.

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

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,  
ROTUNDA, NEW COURT-HOUSE,  
NEW YORK, June 7, 1875.

### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS

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

CONFIRMED JUNE 2, 1875.

Paving Eighty-eighth street, between Third and Fourth avenues, with Belgian pavement.

Sewer in Avenue B, between Eighty-sixth and Eighty-seventh streets, with branch in Eighty-seventh street.

Sewer in Thirteenth avenue, between Gansevoort and Bloomfield streets, with branches in Bloomfield and Bogart streets.

Regulating, grading, curb, gutter, and flagging One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, from Fifth to Eighth avenue.

Flagging sidewalks on north side of Forty-third street, from First to Second avenue.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before August 6, 1875, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of confirmation.

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

SPENCER KIRBY,  
Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,  
ROTUNDA, COURT-HOUSE,  
NEW YORK, May 11, 1875.

### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED APRIL 22, 1875.

Outlet sewer in Ninety-sixth street, between Tenth avenue and Hudson river.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before July 10, 1875, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of confirmation.

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

SPENCER KIRBY,  
Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,  
ROTUNDA, COURT-HOUSE,  
NEW YORK, June 1, 1875.

### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED MAY 21, 1875.

Sewer in Fortieth street, between First and Second avenues.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before July 31, 1875, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of confirmation.

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

SPENCER KIRBY,  
Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,  
ROTUNDA, COURT-HOUSE,  
NEW YORK, May 8, 1875.

### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED APRIL 22, 1875.

Paving First avenue, from Sixty-first to Ninety-second street, with Belgian pavement.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before July 8, 1875, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of confirmation.

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

SPENCER KIRBY,  
Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,  
ROTUNDA, COURT-HOUSE,  
NEW YORK, May 3, 1875.

### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED MARCH 26, 1875.

Outlet sewer in Seventeenth street, from Hudson river to and through Eleventh avenue and Twenty-third street to near Tenth avenue, and Seventeenth street, from Eleventh avenue to and through Tenth avenue to Fourteenth street, with branches.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before July 8, 1875, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of confirmation.

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

SPENCER KIRBY,  
Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,  
ROTUNDA, COURT-HOUSE,  
NEW YORK, May 3, 1875.

### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED APRIL 22, 1875.

Sewer in Attorney street, between Grand and Broome streets.

Basin on the northwest corner of One Hundred and Sixteenth street and St. Nicholas avenue.

Flagging sidewalks on south side of One Hundred and Twenty-first street, between First avenue and Avenue A.

Paving Third street, from Goerck street to the pier foot of Third street, with Belgian pavement.

Paving Fifty-sixth street, between First avenue and East river, with Belgian pavement.

Regulating, grading, setting curb, gutter, and flagging Seventy-seventh street, between Ninth avenue and Boulevard.

Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging eight feet wide in Seventy-third street, from Eighth avenue to the Hudson river.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before the second day of July, 1875, 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 several dates of confirmation.

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

SPENCER KIRBY,  
Collector of Assessments.



## CORPORATION NOTICES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE FOLLOWING Assessment Lists have been received by the Board of Assessors from the Commissioner of Public Works:

