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### FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, }  
November 8, 1876. }

The Board of Commissioners met this day.

Present—President Joseph L. Perley, in the chair, and Commissioner Vincent C. King.

The minutes of meeting held 25th ultimo, were read and approved.

The President submitted the affidavit of the Clerk of the City Record, relative to the publication of advertisement inviting proposals for hose, and form of contract approved by Counsel to the Corporation. Filed.

#### Proposals

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

- No. 1. From the Gutta Percha and Rubber Manufacturing Co., 10,000 feet or more of Boyd's hose, four-ply, for \$1.07 per foot.
  - No. 2. From the same, 10,000 feet or more of Boyd's hose, three-ply, for \$1 per foot.
  - No. 3. From the same, 10,000 feet or more of Carbolized hose, for \$1.10 per foot.
  - No. 4. From E. A. Street, agent Blake Hose Company, 10,000 feet or more of "Peerless" hose, for \$1 per foot.
  - No. 5. From the same, 10,000 feet or more of "Champion" hose, for \$1 per foot.
  - No. 6. From the Eureka Fire Hose Company, "Eureka" Steam Fire Engine Hose, for \$1.05 per foot.
- Which were laid over.

#### Trials

were held with the following results:

- Fireman Daniel O'Keefe of Engine Co. No. 7, charged with "careless driving." Found guilty and sentenced to be reprimanded in orders.
- Fireman James A. McGinn of Engine Co. No. 12, charged with "careless driving." Found guilty and sentenced to be reprimanded in orders.
- Commissioner Hatch here appeared.
- Fireman John Aukner of Engine Co. No. 20, charged with "disrespect towards commanding officer." Found guilty and fined three days' pay.
- Fireman Louis M. Harned of Engine Co. No. 18, charged with "absence without leave" and "intoxication." Found guilty and fined one day's pay.

#### Communications

were received and disposed of as follows:

- From—
- Chief of Department—Report of operations for month of October. Filed.
- Same, reporting suspension from pay and duty of Assistant Foreman Joseph P. Byrne of Engine Co. No. 16, for intoxication. Action approved and filed, with directions to cause charges to be preferred.
- Inspector of Combustibles—Reports of operations for two weeks ending 6th instant. Filed.
- Same—Lists of applicants for licenses for sale, etc., of kerosene oil, soluble cotton, and acids. Filed, and following resolution adopted:
- Resolved, That the applications for license for the sale, etc., of kerosene oil, soluble cotton, and acids, presented by the Inspector of Combustibles at this meeting, be and the same are hereby granted.
- Fire Marshal—Report of operations for month of October. Filed.
- Superintendent of Telegraph, reporting condition of Randall's and Ward's Islands cables, and recommending purchase of new ones, at an estimated cost of \$488.75. Referred to Supply Clerk, with directions to purchase.
- Same, recommending purchase of poles. Filed, and following resolution adopted:
- Resolved, That an advertisement be inserted in the CITY RECORD, inviting proposals for furnishing this Department fifty 50-foot, one hundred and fifty 40-foot, and three hundred 35-foot chestnut telegraph poles.
- Same, returning communication from H. Herrmann, requesting location of fire-alarm box, with report and recommendation. Filed, with directions to carry out recommendation.
- Same, returning communication from E. D. Culver, attorney, complaining of telegraph pole, with report as directed. Approved and filed.
- Medical Officer, recommending that Fireman William F. Lanzer, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 10, be excused from fire duty. Approved and filed.
- Same—Recommending extensions of leaves of absence to—
- Chief of Battalion Samuel Campbell.
- John S. Fisher.
- Foreman Philip Sheridan, of Engine Co. No. 25.
- Thomas H. Griffith, of Engine Co. No. 43.
- Fireman William Donnelly, of Engine Co. No. 26.
- John Neth, of Engine Co. No. 43.
- William Muldrew, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 5.
- Daniel Shevlin, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 6.
- Richard Webb, of Chemical Engine Co. No. 3.
- Granted and filed.
- Supply Clerk—Estimates of articles required to fill requisitions; estimated cost, \$172 and \$297, respectively. Referred back, with directions to purchase.
- Superintendent of Horses, returning recommendation for sale of horses, with report as directed. Filed, with directions to advertise sale at auction.
- Same—Report of selection of two horses, and recommending purchase, at an estimated cost of \$650. Referred back, with directions to purchase.
- Chief of Battalion in charge of Repair Shops—Requisitions for supplies; estimated cost, \$60, \$59, \$62.21, \$6.30, \$70, \$10.66, and \$252, respectively. Referred to Supply Clerk, with directions to purchase.
- Same—Requisition for supplies. Referred back for further information.
- Same, recommending repairs, as follows:

