

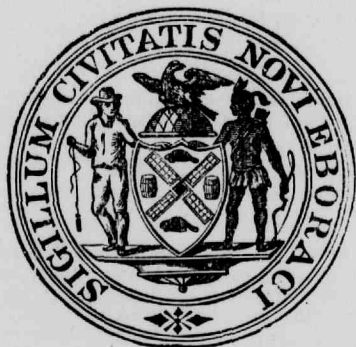
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FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, }
January 28, 1878.

Present—President Vincent C. King, Commissioners Joseph L. Perley and John J. Gorman.
The minutes of the meetings held 21st, 23d, 24th, and 25th instant, were read and approved.

Communications.

From—
Committee on Apparatus, recommending purchase of hose. Laid over.
Board of Fire Underwriters—Report of unsafe boiler, gas-brackets, etc., in building Nos. 100 and 102 Murray street. Investigation directed.
Chief of Department, recommending that a duplicate fire-alarm box-key be located at No. 75 Thomas street. Issue ordered.
Examining Board of Engineers—Report of examination of Private Luke Smith, of Engine Co. No. 43, on application for promotion to rank of Assistant Engineer of Steamer. Filed.
Superintendent of Telegraph, reporting discharge of extra force. Filed.
Same—Estimate of supplies required for current year. Filed, with directions.
Medical Officer, recommending leave of absence to—
Fireman William Noble, of Engine Co. No. 2.
“ James Roland, of Engine Co. No. 18.
“ Thomas Henry, of Engine Co. No. 27.
“ John Burke, of Engine Co. No. 33.

—and excuse from fire duty to
Assistant Foreman Wm. F. Flock, of Engine Co. No. 10.
Fireman Patrick McTiney, of Engine Co. No. 13. Granted.
Chief of Battalion in charge of Repair Shops, forwarding plan for carrying calcium-lights on Hook and Ladder trucks, with statement of cost. Filed, and the following resolution adopted:
Resolved, That the Supply Clerk be and is hereby directed to purchase two complete calcium-light apparatus, to be furnished to Hook and Ladder Companies Nos. 1 and 9, respectively, at a cost of not exceeding \$70 each.
Same, recommending repairs to tire, furnace and plumbing work at Headquarters; estimated cost, \$160 and \$8, respectively. Ordered.
Same—Requisition for extension ladder for Hook and Ladder Co. No. 8; estimated cost, \$200. Purchase ordered.

The following preambles and resolutions were, on motion, adopted:
Whereas, The large and constantly increasing number of high buildings in this city, the upper floors of which cannot be reached with the ladders now in use by the Department, render the adoption and use of improved fire ladders an imperative necessity; and

Whereas, The Department is in possession of a number of aerial ladders, the use of which was discontinued in the month of September, 1875, in deference to the finding of a Coroner's jury, that the said ladders were made of inferior wood and their construction faulty, and wherein the Department was censured for allowing them to be used before being subjected to a scientific and practical test, and their further use by the Department was condemned; therefore be it

Resolved, That a Board of Survey be and is hereby appointed, to consist of John Ericsson, Charles H. Haswell, and Julius H. Striedinger, Civil Engineers, and Assistant Chief of Department Charles O. Shay, and Chief of Battalion Gilbert J. Orr, with instructions to thoroughly examine and test, scientifically and practically, the said aerial ladders, and to report their conclusions as to the principles and method of their construction; the character and quality of the materials used therein, and their safety for use by this Department; together with such recommendations for their improvement as they may deem advisable and proper to make; and be it further

Resolved, That Chief of Department Eli Bates be and is hereby directed to advise with and furnish such aid to the said Board of Survey as they may require to enable them to carry out the provisions of the preceding resolution.

From—
Chief of Battalion in charge of Repair Shops—Requisitions for materials, etc.; estimated cost, \$21, \$63.38, and \$2.50 respectively. Purchase ordered.

Chief of Fourth Battalion—Report relative to plumbing work at quarters of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 9. Referred for proper action.

Foreman of Engine Co. No. 13, reporting recovery of patrol badge No. 343, lost by Fireman John B. Wilson. Referred to trustees of Relief Fund, with recommendation that fine imposed be refunded.

Comptroller—Circular No. 1, relative to accountability for expenditures. Filed.

