

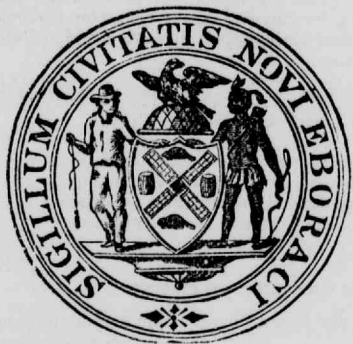
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LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

STATED SESSION.

TUESDAY, March 4, 1879,
2 o'clock P. M.

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

PRESENT:

Hon. Jordan L. Mott, President;

ALDERMEN

Thomas Carroll,
John Cavanagh,
Frederick Finck,
George Hall,
J. Graham Hyatt,
John W. Jacobus,

Patrick Keenan,
Bernard Kenney,
Terence Kiernan,
John J. Morris,
Henry C. Perley,
William R. Roberts,

William Sauer,
Thomas Sheils,
James J. Slevin,
Matthew Stewart,
Joseph P. Strack.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

PETITIONS.

By Alderman Morris—

Petition of Caroline Hoppok for repeal of resolution permitting bay-windows at Nos. 40 and 42 West Fourteenth street.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By the President—

Petition of Blooming Grove Park Association to be permitted to shoot pigeon matches at Kyle's Park, Highbridge.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets.

By Alderman Morris—

D. APPLETON & CO., 549 AND 551 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, March 3, 1879.

JOHN J. MORRIS, Esq., Alderman, etc., N. Y.:

SIR—It being our object, in presenting through you our petition to your Honorable Board for the grant of the Broadway Railroad franchise, to furnish all the modern facilities for city travel, and to relieve Broadway as much as possible from obstructions, we have to request that you will state to your Honorable Body that we further agree, as an additional condition upon which we are willing to accept said grant, in laying our track, to repair and relay the whole of Broadway, from curb to curb, between Fourteenth street and Bowling Green, in order that the grade of the street may be uniform.

Very respectfully, yours,

WM. H. APPLETON,

HEYRON A. JOHNSON,

For ourselves and associates.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets.

INVITATION.

An invitation was received to review the Irish civic societies on the 17th inst. in front of the City Hall.

Which was accepted.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Alderman Finck—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Kiernan—

Resolved, That the vacant lot No. 208 East Eighty-fifth street be fenced in, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By the same—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Slevin—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Roberts—

Resolved, That M. M. Forest be and hereby is appointed a Commissioner of Deeds.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Sauer—

AN ORDINANCE to prevent water from roofs, piazzas, and other parts of buildings in the City of New York from flowing across or upon the sidewalks.

The Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York do ordain as follows:

Section 1. It shall not be lawful to permit water from the roof, piazza, balcony, portico, bay-window, porch, or other portions of any dwelling-house or other building within the corporate limits of the City of New York to flow over, upon, or across the surface of any sidewalk in any street, avenue, or public place in said city, and the owner or lessee of every such building who shall violate the provisions of this ordinance shall thereby incur a penalty of ten dollars.

Sec. 2. Every such dwelling-house or other building, and every piazza, balcony, portico, bay-window, porch, or other portion of every such house or other building shall be connected with leaders of tin or other metal with the sewers on the street fronting on which every such house or other building is located; and in case there be no sewer in any such street, avenue, or public place, then such leaders from the house-front to and through the curb-stone shall be placed under the sidewalk, in a covered gutter, so as to empty into the gutter in the carriageway, and every such owner or lessee shall, at all times, keep such gutters clear of ice and every other obstruction, so that the water shall pass freely through the same without overflowing or running upon the surface of the sidewalk, under a like penalty of ten dollars for every violation of the provisions contained in this section of this ordinance, and the Commissioners of Police are hereby directed to enforce the provisions of this ordinance, by complaint for every violation thereof to the Corporation Attorney.

Sec. 3. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec. 4. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Alderman Sauer moved to refer to the Committee on Streets.

Alderman Slevin, as an amendment, moved to refer to the Committee on Police and Health Departments.

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

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote, on a division called by Alderman Slevin, viz.:

Affirmative—Aldermen Jacobus, Keenan, and Slevin—3.

Negative—The President, Aldermen Carroll, Cavanagh, Finck, G. Hall, Hyatt, Kenney, Kiernan, Morris, Perley, Roberts, Sauer, Sheils, Stewart, and Strack—15.

The President then put the question whether the Board would agree with the motion of Alderman Sauer.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to B. E. Wehner to place and keep a sign in front of his premises No. 103 West Thirty-third street, similar to the sign now in front of premises Nos. 105 and 107, in said street, 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.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets.

By Alderman Carroll—

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized to lay Croton mains in Ninety-ninth street, between Tenth avenue and Boulevard, pursuant to chapter 477, Laws of 1875.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Perley—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That a crosswalk be laid across Tenth avenue, from the northwest to the southwest corner of Tenth avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-third street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Keenan—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Denis Nevin to erect a watering-trough in front of No. 113 Avenue D, the water to be supplied 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.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Stewart—

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to William O. Robbins to erect and maintain an ornamental and illuminative sign in front of the Windsor Theatre, Nos. 45 and 47 Bowery, said sign to be similar to the one exhibited in front of the Grand Opera House, to be not less than twelve feet above the sidewalk, and placed in such position as not to be an obstruction to the view of pedestrians, the gas to be supplied and work to be done at his own expense; said permission to continue during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the President, for Alderman Haughton—

Resolved, That an improved iron drinking fountain be placed in front of No. 575 West Thirty-fourth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By the President, for Alderman Haughton—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Jacobus—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman G. Hall—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Cavanagh—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Henry Knobel to retain illuminative sign now in front of premises No. 135 Bleecker street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the President, for Alderman R. Hall—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Hyatt—

Resolved, That this Common Council hereby approves the provisions of the bill introduced into the Assembly of this State by Assemblyman Julius J. C. Langbien providing that the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks shall establish a temporary parade ground for the use of the First Division of the National Guard of the State of New York in the Central Park, and respectfully requests the Senators and Members of Assembly to enact the bill into a law; and be it further

Resolved, That the Clerk of the Common Council be and he is hereby instructed to transmit a copy of the foregoing resolution to the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the Assembly, as a memorial to the Legislature of this State, from the corporate authorities of this city, praying for the passage of the bill named.

Which was referred to the Committee on Lands, Places, and Park Department.

REPORTS.

(G. O. 67.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of flagging and reflagging sidewalks, full width, on both sides of Eighty-fourth street, between Second and Third avenues, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution and ordinance be adopted.

Resolved, That the sidewalks on both sides of Eighty-fourth street, between Second and Third avenues, be flagged and reflagged full width, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

HENRY C. PERLEY,
TERENCE KIERNAN,
JOSEPH P. STRACK,
FREDERICK FINCK,
THOMAS CARROLL,

Committee
on
Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 68.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of placing two lamps in front of Ward School No. 41, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed two lamps to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That two lamp-posts, with boulevard lamps, be placed and the lamps lighted in front of Ward School No. 41, in Greenwich avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

HENRY C. PERLEY,
TERENCE KIERNAN,
JOSEPH P. STRACK,
FREDERICK FINCK,
THOMAS CARROLL,

Committee
on
Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 69.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., Seventy-fifth street, from Tenth avenue to Riverside Drive, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution and ordinance be adopted.

Resolved, That Seventy-fifth street, from Tenth avenue to Riverside Drive, be regulated, graded, curbed, guttered, and flagged, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

HENRY C. PERLEY,
TERENCE KIERNAN,
JOSEPH P. STRACK,
FREDERICK FINCK,
THOMAS CARROLL,

Committee
on
Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 70.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging sidewalks (four feet wide) in One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, from Lawrence street to a certain road or avenue closed by chapter 290, section 10, Laws of 1871, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution and ordinance be adopted.

Resolved, That One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, from the northeasterly line of Lawrence street, parallel with One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, to the westerly side of a certain road or avenue closed by act of the Legislature, chap. 290, section 10, passed April 5, 1871, as said One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street appears upon a map made by the Commissioners of the Central Park, and filed in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York October 22, 1867, be regulated and graded, the curb and gutter stones be set, and the sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

HENRY C. PERLEY,
TERENCE KIERNAN,
JOSEPH P. STRACK,
FREDERICK FINCK,
THOMAS CARROLL,

Committee
on
Public Works.

Which was laid over.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Alderman Morris presented the following communication from Hon. Nicholas Miller, viz.:
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 4, 1879.

To Hon. JOHN J. MORRIS:

Please have action taken in relation to the barge office. Have seen the Secretary of the Treasury, who says money, plans, and everything else is ready. Only waiting the action of your Board to commence the work.

N. MULLER.

Which was referred to the Committee on Lands, Places, and Park Department.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Commissioner of Public Works:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 19 CITY HALL, NEW YORK, March 4, 1879.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with the provisions of section 1, chapter 476, Laws of 1875, I hereby certify and report to your Honorable Board that the safety, health, and convenience of the public require that the following-named streets be repaved:

FIRST—WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT.

New street, from Beaver to Wall street.
Exchange place, from Broadway to William street.
Church street, from Vesey to Chambers street.
Centre street, from Chambers to Canal street, except where now paved with Belgian pavement.
White street, from Broadway to West Broadway.
Mercer street, from Bleecker to Eighth street.
Seventh avenue, from Forty-seventh to Fifty-ninth street, except in rail-tracks.
University place, from Eighth to Fourteenth street, except where now paved with Belgian pavement.

Seventeenth street, from Broadway to Fifth avenue.

Front street, from Maiden lane to Fulton street.

Clarkson street, from Varick street to North river.

Great Jones street, from Bowery to Broadway.

Ninth street, from Second to Third avenue.

Fifteenth street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

Nineteenth street, from Third to Fourth avenue.

Nineteenth street, from Fifth to Sixth avenue.

SECOND—WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT.

Water street, from Fulton to Market street.

Madison street, from Market to Clinton street.

Twenty-first street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.

Twenty-fourth street, from Lexington avenue to East river.

First avenue, from Thirtieth to Thirty-sixth street.

Twenty-sixth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.

Tenth avenue, from Thirty-first to Forty-second street.

Thirty-seventh street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

Forty-fifth street, from Lexington to Fourth avenue.

Forty-fifth street, from Madison to Fifth avenue.

Fifty-sixth street, from Fifth to Sixth avenue.

Fifty-sixth street, from Seventh to Ninth avenue.

Fifty-seventh street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

Fifty-eighth street, from Sixth to Ninth avenue.

THIRD—WITH MACADAM PAVEMENT.

Fifth avenue, from Seventy-second to Ninetieth street.

Of which mode and manner of paving said streets I hereby approve.

The advertisement for proposals, preparation of contracts and specifications, awarding of contracts, and examination of sureties by the Comptroller, will take considerable time; and, as it is very desirable that all these preliminaries be completed in time to commence work as soon as the ground is free from frost, your early action on this recommendation is earnestly requested.

Very respectfully,

ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets.

INVITATIONS RESUMED.

An invitation was received from Col. Charles Spencer, Fifth Regiment, N. G. S. N. Y., to attend annual ball of the regiment.

Which was accepted.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Board of Police Justices:

OFFICE SECRETARY BOARD OF POLICE JUSTICES,
NEW YORK, February 24, 1879.

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

GENTLEMEN—At a meeting of the Board of Police Justices, held on the above date, the resolution adopted by your Body on the 28th day of January, 1879, and approved by the Mayor February 10, 1879, giving the Exempt Firemen's Association permission to use the Police Court-room at Jeffer-

son Market for their meetings, was presented to said Board, and I was directed to communicate with your Board, and state that the Board were of the opinion that the business of said court would be interfered with and interrupted by said association meeting therein.

Respectfully,

GEORGE W. CREGIER, Secretary.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Department of Finance:

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 1, 1879.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Weekly statement, showing the appropriations made under the authority contained in section 112, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, for carrying on the Common Council from January 1 to December 31, 1879, both days inclusive, and of the payments made up to and including the date hereof, for and on account of each appropriation.

Title of Appropriations.	Am't of Appropriations.	Payments.
City Contingencies	\$1,000 00	.....
Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council	250 00	.....
Salaries—Common Council	107,000 00	\$16,365 29
Legal expenses incurred by the Common Council in 1878, in defending the members thereof, on indictment for passing ordinances relating to pretended obstructions in the streets, under resolution of the Common Council of October 14, 1878	10,000 00	.....

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the County Clerk:

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE,
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, March 3, 1879.

To the President Board of Aldermen, New York City:

DEAR SIR—I send you herewith, pursuant to a resolution of your Honorable Board, a list of the Commissioners of Deeds whose terms of office expire this month.

Yours, respectfully,

HENRY A. GUMBLETON, Clerk.

Names of Commissioners whose terms of office expire during the month of March, 1879.

William H. Church	Term expires March 14, 1879.
William Elehalt	" " 5, "
Samuel Eckstein	" " 23, "
John C. Keeler	" " 14, "
George E. Lovelace	" " 14, "
Charles Macholdt	" " 14, "
Gary J. Moulton	" " 14, "
Ambrose S. Pratt	" " 14, "
Thomas Sproull	" " 14, "

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

REPORTS RESUMED.

