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FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
CITY OF NEW YORK, October 13, 1875.

The Board of Commissioners met this day.
Present—President Joseph L. Perley, in the chair, and Commissioners Roswell D. Hatch and Vincent C. King.

The minutes of the meeting held on the 6th inst. were read and approved.
The President submitted the forms of contracts for furnishing fuel, telegraph poles, and materials, etc., for the repair shops, and for painting telegraph poles, approved by the Counsel to the Corporation, and affidavits of the Supervisor of the City Record relative to the publication of the advertisements inviting proposals for the same, according to law. Filed.

Proposals

were received and opened in the presence of the Comptroller, as follows:

For furnishing coal and wood:		
No. 1. From Samuel G. French—		
1,200 tons egg coal, at \$6.16.....	\$7,392 00	
500 tons stove coal, at \$6.16.....	3,080 00	
100 cords pine wood, at \$9.75.....	975 00	
		\$11,447 00

Laid over.

For painting 1,000 telegraph poles:

No. 1. From John McDonald, for.....	\$2,300 00
No. 2. From Theodore H. Banks, for.....	1,650 00
No. 3. From James Riley, for.....	2,500 00
No. 4. From James Ryan, for.....	3,750 00

Laid over.

For furnishing 400 telegraph poles:

No. 1. From Theodore S. Smith, at \$3.20.....	\$1,280 00
No. 2. From James Bagley, at \$4.99.....	1,996 00
No. 3. From James McKeel, at \$4.....	1,600 00
No. 4. From Robert Brown.....	1,600 00

Laid over.

For furnishing materials to the Repair Shop:

No. 1. From Walter Shay, for leather, etc., Class V.....	\$536 76
No. 2. From Lyon & Fellows Manufacturing Co., for iron, steel, and hardware, Class III.....	1,642 46
No. 3. From William Welsh, for leather, etc., Class V.....	500 00
No. 4. From William H. Browne—	
For spokes and felloes, Class I.....	\$412 00
For boards and planks, Class II.....	376 90
For iron, steel, and hardware, Class III.....	918 37
	1,707 27

Laid over.

Trials.

were held, with the following result:

Fireman John Ennis, of Engine Company No. 8, charged with "neglect of duty," was found guilty and fined five days' pay.

Assistant Engineer of Steamer, John H. Dawson, of Engine Company No. 27, charged with "intoxication," was found guilty, and dismissed the service of the Department, to take effect 15th instant.

Fireman Luke Coleman, of Hook and Ladder Company No. 4, charged with "being under the influence of liquor," was found guilty, and dismissed the service of the Department, to take effect 15th instant.

Ladderman William J. Flanagan, of Hook and Ladder Company No. 18, charged with "absence without leave" and "neglect of duty," was found guilty, and dismissed the service of the Department, to take effect 15th instant.

Communications

were received and disposed of, as follows:

From—
Chief of Department, report of operations for the quarter ending September 30th. Filed, with directions to compile.

Same, report of operations for the month ending September 30th. Filed.

Inspector of Combustibles, report of operations for the week ending 12th instant. Filed.

Same, lists for applicants for licenses to sell kerosene oil, dated respectively on the 6th, 7th, 8th, 11th, and 12th instant. Filed.

Same, list of applicants for permits for the sale and keeping of percussion caps, dated 12th instant. Filed.

Same, report of violations of law. Filed.

Fire Marshal, report of operations for the quarter ending September 30. Filed, with directions to compile.

Superintendent of Telegraph, report of operations for the quarter ending September 30. Filed, with directions to compile.

Same, applying for a horse and wagon for use of himself and assistant. Filed, with directions to make requisition.

Same, requisition for supplies, estimated cost, \$463. Referred to Superintendent of Supplies, with directions to purchase.

Superintendent of Horses, recommending purchase of two horses to replace those unserviceable. Filed, with directions to inspect.

Chief of Battalion in charge of the Repair Shops, report of operations for quarter ending September 30. Filed with directions to compile.

Same, report that plumbing work in quarters of Engine Company No. 13 has been done as directed. Filed.

Same, reporting suspension from pay and duty of Peter P. Dennis, carpenter, for "disobedience of orders." Filed, and suspension ordered to continue to 1st proximo.

Same, reporting dangerous condition of sidewalk, etc., in front of quarters of Engine Company No. 24, and recommending repairs. Referred back, with directions to have the repairs made.

Same, estimate of articles required for use; estimated cost, \$90. Referred to Superintendent of Supplies, with directions to purchase.

Same, estimate of articles and materials required for repairs to buildings. Referred to Superintendent of Supplies for estimate of cost and report.

Same, recommending that a set of harness mountings be furnished. Referred to Superintendent of Supplies for estimate of cost and report.

Bookkeeper, monthly statement of the New York Fire Department Relief Fund for September, 1875. Filed.

F. E. Graham, Operator, relative to his tour of duty. Filed, with directions.

Foreman of Engine Company No. 3, reporting meritorious conduct of Fireman John Carney. Returned for expression of opinion as to risk incurred.

Foreman of Engine Company No. 34, relative to obstructions to fire hydrants. Referred to Inspector of Combustibles.

Engineer of Steamer Patrick J. Byrnes, of Engine Company No. 2, requesting transfer. Filed.

Assistant Engineer of Steamer John Q. A. Baker, of Engine Company No. 41, applying for promotion. Filed.

Hoseman John Molloy, of Engine Company No. 42, applying for promotion. Filed.

Hoseman James A. Powell, of Chemical Engine Company No. 3, applying for promotion. Filed.

Ladderman William H. Jones, of Hook and Ladder Company No. 18, requesting transfer. Filed.

His Honor the Mayor, referring a communication from Volney C. Stowe, requesting information relative to the Fire-alarm Telegraph. Filed, with directions to furnish information required.

Comptroller—Statement of condition of appropriation for week ending 9th instant. Filed.

Deputy Comptroller—Returning proposal of Siney & Langstroth, with approval of sureties. Filed.

Counsel to the Corporation—Return to writ of certiorari ex rel. George McLoughlin, to be subscribed and sworn to. Filed, with directions to comply.

Law Department—Transmitting approved forms of contract. Filed.

President Department of Public Parks—Granting use of fountain in Washington square. Filed.

Superintendent Department of Buildings—Stating that the building on Old Bloomingdale road, between Ninety-seventh and Ninety-eighth streets, is in a good and safe condition to be removed. Laid over.

Secretary Health Department—Report relative to condition of sidewalk in front of 155 and 157 Mercer street. Filed, with directions to reply that repairs have been made.

George Butler, ex-Fireman—Requesting reopening of his case. Filed.

W. A. Caswell—Relative to "Improved Hose Coupling." Filed.

Thomas R. Jackson, Architect—Report on condition of building No 340 East Fourteenth street. Filed.

Christopher Jones—Applying for appointment as Assistant Telegraph Operator, and inclosing testimonials. Filed.

Magdalena Mans, widow of Philip J. Mans, formerly member of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 6—Applying for amount due from Relief Fund, and inclosing letters of administration. Referred to Trustees of Relief Fund.

Same—Applying for relief under provisions of chapter 742, Laws of 1871. Referred to Trustees of Relief Fund.

R. J. McMillon, City Editor Sunday Mercury—Applying for a badge for R. L. Wilder, Reporter. Granted and filed.

John Reynolds—Claim against Fireman Thomas Shields, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 5. Filed, with directions to notify of resolution of October 1, 1874.

B. J. Sturges, agent, relative to lease of lot on Third avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-seventh and One Hundred and Forty-eighth streets. Filed.

Communication Laid Over

at a previous meeting was taken up and disposed of, as follows:

From Inspector of Combustibles, report relative to storage, etc., of gasoline. Filed.

Resolutions

were offered and adopted, as follows:

Resolved, That Thomas R. Jackson, architect, be and he is hereby requested to prepare plans and specifications for removing the house occupied by Hook and Ladder Company No. 16, from its present site on the lot on which it is now situated to the Tenth avenue, front of the same; for taking down the front of the building and rebuilding the same on the new location, and for making such general repairs to the same as may be required.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby requested to authorize the transfer of the sum of \$10,000 from the appropriation for "New Apparatus, etc.," for the current year, which is in excess of the amount required or deemed to be necessary for the objects and purposes thereof, to the appropriation for "Buildings" for the current year, for which the appropriation is insufficient.

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing harness material, etc., embraced in Class VI., as per advertisement of September 13, 1875, be and the same is hereby awarded to Siney & Langstroth, on their proposal, for the sum of \$337.05.

Resolved, That the applications for licenses and permits to sell kerosene oil and percussion caps, presented by the Inspector of Combustibles at this meeting, be and the same are hereby granted.

Resolved, That William Kruse, of No. 174 Madison street, be and is hereby fined fifty dollars for violation of section 4, chapter 742, Laws of 1871; and that the Inspector of Combustibles be and is hereby directed to enforce the collection of the penalty.

Resolved, That John Branchi, of No. 426 Grand street, be and he is hereby fined five dollars for violation of section 9, chapter 742, Laws of 1871, and that the Inspector of Combustibles be and he is hereby directed to enforce the collection of the penalty.

