

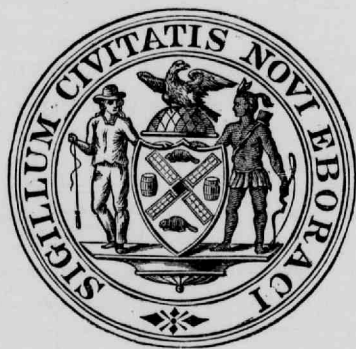
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APPROVED PAPERS.

Ordinances, Resolutions, etc., approved by the Mayor during the week ending October 20, 1877.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be requested to lay a crosswalk across Fifth avenue from the sidewalk in front of the main portico of the Hotel Brunswick to the west side of the Fifth avenue, in the same place that the crosswalk was laid before the repairs were made to the pavement in that place.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 5, 1877.
Approved by the Mayor, October 15, 1877.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to J. B. Henderson, to erect an ornamental lamp-post and lamp, in front of No. 288 Eighth avenue, provided the post shall not exceed the dimensions fixed by resolution of the Common Council, the work to be done and gas supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 5, 1877.
Approved by the Mayor, October 15, 1877.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Philip Divers to place a watering trough on the west side of Broadway, thirty-five (35) feet south of the southwest corner of Broadway and One Hundred and Thirty-first 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.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 5, 1877.
Approved by the Mayor, October 15, 1877.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby directed to notify the Commissioners of the Fire Department to remove the telegraph pole now on the sidewalk corner of Chatham and Frankfort streets, to a distance of twenty-five feet east of Chatham street on Frankfort street.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 5, 1877.
Approved by the Mayor, October 15, 1877.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Messrs. Charles Reiche & Brother, proprietors of the New York Aquarium, to place a pole, horizontally, on the roof of their building, corner of Broadway and Thirty-fifth street, and hang therefrom a canvas banner, six by eight feet, to project over the sidewalk, 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.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 5, 1877.
Approved by the Mayor, October 15, 1877.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to George Inness to erect an ornamental lamp-post and lamp in front of No. 47 University place, provided the post shall not exceed the dimensions fixed by resolution of the Common Council, the work to be done and gas supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 5, 1877.
Approved by the Mayor, October 15, 1877.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be and are hereby requested to report to this Board as early as convenient what steps, if any, have been taken for increasing the revenues of the Corporation, by disposing of the large quantity of land reclaimed from the waters of the North river by the Dock Department, west of West and other streets, in the erection of new bulkheads and extension of piers on the western water front of this city.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 5, 1877.
Approved by the Mayor, October 15, 1877.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 9, 1877.
Approved by the Mayor, October 16, 1877.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Tiffany & Co to erect a storm-door in front of their building in Union square, southwest corner of Fifteenth street, projecting four feet from the house line, 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.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 9, 1877.
Approved by the Mayor, October 17, 1877.

Resolved, That David J. Van Winkle be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of David J. Van Winkle, whose term of office will expire on the 28th instant.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 9, 1877.
Approved by the Mayor, October 17, 1877.

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to the St. Augustine Literary Union to occupy the armory of Company K, Twenty-seventh Regiment, N. G. S. N. Y., in Morrisania Hall, on the evening of November 28, 1877, and a like permission to the Christian Doctrine Association of St. Augustine's Church, Morrisania, on the evening of November 23, 1877, provided the consent of the commandant of the company and the owner of the building be first obtained.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 16, 1877.
Approved by the Mayor, October 18, 1877.

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to Francis Brenzinger, to place and exhibit his six-inch achromatic telescope for astronomical observations, at the corner of Bowery and Fifth street, provided the same shall not constitute an encroachment or obstruction upon the street or sidewalk; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 16, 1877.
Approved by the Mayor, October 18, 1877.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY,
Clerk Common Council.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

WEDNESDAY, October 17, 1877.

The Board of Education held a stated session on Wednesday, October 17, at 4 o'clock P. M., at the hall of the Board, corner of Grand and Elm streets.

Present—Wm. Wood, Esq., President, and Commissioners Baker, Beardslee, Bell, Cohen, Dowd, Goulding, Halsted, Hazeltine, Jelliffe, Kelly, Place, Traud, Vermilye, Walker, Watson, West, Wetmore, Wheeler, Wickham, and Wilkins—21. (The full Board.)

The minutes of the preceding session were approved.

The President laid before the Board communications from Boards of Trustees of several wards, as follows:

From the Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth, Nineteenth, Twentieth, and Twenty-second Wards, asking to excuse absence of teachers. Referred to the Committee on Teachers, with power.

From the Eighth and Thirteenth Wards, asking for book cases for Holbrook Libraries. Referred to the Committee on School Furniture.

From the Eighth Ward, nominating teachers for the evening school. Referred to the Committee on Evening Schools.

From the Eighth Ward, asking for a special appropriation of \$250 for repairs. Referred to the Committee on Buildings.