(G. O. 71.)

The Committee on Streets, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of renumbering College place, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That College place be renumbered, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

MATTHEW STEWART, Committee
BERNARD KENNEY, on
WILLIAM SAUER, Streets.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 72.)

The Committee on Streets, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of renumbering Thomas street, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That Thomas street be renumbered, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

MATTHEW STEWART, Committee
BERNARD KENNEY, on
WILLIAM SAUER, Streets.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 73.)

The Committee on Streets, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of renumbering Cortlandt street, from Greenwich street to West street, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That Cortlandt street, from Greenwich street to West street, be renumbered, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

MATTHEW STEWART, Committee
BERNARD KENNEY, on
WILLIAM SAUER, Streets.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 74.)

The Committee on Streets, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of renumbering Perry street, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That Perry street be renumbered, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

MATTHEW STEWART, Committee
BERNARD KENNEY, on
WILLIAM SAUER, Streets.

Which was laid over.

The Committee on Streets, to whom was referred the annexed resolution to change the name of Avenue A, north of One Hundred and First street, to Sylvan place, respectfully

REPORT:

That, as a general rule, your Committee are averse to changing the names or designations of any of the streets and avenues of this city, as laid down on the map made by the Commissioners appointed in 1807 to lay out this city north of North (now Houston) street, but, like all other general rules, there are or ought to be exceptions, and the case under consideration is one of them. Avenue A extends continuously from Houston street to Ninety-third street, where a large bay extends westerly, from "Horen's Hook" to near First avenue, and northwardly to near One Hundred and Fourth street, and severs completely the connection by cutting Avenue A into two parts. This bay will never be filled up or the land therein reclaimed, as the water is of great depth, and affords excellent shipping accommodations, many piers and bulkheads being now constructed several hundred feet west of the line of Avenue A. It is that portion of Avenue A commencing north of the bay, at or near One Hundred and First street, and running northwardly to Harlem river, at One Hundred and Twenty-third street, that it is proposed to change to Sylvan place. To this there can be no objection, as to most people Avenue A now terminates seemingly at Ninety-third street.

Your Committee therefore respectfully recommend the adoption of the resolution hereto annexed, by which the portion of the avenue north of the bay in question, commencing or near One Hundred and First street and extending to One Hundred and Twenty-third street, shall be changed to Sylvan place.

Resolved, That the portion of Avenue A beginning at the East river, near One Hundred and First street, and extending northwardly to the Harlem river, shall be hereafter known and designated as Sylvan place.

MATTHEW STEWART, Committee
BERNARD KENNEY, on
WILLIAM SAUER, Streets.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, March 4, 1879.

To the Board of Aldermen :

I herewith return, without my approval, the resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 25, 1879, granting permission to Frederick Wertz to retain the meat-rack now in front of his premises No. 89 Essex street, for the reason that I doubt whether the Common Council can lawfully authorize the placing of such articles in the streets ; and further, if it has the power to grant the privilege at all, it should in the resolution itself prescribe such conditions and restrictions as would effectually prevent an offense against the statutory prohibition of "any encroachment or obstruction upon any street or sidewalk."

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Frederick Wertz to retain the meat-rack now in front of his premises No. 89 Essex street ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, March 4, 1879.

To the Board of Aldermen :

I herewith return, without my approval, the resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 25, 1879, granting permission to Elsenbach & Meehm to erect a barber's pole in front of their premises No. 96 Duane street, the said pole to be 10 feet in height and 6 inches in diameter, for the reason that the position of the proposed pole is not defined in the resolution. If it is to be erected within the stoop line, permission should be obtained from the Permit Bureau.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Elsenbach & Meehm to erect a barber's pole in front of their premises No. 96 Duane street, the said pole to be ten feet in height and six inches in diameter, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Alderman Strack called up G. O. 57, being a resolution as follows :
Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to set apart from the appropriation for "City Contingencies" a sum not exceeding seventy dollars, to pay postage for the CITY RECORD to the residences of the members of the Common Council for 1879, and pay the same monthly, upon the presentation of proper vouchers, from the sum hereby set apart for that purpose, when certified to be correct by the Clerk of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote, viz. :

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Carroll, Cavanagh, G. Hall, Hyatt, Jacobus, Keenan, Kenney, Kiernan, Morris, Perley, Roberts, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, Stewart, and Strack—17.
Negative—Alderman Finck—1.

Alderman Finck called up G. O. 3, being a resolution, as follows :

Resolved, That on all contracts for work done by or for the Corporation, the Department having charge thereof shall cause to be inserted a provision that during the progress of the work, the men employed thereon shall be paid in full, semi-monthly, and upon the completion of the work, satisfactory evidence shall be furnished to every such Department that the workmen have been paid in full before certifying to the Department of Finance that the contractor has performed the work, paid all his workmen, and is entitled to payment in full ; and the person or persons becoming security for the faithful performance of the work, as now provided by law or ordinance, shall also be held as security by the Corporation for the workmen, respectively, for the prompt payment of the wages of the workmen employed by such contractor, as provided in this resolution.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote, viz. :

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Carroll, Cavanagh, Finck, G. Hall, Hyatt, Jacobus, Keenan, Kenney, Kiernan, Morris, Perley, Roberts, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, Stewart, and Strack—18.

Alderman Perley called up G. O. 26, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows :

Resolved, That Eighty-first street, from the Boulevard to Riverside avenue, be regulated and graded, curb and gutter stones set, and the sidewalks flagged four feet wide, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Alderman Sheils moved to amend by adding to the resolution and ordinance the following :
"The same shall be done by day's work, and not by contract."

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote, on a division called by Alderman Morris, viz. :

Affirmative—Aldermen Carroll, Cavanagh, G. Hall, Hyatt, Keenan, Kenney, Kiernan, Roberts, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, Stewart, and Strack—13.
Negative—The President, Aldermen Finck, Jacobus, Morris, and Perley—5.

Alderman Stewart moved further to amend by adding the following : "Provided that none but competent and experienced workmen be employed by the Commissioner of Public Works in the completion of public work hereby provided for."

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

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

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote, three-fourths of all the members elected not voting in favor thereof, viz. :

Affirmative—Aldermen Carroll, Cavanagh, G. Hall, Hyatt, Keenan, Kenney, Kiernan, Roberts, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, Stewart, and Strack—13.

Negative—The President, Aldermen Finck, Jacobus, Morris, and Perley—5.

Subsequently, on motion of Alderman Keenan, the above vote was reconsidered, and the paper again laid over.

Alderman Perley called up G. O. 30, being a resolution as follows :

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to cause glass dials, with black letters or figures on them, to be attached to the clock in the tower of the Jefferson Market Court-house, similar to the dials of the clock in the cupola of the City Hall, and direct the janitor of the building to have them illuminated with gas every night, from sunset until sunrise.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Carroll, Cavanagh, Finck, G. Hall, Jacobus, Keenan, Kenney, Kiernan, Morris, Perley, Roberts, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, Stewart, and Strack—17.

Alderman Morris called up G. O. 13, being resolutions, as follows :

Resolved, That hereafter, in order to indicate, as nearly as may be, the location of every fire-alarm telegraph box in this city, the glass on the top of every street-lamp located on the nearest street-corner, and the lamp in the street or avenue nearest every such box, be colored red, and the Commissioner of Public Works is hereby directed to carry into effect the provisions of this resolution ; and be it further

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby directed to alter the lamps now located as above, so as to conform to the requirements of the foregoing resolution to such extent as the appropriation now available will permit.

Alderman Sheils moved to amend by adding the following : "The work shall be done by the day, and not by contract."

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote, on a division called by Alderman Keenan, viz. :

Affirmative—Aldermen Carroll, Cavanagh, G. Hall, Keenan, Kenney, Kiernan, Roberts, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, Stewart, and Strack—12.

Negative—The President, Aldermen Finck, Jacobus, Morris, and Perley—5.

The President then put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolutions as amended.

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote, three-fourths of all the members elected not voting in favor thereof, viz. :

Affirmative—Aldermen Carroll, Cavanagh, G. Hall, Keenan, Kenney, Kiernan, Roberts, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, Stewart, and Strack—12.

Negative—The President, Aldermen Finck, Jacobus, Morris, and Perley—5.

Subsequently, on motion of Alderman Kiernan, the above vote was reconsidered, and the paper again laid over.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

Alderman Strack moved that the Board do now adjourn.

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

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote, on a division called by Alderman Strack, viz. :

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Finck, Kenney, Morris, Perley, and Strack—6.

Negative—Aldermen Carroll, Cavanagh, G. Hall, Jacobus, Keenan, Kiernan, Roberts, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, and Stewart—11.

Alderman Strack was here called to the chair.

Alderman Roberts moved that the Board do now adjourn.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the President pro tem. announced that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday next, the 11th instant, at 2 o'clock P. M.

JACOB M. PATTERSON, JR., Clerk.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,
MONDAY, March 3, 1879, 12 o'clock M.

The Board met in pursuance of the following call :

OFFICE OF THE MAYORALTY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT—CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, February 28, 1879.

In pursuance of the authority contained in the 112th section of chapter 335, being an act entitled "An act to reorganize the local government of the City of New York," passed April 30, 1873 ; and section 1 of chapter 779, being an act entitled "An act in relation to raising money by taxation in the County of New York, for county purposes," passed June 14, 1873 ; and chapter 304, being an act entitled "An act to consolidate the government of the City and County of New York, and further to regulate the same," passed April 30, 1874 ; and chapter 303, being an act entitled "An act in relation to the estimates and apportionment for the support of the government of the County of New York," passed April 30, 1874 ; and chapter 308, being an act entitled "An act in relation to the estimates and apportionment for the support of the government of the City of New York," passed May 1, 1874—a meeting is hereby called of the Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, constituting a Board of Estimate and Apportionment, to be held at the office of the Mayor, on Monday, March 3, 1879, at 12 o'clock, M., for the purposes specified in requisition of the Comptroller, dated February 27, 1879.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
February 27, 1879.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor :

SIR—You are requested to call a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at any time that will suit your convenience, for the purpose of authorizing the issue of \$50,000 of "Assessment Bonds of the City of New York," under chapter 397, Laws of 1872, and chapter 580, Laws of 1873, to pay the cost of Street Improvements ; and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the Board.

Very respectfully,
JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

INDORSED :

Admission of a copy of the within, as served upon us this 28th day of February, 1879.

EDWARD COOPER,

Mayor ;

JOHN KELLY,

Comptroller ;

JORDAN L. MOTT,

President of the Board of Aldermen ;

JOHN WHEELER,

President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments.

Present—All the members, viz. :

Edward Cooper, the Mayor of the City of New York ; John Kelly, the Comptroller of the City of New York ; Jordan L. Mott, the President of the Board of Aldermen ; John Wheeler, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments.

The minutes of the meeting held February 5, 1879, were read and approved.

The Chairman presented a communication from the N. Y. Adult Blind Aid Association, asking for an appropriation from the Excise Fund.

Which was referred to, and the original paper sent to the Comptroller.

The Secretary presented a communication from the Trustees of the Berean Baptist Church, asking for the vacation of an assessment against said church.

Which was referred to, and the original papers sent to the Comptroller.

The Secretary presented a communication from the Commissioners of Accounts, asking for the transfer of an appropriation.

Which was referred to, and the original paper sent to the Comptroller.

Communications were presented from the various departments and officers of the city government, in answer to a resolution adopted by the Board at meeting held February 5, 1879, "requesting a statement showing all liabilities incurred before January 1, 1879, now outstanding and payable from balances of appropriations made for the purposes of the said departments and officers."

Which were ordered on file.

The Chairman presented the following communication :

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
NEW YORK, February 17, 1879.

To the Honorable the Board of Estimate and Apportionment :

GENTLEMEN—The Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction herewith respectfully submit to your Honorable Board the accompanying resolutions, numbered 1 to 5, for the transfer of a part of the unexpended balance of Supply Account of this Department for the year 1878, and the amending of the titles to two of the appropriations for the year 1879, and they request your approval and adoption, for the following reasons :

Resolution No. 1.

The Commissioners, in their estimate for 1879, asked for the sum of thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000) for "additions, alterations, and repairs to buildings and apparatus." Twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) was appropriated for the account, but the word "additions" was omitted. As several additions to buildings are necessary, we respectfully request that the title of the account be amended by adding the word "additions" to the same.

Resolution No. 2.

The Commissioners respectfully ask your Honorable Board to amend the title of appropriation "For two new boilers, to take the place of the boilers at Bellevue Hospital and the Penitentiary, which are unsafe and dangerous," by striking out the words "two," and by adding the words and for a boiler building at the Penitentiary, so that the title of the account will be "For new boilers to take the place of the boilers at Bellevue Hospital and the Penitentiary (which are unsafe and dangerous), and for a boiler building at the Penitentiary."

Resolution No. 3.