Resolved, That the Chief of Battalion in charge of the Repair Shops be and he is hereby directed to inspect the building No. 340 East Fourteenth street, and report an estimate of the cost of complying with the requirements of the Department of Buildings with reference to the same.

Appointments

were made to take effect, as follows:

On the 15th instant—
James Flynn, relieved from duty as Assistant to the Inspector of Combustibles, as Surveyor in the Bureau of Combustibles, at a salary of \$1,200 per annum.

James Brogan, as Bell-ringer, at a salary of \$1,000 per annum.

John Denner, as Boiler-maker, at a salary of \$3 per day.

On the 16th instant—
Christopher Jones, as Assistant Telegraph Operator, at a salary of \$1,200 per annum.

John F. Scully, as Fireman, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 4.

Discharge

was ordered, to take effect on 15th instant, as follows:

Julius A. Donaldson, Bell-ringer.

Transfers

were ordered, to take effect on 15th instant, as follows:

Fireman Joseph R. Harway, Engine Co. No. 30, to Engine Co. No. 4.

John E. Hyatt, Engine Co. No. 4, to Engine Co. No. 30.

Arthur Reilly, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 13, to Engine Co. No. 20.

John L. Hughes, Engine Co. No. 20, to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 13.

Jacob Reiter, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 3, to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 6.

Henry F. Mackey, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 6, to Engine Co. No. 17.

Jeremiah Kelly, Engine Co. No. 17, to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 3.

Charles Shordon, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 2, to Engine Co. No. 39.

John O'Connor, Engine Co. No. 39, to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 2.

Martin Meagher, Engine Co. No. 24, to Engine Co. No. 27.

Thomas W. Relyea, Engine Co. No. 27, to Engine Co. No. 24.

Ladderman William H. Jones, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 18, to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 17.

Bills

were audited, and ordered to be transmitted to the Comptroller for payment, as follows:
For the current year:

Schedule No. 40.			
Atlantic Giant Powder Company, new apparatus, etc.	\$65 20	Loskamp, Henry, new apparatus, etc.	\$4 50
Bishop, S., new apparatus, etc.	90 00	McAvoy, John, "	12 00
Blair, John J., buildings	70 53	McCann, Patrick, "	16 50
Breves, Otto, new apparatus, etc.	54 50	McKenna, Patrick, "	9 00
Burke, J. & P., "	15 00	Mallen, F., "	6 00
Carleton, D. C., "	30 00	Mallory & Co., "	1,963 54
Composite Iron Works Co., new apparatus, etc.	329 40	Manhattan Gas-light Co., new apparatus, etc.	978 10
Conway, John, new apparatus, etc.	74 25	Moffitt, Robert, new apparatus, etc.	48 00
Dunn, John F., "	6 00	Morrison, James, "	33 00
Fallon, Owen, "	39 00	Mulford & Underwood, "	31 46
Fox, Thomas, "	6 00	Murray, P., "	6 00
Gallon, Thos. J., "	15 00	O'Neil, Joseph, "	24 00
Garlan, George, "	9 00	Reilly, Michael, buildings	35 00
George, John, "	9 00	Roche, James, new apparatus, etc.	27 00
Gogerty, Michael, "	27 00	Scovill Manufacturing Co., new apparatus, etc.	15 00
Gutta Percha and Rubber Manufacturing Co., new apparatus, etc.	11 69	Sheldon, Geo. H., new apparatus, etc.	32 28
Harlem Gas-light Co., new apparatus, etc.	143 70	Suburban Gas-light Co., new apparatus, etc.	14 80
Hassler, John A., new apparatus, etc.	9 00	Sweet, Moses, new apparatus, etc.	62 84
Hayes, Dennis, "	9 00	Tillotson, L. G. & Co., new apparatus, etc.	218 95
Higgins & Ostrander, buildings	198 00	Ward, H. S. & Co., buildings	132 88
Jenks, Nathaniel, new apparatus, etc.	35 00	Ward, Wm. H., new apparatus, etc.	6 00
Kenny, Bernard, "	24 00	Waters, Wm., "	42 00
Kirk & Laidlaw, "	18 00	Welsh, Wm., "	360 12
Laffin & Rand Powder Company, new apparatus, etc.	1 65	Wood, A. K., buildings	26 30
Lattimore & Dougherty, new apparatus, etc.	30 00	Wright, Robert J., new apparatus, etc.	432 22
Lenihan, John, new apparatus, etc.	9 75		\$5,873 16

Adjourned to Wednesday, 20th instant.

CARL JUSSEN, Acting Secretary.

HEADQUARTERS OF FIRE DEPARTMENT,
CITY OF NEW YORK, October 15, 1875.

The Board of Commissioners convened this day in special meeting.

Present—President Joseph L. Perley, in the chair, and Commissioners Roswell D. Hatch and Vincent C. King.

Proposals

received and laid over at last meeting, were taken up and disposed of, as follows:

For furnishing 400 telegraph poles:		
No. 1. Theodore S. Smith	\$1,280 00	
Laid over.		
No. 2. James Bagley	1,996 00	
No. 3. James McKeel	1,600 00	
No. 4. Robert Brown	1,600 00	
Filed.		
For furnishing coal and wood:		
No. 1. Samuel G. French	\$11,547 00	
Which was referred to the Comptroller for action upon the sureties.		
For painting 1,000 telegraph poles:		
No. 1. John McDonald	\$2,300 00	
No. 2. Theodore H. Banks	1,650 00	
No. 3. James Riley	2,500 00	
No. 4. James Ryan	3,750 00	
Filed, and the following resolution was adopted:		
Resolved, That the Acting Secretary be and is hereby directed to re-advertise for proposals for painting one thousand telegraph poles, upon the terms specified in the last advertisement for the same.		
For furnishing materials for the Repair Shop:		
No. 1. Walter Shay, Class V	\$536 76	
No. 2. Lyons & Fellows Manufacturing Co., Class III	1,642 46	
Filed.		
No. 3. William Welsh, Class V	500 00	
No. 4. William H. Brown, Classes I, II, and III	1,797 27	
Referred to the Comptroller for action upon the sureties.		

Resolution

was adopted, as follows:

Resolved, That by reason of the non-receipt of proposals for furnishing the articles enumerated in Class IV of the advertisement, inviting the same, dated October 1, 1875, the Superintendent of Supplies be and he is hereby authorized and directed to purchase said articles at the lowest market rates.

Appointment.

was made to take effect 18th instant, as follows:

William R. Massie, as Assistant Engineer of Steamer, Engine Co. No. 27.

Transfer

was made to take effect 18th instant, as follows:

Ladderman John McGill, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 17 to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 18.

Adjourned.

CARL JESSEN, Acting Secretary.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
NEW YORK, October 13, 1875.

The Fire Commissioners met this day as the Board of Trustees of the New York Fire Department Relief Fund.

Present—President Joseph L. Perley, Commissioners Roswell D. Hatch, and Vincent C. King.

An application of Magdalena Mans, widow of Philip J. Mans, late Fireman Hook and Ladder Co. No. 6, for the \$1,000 due from the Life Insurance Fund, was granted and the amount ordered to be paid.

Upon application, a pension of \$150 per annum, from September 14, 1875, was granted to Magdalena Mans.

E. SAVAGE, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Abstract of the proceedings of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks for the week ending October 23, 1875.

\$6,600 was set apart for the keeping, preservation, and exhibition of the collections of the Museum of Art for the year 1875, in addition to the amount already expended.

It was directed that the draw of Central bridge be closed on and after the 25th inst., for the purpose of repairing it, and that the work be prosecuted with all practicable speed.

Certain portions of the curb of Eighth avenue, adjacent to Central Park, was ordered to be reset to a uniform line with the remaining portions, and to a grade so as to form a good horizontal line with the park wall.

The pay of L. A. Risse, who was previously appointed Draughtsman, was fixed at the rate of \$5.00 for each day on which he will be employed.

Animals received at Central Park Menagerie for the week ending October 23, 1875.

Donations.

One Virginia Deer (*Cariacus virginianus*), presented by Miss Leshar, New York City.

One White-haired Porcupine (*Erethizon dorsatus*), presented by Master Harrold R. Miller, New York City.

One Hedge Hog (*Erinaceus europaeus*), presented by Mrs. Katarine Raboch, New York City.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY

OF THE

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK.

Latitude 40° 45' 58" N. Longitude 73° 57' 58" W. Height of Instruments above the Ground,
53 feet; above the Sea, 97 feet.

ABSTRACT OF REGISTERS FROM SELF-RECORDING INSTRUMENTS,
For the Week Ending October 23, 1875.

Barometer.