Plumbing, quarters Engine Co. No. 34, estimated cost	\$12 20
" Bureau of Combustibles, "	15 00
" quarters Hook and Ladder Co. No. 10, "	26 04
Repairs to Hospital stables, "	550 00
Roof, quarters Hook and Ladder Co. No. 9, "	43 48

Referred back, with directions to have work done.

Same, returning communication from Superintendent of Horses, recommending rental of a stable, with report as directed. Filed.

Same, returning recommendation of Chief of Department, relative to heating apparatus for quarters of Engine Co. No. 7 and Hook and Ladder Co. No. 1, with estimate of cost, and proposals for furnishing the same from James O. Morse for \$675, and Baker, Smith & Co. for \$992. Laid over.

Same—Transmitting proposition of George Place, for furnishing a No. 1 heavy lathe. Filed, with directions.

Chief of Fifth Battalion—Report of test of "Zapfe Extinguishing Acid." Filed.

Foreman of Engine Co. No. 10, reporting loss of key to fire-alarm box No. 14. Filed, with directions to have replaced.

Foreman of Engine Co. No. 14, reporting loss and subsequent recovery of patrol badge by Fireman Owen J. Shanley. Filed.

Foreman of Engine Co. No. 16, reporting loss of patrol badge by Fireman Charles Willett. Filed, and a fine of \$5 imposed on Fireman Willett.

Foreman of Engine Co. No. 41, requesting that company quarters be painted. Referred to Chief of Battalion in charge of Repair Shops, for estimate of cost.

Assistant Foreman Martin Shade, of Engine Co. No. 4, tendering resignation. Accepted, and filed.

Hoseman William H. Renaud, of Chemical Engine Co. No. 3, applying for promotion to rank of Assistant Engineer of steamer. Laid over.

Comptroller, returning proposal of Amoskeag Manufacturing Company, for building fire engines, with approval of sureties. Filed, and following resolution adopted:

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing to this Department four third size Steam Fire Engines, as per advertisement in the CITY RECORD, dated October 13, 1876, be and the same is hereby awarded to the Amoskeag Manufacturing Company for the sum of \$15,000, on their proposal dated October 23, 1876.

Department of Public Works, expressing thanks for assistance tendered in the matter of utilizing river water. Filed.

A. J. Morse & Son, offering to supply hose-couplings. Filed.

T. Bailey Myers, relative to removal of telegraph pole, and inclosing affidavits, with communications on same subject laid over at previous meetings. Filed.

Platt & Gerard, transmitting bill for damage caused by falling of telegraph pole. Referred to the Superintendent of Telegraph for report.

Christian Wraa, relative to exhibition of "Ostberg's Fire Diving and Extinguishing Apparatus," and requesting necessary facilities. Granted, without expense to the Department, and filed.

Zapfe Manufacturing Co., soliciting an order for extinguishing acid. Referred to Supply Clerk for his information.

#### Communications Laid Over

at previous meetings were disposed of as follows:

From—

Foreman of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 17, relative to condition of quarters. Filed.

Samuel G. French, relative to substitution of surety on proposal for furnishing fuel. Consent given, and filed, with directions to transmit to Comptroller.