Same, returning proposal of Samuel G. French, for furnishing canal coal, with approval of sureties, and proposal of M. Barber & Nephew as informal. Filed, and following resolution adopted:

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing to this Department two hundred tons of Incehall canal coal, as per advertisement in the CITY RECORD, dated December 27, 1877, be and is awarded to Samuel G. French, of No. 111 Broadway, for the sum of \$2,888, on his proposal dated January 15, 1878.

Department of Buildings—Report of survey and inspection of buildings Nos. 191 and 193 Fulton street. Referred to Committee on Repairs and Supplies.

Jackson S. Schultz, applying on behalf of T. Skeel for loan of old hose. Denied, for the reason that the use of public property for private purposes is contrary to law.

Mrs. Jas. Gracie, relative to service rendered by Fireman Patrick Healy (previously laid over). Filed.

The evidence taken at the trial of Fireman Wm. F. Lanzer, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 10 (held December 19, 1877), was considered, accused found guilty and sentence deferred.

Resolution.

Resolved, That the expenditure of \$27.60, for cleaning and repairs to the front room of the third floor of this building, be and the same is hereby authorized and appropriated. Adopted.

Charges of “neglect of duty,” preferred against Firemen Stephen C. Purdy and Michael Salmon, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 8, were dismissed and filed.

Promotions.

to take effect 1st proximo:

Hoseman J. H. McKniff, of Engine Co. No. 42, to be Private, same company.

“ Robert L. Kent, of Engine Co. No. 42, to be Private, Engine Co. No. 41.

Ladderman James Cooke, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 17, to be Private, same company.

On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

JANUARY 29, 1878.

Present—President Vincent C. King, Commissioners Joseph L. Perley and John J. Gorman.

Resolutions.

Resolved, That the bill of John Winters, for services as stoker at Headquarters, from the 1st to the 31st instant, both inclusive, at the rate of \$2.50 per day, amounting to \$77.50, be approved and audited for payment. Adopted.

Whereas, The appropriation for the Repair Shops for the current year is inadequate for the purpose, and an immediate reduction in expenditure is required; therefore, be it

Resolved, That from and after the 1st proximo, and until further orders, the mechanics and laborers employed by the day, and working in the said Repair Shops, be reduced to three-quarter time. Adopted.

Resolved, That the Chief of Battalion in charge of Repair Shops be and is hereby directed to cause an inventory to be made on the 1st proximo, of the machinery, apparatus, hose, tools, materials and supplies for which he is accountable or which may be in his possession, with their several cost values, and that immediately thereafter an account be opened and kept in double entry form, and in such manner as to show at any time the character and cost of the labor and materials, etc., expended in building or making repairs or alterations to each apparatus, etc., to that time. Adopted.

Application for badges was received from the New York Evening Express Company, and granted.

Transfers.

to take effect 1st proximo:

Clerk James Deignan, Headquarters to Repair Shops.

Clerk Frank Watkins, Repair Shops to Headquarters.

On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

JANUARY 30, 1878.

Present—President Vincent C. King, Commissioners Joseph L. Perley, and John J. Gorman.

Trials.

Fireman William Murfit, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 2, charged with “neglect of duty.” Found guilty, and reprimand ordered.

Fireman George Davis, of Engine Co. No. 34, charged with “neglect of duty.” Found guilty, and reprimand ordered.

Fireman John McCarthy, of Engine Co. No. 43, charged with “disobedience of orders. Found guilty, and fined ten days’ pay.

Fireman John Sullivan, of Engine Co., No. 9, charged with “neglect of duty.” Found guilty and reprimand ordered.

Communications.

From—

Inspector of Combustibles—List of applicants for licenses, viz:

For sale, etc., of kerosene oil, 9; for special permit, 1.

Granted.

Same, reporting violations of law. Filed, and following resolution adopted:

Resolved, That the following-named parties be and are hereby fined five dollars each for violation of section 9, chapter 742, Laws of 1871, and that the Inspector of Combustibles be and is directed to enforce the collection of the penalties, viz:

Michael Gallagher, 566 Eleventh avenue.

College of Physicians and Surgeons, 309 Fourth avenue.

Henry Schreiber, 32 and 34 John street.

Mrs. D. O'Donnell, 31 Depuyster street.

Nicholas Haughton, 6 Union square.