DATE.	OCTOBER.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	MEAN FOR THE DAY.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.	
		REDUCED TO FREEZING.	REDUCED TO FREEZING.	REDUCED TO FREEZING.	REDUCED TO FREEZING.	REDUCED TO FREEZING.	TIME.	REDUCED TO FREEZING.	TIME.
Sunday,	17	29.749	29.828	29.890	29.822	29.890	9 P. M.	29.460	0 A. M.
Monday,	18	29.862	29.821	29.877	29.853	29.891	12 P. M.	29.821	2 P. M.
Tuesday,	19	29.985	30.038	30.040	30.021	30.038	2 P. M.	29.891	0 A. M.
Wednesday,	20	30.040	29.949	29.900	29.963	30.041	0 A. M.	29.854	12 P. M.
Thursday,	21	29.848	29.763	29.821	29.810	29.854	0 A. M.	29.763	2 P. M.
Friday,	22	29.912	29.900	29.899	29.904	29.942	9 A. M.	29.832	0 A. M.
Saturday,	23	29.877	29.820	29.797	29.831	29.898	0 A. M.	29.786	12 P. M.

Mean for the week..... 29.886 inches.

Maximum " at 0 A. M., October 20..... 30.041 "

Minimum " at 0 A. M., October 17..... 29.460 "

Range "581 "

Thermometers.

DATE.	OCTOBER.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	MEAN.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.		MAXIMUM.
		Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	
Sunday,	17	40	35	50	42	50	43	46.6	40.0	53
Monday,	18	50	45	60	52	55	50	55.0	49.0	61
Tuesday,	19	49	44	51	45	44	41	48.0	43.3	52
Wednesday,	20	38	36	58	47	53	46	49.6	43.0	61
Thursday,	21	50	44	66	54	60	53	58.6	50.3	69
Friday,	22	51	47	68	58	61	55	60.0	53.3	71
Saturday,	23	55	51	71	60	66	58	64.0	56.3	71

Dry Bulb.

Mean for the week..... 54.5 degrees.

Maximum for the week, at 3 P. M., 23d..... 71. "

Minimum " " 7 A. M., 20th..... 38. "

Range " " 33. "

Wet Bulb.

Mean for the week..... 47.9 degrees.

Maximum for the week, at 3 P. M., 23d..... 61. "

Minimum " " 7 A. M., 20th..... 36. "

Range " " 25. "

Wind.

DATE.	OCTOBER.	DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.			FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.		
		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.
Sunday,	17	W	SW	SSW	163	92	74	5 1/4	1	1 1/4
Monday,	18	SW	SSE	WSW	64	36	12	1/4	1/4	1/4
Tuesday,	19	N	N	NNW	72	84	71	1/2	5/4	2
Wednesday,	20	NW	WNW	WSW	86	59	54	1 1/4	1 1/4	1/2
Thursday,	21	WSW	W	W	81	67	25	1	2	0
Friday,	22	WNW	SW	SSE	12	9	21	0	1/4	0
Saturday,	23	SE	SW	WSW	14	33	44	0	1/2	1/4

Distance traveled during the week..... 11.73 miles.

Maximum force " " 13 pounds.

Hygrometer.

Clouds.

Rain and Snow.

DATE.	OCTOBER.	FORCE OF VAPOR.			RELATIVE HUMIDITY.			CLEAR, O. OVERCAST, 10.			DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES.				
		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration.	Amount of Water.	Depth of Snow.
Sunday,	17	.156	.191	.208	63	53	58	8 Cu.	0	8 Cir. Cu.	....	....	....	....	....
Monday,	18	.245	.299	.302	68	58	70	7 Cir.	7 Cir. Cu.	9 Cu.	....	....	....	....	....
Tuesday,	19	.235	.236	.224	67	63	77	7 Cir. Cu.	9 Cu. S	10	....	....	....	....	....
Wednesday,	20	.190	.221	.238	83	46	59	6 Cir. Cu.	0	2 Cir.	....	....	....	....	....
Thursday,	21	.226	.280	.321	63	45	62	7 Cir.	5 Cir.	0	....	....	....	....	....
Friday,	22	.276	.362	.358	74	52	67	0	0	0	....	....	....	....	....
Saturday,	23	.325	.383	.380	75	50	60	5 Cir.	8 Cir.	2 Cir.	....	....	....	....	....

Total amount of water for the week..... 0 inch.

DANIEL DRAPER,
Director.

Placed on Exhibition.

Two Lions (*Felis leo*).
 One Jaguar (*Felis onca*).
 Three White Deer (*Cervus dama*).
 One Llama (*Lama glama*).
 One Giraffe (*Camelopardalis giraffa*).
 Three Sea Lions (*Eumetopias stelleri*).

Appointments.

Francis Branagan, Night Watchman.

Contracts Executed.

- For 10,000 cubic yards of filling for Manhattan square.
 A. W. Cambell, 428 West Thirty-fourth street, Principal.
 Wm. Cumming, 247 West Thirty-first street, Sureties.
 Wm. Dassler, 559 West Forty-seventh street, Sureties.
- For paving Third avenue, from Westchester avenue to One Hundred and Sixty-third street.
 James Everard, 307 East Fortieth street, Principal.
 Solomon Mehrbach, 145 East Forty-fifth street, Sureties.
 Isaac Mehrbach, 141 East Twenty-sixth street, Sureties.

Moneys

Deposited with the Chamberlain..... \$39 08

Bills

Sent to the Finance Department..... \$28,690 21

WM. IRWIN, Secretary D. P. P.

APPROVED PAPERS.

Ordinances, Resolutions, etc., approved by the Mayor during the week ending October 23, 1875.

Resolved, That James G. Murphy be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 14, 1875.

Approved by the Mayor, October 22, 1875.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Peter J. Banagan to erect an ornamental lamp and post in front of his premises, No. 56 East Thirteenth street the gas to be supplied from his own meter, and the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 14, 1875.

Approved by the Mayor, October 22, 1875.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Hugo H. Hoenack, to erect a storm-door or house in front of his premises, No. 1½ Second avenue, before the entrance to the store on said premises, said storm-door or house not to extend more than three feet six inches on the sidewalk, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 14, 1875.

Approved by the Mayor, October 22, 1875.

Resolved, That the name of Chauncey S. Traux, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be and is hereby corrected so as to read Chauncey S. Truax.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 14, 1875.

Approved by the Mayor, October 22, 1875.

Resolved, That a ree drinking-hydrant be placed on the northwest corner of Tenth avenue and Seventy-ninth street, also one on the east side of Ninth avenue, between Fifty-eighth and Fifty-ninth streets, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 14, 1875.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, October 22, 1875, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, under the provisions of section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That the vacant lots on the south side of Fifty-second street, commencing two hundred and twenty-five feet west of Ninth avenue, and running westerly fifty feet, be fenced in, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 14, 1875.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, October 22, 1875, without his approval objections thereto; therefore, under the provisions of section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to take the necessary measures to cause the sewerage and drainage of the Third avenue and intersecting streets, between Fortieth and Forty-eighth streets, to be improved so as to afford the necessary facilities for properly and effectually draining the locality so as to prevent the possibility of any overflowing of the cellars or basements of the houses; and if any further action is necessary to be taken by the Common Council, that he report the fact with the necessary ordinance or ordinances for adoption.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 14, 1875.

Approved by the Mayor, October 22, 1875.

Resolved, That a free drinking-hydrant, for man and beast, be placed on the southwest corner of First avenue and One Hundred and Twelfth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 14, 1875.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, October 22, 1875, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, under the provisions of section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That a large lamp-post and lamps, similar to the post and lamps in the public place bounded by Tryon row, Chatham and Centre streets, be placed in or near the centre of the Bowling Green, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 14, 1875.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, October 22, 1875, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, under the provisions of section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That the Mayor and Common Council do hereby authorize and approve, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of chapter 335 of the Laws of 1873, and as requested by the Commissioners or Board of Police, of setting apart and transferring to the Police Department of this city, for the purpose of erecting a station-house thereon, all that certain piece or parcel of land belonging to the Corporation of the City of New York situate on the north side of Fifty-first street, 150 feet 9 inches west of Third avenue, immediately adjoining and westerly of the property now used by the Fire Department as an engine-house, being 35 feet 5 inches in width in front and rear of lot, by 100 feet 5 inches in depth; also, for the purpose of erecting a station-house and prison thereon, all that other certain piece or parcel of land belonging to the city, situate on the north side of Sixty-seventh street, commencing at a point 120 feet west of Third avenue and running thence westerly to the property now occupied by the Fire Department as an engine-house, being 50 feet in width front and rear of lot, by one-half the block in depth.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 14, 1875.

Approved by the Mayor, October 22, 1875.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant in favor of Will S. Garber, amounting to twenty dollars, for services rendered the Board of Aldermen

in taking stenographic notes, and transcript thereof, of the report of the Commissioners of Rapid Transit, the same to be paid from the appropriation for "City Contingencies."