From the Eleventh Ward, asking for an appropriation of \$34,000 for the purchase of a school site. Referred to the Committee on Sites and New Schools.

From the Twelfth Ward, for an allowance for pay of a Teacher. Referred to the Committee on By-laws, Elections, and Qualifications.

From the Twelfth Ward, awarding contracts for enlarging Primary School Building No. 38. Referred to the Finance Committee.

From Trustees of the Seventeenth Ward, relative to the new wall of Primary School Building No. 22; also, relative to the ceilings. Referred to the Committee on Buildings. Also, for additional closet accommodations for Primary School No. 6. To same Committee.

From the Seventeenth Ward, recommending the reappointment of Frederic C. Wagner, for Trustee. Referred to the Committee on Nomination of Trustees.

From the Nineteenth Ward, relative to the case of Miss Teresa O'Callaghan and the action thereon. Referred to the Committee on By-laws, Elections, and Qualifications.

Also, to pay sundry bills for 1876. Referred to the Finance Committee.

From the Twenty-second Ward, relative to sale of a school site in West Sixty-first street. Referred to the Committee on Sites and New Schools.

From the Twenty-fourth Ward, making award of contract for grading premises of Grammar School No. 63. Referred to the Finance Committee.

The President laid before the Board the report of Hon. Henry Kiddle, City Superintendent. Ordered, that said report be entered in full in the minutes.

From the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Children, relative to a case of severe punishment by a Teacher. Referred to the Committee on Teachers.

From M. B. Mason, relative to new ventilator. Referred to the Committee on Warming and Ventilation.

From the St. Joseph's Home, asking for disused books. Referred to the Committee on Supplies.

From the Acme Paper Manufacturing Company, relative to their parchment recording paper. Referred to the Committee on Supplies.

Reports from Standing Committees were taken up for consideration, when the reports relative to corporal punishment were taken from the table, and, after discussion, were laid on the table for further consideration.

Reports were presented, as follows:
By Commissioner Walker, from the Committee on Course of Study and School Books, submitting a list of supplies for 1878. Laid on the table.

Also, relative to reducing the number of text-books and adverse thereto. Laid on the table, and entered in full in the minutes.

By Commissioner Hazeltine, appointing John J. Doane an Instructor in the Evening High School. Adopted.

By Commissioner Halstead, from the Committee on Teachers, asking to be discharged from the further consideration of the matter of Lindsay I. Howe, relative to complaint against one of the Principals. Adopted.

Commissioner Wickham presented a report from the Committee on Normal College, asking for \$600 for expenses. Referred to the Finance Committee.

By Commissioner Baker, from the Auditing Committee, recommending the payment of a bill for repairs. Adopted.

By Commissioner Dowd, from the Finance Committee, recommending an appropriation of \$1,814 to enlarge premises Primary School No. 38. Adopted.

By Commissioner Goulding, from the Committee on School Furniture, relative to awards of contract for new furniture in the Twenty-second, Twenty-third, and Twenty-fourth Wards. Laid on the table, and entered in full in the minutes.

By Commissioner Place, from the Committee on Nomination of Trustees, nominating George B. Lawson for School Trustee in the Ninth Ward, and James M. Edgar for Trustee in the Sixteenth Ward, to fill vacancies. Adopted.

By Commissioner Jelliffe, from the Committee on Sites, recommending the purchase of a school site in the Eleventh Ward, for \$34,000. Laid on the table, and entered in full in the minutes.

Commissioner Dowd presented reports from the Finance Committee, recommending payment of sundry bills for repairs, etc., in the Sixteenth Ward. Adopted.

Also, to appropriate \$800 to pay for grading school premises Grammar School No. 63. Adopted.

Also, to pay \$248.96 for extra work on Primary School building No. 18. Adopted.

Also, to appropriate \$600 for the Normal College. Adopted.

By Commissioner West, from the Committee on By-laws, Elections and Qualifications, recommending a deduction of three and a half per cent. from pay-rolls for October. Amended by striking out October and inserting "November and December." Adopted.

Sundry resolutions were referred or laid upon the table, whereon the Board adjourned.

L. D. KIERNAN, Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
300 MULBERRY STREET, October 19, 1877.

R. J. MORRISON, Esq., *Supervisor City Record*:

SIR—Pursuant to section 44, chapter 335 of the Laws of 1873, I hereby submit list of applicants for appointment and appointments in the Police Department of the City of New York, for the two weeks ending Thursday, October 18, 1877:

Appointments.

As Patrolman	Henry Relyea	207 West 20th street	Clerk.
"	Thomas Burns	349 West 25th street	Policeman.
"	John Kenney	72 Orchard street	Watchman.
As Doorman	John Fay	62 First street	Harness Maker.
As Messenger	Francis Haggerty	234 West 15th street	Clerk.

As Patrolman...	Richard Wilson.....	433 West 17th street.....	Tinsmith.
"	Henry Jagels.....	205 West 22d street.....	Cooper.]
"	William F. McCoy.....	534 West 35th street.....	Driver.
"	James Brennan.....	370 Hudson street.....	Watchman.
"	Benjamin De Forest.....	49 East 84th street.....	Expressman.