#### Resolution

was adopted, as follows:

Resolved, That the action of the President, transmitting the pay-rolls of this Department, for the month of October, 1876 (as below), to the Comptroller for pay, be approved, viz:

#### Schedule No. 47.

Extra Telegraph Force Pay-roll for October, new apparatus, etc.	\$1,354 75
Repairs to Buildings " "	866 25
Headquarters Pay-roll for October	3,475 00
Telegraph Force " "	2,243 38
Repair Shops " "	3,792 21
Bureau of Combustibles Pay-roll for October	979 17
Bureau of Fire Marshal " "	600 00
Bureau of Chief of Department Pay-roll for October	2,724 97
Superintendent of Horses " "	675 30
Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies Pay-roll for October	73,497 63
	\$90,178 66

#### Appointments,

to take effect 10th instant:

- Frank A. Aldrich, as Machinist in Repair Shops, at a salary of \$3 per day.
- Roger McDermott, as Boiler-maker in Repair Shops, at a salary of \$3 per day.
- Michael A. Fullam, as Machinist in Repair Shops, at a salary of \$3 per day.
- Appointment, by the President, of James F. Maguire, as Blacksmith in the Repair Shops, at a salary of \$3 per day, to take effect from 4th instant, was approved.

#### Transfers,

to take effect 10th instant:

- Fireman Charles Hopper, Engine Co. No. 30 to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 8.
- " Peter Hanlon, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 8 to Engine Co. No. 30.
- " Thomas C. Kennedy, Engine Co. No. 41 to Engine Co. No. 36.
- " Winfield S. Rowland, Engine Co. No. 36 to Engine Co. No. 41.
- The draft of General Order No. 32 was read and approved, and promulgation ordered.

#### Bills

audited, and ordered to be transmitted to the Comptroller for payment:

#### For the current year—Schedule No. 48.

Central Gas-light Co., new apparatus, etc.	\$37 80	Kingsland, A. C., Trustee, new apparatus, etc.	\$500 00
Corporation of Trinity Church, new apparatus, etc.	150 00	Metropolitan Gas-light Co., new apparatus, etc.	83 75
Delamater, C. H. & Co., new apparatus, etc.	60 00	Miner's Oil Co., new apparatus, etc.	72 80
Dunne, Thomas, new apparatus, etc.	175 00	O'Connell & Monaghan, "	50 72
Emerick, John H., "	29 60	Rogers, John, "	49 92
Fuller, Albert P., "	15 97	Sheridan, Bernard, "	327 40
Gorton, William, "	26 04	Strange, E. B. and A. B., "	700 00
Jussen, Carl, "	37 59	Striedinger, Julius H., "	166 67
			\$2,483 26

On motion, adjourned to 22d instant at 10 A. M.

CARL JUSSEN, Acting Secretary.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, }  
November 13, 1876. }

The Board of Commissioners convened this day.

Present—President Joseph L. Perley, in the chair, and Commissioner Vincent C. King.

#### Trial

was held, with the following result:

Assistant Foreman Joseph P. Byrne, of Engine Co. No. 16, charged with "intoxication." Found guilty, sentenced to forfeit six days' pay, restored to pay and duty to take effect 14th instant, and transferred to Engine Co. No. 13.

## Communications

were received and disposed of, as follows:

Chief of Battalion in charge of Repair Shops, reporting suspension from pay and duty, on 11th instant, of Jeremiah Tracy, Laborer. Approved and dismissal ordered.

Francis Matthews—Proposition to furnish heating apparatus for quarters of Engine Co. No. 7 and Hook and Ladder Co. No. 1 for \$650. Filed, and following resolution adopted:

Resolved, That the proposition of Francis Matthews for furnishing and erecting heating apparatus for quarters of Engine Co. No. 7 and Hook and Ladder Co. No. 1, dated 6th instant, as per specifications therefor on file in this office, for the sum of \$650, be and is hereby accepted.

Gillies & Geoghegan, proposal for furnishing heating apparatus, for \$795. Filed.

Chief of Battalion in charge of Repair Shops—Specifications and estimate for heating apparatus, and proposals of James O. Morse and Baker, Smith & Co., for furnishing same, laid over at meeting of 8th instant. Filed.

Gutta Percha & Rubber Manufacturing Co., desiring to modify and alter proposal for furnishing hose. Filed.

B. S. Clark—Affidavit relative to justification sureties on proposal of Eureka Fire Hose Co. Filed.

## Proposals Laid Over

at meeting of 8th instant, were disposed of, as follows:

## For Furnishing Hose.

- No. 1. From the Gutta Percha & Rubber Manufacturing Co.  
No. 2. " " "  
No. 3. " " "  
No. 4. " E. A. Street, Agent Blake Hose Co.  
No. 5. " " "  
No. 6. " the Eureka Fire Hose Co.  
Which were filed.