- No. 1. For flagging sidewalk on both sides of Fifty-fourth street, from Fourth to Fifth avenue.
  - No. 2. For regulating, grading, curb, gutter and flagging Eighth avenue, from the centre of Fifty-ninth to the centre of Seventy-seventh street.
  - No. 3. For building underground drains on both sides of the lines of Inwood and Dyckman streets, between Harlem and Hudson rivers.
  - No. 4. For sewer in Fifty-third street, between First avenue and East river.
  - No. 5. For sewer in Eleventh avenue, between Fifty-ninth and Sixtieth streets, and in Sixtieth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.
  - No. 6. For sewer in Fourth avenue, between Ninetieth and Ninety-first streets, with branches in Ninety-first street.
  - No. 7. For building sewer in South, Catharine, and Water streets, between present sewer in Catharine and Market streets.
- The limits to be assessed are embraced as follows, viz.:
- No. 1. Both sides of Fifty-fourth street, from Fourth to Fifth avenue.
  - No. 2. On both sides of Eighth avenue, from Fifty-ninth to Seventy-seventh street, to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.
  - No. 3. From D street to Vermilyea avenue, including farm numbers 42, 43, 44, and 68.
  - No. 4. Both sides of Fifty-third street, from First avenue to the East river, and on the westerly side of Avenue A, from Fifty-third to Fifty-fourth street.
  - No. 5. On the easterly side of Eleventh avenue, between Fifty-ninth and Sixtieth streets, and on both sides of Sixtieth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.
  - No. 6. On the westerly side of Fourth avenue, from Ninetieth to Ninety-second street, and on both sides of Ninety-first street, from Fourth to Madison avenue.
  - No. 7. All the property situated on the blocks from Cherry to South street, and from Market slip to Catharine street.

THOMAS B. ASTEN,  
Chairman.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 19 Chatham Street,  
NEW YORK, June 19, 1875.

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 examination by all persons interested, viz.:

- No. 1. For building sewer in Manhattan street, between Twelfth avenue and St. Nicholas avenue.
  - No. 2. For building outlet sewer from end of present sewer in Manhattan street, to and through One Hundred and Thirtieth street to Hudson river, and sewers in the New avenue (between Eighth and Ninth avenues), from One Hundred and Fifth to Manhattan street, and in One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, between Seventh avenue and Manhattan street, with branches.
  - No. 3. For regulating and grading One Hundred and Twentieth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.
  - No. 4. For regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter, and flagging, in One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, from Eighth avenue to Lawrence street.
  - No. 5. For regulating and grading Eighty-sixth street, from Eighth to Tenth avenue.
- The limits embraced by such assessment include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land, situated on:
- No. 1. From northerly side of One Hundred and Fifth street to southerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, and from Sixth to Twelfth avenue.
  - No. 2. From northerly side of One Hundred and Fifth street to southerly side of One Hundred and Forty-second street, and from Sixth avenue to the Hudson river.
  - No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Twentieth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.
  - No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue.
  - No. 5. Both sides of Eighty-sixth street, from Eighth to Tenth avenue, and on both sides of Ninth avenue, to the extent of half the block.
- 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, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

THOMAS B. ASTEN,  
JOHN MCHARG,  
VALENTINE S. WOODRUFF,  
JOHN MULLALLY,  
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
NEW YORK, June 19, 1875.

## DEPARTMENT PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
ROOM NO. 19, CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, June 15, 1875.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS INCLOSED IN A SEALED ENVELOPE, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder endorsed thereon (also the number of the work as in the advertisement), will be received at this office until Tuesday, June 29, 1875, at 12 o'clock M., at which hour they will be publicly opened and read, for the following work:

- No. 1. Sewer in Sixtieth street, between First avenue and Avenue A.
- No. 2. Sewers in Eighth avenue, between Sixty-eighth and Eighty-first streets.
- No. 3. Sewers in Eighth avenue, between Eighty-fifth and Ninety-second streets, with branches.
- No. 4. Sewers in Eighth avenue, between Ninety-second and One Hundred and Fifth streets, with branches in Ninety-third and Ninety-sixth streets.
- No. 5. Sewers in Ninety-sixth street, between Eighth and Tenth avenues, and in Ninth avenue, between Ninety-second and Ninety-sixth streets, with branches.
- No. 6. Outlet sewer in One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, Eighth avenue, and One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, from Avenue St. Nicholas to Harlem river, with branches in Sixth avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-sixth and One Hundred and Forty-seventh streets; in Eighth avenue, between One Hundred and Thirty-third and One Hundred and Forty-fifth streets; and in One Hundred and Thirty-seventh and One Hundred and Forty-first streets, between Eighth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.
- No. 7. Alteration to sewer in Centre street, between Pearl and Canal streets.
- No. 8. Underground drains between One Hundred and Forty-ninth and One Hundred and Fifty-second streets, and between Boulevard and Tenth avenue.