Applications for Appointment as Patrolmen.

Passed by Surgeons...	Anthony Westphal.....	179 Second street.....	Cigar Maker.
Rejected " "	Daniel Donohue.....	141 Broadway.....	Porter.
Passed " "	Hugh Murray.....	45 Ridge street.....	Junk Dealer.
Rejected " "	Joseph M. Phelan.....	490 Sixth avenue.....	Painter.
Passed " "	Joseph Coughlin.....	83 East Broadway.....	Plumber.
"	Frederick Leo Weiss.....	218 East 3d street.....	Seaman.
"	Thomas Keeley.....	463 West 52d street.....	Coachman.
"	Bernard O'Brien.....	1127 Second avenue.....	Gardener.
Rejected " "	Patrick W. Condon.....	444 East 15th street.....	Clerk.
Passed " "	Augustus B. Palmer.....	193 Greene street.....	Clerk.
"	James A. Brooks.....	346 East 13th street.....	Grocer.
"	John Dougherty.....	Goshen, New York.....	Mason.
Rejected " "	Thomas Morris.....	145 East 26th street.....	Driver.
Passed " "	James Boden.....	543 Second avenue.....	Newspapers.
"	Jacob Wiehe.....	30 Avenue B.....	Machinist.
Rejected " "	James H. Blue.....	123 Ludlow street.....	Plumber.
Passed " "	John H. Hartough.....	1513 Second avenue.....	Driver.
Rejected " "	George G. May.....	256 West 29th street.....	Butcher.
"	Charles L. Herbert.....	18 Varick street.....	Clerk.
"	Louis McCord.....	224 West 15th street.....	Clerk.
Passed " "	Terence McAviney.....	323 East 24th street.....	Conductor.

Respectfully submitted,

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

The Board of Police met on the 19th day of October, 1877.

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

Resolved, That Patrolman Christopher Rabbeitt, Twenty-ninth Precinct, be and he is hereby transferred to the Fourth Precinct, for cause.

Adjourned.

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
NEW YORK, October 16, 1877.

The Board of Health met this day.

253 orders for the abatement of nuisances were made.

The Attorney was directed to commence suits for non-compliance with the orders of the Board in 25 cases.

Reports Received.

From the Sanitary Superintendent: On operations of the Sanitary Bureau; on contagious diseases; on slaughter-houses; on weekly report from Riverside Hospital; on work performed by Disinfecting Corps; on applications for permits; on applications for relief.

From the Attorney and Counsel: Weekly report.

From the Deputy Register of Records: Weekly mortality statement; weekly letter on mortality; weekly abstract of marriages, births, and still-births; weekly report on deaths from diphtheria, scarlatina, membranous croup, and malarial and cerebro-spinal fevers; on application for alteration of records of marriage and death.

Communications Received.

From U. S. Consul at Manila, announcing departure of British vessel "Dover Castle" from Port of Cebu for Port of New York, without clean bill of health.

Complaint against premises 46 Monroe street.

Communications Received from other Departments.

From the Police Department—Report of violation of Sanitary Code.

From the Finance Department—Weekly statement of Comptroller.

From Fire Department—In respect to repairs of pavements at premises 338 East Fourteenth street.

Bills.

H. K. & F. B. Thurber & Co.....	\$183 64
New York Gas-light Co.....	15 12
S. O. Vanderpoel.....	30 00

Permits Granted.

To dry bladders at north side Sixty-seventh street, 100 feet west of Eleventh avenue.

To melt fat at Elton avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-second and One Hundred and Sixty-third streets, one week only.

To cart fresh fat in receptacles, free of offense, from 272 Hudson avenue, Brooklyn, over Catharine Ferry to 13 and 14 Abattoir place.

To cart fresh fat in receptacles, free of offense, from Williamsburgh Slaughter-houses over Houston, Twenty-third, and Thirty-fourth street ferries to Forty-seventh street and First avenue.

To cart fresh fat in receptacles, free of offense, from butchers' shops in Brooklyn over Catharine and Grand street ferries to No. 92 Monroe street.

Permits Denied.

To keep twenty geese at One Hundred and Thirty-first street, between Eleventh and Twelfth avenues.

Meat Seizures.

Weekly report on seizures of unwholesome meat at West Washington Market was received and ordered on file.

Communications referred to other Departments for the necessary action.

To the Department of Public Works—

On street pavement at West Thirtieth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.

On street pavement at northeast corner Fifty-seventh street and Eleventh avenue.

On crosswalk at intersection of Bowery and Prince street.

To Department of Public Parks—On unpaved street One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, between Elton and Courtland avenues; Denman place, between Union and Concord avenues, and sidewalk about 500 feet north of junction of Broadway and Church street.

Resolutions.