Same, recommending discontinuance of legal proceedings. Filed, and following resolution adopted:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Inspector of Combustibles, the Corporation Attorney be and is hereby requested to cause the discontinuance of the legal proceedings instituted against G. D. Elterich, for violation of section 4, chapter 742, Laws of 1871.

Same, recommending remission of penalties for reasons assigned in following cases of violation of law, viz:

Patrick Rochford, 1237 Second avenue.

Peter McVey, 533 West Thirtieth street.

James Reilly, 408 West Thirty-first street.

Michael Geraghty, 282 First avenue.

Patrick McAnany, 120 Cannon street.

R. D. Murphy, 302 West Fifty-fifth street.

George Backof, 795 Seventh avenue.

Edward Duffy, 235 Mulberry street.

Michael Hanley, 33 Park street.

J. Weil & Bros., 321 Pearl street.

Frederick Kress, One Hundred and Fifty-second street, between Cortland and Third avenues.

Mary Hayes, 187 Worth street.

Charles Schneller, 452 West Fifty-sixth street.

Approved.

Superintendent of Telegraph—Requisition for supplies; estimated cost, \$40.25. Purchase ordered.

Same, requesting repairs to wagon, at an estimated cost of \$27.50. Ordered.

Medical Officer, recommending leave of absence to—

Engineer of Steamer James K. Giles, of Engine Co. No. 5.

“ James Rogers, of Engine Co. No. 33.

Fireman William Noble, of Engine Co. No. 2.

—and excuse from fire duty to—

Assistant Foreman W. F. Flock, of Engine Co. No. 10.

Granted.

N. Le Brun, Architect—Specifications for plumbing work at Headquarters. Referred back for estimates.

George C. Goeller, requesting information relative to quarters of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 17. Filed, with directions to send memorandum of dates.

Chief of Department, recommending the following transfers:

Fireman William Kline, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 8 to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 15.

“ George Lake, Engine Co. No. 30 to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 8.

“ Ambrose L. Austin, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 15 to Engine Co. No. 38.

Ordered to take effect 1st proximo.

Transfers.

—to take effect 1st proximo:

Foreman Clinton McDonald, Engine Co. No. 41 to Engine Co. No. 2.

“ Ernest Drevet, Engine Co. No. 34 to Engine Co. No. 41.

“ John Coyle, Engine Co. No. 2 to Engine Co. No. 34.

Assistant Foreman Alex McKeever, Engine Co. No. 4 to Engine Co. No. 20.

“ “ Hugh J. Golden, Engine Co. No. 20 to Engine Co. No. 33.

“ “ Albert F. Louis, Engine Co. No. 30 to Engine Co. No. 4.

“ “ James H. Ford, Engine Co. No. 33 to Engine Co. No. 30.

Bills

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

For the year 1877—Schedule No. 61.

Avery, Thomas C., apparatus, supplies, etc	\$15 00
Flash & Mott, “ “	45 00
Gibbins, A., “ “	390 00
Gregory, James, “ “	22 36
Hanlon & Goodman, “ “	88 00
Hayes, George, “ “	375 00
Hopper, Isaac A., “ “	144 00
Marshall, O. T., “ “	900 00
Norris & Williams, “ “	47 00
Pearce & Jones, “ “	108 30
Smith, Joseph P., “ “	119 00
Tillotson, L. G. & Co., “ “	237 67

\$2,491 33

For the Current Year—Schedule No. 2.

Byrnes John J., apparatus, supplies, etc.	\$13 15
Corporation Trinity Church, apparatus, supplies, etc.	150 00
Dahlman, Isaac H., " " " "	650 00
Dunham, Thomas C., " " " "	9 64
Dunne Thomas, " " " "	175 00
Ex-Tel. Force, pay-roll, Jan'y, " " " "	1,348 21
Feigel M. & Bro., " " " "	130 60
Gregory, James, " " " "	13 01
Miners' Oil Co., " " " "	56 85
Mott, J. L., iron works, " " " "	56 00
Norris & Williams, " " " "	81 00
Smith Woodbridge, " " " "	42 00
Strange E. B. & A. B., " " " "	700 00
Striedinger, Julius H., " " " "	166 67
Tillotson L. G. & Co., " " " "	58 68

\$3,651 71

On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Statement and Return of Moneys received by WILLIAM A. BOYD, Corporation Attorney, for the month of January, 1878, rendered to the Comptroller in pursuance of the provisions of Section 26, Article 1, Chapter 5 of the Revised Ordinances of 1866; and of Sections 38 and 96 of Chapter 335 of the Laws of 1873.