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 14, 1875.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, October 22, 1875, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, under the provisions of section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street-lamps lighted in Berrian avenue, from Kingsbridge road to the Northern Boulevard, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 14, 1875.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, October 22, 1875, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, under the provisions of section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That a ree drinking-hydrant, for man and beast, be placed at the southwest corner of Third avenue and Twelfth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 14, 1875.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, October 22, 1875, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, under the provisions of section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street lamps lighted in Forty-fourth street, between Second and Third avenues, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 14, 1875.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, October 22, 1875, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, under the provisions of section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street-lamps lighted in One Hundred and Thirty-third street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 14, 1875.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, October 22, 1875, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, under the provisions of section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw a warrant in favor of George E. Miles for the sum of one hundred and ninety-seven dollars and fifty cents for services rendered to the Committee on Law Department, as Official Stenographer, in full payment for annexed bill, and charge the amount to the appropriation for "Contingencies—Common Council," for the year 1875.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 14, 1875.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, October 22, 1875, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, under the provisions of section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That the Third avenue, from Westchester avenue to the boundary of the Twenty-third Ward, be properly lighted with gas, the lamps to be placed at the same regular distance apart as are the lamps on Third avenue, south of the Harlem river, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 14, 1875.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, October 22, 1875, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, under the provisions of section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That a receiving-basin and culvert be built on the northwest corner of Hudson and Leroy streets, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 14, 1875.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, October 22, 1875, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, under the provisions of section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 14, 1875.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, October 22, 1875, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, under the provisions of section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That the sidewalks on both sides of Fifty-seventh street, between Lexington and Madison avenues, be flagged four feet wide through the centre thereof, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 14, 1875.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, October 22, 1875, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, under the provisions of section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That the thanks of the Common Council of the City of New York be and they are hereby given to the Corporation of the City of Dublin for the kindly and hospitable manner in which they have received the representatives of the municipality of the City of New York and the American Rifle Team; and that a copy of this report and resolution, suitably engrossed and authenticated by the Clerk of the Common Council, be forwarded to the Corporation of the City of Dublin, at an expense not to exceed two hundred and fifty dollars.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 14, 1875.

Approved by the Mayor, October 22, 1875.

Resolved, That two Boulevard lamps be placed in front of Public School No. 68, in One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 14, 1875.

Approved by the Mayor, October 22, 1875.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street-lamps lighted in Seventy-first street, between First avenue and Avenue A, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 14, 1875.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, October 22, 1875, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, under the provisions of section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 14, 1875.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, October 22, 1875, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, under the provisions of section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

PERMIT BUREAU—MAYOR'S OFFICE, 1
NEW YORK, October 23, 1875.
Permits issued for the week ending October 23,
1875:
180 Permits.....\$219 00
D. S. HART,
Registrar of Permits.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

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

LAW DEPARTMENT.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Commissioners' Office, No. 66 Third avenue, 8 A. M.
to 5 P. M.
Out Door Poor Department, No. 66 Third avenue, al-
ways open entrance on Eleventh street.
Reception Hospital, City Hall Park, northeast corner
always open.
Reception Hospital, Ninety-ninth street and Tenth ave-
nue, always open.
Bellevue Hospital, foot of Twenty-sixth street, East
river, always open.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

NO. 301 MOFF STREET.
Commissioners' Office, second floor 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Attorney's Office, third floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Sanitary Superintendent, always open, third floor.
Register of Records, third floor, for granting burial pe-
mits, on all days of the week, except Sunday, from 7 A.
M. to 6 P. M. and on 31 days from 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Commissioner's Office, 36 Union Sq., 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Commissioner's Office, 117 and 119 Duane street, 9
A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

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

BOARD OF EXCISE.

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

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

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

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.
Commissioners' Office, District Court building, City Hall
Park (upstairs).

THE CITY RECORD.

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

MISCELLANEOUS OFFICES.

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

RAPID TRANSIT.

OFFICE OF THE
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF RAPID TRANSIT,
NEW YORK, October 23, 1875.

BY DIRECTION OF THE BOARD OF COM-
missioners heretofore appointed by the Mayor of the
City of New York, under and pursuant to the provisions
of chapter 606, Laws of 1875, public notice is hereby given
that the said Commissioners will cause a suitable book of
subscription to the capital stock of the Company to be in-
corporated and organized under the provisions of said act,
and to be known as the "Manhattan Railway Company,"
to be opened at 10 o'clock A. M., on Friday, the 29th
day of October, 1875, at the Corn Exchange Bank,
No. 13 William street, in the City and County
of New York. The amount of said capital stock
is fixed at two millions (\$2,000,000) of dollars,
divided into twenty thousand (20,000) shares, sub-
ject to the right to increase the capital stock from time to
time, as is by said act provided. The shares will be of the
par value of one hundred (\$100) dollars each. The whole
capital stock is to be subscribed by not less than twenty-
five persons; and, on subscribing, each subscriber is
required to pay, in cash, five per centum of the par value
of the number of shares subscribed by him.
By order of the Board.

BURTON N. HARRISON,
Acting as Secretary.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, October 15, 1875.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY
Clerk, Police Department, 300 Mulberry street,
Room 39, for the following property, now in his custody,
without claimants:

Three bags and contents, twelve revolvers, two comp.
watches, three mats, ten coats, eight shawls, black silk
dress, baby carriage, keg paint, piece muslin, poplin dress,
and a small amount of money found in car.
C. A. ST. JOHN,
Property Clerk.

ELECTION NOTICE.

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE COMMON COUNCIL,
NO. 8 CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, October 1, 1875.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN PURSUANT TO
the provisions of section 1, chapter 503, Laws of
1875, being an act to amend chapter 675 of the Laws of
1872, entitled "An act in relation to elections in the City
and County of New York, and to provide for ascertaining
by proper proofs the citizens who shall be entitled to the
rights of suffrage thereat," that at the General Election to
be held in this State on the Tuesday succeeding the first
Monday of November next November 2, the following
municipal officers are to be elected in the City and County
of New York, viz:

Six Aldermen to be voted for by the electors of the City
at large.

Three Aldermen in the Fourth Senate District, com-
posed of the First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth,
Seventh, Thirteenth, and Fourteenth Wards of the City
of New York.

Three Aldermen in the Fifth Senate District, composed
of the Eighth, Ninth, Fifteenth, and Sixteenth Wards of
the City of New York.

Three Aldermen in the Sixth Senate District, composed
of the Tenth, Eleventh, and Seventeenth Wards of the
City of New York.

Three Aldermen in the Seventh Senate District, com-
posed of the Eighteenth, Twentieth, and Twenty-first
Wards of the City of New York.

Four Aldermen in the Eighth Senate District, composed
of the Twelfth, Nineteenth, and Twenty-second Wards,
and the territory comprised within the Twenty-third and
Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York.

A Justice for the District Court of the First District,
composed of the First, Second, Third, and Fifth Wards of
the City of New York, in place of Dennis Quinn, whose
term of office will expire December 31, 1875.

A Justice for the District Court of the Second District,
composed of the Fourth, Sixth, and Fourteenth Wards,
in place of Charles M. Clancy, elected to fill a vacancy, and
whose term of office will expire December 31, 1875.

A Justice for the District Court of the Third District,
composed of the Eighth, Ninth and Fifteenth Wards of the
City of New York, in place of J. Walker Fowler, whose
term of office will expire December 31, 1875.

A Justice for the District Court of the Fourth District,
composed of the Tenth and Seventeenth Wards of the City
of New York, in place of Anthony Harmano, whose term
of office will expire December 31, 1875.

A Justice for the District Court of the Fifth District,
composed of the Seventh, Eleventh, and Thirteenth Wards
of the City of New York, in place of Joseph Koch, whose
term of office will expire December 31, 1875.

A Justice for the District Court of the Sixth District,
composed of the Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards of the
City of New York, in place of A. Hadden H. Lane, whose
term of office will expire December 31, 1875.

A Justice for the District Court of the Seventh District,
composed of the Nineteenth and Twenty-second Wards of
the City of New York, in place of Alfred T. Ackert,
appointed to fill a vacancy, whose term of office will
expire December 31, 1875.

A Justice for the District Court of the Eighth District,
composed of the Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards of the
City of New York, in place of William J. Kane, whose
term of office will expire December 31, 1875; and

A Justice for the District Court of the Ninth District,
composed of the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York,
in place of Josiah Porter, whose term of office will expire
December 31, 1875.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY,
Clerk of Common Council

DEPARTMENT PUBLIC PARKS.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
36 UNION SQUARE (EAST),
October 7, 1875.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR REMOVING THE
Ice from the Pool, in Central Park, near One Hundred
and First street and Eighth avenue, during the coming
winter season, will be received at the above office until
the 31st October, 1875.

Proposals must be addressed to the President of the De-
partment, and indorsed "Proposals to remove Ice from
Pool, Central Park."

By order of the Commissioners,
WM. IRWIN,
Secretary D. P. P.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
36 UNION SQUARE,
NEW YORK, October 13, 1875.

PROPOSALS FOR SEWER, MORNINGSIDE PARK.

PROPOSALS, IN SEALED ENVELOPES, WILL
be received at the office of the Department of Public
Parks, at the above address, until Wednesday, the 27th
day of October, 1875, at the hour of 9:30 o'clock A. M.,
when they will be publicly opened, for the construction
of a sewer for Morningside Park.

The Engineer's estimate of the work by which the bids
will be tested, is as follows, to wit:
520 lineal feet of brick sewer, egg shaped, of 3 feet 7½
inches, by 2 feet 4½ inches interior diameters, built with
bottom invert.

1 Manhole.
No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by the
consent, in writing, of two responsible householders or
freeholders of the City of New York, their respective
places of business or residences being named, to the effect
that they will become bound as sureties in the sum of three
thousand dollars for the faithful performance of the con-
tract, should it be awarded upon that proposal.