The Commissioners, in their estimate for year 1879, asked for twelve thousand dollars (\$12,000), "For two new towers at Bellevue Hospital." Ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) was appropriated ; this sum is not sufficient to build the "towers" (which are greatly needed), and the architect estimates that they will cost at the lowest fourteen thousand dollars (\$14,000), as it is contemplated to build them larger than was first proposed, and both labor and materials have advanced since the estimates were made, the Commissioners therefore request that the transfer of four thousand dollars (\$4,000) from unexpended balance of "Supply Account" for year 1878 be made.

Resolution No. 4.

The Commissioners, in their estimate for year 1879, asked for the sum of twelve thousand five hundred dollars (\$12,500), "For building two new pavilions for insane on Hart's Island." Ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) was appropriated ; this sum is insufficient for the contemplated buildings, and as labor and materials have advanced since estimates were made, the transfer of three thousand dollars (\$3,000) from unexpended balance of "Supply Account" for year 1878 is requested.

Resolution No. 5.

The Commissioners desire to call your attention to the fact, that in their estimate for 1879, they asked for appropriations as follows :

"For completing west wing of Insane Asylum on Ward's Island, \$20,000."

"For building new east wing to Insane Asylum on Ward's Island, \$60,000."

"For building new lodge on Blackwell's Island, \$25,000."

Neither of these amounts were appropriated as asked for, but twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) was appropriated "For rebuilding the lodge on Blackwell's Island." It was not contemplated by the Commissioners to rebuild the lodge, as stone was being quarried and dressed to erect an entirely new edifice, leaving the lodge standing until the new one was completed, and then take the old one down and use the material for building purposes elsewhere. The Commissioners are still of the opinion that the new lodge is very much needed, but as the completion of the west wing to the Insane Asylum on Ward's Island is more imperatively necessary, they respectfully ask your Honorable Board to transfer twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000) from the appropriation of the year 1879, "For rebuilding the lodge on Blackwell's Island," to the account "For the completion of west wing to the Insane Asylum on Ward's Island."

Respectfully,

TOWNSEND COX, President.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, February 17, 1879.

Resolved, That the Hon. Board of Apportionment be requested to amend the title of the appropriation to this Department for year 1879, from
"For Repairs and Alterations to Buildings and Apparatus" to
"For Additions, Alterations, and Repairs to Buildings and Apparatus."

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be requested to amend the title of the appropriation—

"For two new boilers, to take the place of the boilers at Bellevue Hospital and the Penitentiary, which are unsafe and dangerous," by striking out the word "two" before the words "new boilers," and by adding the words—

"And for a boiler building at the Penitentiary," after the words "unsafe and dangerous," so that the title will be—

"For new boilers, to take the place of the boilers at Bellevue Hospital and Penitentiary, which are unsafe and dangerous, and for a boiler building at the Penitentiary."

Resolved, That the Board of Apportionment be requested to transfer from the unexpended balance of Supply Account of this Department of year 1878, four thousand dollars, to the appropriation—

"For the erection of two towers at Bellevue Hospital, for year 1879," the amount originally appropriated therefor being insufficient to build the towers.

Resolved, That the Board of Apportionment be requested to transfer from the unexpended balance of Supply Account for this Department of year 1878, three thousand dollars, to the appropriation—

"For building two new pavilions for Insane Women for year 1879," the amount originally appropriated being insufficient to erect the same.

Resolved, That the Board of Apportionment be requested to transfer from the appropriation "For rebuilding the lodge at Blackwell's Island" in year 1879, twenty thousand dollars, to the appropriation—

"For the completion of the west wing to Asylum for Insane on Ward's Island."

Which was laid over.

The Chairman presented the following communication :

STATE OF NEW YORK—ASSEMBLY CHAMBER,
ROOMS OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE AFFAIRS OF CITIES,
ALBANY, February 26, 1879.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, New York City :

GENTLEMEN—Inclosed you will please find a copy of a resolution adopted at a meeting of the Committee on the Affairs of Cities, relative to unpaid assessments on property in the upper part of the City of New York. An early reply thereto is respectfully requested.

Very truly,

I. I. HAYES, Chairman.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the City of New York be requested to report to the Committee on the Affairs of Cities, on or before Wednesday next, their best judgment as to the proper disposition of the unpaid assessments on property in the upper part of said city, and what compromise, if any, can be made in the joint interest of the city and the owners of said property.

Resolved, That the said Board be also requested to report the facts as to the cost to the city for the improvements which have been made on the line of the Boulevards, including the Boulevards upon which the city has paid half the expense, and those upon which the property-holders have been taxed one half or more for the entire improvement.

—and offered for adoption the following preamble and resolution :

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment has received certain resolutions of the Committee on the Affairs of Cities of the Assembly, requesting the Board to report to the Committee on or before Wednesday next their best judgment as to the proper disposition of unpaid assessments on property in the upper part of the city, and what compromise, if any, can be made in the joint interests of the city and the owners of said property, and asking for information as to the cost of certain improvements.

Resolved, That the Board respectfully states that the documents, vouchers, and papers from which the information asked for can only be obtained, are not within its possession or cognizance, and that the subject of laying assessments is one upon which the Board does not act. Nor do the processes and proceedings preliminary to the laying of the assessments or the collection thereof, come within its jurisdiction.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman), the Comptroller of the City of New York, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The Secretary presented the following communication :

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
36 UNION SQUARE (EAST),
NEW YORK, February 20, 1879.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment :

GENTLEMEN—Your communication received, asking "this Department to transmit to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment all the information of which it is possessed bearing on the subject of this bridge, with such estimate or estimates as may have been heretofore made of the amount of appropriation necessary to complete the bridge and open it for public use and travel."

The object of this Department in asking for the issue of this \$5,000 City Bonds was to use the proceeds in obtaining the data to make up the estimates you require in your communication.

This Department trusts that it will not be necessary to expend the entire sum for that purpose.

Respectfully,

JAS. F. WENMAN, President D. P. P.

The Comptroller moved that the Mayor be requested to communicate with the Department of Public Parks with the view of obtaining additional information in relation to the above matter, and report to the Board at a subsequent meeting.

Which was agreed to.

The Comptroller presented a communication from the Health Department, dated February 19, 1879, requesting the transfer of \$5,000 from the unexpended balances of the appropriations made in the years 1876 and 1877, for the "Small-pox Hospital in Charge of the Health Department," to an appropriation for the erection of a "Reception Hospital for Contagious Diseases" upon the site set apart for such purpose at the foot of East Sixteenth street.

Which was referred to, and the original papers sent to the Mayor.

The Comptroller offered for adoption the following resolution :

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized to issue, from time to time, as may be required, and at such rates of interest, not exceeding six per cent. per annum, and for such period, conformable to law, as he may determine, "Assessment Bonds of the Corporation of the City of New York," to the amount of fifty thousand dollars, under the provisions of chapter 397, Laws of 1852, and chapter 580, Laws of 1872.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman), the Comptroller of the City of New York, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The Chairman presented a communication from the Superintendent of the Department of Buildings dated January 23, 1879, asking for an appropriation to meet liabilities incurred in the years 1875, 1876, and 1877, together with a statement of each of the claims.

Which were referred to, and the original papers sent to the Comptroller.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

JOHN WHEELER, Secretary.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 28th day of February, 1879.
Present—Commissioners Smith, Wheeler, Erhardt, and Nichols.

Leaves of Absence Granted.

Patrolman Peter J. Donnelly, Eleventh Precinct, 1½ days, without pay.
" Henry Fenken, Twenty-seventh Precinct, 2 days, without pay.

Leaves of Absence under Rule 564.—Approved.

February 25. Sergeant William Kass, Thirty-first Precinct, ½ day.
" 26. Sergeant Daniel Polhemus, Sixteenth Precinct, 1 day.
" 26. Patrolman David Leahy, Twenty-first Precinct, 1 day.
" 26. Captain Charles McDonnell, Eighth Precinct, ½ day.
" 27. Patrolman Horace S. Van Raust, Steamboat Squad, ½ day.
" 27. Patrolman John T. Sullivan, Steamboat Squad, 2 days.
" 27. Patrolman Thomas F. Palmer, Seventh Precinct, ½ day.
" 27. Patrolman John J. Doyle, First Precinct, 2 days.
" 27. Patrolman Dennis Griffin, Twenty-third Precinct, ½ day.

Masked Balls Allowed.

Schleswig-Holstein Verein, at Walhalla Hall, March 3.

Anke Bikin Cholim, at Irving Hall, March 10.

New York Union Musical Association, at Irving Hall, March 15.

Hunnenstichen Verein Germania, at Pfelzer Harmonia, March 22.

Resolved, That the matter of remanding roundsmen to patrol duty be laid over, Commissioners Smith, Wheeler, and Nichols voting aye; Commissioner Erhardt voting no.

Report of Inspector Murray, relative to officers absent from the city on duty, was ordered on file. Circular of New Police Mutual Aid Association was referred to the Superintendent for report in writing.

Application of Charles Heidelberg, for reappointment as Patrolman, was referred to the Superintendent for report.

Application of John Mullane, for reappointment as Patrolman, was ordered on file.

An opinion of the Counsel to the Board, and all papers in connection with the case of Patrolman Daniel C. Moynihan, Twelfth Precinct, were referred to the Committee on Rules and Discipline, and the Chairman of that Committee requested to inquire into the facts, and report.

Communication from Adolph Joseph, relative to debt of Patrolman Louis Walters, Twenty-second Precinct, was referred to the Chief Clerk, to answer.

Resolved, That the Board of Surgeons be directed to report in writing to the Committee on Rules and Discipline the character and extent of injuries received by Patrolman Charles Smith, Nineteenth Precinct, or other disabilities said officer may be suffering from.

Resolved, That Captain Mount, Nineteenth Precinct, be directed to report to the Committee on Rules and Discipline the facts, circumstances and all evidence attending the injuries or disabilities received by Patrolman Charles Smith, Nineteenth Precinct.

On recommendation of the Superintendent, it was

Resolved, That Patrolman John L. Van Wart, Eighteenth Precinct, be and he is hereby transferred to the Ninth Precinct.

Resolved, That Patrolman Bernard Meyers, Seventh Precinct, be and he is hereby transferred to the First Inspection District, as Car Detective.

On reading communication from H. M. Harris, Editor Glen's Falls "Republican," asking the services of an officer, agreeing to pay his salary and expenses, it was

Resolved, That the Superintendent be directed to make the detail on receiving notice from the Treasurer that the salary of an officer is paid.

Resolved, That the Treasurer be authorized to pay the sum of ten dollars, the fee of Anton Adler, for license of pilot on steamer "Seneca."

Resolved, That Captain Thomas Killilea, Thirty-third Precinct, be granted permission to receive a belt and baton from the citizens of his precinct; Commissioners Smith, Wheeler, and Nichols voting aye, Commissioner Erhardt voting no.

Resolved, That the following pay-rolls of the Police Department for the month of February, 1879, be and are hereby ordered to be paid by the Treasurer, all voting aye :

Central Department.....\$11,599 96
Employees.....1,041 65

\$12,641 61

On reading and filing communication from Rogers, Peet & Co., asking information in regard to duties of engineers, it was

Resolved, That Messrs. Rogers, Peet & Co. be informed that the engineer should keep his boiler under observation so completely as to exclude the possibility of hazard of explosion from absence or neglect.

On recommendation of the Committee on Repairs and Supplies, it was

Resolved, That the gas-burners in the Fourteenth Precinct Station-house be changed, with a view to ascertain the relative economy in the use of burners and the cause of increase in the consumption of gas; that the experiment be tried one month, under the direction of E. S. Parker.

Resolved, That Michael Brooks be and is hereby reappointed patrolman (subject to re-examination by the surgeons), and assigned to the — Precinct for duty—all voting aye.

On reading communication from Kossuth, Marx & Co., it was

Resolved, That permission be granted for Roundsman James K. Price, Twenty-ninth Precinct, to receive from Kossuth, Marx & Co. a reward, consisting of a gold watch, chain, and locket, for the recovery of property stolen from No. 39 Maiden lane, and the arrest and conviction of the thief and receiver; and that the presentation of the same be made by Captain Williams, Twenty-ninth Precinct.

Resolved, That highly honorable mention be made in the records of the Department of the efficient and successful conduct of Roundsman James K. Price, Twenty-ninth Precinct, in recovering a large amount of property stolen from the store of Kossuth, Marx & Co., No. 39 Maiden lane, and in arresting and causing the conviction of the thief and receivers; and that the Chief Clerk cause this action to be suitably engrossed upon parchment, and presented to said officer.

Report of Superintendent, on character of No. 33 Bowery, was ordered to be forwarded to his Honor the Mayor.

On recommendation of the Committee on Repairs and Supplies, it was

Resolved, That the following bills be and are hereby ordered to be paid by the Treasurer—Commissioners Smith, Wheeler, and Nichols voting aye; Commissioner Erhardt not voting :

Robert C. Brown, repairs.....	\$5 29	Miller, Morrison & Co., halter buckles.....	\$1 25
" " " ".....	5 94	Shields & McEvoy, repairs.....	17 49
" " " ".....	11 07	" " " ".....	2 70
F. W. Devoe & Co., oil.....	4 50	C. F. White & Co., coal.....	40 00
Henry Malone, expenses.....	1 41		
			\$89 65

Judgment—Dismissal.