Resolved, That the Sanitary Superintendent be directed to confer with the Superintendent of Street Cleaning Department, and to inform him that this Board cannot permit the use of garbage and street sweepings for filling vacant lots at One Hundred and Twelfth and One Hundred and Thirteenth streets, near the East river, nor elsewhere within the city limits.

Resolved, That the Register of Records be and is hereby authorized and directed to make the following corrections in the marriage and death registers:

Eugene Gastav Penel (surname) Lafosse and Aline Leverett Moore, married April 7, 1875, in place of Gustavus Lafosse, the same being a clerical error.

John B. Louginotti, died August 18, 1877, in place of John Baptista Longomati, the same being a clerical error.

Resolved, That permit to remove manure from 182 and 184 Suffolk street, granted to John N. Reynolds, be and is hereby modified so as to read 11 o'clock A. M. instead of 10 o'clock A. M. until May 1, 1878.

Sanitary Bureau.

The following is a record of the work performed in the Sanitary Bureau for the week ending October 13, 1877:

The total number of inspections made by the Sanitary and Assistant Sanitary Inspectors was 1,706, as follows, viz.: 2 public buildings, 761 tenement-houses, 163 private dwellings, 48 other dwellings, 8 manufactories and workshops, 29 stores and warehouses, 42 stables, 63 slaughter-houses, 1 gut cleaning establishment, 3 fat rendering establishments, 3 tripe-houses, 2 wool pulling establishments, 3 bladder dyeing establishments, 2 manure and garbage dumps, 2 roadways, 1 public sewer, 25 sunken and vacant lots, 49 yards, courts, and areas, 74 cellars and basements, 135 waste-pipes and drains, 38 streets, gutters, and sidewalks, 135 privies and water-closets, 2 dangerous stairways, 2 cess-pools, 6 dangerous and smoky chimneys, 1 street car, 23 violations of the code, 60 other nuisances; and 23 visits to cases of contagious disease.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY

OF THE

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK,

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

ABSTRACT OF REGISTERS FROM SELF-RECORDING INSTRUMENTS,

For the Week Ending October 13, 1877.

Barometer.

DATE.	OCTOBER.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	MEAN FOR THE DAY.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.	
		REDUCED TO FREEZING.	REDUCED TO FREEZING.	REDUCED TO FREEZING.	REDUCED TO FREEZING.	REDUCED TO FREEZING.	TIME.	REDUCED TO FREEZING.	TIME.
Sunday,	7.....	30.351	30.329	30.339	30.339	30.386	9 A. M.	30.285	0 A. M.
Monday,	8.....	30.284	30.185	30.091	30.187	30.315	0 A. M.	30.038	12 P. M.
Tuesday,	9.....	29.899	29.906	29.987	29.931	29.987	9 P. M.	29.869	5 A. M.
Wednesday,	10.....	30.002	29.978	29.947	29.976	30.008	9 A. M.	29.899	12 P. M.
Thursday,	11.....	29.876	29.797	29.808	29.827	29.899	0 A. M.	29.800	12 P. M.
Friday,	12.....	29.840	29.845	29.938	29.874	29.938	9 P. M.	29.800	0 A. M.
Saturday,	13.....	30.000	30.047	30.104	30.050	30.112	12 P. M.	29.929	0 A. M.

Mean for the week..... 30.026 inches.

Maximum " at 9 A. M., October 7..... 30.386 "

Minimum " at 12 P. M., October 11..... 29.800 "

Range "586 "

Thermometers.

DATE.	OCTOBER.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	MEAN.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.		MAXIMUM.
		Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	
Sunday,	7	45	41	58	49	51	46	59	3 P. M.	51
Monday,	8	52	47	58	53	54	56	51	3 P. M.	56
Tuesday,	9	61	59	68	60	60	54	63	3 P. M.	60
Wednesday,	10	53	50	65	57	57	59	54	3 P. M.	60
Thursday,	11	53	51	60	53	51	47	54	3 P. M.	53
Friday,	12	48	46	58	50	50	47	52	3 P. M.	51
Saturday,	13	50	46	60	53	53	50	54	3 P. M.	54

Mean for the week..... 55.8 degrees.

Maximum for the week, at 3 P. M., 9th..... 69. " at 3 P. M., 9th..... 60. "

Minimum " at 6 A. M., 7th..... 43. " at 6 A. M., 7th..... 41. "

Range " 26. " 19. "

Wind.

DATE.	OCTOBER.	DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.				FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.				
		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Distance for the Day.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Max.	Time.
Sunday,	7....	NW	E	SE	17	20	18	55	0	½	0	½	2.00 P. M.
Monday,	8....	ESE	SE	SE	33	75	98	206	0	½	1½	5½	9.40 P. M.
Tuesday,	9....	SE	W	WNW	168	48	33	249	0	½	0	2½	4.40 A. M.
Wednesday,	10....	SW	S	SSE	15	11	31	57	0	0	¼	¾	4.00 P. M.
Thursday,	11....	N	W	W	34	21	48	103	0	½	¼	1¾	3.15 P. M.
Friday,	12....	W	WNW	W	45	88	76	209	¼	1½	0	4¾	10.40 A. M.
Saturday,	13....	WNW	NNE	NW	74	53	13	140	2	0	0	5½	4.20 A. M.