Each proposal must state the name and place of resi-
dence of the person making the same; the names of all
persons interested with him therein; that it is made with-
out collusion with any other person making an estimate
for the same work; and that no member of the Common
Council or other officer of the Corporation is directly or
indirectly interested therein, or in any portion of the
profits thereof.

The Department reserves the right to reject any or all
proposals. Proposed sureties must verify their consent
before a Judge of a Court of Record in the County of
New York.

Forms of proposals and specifications may be obtained,
and the terms of the contract (settled as required by law)
seen at the office of the Secretary at the above address.

Proposals must be addressed to the President of the De-
partment of Public Parks, and indorsed "Proposals for
sewer, Morningside Park."

H. G. STEBBINS, President,
WM. R. MARTIN,
DAVID B. WILLIAMSON,
JOSEPH J. O'DONOHUE,
Commissioners D. P. P.

WM. IRWIN,
Secretary D. P. P.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

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 considera-
tion of the Committee.

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

F. 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 here-
after 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.

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.

OFFICE CLERK OF THE COMMON COUNCIL,
NO. 8 CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, January 9, 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 9, 1875.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE COM-
ptroller, the Commissioner of Public Works, the
Corporation Counsel, and the President of each De-
partment 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.

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.

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

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.

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

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 J. SHANDLEY,
JOHN J. MORRIS,
Committee on Public Works.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY,
Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, October 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 Com-
missioners of Public Charities and Correction report as
follows:

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island, October 27,
1875—Ann Cassidy; age 82 years; 5 feet 6 inches high;
brown eyes; grey hair. Had on when admitted dark
skirt and petticoat, brown sack, dark knitted hood. This
patient was transferred from Alms-house, September 28,
1875. Nothing known of her friends or relatives. 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, October 22, 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 Com-
missioners of Public Charities and Correction report as
follows:

At New York City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island,
October 5, 1875—Albert A. Thatcher; admitted February
24, 1875; age 32 years; 5 feet 9½ inches high; brown
hair; blue eyes. Had on when admitted, checked coat
and pants, knit drawers, white shirt, red flannel undershirt,
black felt hat. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.
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, October 22, 1875.

PROPOSALS FOR 1,000 BARRELS OF POTATOES.

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 4th day of November, 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 De-
partment, 1,000 barrels good sound Irish potatoes, to
weigh 168 pounds to the barrel net, to be delivered in
quantities as required.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as prac-
ticable after the opening of the bids.

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

The Department of Public Charities and Correction re-
serve the right to decline any and all proposals if deemed
to be for the public interest, and no proposal will be
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 obliga-
tion to the Corporation.

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

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 occu-
pation, 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, mid-
wifery, 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 ex-
amined by a Committee of Physicians, and those who are
competent and qualified will receive a 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,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, October 20, 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 Com-
missioners of Public Charities and Correction report as
follows:

At New York City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island,
October 16, 1875—Herman Mittle; age 26 years; 5 feet
3 inches high; light hair; grey eyes. This patient was
transferred from Blackwell's Island April 20, 1872, and
had on Corporation clothing. Nothing known of his friends
or relatives. No effects found on his person.

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island, October 18,
1875—James Bennett; age 35 years; 6 feet high; blue
eyes; auburn hair; sandy goatee and moustache. Had
on when admitted, blue sack coat, dark pants, striped
shirt, blue cloth cap, government shoes. Nothing known
of his friends or relatives. No effects found on his person.

October 19, 1875—Mary Beckman; age 30 years; 5
feet 8 inches high; black hair and eyes; lower part of
face covered with black hair. Had on when admitted,
dark calico dress, brown petticoat, cotton chemise, calf
shoes. Nothing known of her friends or relatives. No
effects found on her person.

At Third District (Essex Market) Prison, October 18,
1875—David Hazard; committed by Justice Smith for
destitution; age about 38 years. Had on checked flannel
shirt, gray pantaloons, black coat, brown straw hat.
Nothing known of his friends or relatives. 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, October 18, 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 Com-
missioners of Public Charities and Correction report as
follows:

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island, October 15,
1875—Robert Mulvey; age 37 years; 5 feet 7 inches high;
dark eyes; brown hair. Had on when admitted blue
blouse, dark pants, heavy boots. Nothing known of his
friends or relatives. 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, October 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 Com-
missioners of Public Charities and Correction report as
follows:

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island, October 15,
1875—Catharine Smith; age 46 years; 5 feet 5 inches
high; brown eyes; gray hair; large scar on right ankle.
Had on when admitted, dark calico dress, black waist,
calico apron, white chemise. Nothing known of her friends
or relatives. No effects found on her person.

By Order,
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

THE CITY RECORD.

COPIES OF THE CITY RECORD CAN BE OR-
tained at No. 2 City Hall (northwest corner base-
ment). Price three cents each.

DEPARTMENT PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM NO. 19, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, October 18, 1875.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ON AND
after the first day of November next, an additional
ten per cent. will be added to all unpaid water rents.

FITZ JOHN PORTER,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM NO. 19, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, October 18, 1875.

PROPOSALS FOR PIG LEAD.

PROPOSALS, INCLOSED IN A SEALED EN-
velope, indorsed as above, with the name of the bid-
der, will be received at this office, until Friday, October
29, 1875, at 12 o'clock, at which hour they will be publicly
opened and read, for—

100 TONS OF REFINED PIG LEAD,
to be delivered at the Pipe Yard, foot of Twenty-fourth
street, East river.

Blank forms of proposals, the specifications, and agree-
ments, 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.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM NO. 19, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, October 18, 1875.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS, INCLOSED IN A SEALED EN-
velope, with the title of the work, and the name of
the bidder indorsed thereon (also the name of the work
as in the advertisement), will be received at this office,
until Friday, October 29, 1875, at 12 o'clock, at which
hour they will be publicly opened and read, for the follow-
ing works:

No. 1. For regulating, grading, setting curb-stones and
flagging, draining and culverts on section number one of
the Kingsbridge road, between the northerly line of One
Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and the northerly line of
what is known as One Hundred and Eighty-first street—a
distance of about 7,345 feet on the centre line of said
Kingsbridge road.

No. 2. For regulating, grading, setting curb-stones and
flagging, draining and culverts on section number two of
the Kingsbridge road, between the northerly line of what
is known as One Hundred and Eighty-first street and the
centre line of Inwood street—a distance of about 6,188 feet
on the centre line of said Kingsbridge road.

No. 3. For regulating, grading, setting curb-stones and
flagging, draining and culverts on section number three
of the Kingsbridge road, from the centre line of Inwood
street to the Harlem river, a distance of about 6,795 feet
on the centre line of said Kingsbridge road.

No. 4. For regulating, grading, setting curb-stones, and
flagging, draining, and culverts on the Boulevard and
Eleventh avenue, from the northerly line of One Hundred
and Fifty-fifth street to the westerly line of the Kings-
bridge road, a distance of about 3,486 feet on the centre
line of said Eleventh avenue.

Blank forms of proposals, the specifications and agree-
ments, 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.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM NO. 19, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, October 16, 1875.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT A
petition of the property-owners, with map and plan,
for the change of grade in Ninety-seventh street, between
Lexington and Madison avenues, is now pending before
the Common Council.

All persons interested in the above-mentioned change
of grade, and having objections thereto, are requested to
present the same, in writing, to the undersigned, at his
office, on or before Thursday, the twenty-eighth day of
October, 1875.

FITZ JOHN PORTER,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM NO. 19, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, October 18, 1875.

PROPOSALS FOR STOP-COCKS, HY- DRANTS AND CAST-IRON STOP-COCK BOXES AND COVERS.

PROPOSALS, INCLOSED IN A SEALED EN-
velope, indorsed as above, with the name of the bid-
der, will be received at this office, until Friday,
October 29, 1875, at 12 o'clock, at which hour they
will be publicly opened and read, for—

- No. 1.
10 Twenty-inch Stop-cocks.
24 Twelve-inch Stop-cocks.
50 Six-inch Stop-cocks.
25 Four-inch Stop-cocks.
50 Hydrants.

- No. 2.
25 No. 1 Cast-iron Stop-cock Boxes.
75 No. 2 Cast-iron Stop-cock Boxes.
75 No. 3 Cast-iron Stop-cock Boxes.
20 Double Cast-iron Stop-cock Boxes.
100 Covers for Stop-cock Boxes (old style).

Blank forms of proposals, the specifications and agree-
ments, 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.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
117 AND 119 DUANE STREET.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BUILDING WOODEN
PIER, TO BE KNOWN AS NEW PIER 42,
NORTH RIVER (SITUATED ON SITE OF
OLD PIER 50, AT FOOT OF MORTON
STREET).

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR BUILDING WOODEN
Pier at foot of Morton street, North river, indorsed as
above, and addressed to "Salem H. Wales, President of
the Department of Docks," will be received at this office,
until 11 o'clock A. M. of Monday, November 8, 1875, at
which time the bids will be publicly opened and read.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as prac-
ticable after the opening of the bids.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be a
skilled dock or bridge builder, well prepared for the
business, and shall give security for the faithful performance
of his contract, in the manner prescribed and required by
ordinance.