DATE.	WHAT FOR.	JUDGMENTS.	PENALTIES.	COSTS.	TOTAL AMOUNT.
Jan. 2	Violation of Corporation Ordinance	.....	\$7 50	\$27 50	\$35 00
" 3	" " " "	.....	37 50	60 00	97 50
" 4	" " " "	.....	32 50	20 00	52 50
" 5	" " " "	.....	5 00	5 00	10 00
" 7	" " " "	.....	.....	7 50	7 50
" 8	The People, ex rel. The Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, against Hannah McGlory.....	.....	100 00	.....	100 00
" 8	Violation of Corporation Ordinance.....	.....	10 00	10 00	20 00
" 9	" " " "	.....	5 00	10 00	15 00
" 10	" " " "	.....	5 00	15 00	20 00
" 11	" " " "	.....	10 00	7 50	17 50
" 14	" " " "	.....	20 00	22 50	42 50
" 15	" " " "	.....	30 00	40 00	70 00
" 16	" " " "	.....	25 00	10 00	35 00
" 17	" " " "	.....	10 00	12 50	22 50
" 18	" " " "	.....	5 00	10 00	15 00
" 21	" " " "	.....	.....	5 00	5 00
" 22	" " " "	.....	.....	17 50	17 50
" 23	" " " "	.....	37 50	37 50	75 00
" 24	" " " "	.....	5 00	7 50	12 50
" 25	" " " "	.....	5 00	2 50	7 50
" 28	" " " "	.....	10 00	12 50	22 50
" 29	" " " "	.....	30 00	37 50	67 50
" 30	" " " "	.....	5 00	35 00	40 00
" 31	" " " "	.....	\$247 00	5 00	262 00

Total amount collected.....\$1,069 50

Amount paid over to George Kellock, Superintendent of Out-door Poor, in the case of the People, ex rel. The Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, against Hannah McGlory.....\$100 00

Disbursements.....436 00

536 00

Balance due the City.....\$533 50

WILLIAM A. BOYD, Corporation Attorney.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

At a meeting of the Board of Docks, held 28th December, 1877.

Present—President Westervelt and Commissioner Vanderpoel.

Absent—Commissioner Dimock.

A communication was received from the Comptroller, relating to the penalty imposed by this Department on McIntire Brothers for non-completion of work under their contract for building wooden platform in rear of bulkhead wall between Piers (old number) 47 and 48, North river, dated 29th January, 1877, within time stipulated therefor, and advising that he had decided to remit the said penalty and authorized the Board to make requisition for \$4,300, the amount of penalty imposed; and, being read,

On motion, the following preamble and resolution was adopted, to wit:

Whereas, By virtue of the power vested in the Finance Department by section 31 of chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the Comptroller has decided to remit the penalty imposed by this Department against McIntire Brothers for non-completion of work within the time agreed upon under contract for platform in rear of bulkhead wall between Piers (old number) 47 and 48, North river, and deducted in the sum of \$4,300 from audited claim No. 4596, in August, 1877; therefore

Resolved, That a requisition be and is hereby directed to be drawn upon the Comptroller for the sum of \$4,300, being the amount now due said McIntire Brothers under said audited claim, consequent upon the said penalty being remitted; and that the Bookkeeper charge the said sum to the said contract, so that the accounts of the Department shall exhibit the said contract as settled and paid in full, in the sum of \$7,600.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

EUGENE T. LYNCH, Secretary.

APPROVED PAPERS

Resolved. That the following-named persons be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place respectively of the persons whose names appear opposite, whose terms of office have expired:

Theodore Wright, in place of William H. Salter.

Ole H. Holberg, in place of Ole H. Holberg.

Walter R. Gorman, in place of Samuel E. A. Stern.

George Geoghegan, in place of Montgomery A. Kellogg.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 26, 1878.

Approved by the Mayor, January 29, 1878.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of Charities and Correction be and are hereby requested to report to this Board, as soon as possible, the reasons why the prison connected with the new Jefferson Market Court-house is not now used for the purposes for which it was intended, as it has been completed for more than six months, and is still unoccupied.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 26, 1878.