Patrolman John P. O'Brien, Twentieth Precinct.

Street Cleaning.

A proposal of Jeremiah Hayes, to unload ashes, was referred to the Committee on Street Cleaning.

Report of the Committee on Street Cleaning, on communication from the Commissioners of Pilots, relative to dumping ashes, etc., in the Lower Bay, was ordered on file, and a copy to be forwarded to the Board of Pilot Commissioners.

Resolved, That the following pay-rolls of the Bureau of Street Cleaning for the month of February, 1879, be and are hereby ordered to be paid by the Treasurer. Commissioners Smith, Wheeler, and Nichols voting aye; Commissioner Erhardt not voting :

Deputy Inspectors, Clerks, etc.....	\$1,799 98
Dump Inspectors.....	885 62
Gangmen, etc.....	648 00
Steam Tug Hands.....	395 00
	\$3,728 60

On recommendation of the Committee on Street Cleaning, it was

Resolved, That the following bills be and are hereby ordered to be paid by the Treasurer—Commissioners Smith, Wheeler and Nichols, voting aye; Commissioner Erhardt not voting :

Martin B. Brown, printing.....	\$7 50	Pollock & Van Wagenen, rubber, etc.....	\$21 21
" " " ".....	8 00	" " " " rope, etc.....	159 51
" " " ".....	9 40	" " " " copper.....	34 29
Manly A. Britton, expenses.....	160 50	Van Buren & Co., unloading scows.....	162 36
David Cox & Co., towing scows.....	90 00	Lewis S. Wandell, use of scows.....	245 00
W. H. Gautier & Co., use of scows.....	94 36	" " " ".....	210 00
A. J. Howell, Assignee, unloading scows.....	420 00	" " " ".....	170 00
N. Y. Towing and Trans. Co., use of scows.....			\$1,791 63

Adjourned.

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

The Board of Police met on the 1st day of March, 1879.

Present—Commissioners Smith, Wheeler, and Nichols.

On reading and filing communication from the Comptroller, it was

Resolved, That in pursuance of a letter from the Comptroller, dated February 28, 1879, the requisition of this Department for the sum of \$328,429.14 is hereby withdrawn.

Resolved, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Comptroller, in pursuance of section 7, chapter 755, Laws of 1873, for the following sums of money for the month of February, 1879, in accordance with the letter from the Comptroller and the opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation—being one-twelfth part of the appropriation for the support and maintenance of the Police Department and force for the current year, less the deduction of twenty per cent., under the provisions of section 1, chapter 861, Laws of 1866, viz.:

Police Fund—Salaries.....	\$216,926 66
Supplies for Police.....	5,000 00
Alterations, etc., of Station-houses.....	1,666 66
Bureau of Street Cleaning.....	54,166 66
Bureau of Elections—Salary of Chief.....	416 66
	\$278,176 64

Leave of Absence Granted.

Patrolman Daniel J. McCarthy, Fourteenth Precinct, three days, without pay.

Transfers Ordered.

Patrolman Patrick Cahill, from Seventh Precinct to Steamboat Squad.

James S. Haff, from Twenty-eighth Precinct to Twenty-second Precinct.

Resignation Accepted.

George T. Hanning, Messenger.

Communication from the Common Council, being resolution relative to violations of Corporation Ordinances, was referred to the Superintendent for promulgation to the force.

Masked Ball Allowed.

Charter Oak Association, at Turn Hall, March 6.

Resolved, That the pay-rolls of the Police Department and force, for the month of February, 1879, amounting to \$186,421.24, as per schedule, be and are hereby ordered to be paid by the Treasurer—all voting aye.

Appointment as Patrolman.

Michael Foody, Fourteenth Precinct.

Communication from H. E. Merriam, transmitted by the Mayor, complaining of boys annoying passers-by at Hotel Brunswick, was referred to the Superintendent for investigation and report.

On recommendation of the Committee on Repairs and Supplies, it was

Resolved, That the resolution of February 7, 1879, notifying James A. Lucas and James McGrath of the intention of the Board of Police to dismiss them from the Department, be rescinded, and that their services be continued as Telegraph Operators.

Whereas, In a proceeding in the New York Supreme Court, entitled The People, ex rel. Augustus Miller, against The Board of Police, etc., a writ of peremptory mandamus has been granted by the Honorable Charles Donohue, one of the Justices of said Supreme Court, reciting that, by a decision of the Court of Appeals, the said Augustus Miller was a member of the Police Force, in the rank of Sergeant, during the period extending from the 16th of February, 1875, until the 15th day of December, 1876, and that the said Board has unjustly refused to pay the salary of the said Augustus Miller, as such Sergeant, from said 16th day of February, 1875, to December 15, 1876, at the yearly rate of \$1,600, amounting to the sum of \$52,933.33 of salary; and

Whereas, The said peremptory mandamus commands the Board to pay to said Augustus Miller, or to his attorneys, Grant & Lydecker, the sum of \$2,933.33, the amount of said Miller's salary as Sergeant, etc., from said 16th day of February, 1875, to the 15th day of December, 1876, at the yearly rate of \$1,600, with interest thereon from the said 15th day of December, 1876, at the rate of seven per cent.; or if sufficient funds do not remain in the hands of the said Board or its treasurer, then the said Board or said treasurer do draw the proper legal requisition upon the Comptroller of the City of New York, certifying the amount so due to said relator, Augustus Miller, compelling him to pay over to the said treasurer the aforesaid amount of \$2,933.33, with the legal interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. from said 16th day of December, 1876; and

Whereas, There is not in the hands of said Board or Treasurer of Police sufficient funds which can be lawfully applied to the payment of the said amount of salary and interest which accrued in 1875; and

Whereas, There is in the hands of the said Treasurer moneys applicable to the payment of that part of the demand which accrued in 1876, and the interest thereon; and

Whereas, The said sum claimed and awarded as salary is \$2,933.33, and the interest thereon for the time and at the rate above-stated is \$450.76, making a total amount of \$3,384.09.

Now, therefore, in pursuance of and compliance with the said peremptory mandamus, it is

Resolved, That the amount called for by the above-mentioned mandamus is for salary, \$2,933.33, and the interest, \$450.76, making a total of \$3,384.09; and that requisition be and is hereby made, in compliance with the mandate of the said Court, upon the Comptroller of the City of New York for the sum of sixteen hundred and fifteen dollars and sixteen cents, to pay the salary awarded to the said Augustus Miller which accrued in 1875, and the interest thereon, pursuant to the peremptory mandamus of the said Court.

Adjourned.

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

At a special meeting of the Board of Docks, held January 21, 1879,
1st. For the purpose of opening proposals received for repairing Pier 7, East river, and
2d. For dredging and preparing for and building a Rip-rap Embankment with Rubble Wall on top thereof, and Wooden Platform in front of the same from Fifty-fifth to Fifty-eighth streets, North river, and for removing the pier at foot of Fifty-seventh street, North river.

Present—Commissioners Dimock and Vanderpoel, and the Comptroller of the City;

Absent—President Westervelt.

On motion, Commissioner Dimock took the chair.

Six proposals were received for repairing Pier 7, East river, as follows, to wit:

1. John Monks.....	For \$6,971 00
2. George F. Swift & Dederick Van Aken.....	" 6,650 00
3. Thomas Walsh & Augustin Walsh.....	" 6,800 00
4. John Gillies.....	" 4,977 00
5. Chas. Guidet & I. Eugene White.....	" 4,413 48
6. P. Sanford Ross & Jos. B. Sanford.....	" 4,882 20

And being read were

On motion, laid on the table for examination.

A summons and complaint in suit of Charles E. Appleby vs. the Mayor and Commonalty of the City of New York, and Jacob A. Westervelt, Henry F. Dimock, and Jacob Vanderpoel, as Commissioners of the Department of Docks, Edward Cooper, Mayor of said City, John K. Hackett, Recorder of said City, J. Nelson Tappen, Chamberlain of said City, John Kelly, Comptroller of said City, and Nicholas Haughton, Alderman of said City as Commissioners of the Sinking Fund; together with copy of order of Hon. Charles Donohue, Justice, enjoining defendants from proceeding with the work for dredging and preparing for and building a rip-rap embankment, with rubble wall on top thereof, and wooden platform in front of the same, from Fifty-fifth to Fifty-eighth streets, North river, and for removing the pier at foot of Fifty-seventh street North river was received, and being read, and the Counsel to the Corporation having given his oral opinion that in view of said legal proceeding being taken, the opening of the proposals received should be postponed, not exceeding five days.

On motion, the following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That the opening of the proposals this day received, for dredging and preparing for and building Rip-rap Embankment, etc., between Fifty-fifth and Fifty-eighth streets, North river, be deferred until Saturday, 25th instant, at 12 o'clock M.

Resolved, That when this Board adjourn, it shall adjourn to meet on Saturday, 25th instant, at 12 o'clock M.

On motion, the Secretary was directed to forward to the Counsel to the Corporation, the summons and complaint in suit of Charles E. Appleby vs. The Mayor, etc., above referred to, and to request that officer to advise this Board in writing as to the proper action to be had at the said adjourned meeting in regard to the said proposals.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

EUGENE T. LYNCH, Secretary.

At a meeting of the Board of Docks, held January 22, 1879.

Present—Commissioners Dimock and Vanderpoel.

Absent—President Westervelt.

On motion, Commissioner Dimock took the chair.

The minutes of the meeting held 15th inst. were read and approved.

The following communications were received, read, and,

On motion, laid on the table to await action, where taken, as stated, to wit:

From R. Cornell White—In reference to meeting with the Commissioners as to arrearages of rent due from him as lessee of Pier 37, East river.

From Osborn & Robinson—To erect shed on Pier 13, North river.

The following communications were received, read, and,

On motion, placed on file, action being taken where necessary, as stated, to wit:

From F. Frank & Son—Stating that the pier at Seventy-ninth street, East river, was constantly so incumbered with brick belonging to F. E. Wise, the lessee of the pier, as to prevent other parties from procuring wharf accommodations thereat.

The Secretary directed to notify the lessee of said pier to remove the brick complained of, and in future to keep the pier free for commercial use.

From Charles H. Longstreet—As to the removal of shed, fence, etc., from premises at Fifty-first street, East river.

From Engineer-in-Chief—

1. Report as to work performed during week ending January 18, 1879.

2. Communication, stating that a door which had been blown off of shed on Pier, new 43, North river, needed to be replaced.

Engineer-in-Chief directed to do the work in accordance with his report, at a cost of about \$80. From Superintendent Fitzpatrick—Report as to piles carried away by ice from the outer end of pier at Twenty-sixth street, North river.

The Secretary directed to notify the lessee of said pier to replace the piles destroyed.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That John Hogan, contractor for furnishing granite stones, under contract dated April 4, 1878, be and is hereby notified, that unless he shall complete his contract and furnish to the Department the balance of the granite due under the same by the 1st day of March, 1879, then this Department will, in accordance with the provisions of section 30 of said contract, proceed to purchase for his account such an amount of granite as will be sufficient to complete the quantity called for in said contract, and which should have been delivered prior to 15th August, 1878.

An application was received from Chas. G. Francklyn, agent Cunard Steamship Company, lessee of Pier, new 40, North river, for permission to erect a shed, derricks, etc., on said pier; and, being read,

On motion, it was

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby granted to the Cunard Steamship Company, lessee, to erect and maintain during the continuance of said company's lease of the premises, a shed and other structures on Pier, new 40, North river, for the protection of property received and discharged thereat by steam transportation, and to erect and maintain on said pier eight derricks for the hoisting of cargo, said shed, structures, etc., to be constructed subject to the regulations of the Superintendent of Buildings, as required by chapter 249, Laws of 1875, and in accordance with the plans submitted to and approved by the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department, this date. It being understood and agreed that during the continuance of this lease the said company shall have the right to remove the said structures from the said pier.

On motion, the following appointments were made, to wit:

Henry McMahon, as a mason, for space of thirty days from date.

John Dunn, inspector on repairs to Pier 7, East river.

John Doonar, temporary mason, for thirty days.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

EUGENE T. LYNCH, Secretary.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 3, 1879.

Monthly statement of warrants drawn against the City Treasury, January 1 to February 28, 1879, together with a comparative statement of the City Debt as represented in stocks and bonds as of December 31, 1878, and February 28, 1879; and also a statement of and for what purposes stocks have been issued.

Warrants Drawn.