The Engineer's estimate of the work to be done is as
follows:

	Feet, B. M.
A. Yellow pine timber, 12 x 5 in.	295,517
B. " " " 12 x 12 in.	200,000
C. " " " 10 x 10 in.	128,000
D. " " " 8 x 8 in.	5,419
E. " " " 12 x 6 in.	12,024
F. White oak for mooring-post platform and buf- fers, 12 x 12 in.	5,700
G. White oak timber for fender, 12 x 8 in.	12,480
H. " " sheathing, 12 x 5 in.	5,000
J. Cast-iron mooring posts.	15,500
K. " washers.	6,700
L. Wrought-iron bolts, bands, collars, and wash- ers, about.	27,400
M. 1 1/2 in. vertical and 2 in. horizontal brace rods, with turnbuckles, straps and eye-bolts and washers.	11,416
N. 22, 18, 15, 12, 10, and 6 in. spike-pointed bolts O. Boiler-plate armatures.	18,637
P. Labor of framing and carpentry, including all moving of timber, jointing, planing, bolt- ing, spiking, etc., of every description, for 65 ft., where bays are 12 ft. 6 in. span.	7,000
Q. Labor of framing and carpentry, including all moving of timber, jointing, planing, bolt- ing, spiking, etc., of every description, for 505 ft., where bays are of 9 ft. span.	
R. 770 piles, to be furnished by Department of Docks, to be barked and driven.	
S. 48 columns 20 x 20 in., in section, 70 ft. in length, to be driven.	

The foregoing are the quantities which have been esti-
mated approximately for the construction of the work.
They form, however, no part of the contract, and persons
bidding are cautioned that the Department of Docks do
not hold themselves responsible that any of them shall
strictly obtain in the construction of the work, and bidders
are required to examine the plans and the premises, and
to judge for themselves of the quantity and other circum-
stances affecting the cost of the work, and to make their
bids for each item independent of the others, so far as rela-
tive quantities are concerned.

The time allowed for the completion of the work (except
about fifty feet of the shore end of the pier, which will not
be constructed until the bulkhead wall in the rear is
erected) is four months from the date of the execution of
the contract, and a penalty of fifty dollars per day, as
liquidated damages, will be exacted for each day that
the contract may be unfulfilled, after the said four months
have expired, Sundays and holidays only to be excepted.

Should the lowest bidder or bidders neglect or refuse to
accept this contract within forty-eight (48) hours after
written notice that the same has been awarded to his or
their bid, he or they shall be considered as having aban-
doned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and the
contract will be re-advertised and relet, and so on until it
be accepted and executed.

Bidders are required to state in their proposals their
names and places of residence; also that the bid is made
without any connection with any other person making
any estimate for the same work, and that it is in all respects
fair, and without collusion or fraud; and also that no mem-
ber of the Common Council, head of a Department, chief
of a bureau, or deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other
officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly inter-
ested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it re-
lates, or in any portion of the profits thereof; which pro-
posals must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party
making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein
are in all respects true. Where more than one person is
interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and
subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each proposal shall be accompanied by the consent, in
writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of
New York, with their respective places of business or
residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded
to the person or persons making the bid, they will, on its
being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its
faithful performance. The consent above mentioned
shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writ-
ing, of each of the persons signing the same, taken before a
judge of any court of record in this county, that each is
a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and
is worth the amount of the security required for the con-
tract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and
over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise;
and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith;
and the adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties offered to be
approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

after the award is made, and prior to the signing of the
contract.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the speci-
fications will be allowed, unless under the written instruc-
tions of the Engineer-in-Chief.

No proposal will be accepted from, or contract awarded
to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation, upon
debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or other-
wise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The form of the agreement, including specifications, and
showing the manner of payment for the material, can be
obtained at the office of the Department, Room No. 6.

SALEM H. WALES,
JACOB A. WESTERVELT,
HENRY F. DIMOCK,

Commissioners of the Department of Docks

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
117 AND 119 DUANE STREET,
NEW YORK, October 25, 1875.

NOTICE—WILLIAM KENNELLY, AUCTION-
eer, will sell at public auction, at the Exchange
Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway, on Friday, November 5,
1875, at 12 o'clock, the right to collect and retain all
wharfage which shall accrue for the use by vessels of more
than five tons burthen at the following-named piers and
bulkheads, for and during the term of two years and five
months from December 1, 1875.

Terms and conditions will be stated by the Auctioneer at
the time of sale.

EAST RIVER.

No. 1. Upper half of Pier No. 6, and bulkhead between
Piers 6 and 7.

No. 2. Pier No. 7.

No. 3. Lower half of Pier No. 12, and about 100 feet and
6 inches of bulkhead adjoining.

No. 4. Upper half of Pier No. 18.

No. 5. Bulkhead between Piers Nos. 18 and 19.

No. 6. Pier at Twenty-third street, excepting outer end
and berth for school-ship at south side of said pier.

No. 7. Pier foot Seventy-ninth street.

No. 8. Pier at One Hundred and Seventeenth street.

NORTH RIVER.

No. 9. Pier at One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street,
reserving street dump.

No. 10. Pier at One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.

SALEM H. WALES,
JACOB A. WESTERVELT,
HENRY F. DIMOCK,
Commissioners of Docks.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
Nos. 117 AND 119 DUANE STREET.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING FRESH
BURNT ENGLISH OR BOULOGNE PORT-
LAND CEMENT.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS
material, indorsed as above, and addressed to
"Salem H. Wales, President of the Department of
Docks," will be received at this office until 11 o'clock A. M.,
of Wednesday, November 3, 1875, at which time the bids
will be publicly opened and read. The award of the con-
tract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening
of the bids.

Any bidder for this contract must be well prepared for
the business, and shall give security for the faithful per-
formance of his contract, in the manner prescribed and
required by ordinance.

The Cement required under the contract must be Fre h
Burnt English or Boulogne Portland Cement, and fully up
to the standard of the best brands imported, and average
at least 400 pounds gross weight to the barrel. No Cement
will be received that shall have been ground or burnt for a
longer period than one month prior to the date of the sail-
ing of the vessel on which it is shipped, and the Manu-
facturer's Certificate of date of manufacture will be required
with each delivery, and said date must be marked on each
barrel with a stencil plate.

The quantity to be delivered under the contract is 5,000
barrels, and the delivery is to commence within thirty days
after the date of signing the contract; and the time allowed
for the fulfillment of the contract will be three months from
the date of its execution, and a penalty of fifty dollars per
day, as liquidated damages, will be exacted for each day
that the delivery of any part of the said 5,000 barrels may
be delayed beyond the time stipulated for its delivery, or
that the contract may be unfulfilled, after the said three
months has expired, Sundays and holidays only to be ex-
cepted.

Should the lowest bidder or bidders neglect or refuse to
accept this contract within forty-eight (48) hours after
written notice that the same has been awarded to his or
their bid, he or they shall be considered as having aban-
doned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and the
contract will be re-advertised and relet, and so on until it
be accepted and executed.

Bidders are required to state in their proposals their
names and places of residence; also that the bid is made
without any connection with any other person making
any estimate for the same material, and that it is in all
respects fair, and without collusion or fraud; and also that no
member of the Common Council, head of a Department, chief
of a bureau, or deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other
officer of the Corporation is directly or indirectly inter-
ested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it re-
lates, or in any portion of the profits thereof; which pro-
posals must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party
making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein
are in all respects true. Where more than one person is
interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and
subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each proposal shall be accompanied by the consent, in
writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of
New York, with their respective places of business or res-
idence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the
person or persons making the bid, they will, on its being
so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful per-
formance.

The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by
the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons
signing the same, taken before a Judge of any Court of
Record in this county, that each is a householder or free-
holder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount
of the security required for the contract, over and above
all his debts of every nature, and over and above his li-
abilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has
offered himself as a surety in good faith; the adequacy
and sufficiency of the sureties offered to be approved by
the Comptroller of the City of New York after the award
is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the speci-
fications will be allowed, unless under the written instruc-
tions of the Engineer-in-Chief.

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debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or other-
wise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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SALEM H. WALES,
JACOB A. WESTERVELT,
HENRY F. DIMOCK,

Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

CORPORATION NOTICES.

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

No. 1. Regulating and paving with Belgian pavement
Twenty-ninth street, between First avenue and East river.
No. 2. Regulating and paving with Belgian pavement
Madison avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-first
to One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.

No. 3. Regulating and grading Eighty-seventh street,
from Eighth to Tenth avenue.

No. 4. Regulating and grading Ninetieth street, from
Eighth to Tenth avenue.

No. 5. Regulating and grading, setting curb and gutter
stones, and flagging in One Hundred and Twenty-ninth
street, from Broadway to Hudson river.

No. 6. Laying Belgian pavement in Sixty-eighth street,
from Third to Fourth avenue.

No. 7. Laying Belgian pavement in Eighty-third street,
from First to Third avenue.

No. 8. Laying Belgian pavement in One Hundred and
Eleventh street, from Third to Fourth avenue.

No. 9. Laying Belgian pavement in Forty-third street,
from First to Second avenue.