## Resolution

was adopted, as follows:

Resolved, That an advertisement be inserted in the CITY RECORD, inviting proposals for furnishing this Department with a supply of hose, conformable in quantity, quality, couplings, and test to the terms prescribed in the resolution adopted on the 25th ultimo.

On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Acting Secretary.

## BOARD OF REVISION AND CORRECTION OF ASSESSMENTS.

At a meeting of the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments, held at the Comptroller's Office, in the New Court-house, on Tuesday, November 14, 1876, at 2:45 o'clock P. M.

Present—Andrew H. Green, Comptroller; William C. Whitney, Counsel to the Corporation; John K. Hackett, Recorder.

The minutes of the meeting held October 25, 1876, were read and approved.

The assessment list for regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging, in One Hundred and Fourth street, from Fifth avenue to Harlem river, with objections, laid over at meeting of October 25, 1876, was taken up.

After due consideration of the testimony taken before the Commissioners on Contracts, on August 2 and 5, 1872, relative to the execution of the work in question, and hearing Mr. Richard Kelly, by his attorney, in opposition to the assessment, on motion of the Recorder all the objections received in the matter were overruled, and the assessment list was confirmed—all the members of the Board voting in the affirmative.

At 3 o'clock P. M., on motion, the Board adjourned.

RICHARD A. STORRS,

Chief Clerk, Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments.

## HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT, No. 301 MOTT STREET,  
NEW YORK, November 14, 1876.

The Board of Health met this day.

## Orders.

413 orders for the abatement of nuisances.

## Suits for Penalties.

The Attorney was directed to commence suits for penalties for non-compliance with the orders of the Board in 62 cases, and for violation of the Sanitary Code in 5 cases.

## Reports Received.

From the Sanitary Superintendent: On the operations of the Sanitary Bureau; on contagious diseases; on slaughter-houses; on application for permits; reports from Riverside Hospital; on work of Disinfecting Corps; on work of Vaccinating Corps; report on County Court-house; report on manure dumps; on unequal distribution of Croton water; on street pavement and catch basin; on condition of 192 Broome street.

From the Attorney and Counsel: Weekly Reports.

From the Deputy Register of Records: Weekly mortality statements; weekly letters on mortality; weekly abstracts of marriages, births, and still-births; weekly reports of deaths from diphtheria, scarlatina, membranous croup, and malarial and cerebro-spinal fevers; on work performed by clerks for weeks ending November 4 and 11, 1876; reports on violations of the Sanitary Code; application of D. A. Guillard to change death certificate of Ami Henry Constant.

## Bills Audited.

N. Y. Mutual Gas Light Co. ....	\$12 50	A. W. Craven.....	\$200 00
Jacob Weeks.....	13 50	G. P. Putnam's Sons.....	3 00
N. Y. Mutual Gas Light Co.....	8 25	Wm. Wood & Co.....	6 00
American Condensed Milk Co.....	33 48	Heissenbuttel Wells.....	730 80
Lehman, Samuels & Bro.....	103 63	J. B. Taylor.....	93 65
E. Moneuse.....	9 80	E. De Young.....	85 00

## Communications Referred to other Departments for the Necessary Action.

To the Department of Public Works—

On condition of catch basin at corner of Second avenue and Twelfth street.

On condition of County Court House.

On condition of street pavement in front of 223 East Fiftieth street.

To Department of Buildings—On want of fire escape, 192 Broome street.

## Communications from other Departments.

From the Police Department—

Enclosing copy of report of Captain Cherry on bone sorting and trimmings.

" " " Captain Allair on violations of Sanitary Code.

## Permits Granted.

To drive 7 cows from Spuyten Dyvil Creek to Riverdale avenue.

To keep 4 cows at Ninety-sixth street, between Fifth and Madison avenues.

To occupy basement (front) at 30 Varick street.

## Permit Denied.

To keep 24 chickens at 15 Howard street.

## Communications Received.

From John J. O'Brien, asking permission to assort bones at Nos. 119 and 121 Willett street.