PAYABLE FROM TAXATION.	IN JANUARY.	IN FEBRUARY.
Salaries, Supplies, and General Expenses of the City Government.....	\$236,953 67	\$844,712 37
Interest on the City Debt.....	175,684 12	170,564 04
Public Instruction.....	104,748 70	264,911 22
Charitable Institutions.....	84,718 85	79,931 38
Judgments and Claims.....	154,679 14	166,942 85
Election Expenses.....	4,406 20	416 66
Redemption of Debt of Annexed Territory.....	3,000 00	2,000 00
Miscellaneous.....	9,850 00	9,152 91
Total payable from Taxation.....	\$774,040 68	\$1,538,631 23
NEW WORKS AND IMPROVEMENTS—PAYABLE FROM ISSUE OF BONDS.		
Public Works—Street Openings and Improvements.....	\$48,340 66	\$20,055 45
" Croton Water Purposes.....	91,971 48	11,599 97
City Parks Improvements.....	149 85	.....
Docks and Slips.....	16,001 14	18,554 81
New County Court-house.....	526 11	5,081 56
Museums of Art and Natural History.....	2,759 35	1,172 67
Additional Free Floating Baths.....	550 60	.....
Harlem River Bridges.....	1,172 38	623 58
Tompkins Square Improvement.....	3,576 14	4,882 11
Total payable from Issue of Bonds.....	\$165,047 71	\$61,970 15
SPECIAL AND TRUST ACCOUNTS.		
Redemption of the City Debt.....	\$647,000 00	\$704,500 00
Miscellaneous.....	117,213 89	14,079 28
Total payments on Special and Trust Accounts.....	\$764,213 89	\$718,579 28
Total amount warrants drawn in February.....	.....	\$2,319,180 66
Add amount previously drawn, 1879.....	.....	1,703,302 28
Total payment of warrants to date, 1879.....	.....	\$4,022,482 94

Bonds and Stocks have been issued for the following purposes, viz.:

For Street Improvements.....	\$75,000 00
For Tompkins Square Improvement.....	7,000 00
For Croton Water purposes.....	92,000 00
For Docks and Slips.....	30,000 00
For Museums of Art and Natural History.....	2,000 00
For New County Court-house.....	6,000 00
For Bridge over Harlem river.....	2,000 00
For Current Expenses.....	1,731,400 00
Total.....	\$1,945,400 00

Statement of the City Debt as represented in Stocks and Bonds.

BONDED DEBT.	DECEMBER 31, 1878.	JANUARY 31, 1879.	FEBRUARY 28, 1879.
1. Bonds payable from Taxation.....	\$99,605,590 20	\$99,608,590 20	\$99,612,590 20
2. Bonds payable from Sinking Fund, under ordinances of the Common Council.....	18,741,143 47	18,741,143 47	18,741,143 47
3. Bonds payable from Sinking Fund, under section 8, chapter 383, Laws 1878.....	882,082 15	990,082 15	1,014,082 15
4. Bonds payable from Sinking Fund, under section 6, chapter 383, Laws 1878.....	6,900,000 00	6,900,000 00	6,900,000 00
5. Assessment Bonds, issued prior to June 3, 1878.....	12,813,000 00	12,793,300 00	12,793,300 00
6. Assessment Bonds, issued after June 3, 1878, for Local Improvements contracted for or commenced prior to that date.....	598,500 00	628,500 00	643,500 00
7. Assessment Bonds, issued for Local Improvements contracted for or commenced after June 3, 1878.....	70,000 00	90,000 00	100,000 00
Total Bonded Debt.....	\$139,610,315 82	\$139,751,615 82	\$139,804,615 82
Deduct Sinking Fund (stock investments and cash).....	32,143,787 83	32,264,399 95	32,675,712 42
Net Bonded Debt.....	\$107,466,527 99	\$107,487,215 87	\$107,128,903 40
Revenue Bonds.			
Issued under special laws prior to 1878.....	5,775 50	5,775 50	5,775 50
" in anticipation of Taxes of 1877.....	800,000 00	800,000 00	800,000 00
" " 1878.....	5,146,100 00	4,887,100 00	4,659,100 00
" " 1879.....	.....	922,200 00	1,731,400 00
Total.....	\$113,418,403 49	\$114,102,291 37	\$114,325,178 50
Cash—City Treasury Account.....	.....	.....	\$556,613 52
Sinking Fund—Redemption Account.....	.....	.....	1,187,571 10
Interest Account.....	.....	.....	131,282 23
Total.....	.....	.....	\$1,880,466 85

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS,
OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT,
No. 2 FOURTH AVENUE,
NEW YORK, March 3, 1879.

The following comprises the operations of the Department of Buildings for the week ending March 1, 1879.

HENRY J. DUDLEY,
Superintendent of Buildings.
SAMUEL T. WEBSTER,
Chief Clerk.

BUREAU OF INSPECTION OF BUILDINGS.
New Buildings.

No. of plans and specifications filed, etc.	27
No. of buildings embraced in same.	47
Classified as follows:	
First-class dwellings	16
Second-class dwellings	14
French flats	6
Tenement houses	6
Hotels and boarding-houses	1
First-class stores	2
Second-class stores	2
Third-class stores	2
Office buildings	1
Manufactories and workshops	1
School-houses	1
Churches	1
Public buildings	1
Stables	2
Frame buildings (in upper districts)	2
Total	47

Plans passed upon, including those previously filed	28
Approved	11
Amended and approved	1
Disapproved	7
Pending	9
Total	28

Altered Buildings.

No. of plans and specifications filed	31
No. of buildings embraced in same	33
Classified as follows:	
First-class dwellings	1
Second-class dwellings	2
French flats	2
Tenement houses	9
Hotels and boarding-houses	1
First-class stores	1
Second-class stores	1
Third-class stores	1
Office buildings	3
Manufactories and workshops	5
School-houses	1
Churches	1
Public buildings	1
Stables	1
Frame buildings	8
Total	33

Buildings examined and plans relating thereto passed upon, including those previously filed	37
Approved	21
Amended and approved	3
Disapproved	4
Pending	9
Total	37

Special Applications.

Number filed and examinations made	9
Approved	2
Disapproved	4
Pending	3
Total	9

Building operations for the month of February, 1879, as reported by the District Inspector:	
New buildings commenced	60
New buildings completed (including those previously reported commenced)	53
Alterations commenced	80
Alterations completed (including those previously reported commenced)	48
New buildings in progress	655
Alterations in progress	109

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

JOHN J. TINDALE,
Clerk.

BUREAU OF VIOLATIONS AND APPLICATIONS.

Operations for the week ending March 1, 1879:	
Complaints received from outside sources	9
Violations of the law reported	7
“ “ removed	16
Unsafe buildings reported	17
“ “ made safe	2
“ “ taken down	1
Surveys held on unsafe buildings	1
Violation cases sent to the Attorney for prosecution	1
Unsafe building cases sent to the Attorney for prosecution	1
Violation notices served	12
Unsafe building notices served	49

Operations for the month of February, 1879:	
Complaints received from outside sources	19
Violations of the law reported	19
“ “ removed	53

Unsafe buildings reported	52
“ “ made safe	29
“ “ taken down	5
Surveys held on unsafe buildings	3
Violation cases sent to the Attorney for prosecution	2
Unsafe building cases sent to the Attorney for prosecution	3
Violation notices served	34
Unsafe building notices served	148

Respectfully submitted,
ANDREW OWENS,
Chief of Bureau.

WILLIAM H. CLASS,
Clerk.

BUREAU OF FIRE-ESCAPES AND IRON WORK.

Operations for the week ending March 1, 1879:	
Buildings reported for additional means of escape in case of fire	10
Buildings reported for trap-doors and railings to hoistways	4
Buildings reported for iron shutters	13
Buildings provided with additional means of escape in case of fire	17
Buildings provided with trap-doors and railings to hoistways	6
Buildings provided with iron shutters	1
Arch girders tested (approved)	2
“ “ (not approved)	2
Iron beams tested (approved)	4
“ “ (not approved)	4
Iron lintels tested (approved)	4
“ “ (not approved)	4
Notices for fire-escapes, hoistways, etc., served	64
Cases sent to the Attorney for prosecution	3

Operations for the month of February, 1879:	
Buildings reported for additional means of escape in case of fire	41
Buildings reported for trap-doors and railings to hoistways	10
Buildings reported for iron shutters	32
Buildings provided with additional means of escape in case of fire	64
Buildings provided with trap-doors and railings to hoistways	11
Buildings provided with iron shutters	1
Arch girders tested (approved)	10
“ “ (not approved)	10
Iron beams tested (approved)	16
“ “ (not approved)	16
Iron lintels tested (approved)	4
“ “ (not approved)	4
Notices for fire-escapes, etc., served	188
Cases sent to the Attorney for prosecution	4

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

VICTOR W. VOORHEES,
Clerk.

1879.
Feb. 24. W. C. Woodburn, Temporary Clerk.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.	No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
EDWARD COOPER, Mayor; JAMES E. MORRISON, Secretary.	
Mayor's Marshal's Office.	No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
JOHN TYLER KELLY, First Marshal.	
Permit and License Bureau Office.	No. 1 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
DANIEL S. HART, Registrar.	

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.	No. 8 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JORDAN L. MOTT, President; JACOB M. PATTERSON, JR., Clerk Common Council.	

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.	No. 19 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioner; HUBERT O. THOMPSON, Deputy Commissioner.	

Bureau of Water Register.

No. 10 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.	
JOHN H. CHAMBERLAIN, Register.	

Bureau of Incumbrances.

No. 11 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.	
JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL, Superintendent.	

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

No. 21 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.	
STEPHEN MCCORMICK, Superintendent.	

Bureau of Streets.

No. 19 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.	
JAMES J. MOONEY, Superintendent.	

Bureau of Sewers.

No. 21 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.	
STEVENSON TOWLE, Engineer-in-Charge.	

Bureau of Chief Engineer.

No. 11½ City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.	
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Bureau of Street Improvements.

No. 11 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.	
GEORGE A. JEREMIAH, Superintendent.	

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

No. 18 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.	
THOMAS KEECH, Superintendent.	

Bureau of Water Purveyor.

No. 4 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.	
DANIEL O'REILLY, Water Purveyor.	

Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.

JOHN F. SLOPER, City Hall.	
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FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.	Nos. 19 and 20 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN KELLY, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.	

Auditing Bureau.

No. 19 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.	
DANIEL JACKSON, Auditor of Accounts.	

Bureau of Arrears.

No. 5 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.	
ARTEMAS CADDY, Clerk of Arrears.	

Bureau for the Collection of Assessments.

No. 16 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.	
EDWARD GILON, Collector.	

Bureau of City Revenue.

No. 6 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.	
EDWARD F. FITZPATRICK, Collector of City Revenue.	

Bureau of Markets.

No. 6 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.	
JOSHUA M. VARIAN, Superintendent of Markets.	

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

First floor, Brown-stone building, City Hall Park.	
MARTIN T. MCMAHON, Receiver of Taxes; ALFRED VREDENBURG, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.	

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

No. 18 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.	
J. NELSON TAPPAN, City Chamberlain.	

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.	Staats Zeitung Building, third floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM C. WHITNEY, Counsel to the Corporation.	
ANDREW T. CAMPBELL, Chief Clerk.	

Office of the Public Administrator.

No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.	
ALGERNON S. SULLIVAN, Public Administrator.	

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.	
WILLIAM A. BOYD, Corporation Attorney.	

Attorney to Department of Buildings Office.	Corner Cortland and Church streets.
JOHN A. FOLEY, Attorney.	

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.	No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM F. SMITH, President; SETH C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.	

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.	Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
TOWNSEND COX, President; JOSHUA PHILLIPS, Secretary.	

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Headquarters.	Nos. 153, 155, and 157 Mercer street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
VINCENT C. KING, President; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.	

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

No. 301 Mott street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.	
CHARLES F. CHANDLER, President; EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.	

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

No. 36 Union square, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.	
JAMES F. WENMAN, President; WILLIAM IRWIN, Secretary.	

Civil and Topographical Office.

Arsenal, 64th street and 5th avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.	
Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.	
Fordham, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.	

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.	
JACOB A. WESTERVELT, President; EUGENE T. LYNCH, Secretary.	

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.	
JOHN WHEELER, President; ALBERT STORER, Secretary.	

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, No. 114 White street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.	
THOMAS B. ASTEN, President; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.	

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

No. 2 Fourth avenue, 8:30 A. M. to 4 P. M.	
HENRY J. DUDLEY, Superintendent.	

BOARD OF EXCISE.

Corner Mulberry and Houston streets, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.	
RICHARD J. MORRISON, President; J. B. ADAMSON, Chief Clerk.	

SEALERS OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

No. 236 West Forty-third street.	
ELIJAH W. ROE.	

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Nos. 3 and 4 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.	
BERNARD REILLY, Sheriff; JOHN T. CUMMING, Under Sheriff.	

COMMISSION FOR THE COMPLETION OF THE NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE.

No. 28 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.	
WYLLIS BLACKSTONE, President; ISAAC EVANS, Secretary.	

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.	
FREDERICK W. LOEW, Register; AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Deputy Register.	

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

No. 27 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.	
WM. PITT SHEARMAN, ROBERT F. HATFIELD.	

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

No. 17 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.	
THOMAS DUNLAP, Commissioner; ALFRED J. KEEGAN, Deputy Commissioner.	

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.	
HENRY A. GUMBLETON, County Clerk; J. FAIRFAX McLAUGHLIN, Deputy County Clerk.	