No. 10. Laying Belgian pavement in Sixty-fourth street,
from Second to Third avenue.

No. 11. Laying Belgian pavement in One Hundred
and Thirtieth street, from Second avenue to Harlem
river.

No. 12. Building underground drains between Ninety-
second and One Hundred and Sixth streets, and between
Third avenue and Harlem river.

No. 13. Laying Belgian pavement in Lexington avenue,
from Sixty-sixth to Seventy-first street.

No. 14. Laying crosswalks on Lexington avenue,
between Sixty-sixth and Seventy-first streets.

No. 15. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter
stones, and flagging in Thirtieth street, from Eleventh
to Sixteenth street.

No. 16. Regulating, grading, curb, gutter, and flagging
in Thirty-third street, from First avenue to the East river.

No. 17. Flagging north side of Fifty-seventh street,
from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 19 CHATHAM STREET,
NEW YORK, Oct. 12, 1875.

JOHN R. MUMFORD,
Secretary.

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 com-
pleted, and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assess-
ors for examination by all persons interested, viz:

No. 1. For regulating and grading Eighty-eighth street,
from Eighth to Tenth avenue.

No. 2. For regulating and grading Ninth avenue, from
Eighty-sixth to One Hundred and Tenth street.

No. 3. For regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter
and flagging Sixtieth street, from First avenue to Avenue A.

No. 4. For flagging sidewalks both sides Fifty-fourth
street, from Fourth to Fifth avenue.

No. 5. For flagging and reflagging Eighty-fourth street,
from Madison to Fifth avenue.

No. 6. For building underground drains on both sides of
the lines Inwood and Dyckman streets, between Harlem
and Hudson rivers.

No. 7. For building sewer in Lighthouse street, between
Varick and Hudson streets.

No. 8. For building sewers in South Catharine and
Water streets, between present sewers in Catharine and
Market streets.

No. 9. For building sewer in One Hundred and Twenty-
sixth street, between Sixth and Eighth avenues.

No. 10. For building sewer in One Hundred and Twenty-
eighth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.

No. 11. For building sewer in One Hundred and Thirty-
fourth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

No. 12. For building sewer in Sixty-eighth street, be-
tween Third and Fourth avenues, with branches in Third
and Lexington avenues.

No. 13. For building sewers in Water street, between
Jefferson and Gouverneur streets.

No. 14. For building sewer in One Hundred and Thirtieth
street, between Third and Fourth avenues.

No. 15. For building basin on northeast corner One
Hundred and Twenty-ninth street and Third avenue.

No. 16. For flagging in front of lot No. 236 West Forty-
seventh street.

No. 17. For laying Belgian pavement in Seventy-fifth
street, from Madison to Fifth avenue.

No. 18. For laying Belgian pavement in West Eleventh
street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.

No. 19. For fencing vacant lots on south side of Ninety-
second street, 225 feet west of Third avenue, and extending
50 feet westerly.

No. 20. For fencing vacant lots southeast corner of Third
avenue and Eighty-seventh street.

The limits embraced by such assessment include all the
several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and
parcels of land, situated on—

No. 1. Both sides of Eighty-eighth street, from Eighth
to Tenth avenue.

No. 2. Both sides of Ninth avenue, from Eighty-sixth
to One Hundred and Tenth street, and to the extent of half
the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 3. Both sides of Sixtieth street, from First avenue to
Avenue A.

No. 4. Both sides of Fifty-fourth street, from Fourth to
Fifth avenue.

No. 5. Both sides of Eighty-fourth street, from Madison
to Fifth avenue.

No. 6. Farm numbers 42, 43, 44, and 68.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS,
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, October 21, 1875.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR DOING THE WORK and furnishing the materials required in the alteration, extension, and repairing of the house Nos. 191 and 193 Fulton street, will be received at these Headquarters, until 10 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, the 3d proximo, when they will be publicly opened and read.

Plans and specifications, and form of contract therefor may be seen, and blank proposals will be furnished, upon application at these Headquarters.

Two responsible sureties will be required upon each proposal, who must each justify in the sum of five thousand dollars.

The right to reject any or all proposals received, if deemed to be for the interests of the city, is reserved.

JOSEPH L. PERLEY,
ROSWELL D. HAICH,
VINCENT C. KING,
Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS,
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, October 21, 1875.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR PAINTING ONE thousand telegraph poles, including cross arms and alarm boxes thereon, will be received at these Headquarters, until 10 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, the 3d proximo, at which time they will be publicly opened and read.

Specifications for doing the work and form of contract can be seen on application at these Headquarters, where further information and blank proposals may also be obtained.

Two responsible sureties will be required with each proposal, who must each justify in the sum of one thousand dollars.

Proposals must be addressed to the Board of Commissioners, be indorsed "Proposals for Painting Telegraph Poles," and the Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all the proposals received, if deemed to be for the interests of the city.

JOSEPH L. PERLEY,
ROSWELL D. HAICH,
VINCENT C. KING,
Commissioners.

JURORS.

NOTICE
IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, June 1, 1875.

APPLICATIONS FOR EXEMPTIONS WILL BE heard here, from 9 to 4 daily, from all persons hitherto liable or recently serving who have become exempt, and all needed information will be given.

Those who have not answered as to their liability, or proved permanent exemption, will receive a "jury enrollment notice," requiring them to appear before me this year. Whether liable or not, such notices must be answered, in person, if possible, and at this office only, under severe penalties. If exempt, the party must bring proof of exemption; if liable, he must also answer in person, giving full and correct name, residence, etc., etc. No attention paid to letters.

When possible and legal, serving jurors will be allowed to select a convenient season—if application be made in time.

Persons "enrolled" as liable must serve when called or pay their fines. No mere excuse will be allowed or interference permitted. The fines, received from those who, for business or other reasons, are unable to serve at the time selected, pay the expenses of this office, and if unpaid will be entered as judgments upon the property of delinquents.

The Commissioner will receive applications for relief from those jurors who have served continuously and promptly for several years, or have done excessive jury service in the State Courts.

All good citizens will aid the course of justice, and secure reliable and respectable juries, and equalize their duty by serving promptly when summoned, allowing their clerks or subordinates to serve, reporting to me any attempt at bribery or evasion, and suggesting names for enrollment. Persons between sixty and seventy years of age, summer absentees, persons temporarily ill, and United States and District Court jurors are not exempt.

Every man must attend to his own notice. It is a misdemeanor to give any jury paper to another to answer. It is also punishable by fine or imprisonment to give or receive any present or bribe, directly or indirectly, in relation to a jury service, or to withhold any paper or make any false statement, and every case will be fully prosecuted. No fees of any kind exist, or are allowed in regard to jury notices, and any one asking, receiving, or giving any such "fee" or "present" will be arrested, and, if possible, punished to the full extent of the law.

THOMAS DUNLAP, Commissioner,
County Court-house, Chambers-street entrance.

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Parks, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of Brook avenue, from the water to the Harlem Railroad, at One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, 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:

First.—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 William C. Traphagen, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 57 Broadway (Room No. 24), in the said city, on or before the 25th day of November, 1875; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 25th day of November, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at three 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 8th day of December, A. D. 1875.

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces, or parcels of land, situate, lying, and being in the City of New York, bounded by, included, and contained within the following limits, that is to say: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Brook avenue with the easterly line of the New York and Harlem Railroad, and running thence westerly at right angle to Brook avenue four hundred feet; thence southerly on a line

parallel to and distant four hundred feet west of the westerly line of Brook avenue to the Harlem river; thence easterly along the Harlem river to a point distant four hundred feet east of the easterly line of Brook avenue; thence northerly on a line parallel to and distant four hundred feet east of the easterly line of Brook avenue, to the northerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street; thence westerly along said northerly line to the easterly line of the Harlem Railroad; thence southerly along the last mentioned line 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 3d day of January, 1876, 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.

WM. C. TRAPHAGEN,
FREDERICK SMYTH,
CLINTON G. COLGATE,
Commissioners.

Dated New York, October 19, 1875.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of Fort Washington Ridge road, between the Boulevard on the west, and Eleventh avenue and Kingsbridge road on the east, and running from Eleventh avenue at One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, in a generally northerly direction, to a point on said Kingsbridge road, near Inwood street, with a branch thereof running easterly to said Kingsbridge road, as laid out by the Department of Parks, 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:

First.—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 the Commissioners, at our office, No. 57 Broadway Room No. 24, in the said city, on or before the 29th day of October, 1875; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 29th day of October, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at one 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 14th day of November, 1875.

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

Beginning at the point of intersection of the centre line of One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street with the centre line of the road or Public Drive, running thence northerly along the centre line of the road or Public Drive to a point at One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, distant four hundred and ninety-five feet westerly from the westerly line of Fort Washington Ridge road; thence northerly in a straight line, to a point, at One Hundred and Eighty-first street, distant nine hundred and forty-two feet west of the westerly line of Fort Washington Ridge road; thence still northerly in a straight line to a point, distant two hundred and sixty-one feet west of the westerly line of Fort Washington Ridge road, and at right angle to the Kingsbridge road near Ellwood street; thence westerly to the centre line of the road or Public Drive; thence northerly along the centre line of the road or Public Drive to the centre line of D street; thence northerly along the centre line of D street to the centre line of Inwood street; thence southeasterly along the centre line of Inwood street to the centre line of Dyckman street; thence southeasterly along the centre line of Dyckman street to the centre line of Eleventh avenue; thence southerly along the centre line of Eleventh avenue to the centre line of One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street; thence westerly along the centre line of One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street to the point or place of beginning—said premises appearing upon the maps or diagrams above mentioned.