## Sanitary Bureau.

The following is a record of the work performed in the Sanitary Bureau for the week ending November 4, 1876: The total number of inspections made by the Sanitary and Assistant Sanitary Inspectors was 1,532, as follows, viz.: 1 public building, 705 tenement-houses, 85 private dwellings, 41 other dwellings, 17 manufactories and workshops, 51 stores and warehouses, 54 stables, 30 slaughter-houses, 6 markets and market places, 1 bone house, 28 fat-rendering establishments, 13 piers and bulkheads, 5 manure dumps, 1 public drain, 1 brewery, 13 sunken and vacant lots, 55 yards, courts, and areas, 70 cellars and basements, 173 waste-pipes and drains, 117 privies and water-closets, 41

streets, gutters, and sidewalks, 10 dangerous stairways, 2 coal yards, 2 cisterns and cess-pools, 3 piggeries, 3 dangerous chimneys, 2 violations of Code, 11 other nuisances, together with 2 visits to cases of contagious disease.

The number of reports thereon received from the Inspectors was 490.

During the past week 60 complaints were received from citizens, and referred to the Inspectors for investigation and report.

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

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

The Disinfecting Corps have visited 27 premises where contagious diseases were found, and have disinfected and fumigated 20 houses, 20 privy-sinks, together with clothing, bedding, etc.

1 case of small-pox was removed to hospital by the Ambulance Corps.

The following is a comparative statement of cases of contagious disease reported at this Bureau for the two weeks ending November 4, 1876:

Week Ending	Typhus Fever.	Typhoid Fever.	Scarlet Fever.	Cerebro-Spinal Meningitis.	Measles.	Diphtheria.	Small-pox.
October 28....	0.	11.	28.	1.	19.	39.	2.
November 4....	0.	17.	31.	1.	17.	40.	2.

During the week ending November 4, 1876, there were issued from this Bureau 432 burial permits for city deaths, 21 for bodies in transitu, and 42 for the interment of still-born infants. There were recorded 432 deaths, 170 marriages, 471 births, 42 still-births, 21 applications for transit permits, and 48 returns from Coroners. There were 9 searches of the registers of births, marriages and deaths, and 1 transcript of birth record, 5 of marriage, and 20 of death, were issued from this Bureau.

By order of the Board,

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

The following is a record of the work performed in the Sanitary Bureau for the week ending November 11, 1876: The number of inspections made by the Sanitary and Assistant Sanitary Inspectors was 1,355, as follows, viz.: 1 public building, 733 tenement-houses, 47 private dwellings, 32 other dwellings, 4 other buildings, 5 manufactories and workshops, 10 stores and warehouses, 43 stables, 2 market and market places, 54 slaughter-houses, 2 soap works, 1 stock yard, 2 fat-rendering establishments, 2 manure-dumps, 1 coal yard, 19 sunken and vacant lots, 53 yards, courts, and areas, 68 cellars and basements, 120 waste-pipes and drains, 98 privies and water-closets, 33 street-gutters and sidewalks, 7 dangerous stairways, 2 dangerous chimneys, 8 other nuisances, together with 12 visits of the Inspectors to cases of contagious disease.

The number of reports thereon received from the Sanitary and Assistant Sanitary Inspectors was 398.

During the past week 33 complaints were received from citizens, and referred to the Sanitary Inspectors for investigation and report.

Permits were issued to the consignees of 35 vessels to discharge cargoes, on vouchers from the Health Officer of the Port.

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

The Disinfecting Corps have visited 32 premises where contagious diseases were found, and have disinfected and fumigated 22 houses, 22 privy-sinks, together with clothing, bedding, etc.

4 cases of small-pox were removed to hospital by Ambulance Corps.

The following is a comparative statement of cases of contagious disease reported at this Bureau for the two weeks ending November 11, 1876:

Week Ending	Typhus Fever.	Typhoid Fever.	Scarlet Fever.	Cerebro-Spinal Meningitis.	Measles.	Diphtheria.	Small-pox.
November 4....	0.	17.	31.	1.	17.	40.	2.
November 11....	0.	18.	53.	4.	12.	47.	5.