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

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

FITZ JOHN PORTER,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

## SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to opening Seventy-third street, from Fifth avenue to the East river (where not already opened), in the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of the costs, charges, and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter

will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the New Court-house at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the twenty-fourth day of June, A. D. 1875, at 10½ o'clock in the forenoon.

WILLIAM CHALMERS,  
THOMAS COMAN,  
CORNELIUS J. FARLEY,  
Commissioners.

DATED, NEW YORK, June 9, 1875.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of a new avenue, intermediate the Avenue Saint Nicholas and Eighth avenue, from the easterly side of Avenue Saint Nicholas, at One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, to One Hundred and Forty-first street; and also the opening of two new avenues, intermediate the Avenue Saint Nicholas and Eighth avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-first street to One Hundred and Forty-fifth street; also, the opening of two new avenues, intermediate the Avenue Saint Nicholas and Eighth avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-fifth street to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; also, the opening of Ninth avenue, from the Avenue Saint Nicholas to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; also, the opening of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from Ninth avenue to the new avenue next easterly from Ninth avenue; also, the opening of One Hundred and Fifty-third street, from the Ninth avenue to the Hudson river, in the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of the costs, charges, and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court at the Chambers thereof, in the New Court-house at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the Thirtieth (30th) day of June, A. D. 1875, at 10½ o'clock in the forenoon.

CHAS. A. STODDARD,  
JOHN P. O'NEILL,  
F. A. THAYER,  
Commissioners.

Dated NEW YORK, June 17, 1875.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Forty-second street, from Eighth avenue to the Harlem river, in the City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

I.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to James F. Pierce, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 82 Nassau street (Room No. 24), in the said city, on or before the 30th day of June, 1875; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 30th day of June, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second.—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works in the City of New York, there to remain until the 13th day of July, 1875.

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces, or parcels of land, lying and being in the City of New York and which taken together are bounded, described, and contained as follows, that is to say:

Beginning at a point on the easterly line or side of Tenth avenue equidistant between the northerly line or side of One Hundred and Forty-second street and the southerly line or side of One Hundred and Forty-third street; and running thence easterly and parallel with One Hundred and Forty-second street to the established bulkhead line on the Harlem river; thence southerly along said bulkhead line to a point where a line, drawn at right angles to Fifth avenue and equidistant between One Hundred and Forty-second and One Hundred and Forty-first streets, if produced, would intersect said bulkhead line; thence westerly and parallel with One Hundred and Forty-second street to the easterly line or side of Tenth avenue, and thence northerly along the easterly line or side of Tenth avenue two hundred and fifty-nine feet and ten inches to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the New Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 27th day of July, 1875, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, May 24, 1875.

JAMES F. PIERCE,  
HENRY M. GARVIN,  
PETER TRAINER,  
Commissioners.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Fiftieth street, from Eighth avenue to the Harlem river, in the City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

I.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to Robert Sutherland, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 82 Nassau street (Room No. 24), in the said city, on or before the 30th day of June, 1875; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 30th day of June, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 2 o'clock P. M.

II.—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works in the City of New York, there to remain until the 13th day of July, 1875.

III.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces, or parcels of land, lying and being in the City of New York, and which taken together are bounded, described, and contained as follows, that is to say:

Beginning at a point on the new Bulkhead line on the Hudson river, equidistant between the southerly line or side of One Hundred and Fiftieth street, and the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; and running thence easterly and parallel with One Hundred and Fiftieth street, to the westerly line or side of Sixth avenue; thence northerly along the westerly line or side of Sixth avenue, one hundred and sixty-seven feet and two and seven-tenths inches to the Harbor Commissioner's line on the Harlem river; thence northerly along said Harbor Commissioner's line one hundred feet and two and seven-tenths inches to the centre-line of the block between One Hundred and Fiftieth and One Hundred and Forty-fifth streets; thence westerly and parallel with One Hundred and Fiftieth street to the new Bulkhead line on the Hudson river; and thence southerly along said Bulkhead line two hundred and fifty-nine feet and ten inches to the point or place of beginning.