Approved by the Mayor, January 29, 1878.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the United States authorities to erect a platform scale in the street between the north front of the New York Post Office and the sidewalk on the southerly side of the City Hall Park, said scale to be 14 by 9 feet in size across the platform, and to be on a level with the street so as to form no obstruction to the passage of vehicles. The work to be done at the expense of the United States, 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, January 26, 1878.

Approved by the Mayor, January 29, 1878.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Department of Docks be and they are hereby requested to report to this Board, at its next meeting, if they have in their possession one or two tug-boats, in good order, that are not in use by that Department, that can be transferred to the Department of Police, to be used in towing to sea, or elsewhere, scows loaded with materials collected in cleaning the streets of the city.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 29, 1878.

Approved by the Mayor, January 31, 1878.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby requested to report to this Board, at its next meeting, the amount of money expended annually during the past twelve years for the repaving of the streets of this city, also specifying the streets so repaved.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 29, 1878.

Approved by the Mayor, January 31, 1878.

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to the Benevolent Protective Order of Elks to place a banner across Broadway, opposite the Union Place Hotel; such permission to continue only until the 15th day of February next.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 29, 1878.

Approved by the Mayor, January 31, 1878.

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to John S. Richards to receive and deliver goods in front of his storehouses Nos. 105, 107, 109 Morton street, and Nos. 618, 620, and 622 Washington street, also 603, 605, 607 Greenwich street, and 41, 43, 45 Clarkson street; the same to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 29, 1878.

Approved by the Mayor, February 1, 1878.

Resolved, That the Counsel to the Corporation be and he is hereby authorized and directed to commence proceedings to recover from the Inspectors of Weights and Measures, on behalf of the city, the fees collected by them for inspecting and examining weights and measures, such fees being wrongfully withheld by said Inspectors, in violation of the following provision of section 96 of chapter 335, of the Laws of 1873, commonly known as the City Charter: "No officer of the city government, except the City Marshals, shall have or receive to his own use any fees, perquisites or commissions, or any percentage; but every such officer shall be paid by a fixed salary, and all fees, percentages and commissions received by any such officer shall be the property of the city."

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 10, 1878.

Approved by the Mayor, January 21, 1878.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Patrick Enright to keep a small two-wheeled wagon on the east side of Chatham square, for the sale of oysters, between the hours of 6 P. M. and 12 o'clock night, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 15, 1878.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, January 26, 1878, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby granted to Degraaf & Taylor to lay a crosswalk in front of their premises, Nos. 47 and 49 West Fourteenth street, 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, January 26, 1878.

Approved by the Mayor, January 29, 1878.

Resolved, That permission be granted to Isaac H. Hunter to place an ornamental lamp-post and lamp in front of his hotel, No. 224 Wooster street, at his own expense, and that the said lamp must be lighted at the expense of the said Isaac H. Hunter, 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, January 10, 1878.

Approved by the Mayor, January 15, 1878.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William G. Faist to erect an ornamental lamp in front of his premises No. 560 Tenth avenue, the post not to exceed the usual dimensions, the work to be done and gas supplied from his own meter, 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, January 10, 1878.

Approved by the Mayor, January 15, 1878.

Resolved, That William R. Farrell be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City of New York, in place of Thomas A. Lathrop, whose term of office has expired.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 10, 1878.

Approved by the Mayor, January 15, 1878.

Resolved, That Stephen N. Simonson be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 10, 1878.

Approved by the Mayor, January 15, 1878.

Resolved, That Philip N. Gaulon be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York in place of Anthony T. Gallagher, whose term of office expires this day.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 10, 1878.

Approved by the Mayor, January 15, 1878.

Resolved, That Herman Stiefel be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Herman Stiefel, whose term of office expired January 6, 1878.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 4, 1878.

Approved by the Mayor, January 5, 1878.

Resolved, That the Department of Parks be and they are hereby requested to direct the Corporation Counsel to forthwith take all necessary proceedings to acquire title for the opening and extension of Welch street, Twenty-fourth Ward, from its present easterly terminus at the Harlem Railroad, westerly and in a straight line, sixty feet in width by about seventy-five feet in length, to the Kingsbridge road, or Third avenue.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 4, 1878.

Approved by the Mayor, January 5, 1878.