Distance traveled during the week..... 1,019 miles.

Maximum force " " 22 pounds.

DATE.	OCTOBER.	Hygrometer.			Clouds.			Rain and Snow.				
		FORCE OF VAPOR.	RELATIVE HUMIDITY.		CLEAR, o.	OVERCAST, 10.		DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES.				
		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration.	Amount of Water.	Depth of Snow.
Sunday,	7	.205	.229	.296	68	47	79	0	2 Cu.	4 Cu.
Monday,	8	.257	.336	.365	66	70	76	9 Cu.	9 Cu.	10	9.15 P. M.	12 P. M.
Tuesday,	9	.473	.411	.338	88	60	65	0	6 Cir. Cu.	0	0 A. M.	8.30 A. M.
Wednesday,	10	.321	.359	.412	80	58	77	0	3 Cir. Cu.	5 Cu.
Thursday,	11	.348	.310	.270	86	60	72	7 Cir. Cu.	7 Cu.	0	3 A. M.	3.30 A. M.
Friday,	12	.284	.255	.283	85	53	79	0	7 Cu.	0
Saturday,	13	.258	.310	.321	72	60	80	2 Cu.	1 Cu.	0

Total amount of water for the week..... 2.08 inches

DANIEL DRAPER, Director.

By Order
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, October 12, 1877.

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 Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island, October 10,
1877—Peter Smith; aged 65 years; 5 feet 6 inches high;
blue eyes; gray hair. Had on when admitted, dark coat
and pants, brogan shoes, straw hat. Nothing known of
his friends or relatives.

Robert Courtney; aged 47 years; 5 feet 10 inches high;
blue eyes; gray hair, red side whiskers. Had on when
admitted, dark pants, vest and coat, felt hat. Nothing
known of his friends or relatives.

By Order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

WILLIAM KENNELLY, AUCTIONEER.

SALE OF FERRY FRANCHISES.

PURSUANT TO ADJOURNMENT.

THE FRANCHISES TO RUN THE FOLLOWING
ferries and a lease of the wharf property belonging
to the city, if any, set apart for ferry purposes at each of
said ferries, will be sold at public auction to the highest
bidder, at the office of the Comptroller of the City of New
York, on Thursday, October 25, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon,
for the period of five years from August 1, 1877, except as
otherwise stated, namely:

Old ferry from foot of Whitehall street to Staten Island,
to November 1, 1882, with the bulkhead and small pier
adjacent to and west of the westerly side of Pier No. 1,
East river, being the premises as now occupied by said
ferry; but not to include any portion of said pier which
may now be used for the accommodation of a boat-house
and landing place for small boats from Governor's Island,
and from public vessels of the United States and of foreign
governments, nor for the privilege to occupy any portion
of the water on the west side of said pier, such premises to
be taken in the condition which they may be in on the day
of sale.

Ferry from Cortlandt street, North river, to Jersey City.
Wharf property connected with the ferry from Cort-
landt street, North river, to Jersey City, has been leased
by the Department of Docks to the associates of the Jersey
Company for ten years from May 1, 1876, at \$7,510 per
annum.

Ferry from Desbrosses street, North river, to Jersey
City.

Ferry from Ninety-second street, East river, to Astoria,
Queens County, Long Island, for five years from Novem-
ber 1, 1877.

Bidders must bid for the franchise and lease of wharf
property of each ferry separately, but no bid will be
received unless it includes an offer for both the ferry
franchise and wharf property.

The form of the lease required to be executed by the
highest bidder can be seen at the office of the Comptroller.
All bids will be regarded as made with reference to
said form of lease, and in case the highest bidder shall
neglect to execute a lease according to said form, for ten
days after said sale, his bid will, at the option of the
Comptroller and the Board of the Department of Docks,
be rejected.

The leases will contain a covenant requiring the lessees
to pay rent quarterly to the Comptroller.

The successful bidder will be required to pay to the
Collector of City Revenue the sum of fifteen hundred
dollars immediately after the franchise shall have been
struck down to him, as security for the execution and
performance of the lease, such amount to be credited on
the rent when the same becomes due.

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

The minimum price for which the lease of said wharf
property connected with the ferry from Ninety-second
street, East river, to Astoria, Long Island, will be sold,
has been fixed by the Board of the Department of Docks at
the following sum, namely:

For bulkhead at foot of Ninety-second street, East river,
and for premises at foot of Fulton street, Astoria, as now
occupied for ferry purposes, at \$250 per annum.