IV.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special

Term thereof, to be held in the New Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 27th day of July, 1875, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, May 24, 1875.

ROBERT SUTHERLAND,  
GRATZ NATHAN,  
JOHN H. HARNETT,  
Commissioners.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the widening of the Boulevard twenty-five feet on the westerly side thereof, as now opened between One Hundred and Seventh and One Hundred and Eighth streets, westerly from the westerly line of Eleventh avenue, in the City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

I.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment in the above-entitled matter, and that all persons whose interests are affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to the Commissioners, at our office, No. 57 Broadway (Room 24), in the City of New York, on or before the 30th day of June, 1875, and that we the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, within the ten week-days next after the said 30th day of June, 1875, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 3 o'clock P. M.

II.—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with a copy of our maps, and also all affidavits, estimates, and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 13th day of July 1875.

III.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, that is to say: All those certain lots, pieces, or parcels of land situate, lying, and being in the City of New York, bounded by, included, and contained within the following mentioned lines: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the centre line of Ninety-ninth street, with a line drawn one hundred feet east of the easterly line of the Boulevard; running thence northerly along a line distant one hundred feet east of the easterly line of the Boulevard to the centre line of One Hundred and Sixteenth street; thence westerly along said centre line to a point distant one hundred feet west of the westerly line of the Boulevard; thence southerly parallel with the Boulevard to the centre line of One Hundred and Ninth street; thence westerly along the centre line of One Hundred and Ninth street eighty-seven feet and six inches; thence southerly parallel with the Boulevard to the centre line of One Hundred and Eighth street; thence westerly along the centre line of One Hundred and Eighth street to the centre line of the New avenue, next westerly from the Boulevard; thence southerly along said centre line to the centre line of One Hundred and Seventh street; thence easterly along the centre line of One Hundred and Seventh street to a point distant two hundred feet west of the westerly line of Eleventh avenue; thence southerly parallel to Eleventh avenue to the centre line of One Hundred and Sixth street; thence easterly along the centre line of One Hundred and Sixth street to a point distant one hundred feet west of the westerly line of Eleventh avenue; thence southerly parallel with Eleventh avenue to the centre line of One Hundred and Fourth street; thence easterly along the centre line of One Hundred and Fourth street to a point distant one hundred feet east of the easterly line of Eleventh avenue; thence northerly on a line distant one hundred feet east of the easterly line of Eleventh avenue to a point in One Hundred and Fifth street, where the last-mentioned line intersects a line distant one hundred feet west of the westerly line of the Boulevard; thence southerly on a line distant one hundred feet west of the westerly line of the Boulevard to the centre line of Ninety-ninth street; thence easterly along the centre line of Ninety-ninth street to the point or place of beginning.

IV.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the New Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 27th day of July, 1875, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, May 24, 1875.

CLINTON W. SWEET,  
HENRY McCABE,  
GEORGE F. BETTS,  
Commissioners.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the widening of One Hundred and Tenth street, to the width of eighty feet, from a point two hundred and fifty feet west of Eighth avenue to Eighth avenue, in the City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

I.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment in the above-entitled matter, and that all persons whose interests are affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to the undersigned Commissioners, at our office, No. 57 Broadway (Room 24), in the said city, on or before the 30th day of June, 1875, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, within the ten week-days next after the said 30th day of June, 1875, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 2 o'clock P. M.

II.—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps and also all affidavits, estimates, and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City and County of New York, there to remain until the 13th day of July, 1875.