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

Second floor, Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.	
BENJAMIN K. PHELPS, District Attorney; MOSES P. CLARK, Chief Clerk.	

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE,
And Bureau of Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.
No. 2 City Hall, 8 A. M. to 6 P. M.; Saturdays, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.
THOMAS COSTIGAN, Supervisor; R. P. H. ABELL, Book-keeper.

CORONERS' OFFICE.

No. 40 East Houston street.
HENRY WOLTMAN, MORITZ ELLINGER, RICHARD CROKER, and RICHARD FLANAGAN, Coroners.

SUPREME COURT.

Second floor, New County Court-house, 10½ A. M. to 3 P. M.
General Term, Room No. 9.
Special Term, Room No. 10.
Chambers, Room No. 11.
Circuit, Part I, Room No. 12.
Circuit, Part II, Room No. 13.
Circuit, Part III, Room No. 14.
Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 13.
NOAH DAVIS, Chief Justice; HENRY A. GUMBLETON, Clerk.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.
General Term, Room No. 29.
Special Term, Room No. 30.
Chambers, Room No. 33.
Part I, Room No. 34.
Part II, Room No. 35.
Part III, Room No. 36.
Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 30.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 32.
Clerk's Office, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., Room No. 31.
WILLIAM E. CURTIS, Chief Judge; THOS. BORSE, Chief Clerk.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.
Clerk's Office, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., Room No. 22.
General Term, Room No. 24.
Special Term, Room No. 21.
Chambers, Room No. 21.
Part I, Room No. 25.
Part II, Room No. 26.
Part III, Room No. 27.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23.
CHARLES P. DALY, Chief Justice; NATHANIEL JARVIS, Jr., Chief Clerk.

MARINE COURT.

General Term, Trial Term Part I, Room 15, City Hall.
Trial Term Part II, Trial Term Part III, third floor, 27 Chambers street.
Special Term, Chambers, second floor, 27 Chambers street, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
Clerk's Office, basement, Brown-stone building City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HENRY ALKER, Chief Justice; JOHN SAVAGE, Chief Clerk.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, second floor, Room 14, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN K. HACKETT, Recorder; RUFUS B. COWING, City Judge; HENRY A. GILDERLEEVE, Judge-Sessions; JOHN SPARKS, Clerk.

OVER AND TERMINER COURT.

General Term, New County Court-house, second floor southeast corner, room 13, 10:30 A. M.
Clerk's Office, Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, second floor, northwest corner.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

At Tombs, corner Franklin and Centre streets, Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays, 10 A. M.
Clerk's Office, Tombs.

DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.

First District—First, Second, Third, and Fifth Wards, southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN CALLAHAN, Justice.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 and 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, November 7, 1878.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Commissioners of this Department will meet daily at 10 o'clock A. M., for the transaction of business.

By order of the Board.
VINCENT C. KING, President,
JOSEPH L. PERLEY,
JOHN J. GORMAN, Treasurer,
Commissioners.

CARL JUSSEN,
Secretary

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

OFFICE CLERK OF THE COMMON COUNCIL,
No. 8 CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, January 16, 1879.

THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS OF
the Board of Aldermen will meet in Room No. 8
City Hall, every Thursday, at 1 o'clock, P. M.

By Order of the Committee,

HENRY C. PERLEY,
TERENCE KIERNAN,
JOSEPH P. STRACK,
FREDERICK FINCK,
THOMAS CARROLL,
Committee on Public Works.

JACOB M. PATTERSON, Jr.,
Clerk.

THE COMMITTEE ON LAW DEPARTMENT
of the Board of Aldermen will meet every Monday
in the City Library, Room No. 12 City Hall, at 1 o'clock
P. M.

By Order of the Committee,

J. GRAHAM HYATT,
Chairman.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
Nos. 117 and 119 DUANE STREET,
NEW YORK, February 28, 1879.

JAMES M. OAKLEY & CO., AUCTIONEERS,
will sell at Public Auction, at the Exchange Sales-
room, No. 111 Broadway, on

THURSDAY, MARCH 13, 1879.

at 12 o'clock M., the right to collect and retain all wharfage
which may accrue for the use and occupation by vessels
of more than five tons burthen, of the following-named
Piers and Bulkheads, to wit:

ON NORTH RIVER.

For and during the term of one year, from 1st May,
1879:

Lot 1. Pier, old 42, and Bulkhead adjoining southerly
side, at Hoboken street.

Lot 2. Pier at West Twenty-eighth street (except reserva-
tion on southerly side for berth for night-soil
boat).

Lot 3. Pier at West Thirty-fifth street (except reservation
on northerly side for berth for public bath,
during summer season).

Lot 4. Pier at West Fifty-fifth street. (These premises
will not be repaired or dredged by the Depart-
ment, and the purchaser of this lot will be
required to take the premises in the condition
in which they may be on 1st May, 1879.)

Lot 5. Pier at West Fifty-seventh street. (No dredging
will be done at these premises by the Depart-
ment.)

For and during the term of three years, from 1st May
1879:

Lot 6. Pier at West Eleventh street, and Bulkhead ex-
tending easterly from southerly side thereof to
west line of West street.

Lot 7. Pier at Gansevoort street.

Lot 8. Bulkhead at West Nineteenth street.

Lot 9. Pier at West Seventy-ninth street, except reserva-
tion of northerly half when required for land-
ing material for City Departments. (No dredging
will be done at these premises by the Depart-
ment.)

For and during the term of five years, from 1st August,
1879:

Lot 10. Pier 13 and one-half of Bulkhead adjoining
southerly side. (These premises will not be re-
paired or dredged by the Department, and the
purchaser of this lot will be required to take
the premises in the condition in which they
may be on 1st August, 1879.)

Lot 11. Northerly half of Pier 12 and one-half of Bulk-
head adjoining. (These premises will not be
repaired or dredged by the Department, and
the purchaser of this lot will be required to
take the premises in the condition in which
they may be on 1st August, 1879.)

ON EAST RIVER.

For and during the term of one year, from 1st May,
1879:

Lot 12. Pier or bulkhead at East Eighty-sixth street.

For and during the term of three years, from 1st May,
1879:

Lot 13. Bulkhead between Piers 20 and 21.

Lot 14. Outer half of easterly side of Pier 22.

Lot 15. One undivided ninth-part of Pier 42. (These
premises will not be repaired or dredged by the
Department, and the purchaser of this lot will
be required to take the premises in the condition
in which they may be on 1st May, 1879.)

Lot 16. Easterly half of Pier 51 and westerly half of Pier
52, and Bulkhead and small Pier between (ex-
cept reservation at outer end of easterly side of
Pier 51, for berth for public bath during summer
seasons).

Lot 17. Easterly half of Pier 53.

Lot 18. Bulkhead at Corleais street.

Lot 19. Northerly half of Pier 56, and southerly half of
Pier 57, and Bulkhead between.

Lot 20. Pier at Third street (except reservation on south-
erly side for berth for Police Boat).

Lot 21. Pier at Fifth street (except reservation on north-
erly side for berth for public bath during sum-
mer seasons, and on southerly side for dumping-
board).

Lot 22. Bulkhead at East Sixteenth street.

Lot 23. Bulkhead at East Twentieth street.

Lot 24. Pier and dump at East Twenty-second street.

Lot 25. Pier at East Twenty-third street (except reserva-
tion of outer end and on southerly side for
berth for school-ship).

Lot 26. Pier at East Twenty-fifth street.

Lot 27. Pier at East Twenty-eighth street.

Lot 28. Bulkhead extension (stone dump) at East Forty-
fifth street. (No dredging will be done at these
premises by the Department.)

Lot 29. Pier at East Fifty-fourth street. (No dredging
will be done at these premises by the Depart-
ment.)

For and during the term of five years, from 1st May,
1879:

Lot 30. Easterly half of Pier 18.

Lot 31. Easterly half of Pier 25 and westerly half of Pier
26 and Bulkhead between.

For and during the term of three years, from 1st June
1879:

Lot 32. About 211 feet of outer end of westerly half of
Pier 23.

For and during the term of three years, from 1st Novem-
ber, 1879:

Lot 33. Southerly half, except outer end, of Pier 55 and
about 54 feet of Bulkhead adjoining.

ON HARLEM RIVER.

For and during the term of three years from 1st May,
1879:

Lot 34. Pier at East One Hundred and Ninth street. (No
dredging will be done at these premises by the
Department.)

Lot 35. Pier at East One Hundred and Seventeenth street.
(No dredging will be done at these premises by
the Department.)

Lot 36. Pier or Platform at East One Hundred and Twen-
tieth street. (No dredging will be done at these
premises by the Department.)

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE SALE.

The Department will make, prior to the commence-
ment of the term of lease in each case, such repairs to
any of the above-named premises, in the judgment of the
Commissioners, needing them, as they may consider nec-
essary to place the premises in suitable condition for
service during the terms for which leases are to be sold,
except that no repairs will be made to any of the above-
named premises where it is stated that they will not be
repaired by the Department; but all the premises must
be taken in the condition in which they may be on the
date of commencement of said terms, respectively;
and no claim that the property is not in suitable condition
at the commencement of the lease, will be allowed by
the Department; and all repairs and rebuilding required
and necessary, during the terms leased, are to be done at
the expense and cost of the lessee.

Purchasers will be allowed three months, from date of
commencement of their leases, in which to notify the De-
partment that dredging is required at the premises leased;
and the Commissioners guarantee to do all possible dredg-
ing, as soon after being notified of the necessity thereof,
as the work of the Department will permit, except that no
dredging will be done at any of the above-named premises
where it is stated that they will not be dredged by the De-
partment; but in no case will the Department dredge
where a depth of ten feet at mean low water already exists,
nor after that depth shall have been obtained by dredg-
ing; and no claim will be received or considered by the
Department for loss of wharfage or otherwise, consequent
upon any delay in doing the work of such dredging, or
consequent upon the premises being occupied for dredging
purposes. All dredging required at any of the above
premises, of which the purchaser of the lease therefor
shall neglect or omit to notify the Department during the
first three months of the term of the lease, and all dredg-
ing necessary during the remainder of such term, is to be
done at the expense and cost of the lessee.

The up-set price for each of the above-named premises
will be fixed by the Department of Docks, and announced
by the auctioneer at the time of the sale.

Each purchaser of a lease will be required, at the time
of the sale, and in addition to the auctioneer's fees, to pay
to the Department of Docks twenty-five per cent. of the
amount of annual rent bid, as security for the execution
of the lease, and which twenty-five per cent. will be
applied to the payment of the rent first accruing under
the lease, when executed, or forfeited if the purchaser
neglects or refuses to execute the lease and bond within
five days after being duly notified that the lease is pre-
pared and ready for signature. The Commissioners
reserve the right to resell the leases bid off by those failing
to comply with these terms; the party so failing to be
liable for any deficiency which may result from such
resale.

Lessees will be required to pay their rent quarterly, in
advance, in compliance with a stipulation therefor in the
form of lease adopted by the Department.

Two sureties, each a freeholder and householder in the
City of New York, and to be approved by the Commis-
sioners of Docks, will be required, under each lease, to
enter into a bond jointly with the lessee in the sum of an
amount double the annual rent for the faithful per-
formance of all the covenants of the lease; and each pur-
chaser will be required to submit, at the time of the sale,
the names and address of his proposed sureties.

Each purchaser will be required to agree that he will,
upon being notified so to do, execute a lease prepared
upon the printed form adopted by the Department, which
can be seen upon application to the Secretary, at the
office, 119 Duane street.

No person will be received as lessee or surety who is
delinquent on any former lease from the Corporation; and
no bid will be accepted from any person who is in arrears
to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a de-
fault, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the
Corporation.

HENRY F. DIMOCK,
JACOB VANDERPOEL,
Commissioners of Docks.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
No. 16 NEW COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, February 27, 1879.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED AND ENTERED FEBRUARY 24, 1879.

65th street, paving, from 1st to 3d avenue.
75th street, paving, from 4th to Madison avenue.
84th street, paving, from Boulevard to Riverside drive.
Goerck street, sewer, from Houston to 3d street.
10th avenue, sewer, between 116th and Manhattan
streets.

57th street, flagging, (north side), between Lexington
and 3d avenues.

85th street, fencing, between 1st avenue and Avenue A
and southwest corner of 86th street.

74th street, fencing, between 4th and Madison avenues.

All payments made on the above assessments on or
before April 28, 1879, 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 entry.

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.

EDWARD GILON,
Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
No. 16 NEW COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, January 21, 1879.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED AND ENTERED JANUARY 15, 1879.

78th street, regulating, grading, etc., from 9th avenue
to Boulevard.

112th street, regulating, grading, etc., from Madison
avenue to 175 feet east, etc.

76th street, sewer, between Boulevard and 11th avenue.
9th avenue, sewer, between 100th and 101st streets, etc.
Greenwich street, sewer between West Houston and
Clarkson streets.

East Broadway or Chatham square (east side), sewer
between Oliver and Catherine streets.

4th avenue (west side), sewer, between 123d and 125th
streets.

104th street, sewer, between 4th and 5th avenues.