During the week ending November 11, 1876, there were issued from this Bureau 413 burial permits for city deaths, 18 for bodies in transitu, and 45 for the interment of still-born infants. There were recorded 413 deaths, 142 marriages, 45 still-births, 379 births, 18 applications for transit permits, and 53 returns from Coroners. There were 23 searches of the registers of births, marriages, and deaths, and 4 transcripts of birth record, 6 of marriage, and 13 of death were issued from this Bureau.

By order of the Board,

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

## APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That the curb and gutter stones be set, and the sidewalks on both sides of Sixty-third street, from First avenue to the East river, be flagged full width, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 21, 1876.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, October 27, 1876, with his objections thereto.

In Board of Aldermen, November 9, 1876, taken up and considered, as provided in section 13, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to have the sidewalk on the south side of Little Twelfth street, from Washington street to Tenth avenue, flagged full width, and the curb and gutter stones set, under his direction and supervision, and charge the amount to the appropriation for "Flagging Sidewalks, etc., in Front of City Property," as the land fronting the proposed improvement is owned by the Corporation of the City of New York.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 21, 1876.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, October 27, 1876, with his objections thereto.

In Board of Aldermen, November 9, 1876, taken up and considered, as provided in section 13, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to the Trustees of St. Patrick's Cathedral to connect the cathedral building and other buildings in use for church or asylum purposes, in Fifty-first street, with the sewer about to be built at the expense of said trustees, by authority of the Common Council, in said Fifty-first street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, also with sewer in Fiftieth street, without the payment of the fees usually charged for making connections with sewers.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 21, 1876.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, October 27, 1876, with his objections thereto.

In Board of Aldermen, November 9, 1876, taken up and considered, as provided in section 13, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Resolved that permission be and the same is hereby given to Charles Scott & Co. to place a storm-door at the front and rear entrances to the building No. 304 Canal street, not to be more than eight feet high, nor to project more than two and a half 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.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, October 27, 1876, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That Erastus B. Cowan be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in the place and stead of Richard M. Lush, resigned.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 19, 1876.

Approved by the Mayor, October 27, 1876.



## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

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

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island, November 16, 1876—Mark Tully; age 60 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; gray hair; blue eyes. Had on when admitted, gray pants and coat, white undershirt, blue check shirt, blue cap. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from Pier 4, North river—Unknown man; dark brown hair; beard and moustache mixed with gray; blue eyes. Had on black frock coat, dark blue vest, black pants, white knit undershirt, marked B, gray knit drawers, white socks, calf skin boots, marked G. R. Bookaw, and made by C. Brown & Son, Ovid, New York. Two pearl cuff buttons and collar stud found on his person.

By Order,  
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,  
Secretary.

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

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

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

By Order,  
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,  
Secretary.

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

## PROPOSALS FOR POULTRY.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS above, will be received by the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, until 4 o'clock A. M., of Saturday, the 25th day of November, 1876, at which time they will be publicly opened and read by the head of said Department, for furnishing and delivering at the foot of East Twenty-sixth street, free of all expense to the Department, 14,000 pounds poultry, viz:

6,500 pounds Turkeys,  
7,500 pounds Chickens,  
—to be of good quality, as to age and condition, and subject to careful inspection, and all delivered on Tuesday, November 23, 1876.

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

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

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

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

THOMAS B. BRENNAN,  
ISAAC H. BAILEY,  
TOWN-SEND COX,  
Commissioners.

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

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

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

By Order,  
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,  
Secretary.

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

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

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

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

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

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

By Order,  
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,  
Secretary.

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

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

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

By Order,  
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,  
Secretary.

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

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

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

Unknown man from Pier 1, East river; age about 40 years; 5 feet 10 inches high; brown hair. Had on gray woolen pants, white shirt, white ribbed drawers, white socks, gaiter shoes. On his person was found watch key, key ring, shield marked I. Kenall Chatham, Chatham, Ontario.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island, November 7, 1876—Eliza J. Steen alias McClane; age 60 years; 5 feet 4½ inches high; gray eyes and hair. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

Pauline Hagenlocher; age 34 years; 5 feet 1½ inches high; gray eyes, brown hair. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

By Order,  
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,  
Secretary.

## BOARD OF EDUCATION.

A SPECIAL SESSION OF THE BOARD OF trustees of the College of the City of New York will be held at the Hall of the Board of Education (corner Grand and Elm streets), on Wednesday, November 22d, 1876, at 4 P. M.