Resolved, That Nicholas Seagrist be and is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, to take effect from and after the expiration of his present term, which will be on the 5th day of January, 1878.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 4, 1878.

Approved by the Mayor, January 5, 1878.

Resolved, That Patrick J. Scully, whose term of office as Commissioner of Deeds expires this day, be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 7, 1878.

Approved by the Mayor, January 9, 1878.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street-lamps lighted in One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, between Willis avenue and Brown place, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 31, 1877.

Approved by the Mayor, January 7, 1878, before 12 o'clock M.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

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

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Board of Aldermen and Supervisors, No. 9, City Hall, office hours from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk of the Common Council and of Board of Supervisors, No. 8, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, OFFICE HOURS 9 A. M. TO 4 P. M.
Comptroller's Office, second floor, rooms 19 and 20.
1. Bureau for the collection of the revenue accruing from rents and interest on bonds and mortgages, and revenue arising from the use or sale of property belonging to or managed by the City, first floor, room 6.
2. Bureau for the Collection of Taxes; Brown stone building, City Hall Park.
3. Bureau for the Collection of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and Water Rents, first floor, room 5.
4. Auditing Bureau, second floor, west end, room 19.
5. Bureau of Licenses, first floor, room 6.
6. Bureau of Markets, first floor, room 6.
7. Bureau for the reception of all moneys paid into the Treasury in the City, and for the payment of money on warrants drawn by the Comptroller and countersigned by the Mayor, at the Office of Chamberlain and County Treasurer, second floor, room 18.
8. Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, second floor, room 16.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Counsel to the Corporation, Staats Zeitung Building, third floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Public Administrator, 115 and 117, Nassau street, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Corporation Attorney, 49 Beekman street, 8½ A. M. to 4 P. M.
Attorney for the Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes, No. 51 Chambers street, second floor.
Attorney to the Department of Buildings, 2 Fourth avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET, ALWAYS OPEN.
Commissioners' Office, second floor
Superintendent's Office, first floor.
Inspectors' Office, first floor.
Chief Clerk's Office, second floor, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Property Clerk, first floor (rear)
Bureau of Street Cleaning, Avenue C, from Sixteenth to Seventeenth street, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Bureau of Elections, second floor (rear), 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

NOS. 153, 155 AND 157 MERCER ST., 9 A. M. TO 4 P. M.
Commissioners' Office, Chief of Department.
Inspectors of Combustibles.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Commissioners' Office, 36 Union Square, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Surveyor's Bureau, 19 Chatham street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Board of Assessors.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Commissioners' Office, 117 and 119 Duane street, A. M. to 4 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS
Commissioners' Office, Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. On Saturday, 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

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

BOARD OF EXCISE.

Commissioners' Office, first floor, 299 Mulberry street, 6 A. M. to 4 P. M.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

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

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

Commissioners' Office, 27 Chambers street, second floor, front office.

COMMISSIONERS OF THE COUNTY COURT-HOUSE.
Office, Room 28, third floor, nth west corner County Court-house.

THE CITY RECORD.

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

MISCELLANEOUS OFFICES.

HOURS 9 A. M. TO 4 P. M.
Coroners' Office, 40 East Houston street, second floor.
Sheriff's Office, first floor, southwest corner of New County Court-house, rooms 3 and 4.
County Clerk's Office, first floor, northeast corner of New County Court-house, rooms 7 and 8.
Surrogate's Office, first floor, southeast corner of New County Court-house, room 1.
Surrogate's Court, first floor, southeast corner of New County Court-house, room 2.
Register's Office, Hall of Records, City Hall Park.
District Attorney's Office, second floor, Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Commissioner's Office, room 17, second floor, New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

COURTS.

SUPREME COURT.
Second floor, New County Court-house, 10½ A. M. to 3 P. M.
General Term, Room No. 9.
Special Term, Room No. 10.
Chambers, Room No. 11.
Circuit, Part I, Room No. 12.
Circuit, Part II, Room No. 13.
Circuit, Part III, Room No. 14.
Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 15.

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

COMMON PLEAS.
Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.
Clerk's office, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., Room No. 22.
General Term, Room No. 24.
Special Term, Room No. 21.
Chambers, Room No. 21.
Part I, Room No. 25.
Part II, Room No. 26.
Part III, Room No. 27.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23.