The premises at Cortlandt Street Ferry and those con-
nected with the ferry from Ninety-second street, East river,
to Astoria, L. I., to be taken in the condition in which
they were in on the 1st day of August, 1877, and all re-
pairs and rebuilding thereof, and dredging at any of the
ferries, during the term leased, to be done at the expense
and cost of the lessees.

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 the annual rent bid for the wharf property, as
security for the execution of the lease, and which twenty-
five per cent. will be applied to the payment of the rent
for such property first accruing under the lease, when
executed, or forfeited if the lessee neglects or refuses to
execute the lease and bond after being duly notified that
the lease is prepared and ready for signature, or, in case
the bid be finally rejected, will be returned to the bidder.

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

The franchise and the lease of the wharf property, if
any, of each ferry will be put up and sold together to the
highest bidder, subject to the condition hereinafter ex-
pressed, and subject also to the right of the Comptroller
and the Board of the Department of Docks to reject any
or all bids, if deemed to be for the interest of the city.

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

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.
Dated New York, October 20, 1877.

JOHN KELLY,

Comptroller;
JACOB A. WESTERVELT,
HENRY F. DIMOCK,
JACOB VANDERPOEL,
Board of Department of Docks.

WILLIAM KENNELLY, AUCTIONEER.

CORPORATION SALE OF THE FRANCHISE OF
THE FERRY FROM BULKHEAD AT THE
FOOT OF WHITEHALL STREET, NEW
YORK, TO STATEN ISLAND.

THE FRANCHISE OF THE NEW FERRY FROM
the bulkhead at the foot of Whitehall street, New
York, to Staten Island, as established by resolution of the
Common Council, approved November 3, 1875, will be
sold at public auction, pursuant to adjournment, on Thurs-
day, October 25, 1877, at the Comptroller's Office, at 12
o'clock noon, for the period extending from July 15, 1877
to May 1, 1884. The form of the lease required to be
executed by the highest bidder can be seen at the Com-
ptroller's Office.

All bids will be regarded as made with reference to said
form of lease, and in case the highest bidder shall neglect
or refuse to execute a lease according to said form for ten
days after the sale, his bid will, at the option of the Com-
ptroller, be rejected.

The successful bidder will be required to pay to the
Collector of City Revenue the sum of fifteen hundred dol-
lars immediately after the franchise shall have been struck
down to him, as security for the execution and perform-
ance of the lease, such amount to be credited on the rent
when the same becomes due.

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

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

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.
JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, October 20, 1877.

PROPOSALS FOR \$4,741,700 BONDS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT
the Comptroller's Office until Thursday, October
25, 1877, at 2 o'clock P. M., when the same will be publicly
opened, for the whole or any part of the sum of \$4,741,700
bonds of the City of New York, reissued in pursuance of
chapter 756, Laws of 1872, to wit:

"Assessment Bonds of the Corporation of the City of New York," authorized by chapter 397, Laws of 1852, and chapter 580, Laws of 1872.....	\$3,439,000 00
"Assessment Fund Bonds of the Corpora- tion of the City of New York," author- ized by chapter 579, Laws of 1853.....	637,000 00
"Street Improvement Fund Bonds of the Corporation of the City of New York," authorized by chapter 579, Laws of 1853.....	241,500 00
"Department of Parks Improvement Bonds of the Corporation of the City of New York," authorized by chapter 397, Laws of 1852, chapter 697, Laws of 1867, and chapter 580, Laws of 1872....	424,200 00
Total.....	\$4,741,700 00

Said Bonds will bear interest at the rate of five per cent.
per annum, payable on the first day of May and Novem-
ber in each year, and the principal will be paid on Novem-
ber 1, 1882.

The proposals will state the amount of Bonds desired,
and the price per one hundred dollars thereof; and the
persons whose proposals are accepted will thereupon be
required to deposit with the Chamberlain the sums
awarded to them respectively, together with any premiums
thereon.

On presenting to the Comptroller the receipts of the
Chamberlain for such deposit, the parties will be entitled
to receive certificates for equal amounts of the par value
of the sums awarded to them, bearing interest from the
dates of payment.

Each proposal should be sealed and indorsed "Propo-
sals for Bonds of the City of New York," and inclosed
in a second envelope addressed to the Comptroller.

The right is reserved on the part of the Comptroller to
reject any or all of the bids, if in his judgment the interests
of the Corporation require it.

The above-mentioned Bonds will be applied exclusively
to the redemption of like Bonds of the City of New York,
which mature November 1, 1877, and their issue, there-
fore, will not make any addition to the city debt.

The holders of like City Bonds which mature Novem-
ber 1, 1877, may apply the amount due on such bonds,
respectively, to the payment for any bonds that may be
awarded them on their bids under these proposals.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
October 11, 1877.

PROPOSALS FOR \$10,000 BONDS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT
the Comptroller's Office until Monday, October 22,
1877, at 2 o'clock P. M., when the same will be publicly
opened, for the whole or any part of the sum of \$10,000,
"Assessment Bonds of the City of New York," authorized
by chapter 447, Laws of 1876.