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

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the School Trustees of the Twenty-fourth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Tuesday, the 28th day of November, 1876, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on said day, for altering and enlarging Grammar School No. 63, on Third avenue, near One Hundred and Seventy-third street.

Plans and specifications may be seen and blanks for proposals obtained at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand street, third floor. Proposals must state the estimate for each branch of the work separately, and be indorsed "Proposal for Mason Work," "Proposal for Carpenter Work," "Proposal for Painting."

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

The party submitting a proposal and the parties proposing to become sureties must each write his name and place of residence on said proposal.

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

MARK K. HAMILTON, JR.,  
FRANKLIN EDSON,  
JAMES C. HULL,  
GEO. H. MOLLER,  
FERDINAND MEYER,  
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-fourth Ward.

Dated New York, November 14, 1876.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the office of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Wednesday, the 25th day of November, 1876, at 4 o'clock P. M., for printing required by the said Board for the year 1877. Samples of the various documents, etc., required to be printed, may be seen at the office of the Clerk of the Board, where blank forms of proposals may also be obtained. Each proposal must be addressed to the Committee on Supplies, and indorsed "Proposals for Printing." Two sureties satisfactory to said Committee will be required for the faithful performance of the contract.

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

Dated New York, November 14, 1876.

RUFUS G. BEARDSLEE,  
JAMES M. HALSTED,  
DAVID WETMORE,  
CHARLES PLATTE,  
HENRY P. WEST,  
Committee on Supplies.

## LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

F. J. TWOMEY,  
Clerk

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

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

F. J. TWOMEY,  
Clerk

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

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

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY,  
Clerk

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

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

F. J. TWOMEY,  
Clerk

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

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

THE COMMITTEE ON FERRIES AND DOCK Department will meet every Wednesday, at 2 o'clock P. M., in Room No. 9, City Hall.

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

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY,  
Clerk

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

## TWENTY-SECOND AUCTION SALE OF UNCLAIMED GOODS.

JACOB SEEBACHER, AUCTIONEER.

THE TWENTY-SECOND AUCTION SALE OF unclaimed goods will take place Thursday, November 23, 1876, at 10 A. M., at 301 Mott street, Police Headquarters, consisting of miscellaneous articles, boats, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, gold and silver watches, revolvers, lead, rope, zinc, etc.; also, at same time and place, a lot of goods to be sold for cartage.

C. A. ST. JOHN,  
Property Clerk.

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

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

## NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED NOVEMBER 14, 1876.

Regulating, grading, setting curb, gutter-stones, and flagging One Hundred and Fourth street, from Fifth avenue to Harlem river.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before January 16, 1877, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of confirmation.

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

NICHOLAS F. BUTENSCHON,  
Collector of Assessments.

## CORPORATION SALE OF THE BUILDING KNOWN AS UNION BELL TOWER, AT THE JUNCTION OF HOUSTON AND SECOND STREETS, AND AVENUE D.

THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW York will sell at public auction, on Monday, November 27, 1876, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the New County Court-house, the building known as the Union Bell Tower, at the junction of Houston and Second streets, and Avenue D.

## TERMS OF SALE.

Cash, to be paid to the Collector of City Revenue at the time and place of sale. The successful bidder to remove said building within twenty days from the date of sale, and leave the ground on which it stands free from all materials of the building and smoothly and evenly graded.

ANDREW H. GREEN,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
November 15, 1876.

REAL ESTATE BELONGING TO THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, to be leased at auction, on Monday, November 27, 1876.

The leases of the following described property belonging to the Corporation of the City of New York, will be sold at public auction at the New County Court-house, on Monday, November 27, 1876, at 11 o'clock A. M., for the term of three years from December 1, 1876, except as otherwise stated:

Nos. 19 and 21 Elizabeth street.  
No. 49 Leonard street, partly occupied by the Public Administrator.  
No. 70 Barrow street, for the term of three years from May 1, 1877.

## HAMILTON SQUARE MAP.

Nos. 2 to 7, west side of Third avenue, between Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets.

Nos. 11 to 16, south side of Sixty-eighth street, between Third and Lexington avenues.