MARINE COURT.
General Term, Trial Term Part I, room 15, City Hall; Trial Term Part II, Trial Term Part III, third floor, 27 Chambers street; Special Term, Chambers, second floor, 27 Chambers street, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
Clerk's Office, basement, Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JURORS.

NOTICE IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, June 1, 1877.
APPLICATIONS FOR EXEMPTIONS WILL BE heard here, from 9 to 4 daily, from all persons hitherto liable or recently serving who have become exempt, and all needed information will be given.

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

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

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

Every man must attend to his own notice. It is a misdemeanor to give any jury paper to another to answer. It is also punishable by fine or imprisonment to give or receive any present or bribe, directly or indirectly, in relation to a jury service, or to withhold any paper or make any false statement, and every case will be fully prosecuted.

THOMAS DUNLAP, Commissioner,
County Court-house (Chambers street entrance)

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, from the northeastern line of Laurence street, parallel with One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, to the westerly side of a certain road or avenue in the City of New York, closed by act of the Legislature, chapter 290, section 10, passed April 5, 1871; as said One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street appears upon a map made by the Commissioners of the Central Park and filed in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, on October 23, 1867.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to Elliot F. Shepard, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 154 Nassau street (Room No. 22), in the said city, on or before the twelfth day of February, 1878, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week-days next after the said twelfth of February, 1878, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Second—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 23d day of February, 1878.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follow, to wit: All those lots, pieces, or parcels of land situate, lying, and being in the City of New York, and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street with the northerly line of Laurence street, running thence northerly and at right angles to said One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street 100 feet; thence easterly and parallel with One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street 619 feet and 8½ inches to what was formerly the easterly line of a certain new avenue closed by an act of the Legislature, passed April 5th, 1871 (Laws of 1871, chapter 290); thence in a southerly direction 281 feet and 7 inches to a point; thence westerly and parallel to One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street 408 feet and 10 inches to the northeasterly line of Laurence street; thence northerly along the northeasterly line of Laurence street 217 feet and 6 inches, be the same more or less, to the corner formed by the intersection of the northeasterly line of Laurence street with the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street; thence easterly along the southerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street 493 feet and ¾ of an inch to the westerly line of said new avenue closed by an act of the Legislature, passed April 5, 1871, as aforesaid; thence northerly along the westerly line of said new avenue, closed as aforesaid, 63 feet and 8½ inches to the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street; thence westerly along the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street 585 feet and 7¾ inches to the point or place of beginning.

Also all those other certain lots, pieces or parcels of land bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the southwesterly side of Laurence street, distant 206 feet and 3 inches from a point formed by the intersection of the northwesterly line of Laurence street with the east-

erly side of the Tenth avenue; running thence northeasterly along the southwesterly line of Laurence street, 185 feet 3 inches to a point; thence westerly and parallel to One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, 164 feet and 4 inches to a point; thence northerly and at right angles to said One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, 85 feet and 4 inches to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the New Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the sixth day of March, 1878, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, January 8, 1878.
ELLIOT F. SHEPARD,
NEVIN W. BUTLER,
LOUIS MESIER,
Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, February 6, 1878.

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—Gumel Fisher; aged 54 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; gray hair; blue eyes. Had on when admitted, dark sack coat and pants, gray vest, white shirt, felt hat. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.
At Branch Charity Hospital, Randall's Island—William Anderson; aged 56 years; blue eyes; gray hair. 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, February 2, 1878.

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 Hart's Island Hospital—William Barclay; aged 26 years. Had on when admitted gray woolen coat and pants, overalls, black felt 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, January 31, 1878.

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 Hart's Island Hospital—John Hayes; aged 54 years; admitted November 17, 1877. 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, January 31, 1878.

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—Mary Tramor; aged 50 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; gray eyes and hair. Had on when admitted, brown calico dress, black cloth cape, light calico waist, red and white woolen hood. 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, January 26, 1878.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, COAL, ETC.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS above, will be received by the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, until 9 o'clock A. M., of Saturday, February 9, 1878, 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.