Said bonds will bear interest at the rate of five per cent.
per annum, payable on the first day of May and Novem-
ber in each year, and the principal will be redeemed on
the first day of November, 1880.

The proposals will state the amount of bonds desired,
and the price per one hundred dollars thereof; and the
persons whose proposals are accepted will thereupon be
required to deposit with the Chamberlain the sums
awarded to them respectively, together with any premi-
ums thereon.

On presenting to the Comptroller the receipts of the
Chamberlain for such deposit, the parties will be entitled
to receive certificates for equal amounts of the par value
of the sums awarded to them, bearing interest from the
dates of payment.

Each proposal should be sealed and indorsed "Proposals
for Assessment Bonds of the City of New York," and in-
closed in a second envelope addressed to the Comptroller.
The right is reserved on the part of the Comptroller to
reject any or all of the bids, if in his judgment the interests
of the Corporation require it.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
October 12, 1877.

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 1877,
prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of
Records.

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

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, February 6, 1877.

BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,
COURT-HOUSE, PARK, No. 32 CHAMBERS STREET,
October 18, 1877.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.

THE BOOKS FOR TAXES ON REAL ESTATE,
for the year 1877, will be opened for payment at
this office on Tuesday, October 23, 1877.

MARTIN T. McMAHON,
Receiver of Taxes.

INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

THE INTEREST ON THE BONDS AND STOCKS
of the City and County of New York, due Novem-
ber 1, 1877, will be paid on that day by the Comptroller,
at his office in the New Court-house.

The transfer books will be closed from September 25 to
November 1, 1877.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
September 19, 1877.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
No. 16 NEW COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, September 4, 1877.

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 AUGUST 31, 1877.

75th street, paving, from 1st to 3d avenue.
13th " " " 3d to 4th "
Little 12th street, paving, from 10th to 13th avenue.
16th street, paving, with Telford-McAdam pavement,
between 6th and 7th avenues, and setting curb stones and
flagging sidewalks.
133d street, regulating, grading, etc., from 10th avenue
to Hudson river.
136th street, grading, from Southern Boulevard to within
230 42-100 feet of Oak avenue.
8th street, setting curb and gutter stones, flagging, and
laying crosswalks, from 4th to Madison avenue.
17th street, south side, flagging, from 4th to Lexington
avenue.
5th avenue, east side, flagging, from 58th to 64th street.
Madison avenue, crosswalks, at 89th, 90th, 91st, 93d,
and 94th streets.
152d street, sewer, between Boulevard and Hudson
river.
4th avenue, sewer, east side, between 19th and 20th
streets.

All payments made on the above assessments on or be-
fore November 3, 1877, will be exempt (according to law)
from interest. After that date interest will be charged at
the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of confirma-
tion.

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.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,
COURT-HOUSE, PARK,
32 CHAMBERS STREET, October 15, 1877.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE AS-
sessment rolls on personal property and bank stock
for the year 1877 have been delivered to the undersigned,
and that the taxes thereon are now due and payable at
this office.

In case of payment before the first day of November
next, the person so paying shall be entitled to the benefits
mentioned in the twenty-ninth section of the act of March
30, 1850, viz:

A reduction at the rate of seven per cent. per annum,
from the time of payment to the first day of December
next.

MARTIN T. McMAHON,
Receiver of Taxes.

DEPARTMENT PUBLIC WORKS.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION, ON
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 24, 1877, AT 12
O'CLOCK M.

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS OF
the City of New York, under the direction of John
C. Campbell, Chief Engineer of the Croton Aqueduct,
will sell at public auction, on the premises, the following
described buildings now standing within the flow line of
the new Storage Reservoir, situated on the middle branch
of the Croton river, in the town of South East, Putnam
County, New York, viz:

Lot No. 1. Frame house 13 x 16, two stories, formerly
owned by Thomas Bird.

Lot No. 2. Frame house 22 x 28, one-and-a-half stories,
formerly owned by Nelson Smith.

Lot No. 3. Barn 16 x 20 and woodshed, formerly owned
by Nelson Smith.

Lot No. 4. Frame schoolhouse.

Lot No. 5. Frame house 40 x 48, with extension 18 x 21,
two stories high, formerly owned by Isaac Kelley.

Lot No. 6. Frame house 10 x 41, with extension 12 x 15,
one story, formerly owned by Isaac Kelley.

Lot No. 7. Frame house 21 x 24, two stories, formerly
owned by Isaac Kelley.

Lot No. 8. Barn 39 x 60, with wing 19 x 59, formerly
owned by Isaac Kelley.

Lot No. 9. Two carriage-houses 12 x 30 and 24 x 24,
formerly owned by Isaac Kelley.

Lot No. 10. Stable 13 x 14, ice-house 12 x 16, and corn
crib 11 x 13, formerly owned by Isaac Kelley.

Lot No. 11. Barn 14 x 25, formerly owned by Frederick
Knox.