Nos. 22 to 25, east side Lexington avenue, between Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets.

Nos. 26 to 30, 31, 32, north side Sixty-seventh street, between Lexington and Third avenues.

## HARLEM MARKET MAP.

Nos. 13 to 15, south side of One Hundred and Twenty-first street, near Third avenue.

Old school-house, corner of Avenue C and Second street, South Fordham.

## TERMS OF SALE.

Twenty per cent. on the yearly rent bid for each parcel to be paid to the Collector of City Revenue at the time and place of sale; and the successful bidder will be required, at the same time, to have an obligation executed by two sureties, to be approved by the Comptroller, for carrying into effect the terms of the sale.

Twenty per cent., when paid, will be credited on the first quarter's rent; or forfeited, if the lessee does not execute the lease and bond within fifteen days after the sale; and the Comptroller shall be authorized, at his option, to resell the premises bid off by those failing to comply with the terms as above; and the party so failing to comply to be liable for any deficiency that may result from such resale.

No person will be received as lessee or surety who is delinquent on any former lease from the Corporation. No bid will be accepted from any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as security or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation. (Sec. 99 of Charter of 1873.)

The leases will contain the usual covenants and conditions, reserving to the Corporation the right to cancel the lease whenever the premises may be required by them for public purposes.

All repairs will be made at the expense of the lessees, and no deduction whatever will be allowed for damage by reason of any sickness or epidemic that may prevail in the city during the continuance of the lease.

The lessees will be required to give a bond for double the amount of the annual rent, with two sureties, to be approved by the Comptroller, conditioned for the payment of the rent quarter-yearly, and the fulfillment on their part of the covenants of the lease.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
NEW YORK,  
November 15, 1876.

ANDREW H. GREEN,  
Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,  
ROTUNDA, NEW COURT-HOUSE,  
NEW YORK, November 4, 1876.

## NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED OCTOBER 21, 1876.

Outlet sewer in One Hundred and Sixth street, between Harlem river and Fifth avenue, with branches in First, Second, Third, and Fourth avenues, and in One Hundred and Third street.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before January 5, 1877, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of confirmation.

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

NICHOLAS F. BUTENSCHON,  
Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,  
ROTUNDA, NEW COURT-HOUSE,  
NEW YORK, November 10, 1876.

## NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED OCTOBER 21, 1876.

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

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

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NICHOLAS F. BUTENSCHON,  
Collector of Assessments.

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

## NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED SEPTEMBER 28, 1876.

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

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

Eighty-third street, basin, northeast corner of Second avenue.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Eighty-seventh street, flagging, northwest corner of Lexington avenue.

Lexington avenue, crosswalks, between Sixty-sixth and Seventy-first streets.

Lexington avenue, paving, from Sixty-sixth to Seventy-fourth street.

Forty-third street, paving, from First to Second avenue.

Sixty-fourth street, paving, from Second to Third avenue.

Sixty-eighth street, paving, from Third to Fourth avenue.

Eighty-third street, paving, from First to Third avenue.

One Hundred and Eleventh street, paving, from Third to Fourth avenue.

One Hundred and Thirteenth street, paving, from Second avenue to Harlem river.

One Hundred and Twenty-second street, paving, from Avenue A to Second avenue.

Fencing vacant lots south side of Twenty-fifth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

Fencing vacant lots north side of Seventy-ninth street, between Second and Third avenues.

Fencing vacant lots north side of Forty-third street, 100 feet east of Second avenue.

CONFIRMED OCTOBER 7, 1876.

Little Twelfth street, regulating, grading, etc., from Tenth to Thirteenth avenue.

Eighty-seventh street, regulating, grading, etc., from Eighth to Tenth avenue.

One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, regulating, grading, etc., from Broadway to Hudson river.

One Hundred and Thirty-first street, regulating, grading, etc., from Tenth avenue to Boulevard.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before December 10, 1876, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of confirmation.

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NICHOLAS F. BUTENSCHON,  
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 1875, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

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ANDREW H. GREEN  
Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
NEW YORK, May 4, 1876.

## DEPARTMENT PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, November 15, 1876.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A petition of the property-owners, with map and plan, for the change of grade in Sixtieth street, from the Eleventh avenue to the Hudson river, is