5,000 lbs. good sweet Dairy Table Butter, to be delivered in quantities as required.
1,000 lbs. Dried Apples.
500 lbs. Smoked Halibut.
250 bbls. Fine Flour, empty barrels to be returned to the foot of East Twenty-sixth street, and the amount to be deducted from the price of Flour.
100 lbs. Cotton Cord.
50 gr. gro. A 22 Bone Buttons.
50 gr. gro. Metal Suspender Buttons.
100 doz. No. 30 Spool Cotton.
6 doz. Male Urinals.
6 doz. 2 qt. Pitchers.
50 tons best Blacksmith's Coal, each ton to consist of 2240 lbs., to be delivered at Upper Coal Yard Dock, east side of Blackwell's Island.

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

The award of the contract will be made as soon as 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 estimate; 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 to accept an offer for the whole bid or for any single article included in the proposal, and no proposal will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is defaulter, as security or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.
Blank forms of proposals and specifications, which are to be strictly complied with, can be obtained on application at the office of the Department, and all information furnished.

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

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS OF the Board of Aldermen will meet in Room No. 9, City Hall, every Monday at 1 o'clock P. M.

THOMAS SHELLS,
THOMAS CARROLL,
GEORGE HALL,
JOSEPH C. PINCKNEY,
BERNARD BIGLIN,
Committee on Public Works.

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

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

No. 1. Flagging sidewalks, north side Fifty-sixth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.
No. 2. Flagging north side of One Hundred and Twentieth street, between First avenue and Avenue A.
No. 3. Flagging north side Fifty-eighth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.
No. 4. Flagging south side Seventy-ninth street, between Ninth avenue and the Boulevard.
No. 5. Flagging, eight feet wide, south side Fifty-eighth street, from Broadway to Seventh avenue.
No. 6. Flagging north side Forty-third street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.
No. 7. Setting curb and gutter stones and flagging Seventy-sixth street, between Avenue A and East River, and between First and Second avenues.
No. 8. Fencing vacant lots One Hundred and Eighteenth street, between First and Second avenues.
No. 9. Alteration and extension of sewer in James slip, at South street.

No. 10. Regulating, grading, curb, gutter and flagging Forty-third street, from Second to Third avenues.
No. 11. Sewers in Boulevard, Ninety-eighth street, Ninth avenue and One Hundredth street, from Ninety-sixth street to Eighth avenue, with branches in Ninth avenue, Ninety-eighth, Ninety-ninth, and One Hundredth streets.

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

No. 1. North side Fifty-sixth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.
No. 2. North side One Hundred and Twentieth street, between First avenue and Avenue A.
No. 3. North side Fifty-eighth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.
No. 4. South side Seventy-ninth street, between Ninth avenue and the Boulevard.
No. 5. South side Fifty-eighth street, between Broadway and Seventh avenue.
No. 6. North side Forty-third street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.
No. 7. Both sides Seventy-sixth street, between Avenue A and East River, and between First and Second avenues.
No. 8. Both sides One Hundred and Eighteenth street, between First and Second avenues.
No. 9. Property situated between Roosevelt, Oliver and Worth streets and East River, also property situated between Canal street and East Broadway, Forsyth and Mulberry streets.

No. 10. Both sides Forty-third street, from Second to Third avenue.
No. 11. Property situated between Ninety-second and One Hundred and Sixth streets, Boulevard and Eighth avenue.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 12 Chatham street, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

The above described assessment lists will be transmitted as provided by law to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 16th day of February ensuing.

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

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
NEW YORK, Jan. 15, 1878.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
NO. 16 NEW COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, January 23, 1878.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED AND ENTERED JANUARY 17, 1878.

131st street, regulating, grading, etc., from 6th to 8th avenue.
Boston avenue (23d Ward), grading, etc., from 3d avenue to 165th street.
112th street, paving, from 3d avenue to Harlem river.
118th street, paving, from 3d avenue to Harlem river.
119th street, paving, from Avenue A to Harlem river.
50th street, fencing north side, between Lexington and 4th avenues.
Eastern Boulevard (Avenue B), regulating, grading, etc., from 79th to 86th street.
All payments made on the above assessments on or before March 25, 1878, 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.

EDWARD GILON,
Collector of Assessments.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS

THE ATTENTION OF LAWYERS, REAL Estate Owners, Monetary Institutions engaged in making loans upon real estate, and all who are interested in providing themselves with facilities for reducing the cost of examinations and searches, is invited to these Official Indices of Records, containing all recorded transfers of real estate in the City of New York from 1653 to 1877, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

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

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller

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