Lot No. 12. Frame house 25 x 34, with additions 22 x 23
and 8 x 18, two stories, formerly owned by Adah Mead.

Lot No. 13. Barn 30 x 60, and stable 18 x 20, formerly
owned by Adah Mead.

Lot No. 14. Two wood-houses 11 x 14 and 11 x 24, for-
merly owned by Adah Mead.

Lot No. 15. Carriage-shed 13 x 20, and corn crib 8 x 28,
formerly owned by Adah Mead.

Lot No. 16. Saw and feed mill, with machinery and
fixtures, formerly owned by John Wood.

TERMS OF SALE.

The consideration that the Department of Public Works
shall receive for the foregoing buildings will be: first—
the removal of every part of the building, excepting the
stone foundation, on or before the 15th December, 1877;
and second—the sum paid in money on the day of sale.
If any part of any building is left on the reservoir grounds,
on and after 16th December, 1877, the purchaser shall
forfeit all right and title to the building or part of building
so left, and also the money part of the consideration paid
at the time of the sale, and the Department of Public Works
may at any time, on or after 16th December, 1877, cause
said building, or part of building, to be removed and dis-
posed of at the expense of the party to whom the above
conditioned sale as described may be made. The total
amount of the bid must be paid at the time of the sale.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Commissioner of Public Works
of the City of New York.

THE CITY RECORD.

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

CORPORATION NOTICES

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

No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter, and
flagging Forty-third street, from Second to Third avenue,
\$21,378.60.

No. 2. Sewer in Fifty-seventh street, between Eighth and
Ninth avenues, from end of present sewer to within 35 feet
of Ninth avenue, \$424.77.

No. 3. Laying crosswalks across Fourth avenue, from
south side of Eighty-first street, \$262.01.

No. 4. Laying crosswalks across Fourth avenue, from
south side of Seventy-fifth street, \$278.24.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 19 CHATHAM STREET,
NEW YORK, October 12, 1877.
JOHN R. MUMFORD,
Secretary.

IMPORTANT TO PROPERTY OWNERS ON BLOOMINGDALE ROAD.

ALL PARTIES PRESENTING CLAIMS FOR
damage to property, by reason of closing the
Bloomingdale road, are required, in filing such claims, to
produce their title deed to said property.

They are also requested to present the statement of their
claims at the earliest possible day, as the Board of Assess-
ors are engaged in the consideration of all questions of
damage now before them, previous to a final adjustment
and settlement of the same.

THOMAS B. ASTEN,
JOHN MULLALLY,
EDWARD NORTH,
WILLIAM L. WILEY
Board of Assessors

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
NEW YORK, May 29, 1877.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY NEW YORK,
300 MULBERRY STREET,
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE, ROOM 39,
NEW YORK, September 28, 1877.

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

Boats, cart, wagon, lot rope, revolvers, furniture, male
and female clothing, silver watch, small amount of money
taken from prisoners and found on street.

C. A. ST. JOHN,
Property Clerk.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT

THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE WILL MEET
in Room No. 16, City Hall, every Monday, at 3
o'clock P. M.

PATRICK KEENAN,
WILLIAM L. COLE,
SAMUEL A. LEWIS,
JOHN J. MORRIS,
JOSEPH C. PINCKNEY,
Committee on Finance.

THE COMMITTEE ON LAW DEPARTMENT
will meet every Monday, at 2 o'clock P. M., in Room
No. 16, City Hall.

SAMUEL A. LEWIS,
GEORGE HALL,
HENRY E. HOWLAND,
Committee on Law Department.

THE COMMITTEE ON STREETS WILL MEET
every Friday, at 1 o'clock P. M.

BRYAN REILLY,
JAMES J. SLEVIN,
LEWIS J. PHILLIPS,
Committee on Streets.

THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS WILL
meet in Room No. 16, City Hall, every Wednesday,
at 2 o'clock P. M.

THOMAS SHEELS,
WILLIAM JOYCE,
WILLIAM SALMON,
STEPHEN N. SIMONSON,
JOSEPH C. PINCKNEY,
Committee on Public Works

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
117 AND 119 DUANE STREET,
NEW YORK, October 20, 1877.

WILLIAM KENNELLY, AUCTIONEER, WILL
sell at Public Auction, at the Exchange Sales-
room, No. 111 Broadway, on

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 1877,

at 12 o'clock M., the following floating property belonging
to the Department, to wit:

Lot 1. Dredging machine No. 1, 26 x 67 feet; spuds
hoisted by steam; Bucket 3 cubic yards.

Lot 2. Deck Scow "Two Sisters," length 70 feet, breadth
24 feet, depth 6½ feet.

Lot 3. Steam Tug "Alert," 39 tons, built in Philadelphia
in 1858; certificate of inspection can be seen at office of
Department.

All the above property is in working order, and will be
sold in the condition in which it shall be on the day of sale,
except that all coal or other supplies then on board will be
discharged before delivery.

The property is moored at foot of Gansevoort street,<