10th avenue, sewer, between 110th and 114th streets.

57th street (north side), basin, between Madison and
4th avenues.

65th street, basin, northwest corner 5th avenue.

70th street, paving crossing at 4th avenue.

82d street, paving between 3d and Madison avenues.

34th street, flagging in front of No. 411 E.

40th street, flagging (south side), between 1st and 2d
avenues.

Madison avenue, flagging (east side), between 56th
and 57th streets.

85th street, flagging between 1st avenue and Avenue A.

57th street (south side), fencing vacant lots, between
5th and 6th avenues.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before
March 22, 1879, 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 entry.

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.

EDWARD GILON,
Collector of Assessments.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

THE ATTENTION OF LAWYERS, REAL
Estate Owners, Monetary Institutions engaged in
making loans upon real estate, and all who are interested
in providing themselves with facilities for reducing the cost
of examinations and searches, is invited to these Official
Indices of Records, containing all recorded transfers of
real estate in the City of New York from 1653 to 1857,
prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of
Records.

Grantors, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and
Sheriffs' sales, in 61 volumes, full bound, price, \$100 00
The same, in 25 volumes, half bound, price, 50 00
Complete sets, folded, ready for binding, price, 15 00
Records of Judgments, 25 volumes, bound, price, 10 00
Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Angell,
Comptroller's Office, New County Court-house."

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHAR-
ITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, February 21, 1879.

PROPOSALS FOR DRY GOODS, GRO-
CERIES, ETC.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS
above, will be received by the Commissioners of
Public Charities and Correction, at their office, until 9
o'clock A. M., of Friday, March 7, 1879, at which time
they will be publicly opened and read by the head of
said Department, for furnishing and delivering at the foot
of East Twenty-sixth street, free of all expense to the De-
partment—

DRY GOODS.

10,000 yards Bed Tickings.
100 pieces Oiled Muslin.
20,000 Needles, each 3, 4, 5, and 6.
1,000 Sail Needles.
100 packs Pins.
10 pieces No. 10 Cotton Duck.
5 " No. 4 Cotton Duck.

GROCERIES.

1,000 barrels Potatoes.
300 sacks Salt.
1,000 pounds Prepared Cocoa.

TIN.

100 boxes Teme Roofing Tin, 14 x 20.
50 boxes I. C. Tin, 10 x 14.
500 pounds Best Black Tin.

VARNISH, OILS, AND BRUSHES.

1 barrel Copal Varnish.
1 " Shellac Varnish.
1 " Japan Dryer.
2 " Lard Oil.
2 " Signal Oil.
1 " Asphaltum Varnish.
20 dozen 6" Paint Brushes.
20 " Hair Brushes.

LUMBER.

5,000 feet 1 1/2-inch Best Clear Pine.
5,000 " 2-inch Best Clear Pine.
3 pieces 2 x 18 inches, Best Clear Pine.
1 piece 2 x 20 inches Best Clear Pine.
120 Pine Boards, 1 1/2 x 13 feet.
30 pieces Worked Pine Boards, 1 1/2 x 5 inches.
30 pieces Spruce, 3 x 10 x 18 feet.
2,000 feet Spruce Flooring, 4 x 1 1/2.
2 pieces Spruce, 4 x 4 x 12 feet.
81 feet Spruce, 6 x 6.
2 pieces Spruce 8 x 10 x 30 feet.
4 pieces Spruce, 4 x 8 x 28 feet.
40 Hemlock Joist, 3 x 4.

The quality of the goods furnished must conform in
every respect to the samples of the above to be seen at
this office.

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 to accept an offer for
the whole bid or for any single article included in the
proposal, and no proposal will be accepted from, or a
contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the
Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is defaulter,
as security or otherwise, upon any obligation to the
Corporation.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, February 26, 1879.

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—Edward Rus-
sell; aged 70 years; 5 feet 5 1/2 inches high; gray hair;
dark brown eyes. Had on when admitted, black coat,
vest and pants. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By Order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, February 21, 1879.

PROPOSALS FOR 3,000 BARRELS OF
FLOUR.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS
above, will be received by the Commissioners of
Public Charities and Correction, at their office, until 9
o'clock A. M., of Friday, March 7, 1879, at which time
they will be publicly opened and read by the head of said
Department, for furnishing and delivering, at the Bake-
house, Blackwell's Island, free of all expense to the De-
partment.

3,000 barrels of good extra Wheat Flour, to be equal
in quality to the samples to be seen at this office
(empty barrels to be returned and deducted in
proposals from the price of flour), to be delivered
in quantities as required, free of all expense to
the Department.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as
practicable after the opening of the bids.
No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by
the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders

of the City of New York, with their respective places of
business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be
awarded under that proposal, they will, on its being so
awarded, become bound as sureties in the estimated
amount of fifty per cent. for its faithful performance,
which consent must be verified by the justification of each
of the persons signing the same for double the amount
of surety required. The sufficiency of such security to be
approved by the Comptroller.

The Department of Public Charities and Correction re-
serve the right to decline any and all proposals, if deemed
to be for the public interest, and to accept an offer for
the whole bid, or for any single article included in the
proposal, and no proposal will be accepted from, or a
contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the
Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is defaulter,
as security or otherwise, upon any obligation to the
Corporation.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, February 24, 1879.

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—Annie McDermott;
aged 36 years; 5 feet high; dark hair; gray eyes.
Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

Matthew Long; aged 30 years; 5 feet 6 inches high;
brown hair; hazel eyes. Had on when admitted, black
coat and pants, brown vest, white shirt, drawers. Nothing
known of his friends or relatives.

Sarah Dougherty; aged 30 years; 5 feet 3 inches high;
black hair; dark brown eyes. Nothing known of her
friends or relatives.

At Almshouse, Blackwell's Island—George Byron;
aged 42 years. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—William
Smith; aged 31 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; black hair
and eyes. Had on when admitted, dark suit of clothes.
Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

David H. Lyons; aged 28 years; 5 feet 6 inches high;
black hair; brown eyes. Had on when admitted, black
coat and pants, laced shoes, felt hat. Nothing known of
his friends or relatives.

Francis Hill; aged 37 years; 6 feet high; blue eyes;
light hair. Had on when admitted, black coat, pants and
vest. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By Order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

JURORS.

NOTICE

IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR
STATE COURTS

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, June 1, 1877.

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 enroll-
ment notice," requiring them to appear before me this
year. Whether liable or not, such notices must be an-
swered (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

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Parks, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Harlem river to Long Island Sound; and to the opening of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from Harlem river to the Southern Boulevard; and to the opening of Westchester avenue, from Third avenue to the City line at the Bronx river; and to the opening of Cliff street, from Third avenue to Union avenue; and to the opening of One Hundred and Sixty-first street, from Jerome avenue (late Centra avenue) to Third avenue; and to the opening of One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, from Boston avenue to Union avenue; and to the opening of Prospect avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street to the Southern Boulevard; and to the opening of Willis avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-seventh street to Third avenue; and to the opening of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, from Third avenue to St. Ann's avenue; and to the opening of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, from Third avenue to Elton avenue; and to the opening and widening of Morris avenue, from Third avenue to Railroad avenue, at One Hundred and Fifty-third street, in Twenty-third Ward of 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 and 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 Meyer Butzel, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 261 Broadway, Room 23, in the said city, on or before the fifth day of March, 1879, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week days next after the said fifth day of March, 1879, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our office on each of said ten days, at two o'clock in the afternoon.

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 seventeenth day of March, 1879.

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of New York, included within the following boundaries, viz.: Commencing at a point on the easterly bulkhead line of Harlem river, which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to and 200 feet northerly of the northerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; thence easterly, parallel to and always 200 feet northerly of the northerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, to the westerly side of Morris avenue; thence across Morris and Third avenues to the corner which is formed by the intersection of the easterly side of Third avenue with the southerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street; thence easterly along the southerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street to the bulkhead line of Long Island Sound; thence southerly along said bulkhead line until the same is intersected by the northerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street; thence westerly along the northerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street to the easterly line of Third avenue; thence across Third avenue to a point on the westerly side thereof which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to, and 200 feet southerly of, the southerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; thence westerly, parallel to and always 200 feet southerly thereof, to the easterly bulkhead line of Harlem river; thence northerly along said bulkhead line to the place of beginning.

Also all those lots, pieces or parcels of land included within the following boundaries: Commencing at a point on the easterly side of the Harlem River, 100 feet west of the Third avenue; thence running north and parallel with Third avenue to the northerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth Street; thence northerly and parallel with Morris avenue, as opened and widened in this proceeding, and distant therefrom 105 feet, to the northerly side of One Hundred and Forty-first street (now known as Lowell street); thence northerly and still parallel with Morris avenue, as opened and widened in this proceeding, and distant therefrom 115 feet, to the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Forty-fourth and One Hundred and Forty-sixth streets (now known as Main and Cottage streets); thence westerly along said last mentioned centre line to the easterly line of Terrace Place; thence northerly along the said easterly line of Terrace Place to the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-third street (as proposed); thence westerly along the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-third street (as proposed) to the westerly line of Sheridan avenue (as proposed); thence northerly along the westerly line of Sheridan avenue (as proposed) to a point which would be on the southerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street (as proposed); thence easterly along the said southerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street (as proposed), thence northerly and along the southerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street (as proposed) to the westerly tank of Mill Brook; thence southerly along the westerly bank of Mill Brook, as the same winds and twines to the westerly side of Railroad avenue, west; thence still southerly along the westerly side of Railroad avenue west to a point which is opposite the westerly line of College avenue (as proposed); thence still southerly to and along the westerly line of College avenue (as proposed) to the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street (now known as Cottage street); thence in a straight line to the southwest corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fortieth street (now known as Bronx street); thence southerly in a straight line to the southeast corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fortieth street; thence easterly along the southerly side of One Hundred and Fortieth street to a point which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to, and 100 feet easterly from, the easterly side of Third avenue; thence running south along a line always one hundred feet east of Third avenue to the northerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; thence southerly, along a line parallel to Lincoln avenue, and 100 feet easterly thereof, to the Harlem river; thence along the Harlem river to the point of beginning.

Also all those lots, pieces or parcels of land and premises within the following boundaries: Commencing at a point on the westerly side of St. Ann's avenue, at a point which is 100 feet southerly from the southwest corner of St. Ann's avenue and One Hundred and Forty-eighth street; thence running westerly and always 100 feet southerly of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street to the westerly side of College avenue (as proposed); thence northerly along the westerly side of College avenue (as proposed) to a point which is 100 feet northerly of the northwest corner of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street and College avenue (as proposed); thence running easterly and always 100 feet northerly of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street to the westerly side of St. Ann's avenue; thence southerly along the westerly side of St. Ann's avenue; to the point of beginning.

Also all those lots, pieces or parcels of land and premises within the following boundaries: Commencing at a point on the northerly side of the Southern Boulevard, which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to and distant 250 feet northerly of the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; thence running westerly parallel to and always 250 feet northerly of said One Hundred and Forty-ninth street to the westerly line of St. Ann's avenue; thence southerly along the westerly line of St. Ann's avenue to a point which is distant 100 feet northerly of the northwest corner of St. Ann's avenue and One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; thence running westerly parallel to and always 100 feet northerly of said One Hundred and Forty-ninth street to the westerly line of the lands belonging to the Harlem Railroad Company; thence northerly along the lands of said railroad company to a point which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel

to and distant 350 feet northerly of the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; thence running westerly parallel to and always 350 feet northerly of said street to the easterly water-graft line of the Harlem river; thence southerly along said water-graft line to a point which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to and distant 350 feet southerly of the southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; thence running easterly parallel to and always 350 feet southerly of said street to the westerly line of the lands of said railroad company; thence northerly along the lands of said railroad company to a point which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to and 100 feet southerly of the southerly line of said street; thence easterly parallel to and always 100 feet southerly of said street to the westerly side of St. Ann's avenue; thence southerly along the westerly side of St. Ann's avenue to a point which is distant 250 feet southerly of the southwest corner of St. Ann's avenue and One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; thence easterly parallel to and always 250 feet southerly of said street to the westerly side of the Southern Boulevard; thence northerly along the westerly side of the Southern Boulevard, as it curves, to the place of beginning.

Also all those lots, pieces or parcels of land and premises within the following boundaries: Commencing at a point on the northerly side of the Southern Boulevard which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to and 200 feet easterly of Prospect Avenue; thence running northerly parallel to and always 200 feet easterly of said avenue to a line which would be the protraction of the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street (as proposed); thence westerly along the protraction of the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street (as proposed), and along the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street (as proposed) to a point which is 200 feet west of the westerly line of Prospect Avenue; thence southerly parallel to and always 200 feet westerly of said avenue to the northerly side of the Southern Boulevard; thence northerly along the northerly side of the Southern Boulevard to the place of beginning.