III.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate in the City of New York, bounded by, included and contained within the following limits, that is to say: Beginning at a point on the easterly line of the new avenue (next westerly from the Boulevard), distant ninety feet and eleven inches north of the northerly line of One Hundred and Tenth street; running thence easterly and parallel with One Hundred and Tenth street to a point distant three hundred and eighty-seven feet and six inches east of the easterly line of Eighth avenue; thence southerly and parallel with Eighth avenue to a point distant ninety feet and eleven inches south of the southerly line of One Hundred and Tenth street as the same is widened; thence westerly and parallel with said southerly line of One Hundred and Tenth street to the easterly line of the New Avenue, "next westerly from the Boulevard;" thence northerly along the easterly line of said New Avenue to the point or place of beginning.

IV.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the New Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 27th day of July, 1875, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, May 24, 1875.

WM. OSBORN CURTIS,  
ALFRED T. ACKERT,  
STEPHEN J. BIDLACK,  
Commissioners.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Parks and the Department of Public Works, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title to certain lands in the City of New York, for a public square or place, for a Parade Ground, and the streets and avenues bounding the said public square or place, as laid out by the officers composing the Board of the Department of Public Parks in the City of New York, and the Major-General Commanding the First Division of the National Guard of the State of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 290 and chapter 628 of the Laws of 1871, chapter 872 of the Laws of 1872, and chapter 335 of the Laws of 1873, and of all other statutes in such case made and provided, the Department of Public Parks and the Department of Public Works, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, hereby give notice that, in compliance with the act of the Legislature of the State of New York, entitled, "An act to alter the map or plan of the City of New York, by laying out thereon a public place for a parade ground, and to authorize the taking of the same," passed April 20, 1871, three-fifths being present, the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York will apply to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Monday, the 28th day of June, 1875, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter.

The nature of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to all the lands required for laying out and establishing, in that part of said city above Fifty-ninth street, a public square or place, and the streets and avenues bounding said public square or place, as shown on the duplicate maps thereof, made, certified, and filed, pursuant to the provisions of the second section of the aforesaid chapter 628 of the Laws of 1871, one of which is now on file in the office of the Department of Public Parks, and the other of which is now on file in the office of the Department of Public Works; said public square or place, and the streets and avenues by which the same is bounded, to be maintained for the use of said First Division of the National Guard of the State of New York, for military encampments, parades, drills, reviews, and other military evolutions and exercise, and when not required for such military evolutions or exercise, to be appropriated to such other uses as shall be conducive to public good. In its extent, the said improvement will embrace all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and appurtenances thereto belonging, situate, lying, and being in that part of the City of New York, hereinafter mentioned, as follows:

For the public square or place for a parade ground, all those lots, pieces, or parcels of land contained within the following description and boundaries, to wit: Beginning at the central point of said public square or place, which point of beginning is twelve thousand seven hundred and eighty and three-tenths feet (12,780 3-10) from the southerly side of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, measured on a straight line, parallel with the easterly line of Tenth avenue, and thirteen hundred and sixty-three and six-tenths feet (1,363 6-10) from the easterly side of Tenth avenue, as established by monuments in said public square or place, measured on a line at right angles with said easterly line of Tenth avenue; thence north 63 degs. 50 mins. 50 secs. east two thousand four hundred and fifty-four one-hundredths (2,405 54-100) feet to the central point of a stone monument; thence south 61 deg. 09 mins. 30 secs. east five hundred and twenty-seven and seven one-hundredths (527 7-100) feet to the central point of a stone monument; thence south 26 degs. 09 mins. 10 secs. east three hundred and ninety-seven and eight one-hundredths (397 8-100) feet to a stone monument; thence, on the same line produced, one hundred and seventy-four and thirty-three hundredths (174 33-100) feet to the westerly side of River street; thence south 35 degs. 29 mins. 29 secs. west along the said westerly side of River street, eight hundred and thirty-five and one one-hundredth (835 1-100) feet to the central point of a stone monument; thence south 63 degs. 50 mins. 50 secs. west one thousand nine hundred and seventy-two one-hundredths (1,972 72-100) feet to the southerly corner of said public square or place, which corner is north 63 degs. 50 mins. 50 secs. east one hundred (100) feet from the central point of a stone monument; thence north 26 degs. 09 mins. 10 secs. west fourteen hundred and six one-hundredths (1,406 6-100) feet to the beginning, containing eighty-two and two thousand and four ten thousandths (82 2,004-10,000) acres, more or less.