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 6th day of December, 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, September 22, 1875.

WILLIAM KENNELLY,
JAMES M. OAKLEY,
JOHN T. MCGOWAN,
Commissioners.

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

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:

First.—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 the Commissioners, at our office, No. 57 Broadway Room No. 24, in the said city, on or before the 13th day of October, 1875; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 13th day of October, 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 twenty-sixth day of October, A. D. 1875.

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces, or parcels of land, situate, lying, and being 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 westerly line of Ninth avenue, distant ninety-nine feet and eleven inches south of the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-first street; running thence westerly parallel to One Hundred and Fifty-first street, to the bulkhead line on the Hudson river; thence northerly along said bulkhead line to a point distant ninety-nine feet and eleven inches north of the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-first street; thence easterly parallel to One Hundred and Fifty-first street to the westerly line of Ninth avenue; thence southerly along the westerly line of Ninth avenue 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 20th day of October, 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, September 6, 1875.

EDWARD J. SHANDLEY,
JOSEPH CORNELL,
CLINTON G. COLGATE,
Commissioners.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the School Trustees of the Twenty-second Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Thursday, October 28, 1875, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on said day, for additions and alterations to be made on the premises corner of Eleventh avenue and West Eighty-second street, occupied by Grammar School No. 9.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same time and place for the desks, seats, etc., required for said school.

Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, will be required from each successful bidder. Proposals will not be considered unless sureties are named. The name of the party or firm submitting a proposal must be indorsed on the outside of the envelope containing said proposal.

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

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

JOEL W. MASON,
JAMES R. CUMING,
ADNA H. UNDERHILL,
WALTER CARTER,
JOHN MORGAN,
Board of School Trustees,
Twenty-second Ward.

Dated New York, October 12, 1875.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
ROTUNDA, COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, October 20, 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 SEPTEMBER 24, 1875.

Regulating and grading Seventh avenue, from One Hundred and Tenth street to Harlem river.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before December 20, 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.

INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

THE INTEREST ON THE BONDS AND STOCKS of the City and County of New York, due November 1, 1875, will be paid on that day, by the Comptroller, at his office, in the New Court-house.

The transfer books will be closed from September 23 to November 1, 1875.

ANDREW H. GREEN,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF
FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
September 15, 1875.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
ROTUNDA, COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, October 5, 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 SEPTEMBER 22, 1875.

Paving Eleventh avenue, from Fifty-second to Fifty-ninth street, with Belgian pavement.

Sewer on the east side of Hudson street, between Charlton and King streets.

Sewer on the west side of Hudson street, between Charlton and King streets.

Sewer in Greenwich street, between King and West Houston streets.

Sewer in Greenwich street, between Charlton and Leroy streets.

Sewer in Washington street, between West Tenth and Charles streets.

Sewer in Sheriff street, between Grand and Broome streets.

Sewers in Ninety-fifth and Ninety-eighth streets, between First and Third avenues; and in First avenue, between Ninety-fifth and One Hundredth streets, with branches.

Receiving-basins in Cherry street, between New Chambers and Roosevelt streets.

Receiving-basin on the northwest corner of Stuyvesant street and Second avenue.

Receiving-basin on the west side of Tenth avenue, between Twenty-fifth and Twenty-sixth streets.

Receiving-basin on the southwest corner of One Hundred and Eleventh street and Avenue St. Nicholas.

Receiving-basin on the southwest corner of One Hundred and Twelfth street and Avenue St. Nicholas.

Receiving-basin on the southwest corner of One Hundred and Seventeenth street and Sixth avenue.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before December 4, 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.

BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,
COURT-HOUSE, PARK, 32 CHAMBERS STREET,
September 15, 1875.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Assessment Rolls on Real Estate, Personal Property, and Bank Stock in the City and County of New York, for the year 1875, have been delivered to the undersigned, and that the taxes thereon are now due and payable at this office.

In case of payment before the first day of November next, the person so paying shall be entitled to the benefits mentioned in the 29th section of the act of March 30, 1860, viz., a reduction at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum from the time of payment to the first day of December next.

MARTIN T. McMAHON,
Receiver of Taxes.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,
COURT-HOUSE, PARK, 32 CHAMBERS ST.,
September 13, 1875.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Assessment Rolls on Personal Property and Bank Stock for the year 1875 have been delivered to the undersigned, and that the taxes thereon are now due and payable at this office.

In case of payment before the first day of November next, the person so paying shall be entitled to the benefits mentioned in the twenty-ninth section of the act of March 30, 1860, viz.: A reduction at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the time of payment to the 1st day of December next.

The real estate books will be ready for payment on the 15th of September instant.

MARTIN T. McMAHON,
Receiver of Taxes.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
ROTUNDA, NEW COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, October 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 SEPTEMBER 22, 1875.

Flagging sidewalks on south side of Thirty-fourth street, between First avenue and East river.

Regulating, grading, curb, gutter, and flagging Fifty-fifth street, between Eleventh avenue and the North river.

Regulating, grading, curb, gutter and flagging Sixty-seventh street, from Fourth to Fifth avenue.

Regulating and grading One Hundred and Sixteenth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before December 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.

CORPORATION SALE OF FERRY FRANCHISES.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED AND publicly opened at the Comptroller's office, on Thursday, October 28, 1875, at 2 o'clock P. M., for Leases of Franchise or right to maintain and operate several ferries around the City of New York for the terms and on the conditions hereafter set forth.

The leases will be made to conform to the requirements of the laws relative to ferries, and subject to such regulations, ordinances, or by-laws, as now are or hereafter may be made or passed by the Common Council or State Legislature, and the leases will also provide that the lessees shall take and assume at their own costs and charges all or any responsibilities and liabilities of the Corporation of the City of New York to the present lessees of ferries in relation to boats, fixtures, etc., belonging to such lessees at the respective ferries.

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

The Department of Docks of the City of New York has fixed and established the rent for which it will lease the property in wharves, piers, slips, and lands under water belonging to the Corporation, at the several ferries to be leased to the parties or persons to whom the lease of the ferry franchise shall be awarded by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, for the term specified for the lease of the franchise, at the rates set forth hereafter, and no deviation will be made from the same, and covenants will be contained in such leases for construction, maintenance and surrender of all necessary fixtures and appurtenances to the wharf and pier property belonging to the city used by such respective ferries.

Proposals for the lease or license to use the ferry franchise at the respective ferries, to state the maximum percentage on gross receipts which the person or parties offering to take each ferry will pay in addition to the rent fixed by the Department of Docks for the use of the pier or wharf property belonging to the city, but no lease will be given at less than the minimum rate of 2½ per cent. on the gross receipts.

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

The several ferries at which the franchise only is to be leased are as follows:

1st. The ferry from the foot of Tenth street, East river, to Greenpoint, Long Island, for the term of five years from November 1, 1875.

The several ferries at which the franchise is to be leased, with use of pier and wharf property belonging to the City of New York, are as follows:

2d. The ferry from the north side of Twenty-third street, East river, as now occupied, to Greenpoint, Long Island, for the term of five years from November 1, 1875, subject to \$2,000 per annum rent, payable as last mentioned.

3d. The ferry from the foot of Grand street, East river, to Grand street, Brooklyn, E. D., including such wharf property as shall have been heretofore used by the ferry run from these points, for the term of ten years from November 1, 1875, subject to payment of \$2,000 per annum for the first five years and \$3,000 per annum during the second five years, rent payable quarterly-yearly to the Department of Docks.

4th. The ferry from the foot of Desbrosses street, North river, to Jersey City, New Jersey, for the term of one year from November 1, 1875, subject to \$3,000 per annum rent, payable as last mentioned.

All of such leases to contain, in addition to the usual covenants and agreements, a clause to the effect that the lessees will, at all times during the term of their respective leases, well and sufficiently repair, uphold, sustain, amend, maintain and keep all and singular the floats, racks, fenders, bridges, and other fixtures at each landing place of their respective ferries, and that in the event of any damage to the bulkheads and piers adjoining their respective ferries, from collision by ferryboats or otherwise, from any action or negligence on their part, that they the said lessees will immediately repair and restore said property to its former good condition, free of cost and expense to the Corporation; also, that if at any time during the continuance of the demised term the Department of Docks shall require any of the premises connected with any ferry slip or landing place so leased, upon written notice having been given for three months previously that it is the desire of the Department of Docks to progress with the improvements in that vicinity, such Department of Docks may declare the demised term to be terminated, and the lessees shall surrender up the premises and vacate the same without any claim upon the City of New York for any damages whatever.

Bids to be addressed to the undersigned, indorsed "Bids for Ferry Franchises."

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

NEW YORK, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
October 16, 1875.

ANDREW H. GREEN,
Comptroller.