Also all those lots, pieces or parcels of land and premises within the following boundaries: Commencing at a point on the northerly side of Westchester avenue at a point which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to and 135 feet westerly of the westerly line of Tinton avenue; thence northerly parallel to and always 135 feet westerly thereof to the southerly side of One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street; thence easterly along the southerly side of One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street to a point which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to and 125 feet easterly of the easterly line of Tinton avenue; thence southerly parallel to and always 125 feet easterly thereof to and across Westchester avenue to a point which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to and 100 feet southerly of the southerly side of Westchester avenue; thence westerly along said last mentioned line until intersected by the first-mentioned line; thence southerly to the south; thence northerly along the production of the said first mentioned line to the point of beginning.

Also all those lots, pieces or parcels of land and premises embraced within the following boundaries: Commencing at a point on the easterly line of Terrace place, which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to and 100 feet northerly of the northerly side of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street; thence running easterly, parallel to and always 100 feet northerly thereof, to the westerly line of St. Ann's avenue; thence southerly along the westerly line of St. Ann's avenue to a point which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to and 100 feet southerly of the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street; thence westerly, parallel to and always 100 feet southerly thereof, to the said easterly line of Terrace place; thence northerly along the easterly line of Terrace place to the point of beginning.

Also all those lots, pieces or parcels of land and premises embraced within the following boundaries: Commencing at a point on the easterly line of Third avenue, which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to and 100 feet northerly of the northerly line of Cliff street; thence running easterly, parallel to and always 100 feet northerly thereof, to the westerly line of Union avenue; thence southerly along the westerly line of Union avenue to a point which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to and 100 feet southerly of the southerly line of Cliff street; thence westerly, parallel to and always 100 feet southerly thereof, to the easterly line of Third avenue; thence northerly along the easterly line of Third avenue to the point of beginning.

Also all those lots, pieces or parcels of land embraced within the following boundaries: Commencing at a point on the easterly side of Boston avenue at a point which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to and 100 feet northerly of the northerly line of Wall street; thence running easterly, parallel to, and always 100 feet northerly thereof, to the westerly line of Union avenue; thence southerly along the westerly line of Union avenue to a point 100 feet south of the corner formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Union avenue and the southerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street; thence westerly, parallel to and always 100 feet southerly of the southerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, to the easterly line of Boston avenue; thence northerly along the easterly line of Boston avenue to the point of beginning.

Also all those lots, pieces or parcels of land and premises embraced within the following boundaries: Commencing at a point on the easterly line of Terrace place where the said easterly line of Terrace place would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to and 500 feet northerly of the northerly line of Denman street; thence running easterly, parallel to Denman street, and always 500 feet northerly thereof, to the westerly side of Third avenue; thence still easterly across the said Third avenue to a point which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to and 500 feet northerly of the northerly side of Westchester avenue; thence running westerly and southerly thereof, to the easterly side of Third avenue; thence still westerly across the said Third avenue to a point which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to and 500 feet southerly of the southerly side of Denman street; thence still westerly, parallel to and always 500 feet southerly thereof, to the easterly side of said Terrace place, and thence northerly along the easterly side of Terrace place to the point of beginning.

Also, all those lots, pieces or parcels of land and premises within the following boundaries: Commencing at a point in the easterly line of the lands of Spuyten Duyvil Railroad at a point where the same would be intersected by the prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of One Hundred and Sixty-first street, and 500 feet northerly thereof; thence running easterly and always 500 feet northerly of said northerly side of One Hundred and Sixty-first street and parallel thereto to the westerly side of Third avenue; thence across Third avenue to the easterly side thereof to a point which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to and 500 feet northerly of the northerly side of Cliff street; thence easterly parallel to and 500 feet northerly of said northerly side of Cliff street to a point distant 100 feet easterly of the easterly side of Union avenue; thence southerly parallel to Union avenue to a point which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of Cliff street and 500 feet southerly thereof; thence westerly parallel to and always 500 feet southerly of the southerly side of Cliff street to the easterly side of Third avenue; thence across Third avenue to the westerly side thereof to a point which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to and 500 feet southerly of the southerly side of One Hundred and Sixty-first street; thence westerly parallel to and 500 feet southerly of said southerly side of One Hundred and Sixty-first street to a point in the easterly line of land of said railroad, where it would be intersected by the prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and 500 feet southerly of the southerly side of One Hundred and Sixty-first street; thence northerly along the easterly line of lands of said railroad to the point of beginning.

Also, all those lots, pieces or parcels of land and premises embraced within the following boundaries: Commencing at a point on the easterly side of the Southern Boulevard, which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to and distant 250 feet northerly of the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; thence running westerly parallel to and always 250 feet northerly of said One Hundred and Forty-ninth street to the westerly line of St. Ann's avenue; thence southerly along the westerly line of St. Ann's avenue to a point which is distant 100 feet northerly of the northwest corner of St. Ann's avenue and One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; thence running westerly parallel to and always 100 feet northerly of said One Hundred and Forty-ninth street to the westerly line of the lands belonging to the Harlem Railroad Company; thence northerly along the lands of said railroad company to a point which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel

to and distant 350 feet northerly of the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; thence running westerly parallel to and always 350 feet northerly of said street to the easterly water-graft line of the Harlem river; thence southerly along said water-graft line to a point which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to and distant 350 feet southerly of the southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; thence running easterly parallel to and always 350 feet southerly of said street to the westerly line of the lands of said railroad company; thence northerly along the lands of said railroad company to a point which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to and 100 feet southerly of the southerly line of said street; thence easterly parallel to and always 100 feet southerly of said street to the westerly side of St. Ann's avenue; thence southerly along the westerly side of St. Ann's avenue to a point which is distant 250 feet southerly of the southwest corner of St. Ann's avenue and One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; thence easterly parallel to and always 250 feet southerly of said street to the westerly side of the Southern Boulevard; thence northerly along the westerly side of the Southern Boulevard, as it curves, to the place of beginning.

Excepting, however, from all the lands and premises above described so much thereof as is included within the areas of streets and avenues now opened and proposed to be opened by this proceeding.

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, in the City of New York, on the twentieth day of May, 1879, 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, January 21, 1879.
MEYER BUTZEL,
HENRY LEWIS,
JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL,
Commissioners.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of Sixty-seventh street, from Third avenue to the East river, in the City of New York.

Pursuant to the Statutes of the State of New York, in such case made and provided, the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, hereby gives notice that the Counsel to the Corporation of said City will apply to the Supreme Court, in the First Judicial District of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said court, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Thursday, the 6th day of March, A. D. 1879, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon, and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of Sixty-seventh street, from Third avenue to the East river, in the City of New York, and more particularly bounded and described as follows, viz.: All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the easterly line of Third avenue distant two hundred feet and ten inches (200' 10") from the northerly line of Sixty-sixth street; thence running easterly and parallel with said Sixty-sixth street six hundred and ten feet (610') to the westerly line of Second avenue; thence northerly along the westerly line of Second avenue sixty feet (60'); thence westerly six hundred and ten feet (610') to the easterly line of Third avenue; thence southerly along the easterly line of Third avenue sixty feet (60') to the point of beginning.

Also all that certain other lot, piece, or parcel of land bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the easterly line of Second avenue distant two hundred feet and ten inches (200' 10") from the northerly line of Sixty-sixth street; thence easterly and parallel with said Sixty-sixth street six hundred and ten feet (610') to the westerly line of First avenue; thence northerly along the westerly line of First avenue sixty feet (60'); thence westerly six hundred and fifty feet (650') to the easterly line of Second avenue; thence southerly along the easterly line of Second avenue sixty feet (60') to the point of beginning.

Also all that certain other lot, piece, or parcel of land bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the easterly line of First avenue distant two hundred feet and ten inches (200' 10") from the northerly line of Sixty-sixth street; thence easterly and parallel with said Sixty-sixth street six hundred and ten feet (610') to the bulkhead line; thence northerly and along the said bulkhead line sixty feet and three inches (60' 3") to the westerly line of Avenue A; thence southerly along the westerly line of Avenue A sixty feet (60') to the easterly line of First avenue; thence southerly along the easterly line of First avenue sixty feet (60') to the point of beginning.

And also all that certain other lot, piece, or parcel of land bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the easterly line of Avenue A distant two hundred feet and ten inches (200' 10") from the northerly line of Sixty-sixth street; thence easterly and parallel with said Sixty-sixth street six hundred and ten feet (610') to the bulkhead line; thence northerly and along the said bulkhead line sixty feet and three inches (60' 3") to the westerly line of Avenue A; thence southerly along the westerly line of Avenue A sixty feet (60') to the point of beginning.

Dated New York, February 6, 1879.
WM. C. WHITNEY,
Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,
No. 32 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, January 9, 1879.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BOOKS of Annual Record of the assessed valuation of Real and Personal Estate of the City and County of New York for the year 1879, will be opened for inspection and revision, on and after Monday, January 13, 1879, and will remain open until the 30th day of April, 1879, inclusive, for the correction of errors and the equalization of the assessments of the aforesaid real and personal estate.

All persons believing themselves aggrieved must make application to the Commissioners during the period above mentioned, in order to obtain the relief provided by law.

By order of the Board.
ALBERT STORER,
Secretary

CORPORATION NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors for examination by all persons interested, viz.:

No. 1. Paving Eleventh avenue, from Fifty-ninth to Sixty-fifth street, with Belgian pavement.

No. 2. Planting elm trees on Sixth avenue, from One Hundred and Tenth to One Hundred and Forty-fifth street.

No. 3. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones and flagging in Eighty-eighth street, between First avenue and Avenue A.

No. 4. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones and flagging in One Hundredth street, between the Bloomingdale road and the Boulevard.

No. 5. Sewer in Ninety-fourth street, between Third and Fourth avenues, and in Fourth avenue, east side, between Ninety-third and Ninety-fourth streets.

No. 6. Sewer in Seventieth street, between First and Second avenues.

No. 7. Paving One Hundred and Eighth street, from Fourth to Madison avenue, with Belgian pavement.

No. 8. Paving One Hundred and Twentieth street, between Second and Third avenues, with Belgian pavement.

No. 9. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones and flagging in Ninety-sixth street, between the Boulevard and the Hudson river.

No. 10. Sewer in West street, between Barclay street and Park place.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Eleventh avenue, between Fifty-ninth and Sixty-fifth streets, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 2. Both sides of Sixth avenue, between One Hundred and Tenth and One Hundred and Forty-fifth streets.

No. 3. Both sides of Eighty-eighth street, between First avenue and Avenue A, and to the extent of half the block at the intersection of First avenue.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundredth street, between the Bloomingdale road and the Boulevard.

No. 5. Both sides of Ninety-fourth street, between Third and Fourth avenues, and the east side of Fourth avenue, between Ninety-third and Ninety-fourth streets, and the north side of Ninety-third street, between Lexington and Fourth avenues.

No. 6. Both sides of Seventieth street, between First and Second avenues.

No. 7. Both sides of One Hundred and Eighth street, between the Fourth and Madison avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 8. Both sides of One Hundred and Twentieth street, between the Second and Third avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 9. Both sides of Ninety-sixth street, between the Boulevard and the Hudson river, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 10. East side of West street, between Barclay street and Park place.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 114 White street, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

The above described lists will be transmitted as provided by law to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 27th day of March ensuing.

THOMAS B. ASTEN,
JOHN MULLALLY,
EDWARD NORTH,
DANIEL STANBURY,
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 114 WHITE STREET (CORNER CENTRE),
NEW YORK, February 26, 1879.

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 reassessment, in accordance with an order of the Supreme Court, has been completed and is lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors for examination by all persons interested, viz.:

No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging in Fifth avenue, from One Hundred and Thirtieth to One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street.

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

East of Fifth avenue, between One Hundred and Thirty-fifth and One Hundred and Thirty-eighth streets, in the Twelfth Ward of the City and County of New York, known and distinguished upon the maps of said City and County as follows:

Ward Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, and 72, in Block No. 520, and by the Ward Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, and 72, in Block No. 521; and by the Ward Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 69, 70, 71, and 72, in Block No. 522.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 114 White street, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

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THOMAS B. ASTEN,
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EDWARD NORTH,
DANIEL STANBURY,
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 114 WHITE STREET (COR. OF CENTRE),
NEW YORK, February 26, 1879.

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

No. 1.—Sewers, Greenwich avenue, between Thirtieth street and Eighth avenue, and in Bank street, between Waverly place and Greenwich avenue, from end of present sewer to near Greenwich avenue \$665 18

No. 2.—Basin, Seventieth street, northeast corner of, and Fifth avenue 179 00

No. 3.—Tree planting, Seventh avenue, from One Hundred and Tenth street to One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street 4,388 82

No. 4.—Sewers, First avenue, between Ninety-second and One Hundred and Tenth streets, and in Second avenue, between Ninety-fifth and One Hundred and Ninth streets, with branches in Ninety-third, Ninety-sixth, Ninety-seventh, Ninety-ninth, One Hundredth, One Hundred and First, One Hundred and Second, One Hundred and Third, One Hundred and Fourth, One Hundred and Fifth, One Hundred and Seventh, and One Hundred and Eighth streets 141,252 28

Total \$146,485 28
WM. H. JASPER,
Secretary
OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 114 WHITE STREET (CORNER CENTRE),
NEW YORK, February 13, 1879.