And for the streets and avenues bounding the said public square or place for a parade ground all those certain lots, pieces, or parcels of land bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the central point of the stone monument, which was the initial point in the first course of the description of the land to be taken for the public place aforesaid, and thence north 26 degs. 09 mins. 10 secs. west one hundred feet (100) feet; thence north 63 degs. 50 mins. 50 secs. east two thousand three hundred and forty-five and four one-hundredths (2,345 43-100) feet parallel with the first course aforesaid public square or place to the westerly side of Tenth avenue as established by monuments within said public square or place; thence along the westerly side of said Tenth avenue north 28 degs. 50 mins. 20 secs. east ninety-one and eighty-seven one hundredths (91 87-100) to a line northerly of and parallel to the second course of said public square and parallel thereto, and one hundred (100) feet distant therefrom; thence north 61 degs. 09 mins. 30 secs. east six hundred and seventy-five (675) feet to a line without said public square or place, and one hundred (100) feet from the third course of said square or place (measured perpendicular thereto) and parallel therewith; thence south 26 degs. 09 mins. 10 secs. east parallel with said third course of said public square or place six hundred and sixty-three and twenty-two one-hundredths (663 22-100) feet to the easterly side of River street, which is the bulkhead line of Harlem river; thence south 35 degs. 29 mins. 29 secs. west along said bulkhead line nine hundred and nineteen and ninety-two one-hundredths (919 92-100) feet to a line without said public square, and parallel to the fifth course of said public square aforesaid and one hundred (100) feet distant therefrom measured perpendicular thereto; thence along said parallel line south 63 degs. 50 mins. 50 secs. west two thousand and ninety-eight and sixteen one-hundredths (2,098 16-100) feet to a point which is south 26 degs. 09 mins. 10 secs. east one hundred (100) feet from the central point of a stone monument, which monument is one hundred (100) feet from the southerly side of said public square, measured perpendicular thereto; thence north 26 degs. 09 mins. 10 secs. west fifteen hundred (1,500) feet to a point on a line south 63 degs. 50 mins. 50 secs. west from the initial point of the first course of said public square or place; thence on the same course north 26 degs. 09 mins. 10 secs. west one hundred (100) feet; thence south 26 degs. 09 mins. 10 secs. east one hundred (100) feet to the central point of the same monument; thence along the six (6) courses or sides of said public square, north 63 degs. 50 mins. 50 secs. east two thousand four hundred and five and fifty-four one hundredths (2,405 54-100) feet; thence south 61 degs. 09 mins. 30 secs. east five hundred and twenty-seven and seven one-hundredths (527 7-100) feet; thence south 26 degs. 09 mins. 10 secs. east five hundred and seventy-five and one one-hundredths (575 1-100) feet; thence south 35 degs. 29 mins. 29 secs. west eight hundred and thirty-five and one one-hundredth (835 1-100) feet; thence south 63 degs. 50 mins. 50 secs. west nineteen hundred and seventy-four and seventy-two one-hundredths (1,974 72-100) feet; thence north 26 degs. 09 mins. 10 secs. west fourteen hundred and six one-hundredths (1,406 6-100) feet, to the beginning, containing eighteen and sixty-one thousand six hundred and ninety-seven one hundred thousandths (18 61,697-100,000) acres.

Dated New York, June 3, 1875.

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