

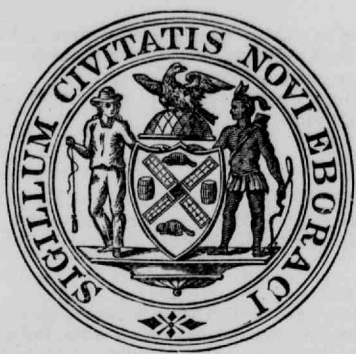
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LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

STATED SESSION.

TUESDAY, April 18, 1882, }
12 o'clock, M. }

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

PRESENT:

Hon. William Sauer, President ;

ALDERMEN

Thomas Brady,
Michael Duffy,
Frederick Finck,
Edward T. Fitzpatrick,
Augustus Fleishbein,
Robert Hall,
James W. Hawes,

Patrick Keenan,
Patrick Kenney,
William P. Kirk,
Ferdinand Levy,
Bernard F. Martin,
Joseph J. McAvoy,
John McClave,

Donald MacLean,
John O'Neil,
Robert B. Roosevelt,
John H. Seaman,
Joseph P. Strack,
James L. Wells.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE.

The President informed the Board that he had been served with an order to show cause, before Hon. Charles P. Daly, Chief Justice of the Court of Common Pleas, why Ellen Cochrane should not be admitted to the Hudson River State Hospital for the Insane, as an indigent person and a charge upon New York County.

Which was ordered on file.

PETITIONS.

By the President—

Petition of B. M. Cowperthwaite & Co. for permission to keep show-windows at Nos. 153, 155 and 157 Chatham street.

Whereupon he offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to B. M. Cowperthwaite & Co. to place and keep a show-window on each of their buildings, Nos. 153, 155 and 157 Chatham street ; such show-windows not to project outwardly from the house-line more than two feet, and to be not more than twelve feet and six inches high, as shown on the annexed diagram ; the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Fire Department ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Alderman Hall—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Francesca Campudore to place a stand at No. 88 Wall street, he having the consent of the owner of premises, said stand not to be more than five feet long and two feet wide, the work done at his own expense ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Seaman—

Resolved, That the roadway of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, from the pavement heretofore laid at the intersection of Sixth avenue to the pavement heretofore laid at the intersection of Seventh avenue, be paved with trap-block pavement, except that a crosswalk of three courses of blue stone be laid across said street, within the lines of the westerly sidewalk of Sixth avenue and parallel therewith, and that a crosswalk of three courses of blue stone be laid across street within the lines of the easterly sidewalk of Seventh avenue and parallel therewith, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Street Pavements.

By Alderman McAvoy—

Resolved, That the roadway of One Hundred and Fifth street, from a line twelve feet west of and parallel with the west curb of Lexington avenue to a line five feet east of and parallel with the east curb of Fourth avenue, be paved with trap-block pavement, except that a crosswalk of three courses of blue stone be laid across said street within the lines of the easterly sidewalk of Fourth avenue and parallel therewith, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Street Pavements.

By Alderman Brady—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Robert Appleton to keep a small show-case within the stoop-line, in front of No. 309 Broadway ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Roosevelt—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given and granted to Stephen A. Main to construct and keep, in front of the building known as No. 23 West Twenty-third street, an open porch or portico, 15 feet 6 inches in height, from the street level, 6 feet in width, and projecting outwardly from said building 5 feet 4 inches, also to continue and keep the area or court-yard in front of said building upon its present original lines, or to fill in so much thereof as he finds necessary, and to construct and keep a series of iron steps 11 feet in width leading from the sidewalk down into said area, all according to the accompanying diagram, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman McAvoy—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John McCauley to place and keep a watering-trough at No. 216 Eleventh avenue, southeast corner of Twenty-fifth street, the work done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the President—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Martin—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Finck—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Wilkin to retain an awning at No. 254 Grand street, corner of Chrystie street ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Kenney—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Martin—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Lewis McDermott to place and retain a stand for the sale of cigars and tobacco inside of the stoop-line on the south side of Grand street, about 50 feet west of Broadway, and known as Nos. 459 and 461 Broadway, the consent of the owner and occupants having been received and is hereto annexed ; said stand to be about 6 feet 6 inches high, 7 feet 4 inches long, and 4 feet wide, the work done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Roosevelt—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Philipp Blair to erect a barber-pole in front of his premises, No. 200 West Fortieth street, said pole not to be more than 9 feet high, and not to exceed 8 inches in diameter at the curb-stone line ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Martin—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Fitzpatrick—

Resolved, That Charles Wahlers and Daniel M. Donegan be and they are hereby respectively appointed as Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman McClave—

Resolved, That the vacant lots at the southwest corner of Ninth avenue and Fifty-eighth street be fenced in, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman McAvoy—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Henry Zingler to erect barber-pole northeast corner of One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street and Eighth avenue, the work done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Wells—

Resolved, That the sidewalk on the northerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, between Washington avenue and Railroad avenue, be flagged a space four feet wide where not heretofore flagged, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Levy—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Wells—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Patrick Burns to place and keep a canvas awning, with wooden frame, posts and roller, in front of his grocery store, situated on the northeasterly side of Kingsbridge road, about one hundred and fifty feet northwesterly from Bayard street, Fordham, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, the work done at his own expense ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Kirk—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Rapaport & Fisher to place and keep a show-window, 1 story high, 6 feet 2 inches wide, and extending outwardly 2 feet, in front of No. 7 William street, the work done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Fire Department ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman McAvoy—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Frederick Bruder to place a watering-trough in front of No. 1333 Eastern Boulevard, between Seventy-third and Seventy-fourth streets, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Keenan—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Hawes—

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

Section 1. That no areas, steps, court-yards, or other projections, except show-windows not exceeding eighteen inches in width, and signs not projecting more than twelve inches from the house line, shall hereafter be built, erected, or made upon Fourteenth street, between Broadway and Sixth avenue.

Sec. 2. That any person or persons who shall hereafter make, build, or erect any area, steps, stoop, court-yard, or other projection, in contravention of this ordinance, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall, in addition thereto, be liable for a penalty of ten dollars for such offense, and for ten dollars for each and every day that such offense shall continue.

Sec. 3. That all ordinances or resolutions or parts thereof, inconsistent with this ordinance, are hereby repealed.

Sec. 4. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Brady—

Resolved, That Daniel P. O'Connor be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Fleishbein—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to D. H. Behrens to place and keep an iron stairway on the outside of building No. 16 Second avenue, to be one story in height and not more than two feet eight inches wide, the work done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Fire Department; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Levy—

Resolved, That William B. Rankin and Henry Morgenthau be and they are hereby respectively appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York. Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Kirk—

Resolved, That Philip Farley be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York. Which was subsequently withdrawn by Alderman Kirk.

By Alderman Wells—

Resolved, That East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, between the westerly curb-line of north Third avenue and the easterly curb-line of Mott avenue, be regulated and graded, on the established grade; that the curb, gutter, and flag stones, where not on the established grade, be taken up and reset and relaid; that new curb, gutter, and flag stones, four feet wide, be set and laid where not heretofore set or laid, and that crosswalks be laid where not heretofore laid in said East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, and on each street and avenue intersecting the same, at or near their several intersections within said limits, and that a bridge be constructed to carry said East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street over the track of New York and Harlem Railroad, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By the same—

Resolved, That Patrick O'Hare be and he hereby is appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York. Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Kirk—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John T. Spencer & Co. to erect an ornamental iron post at the curb-line, to be used for a hitching-post for temporary travelers, in front of 141 Fulton street, the work 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.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman McAvoy—

Resolved, That the public drinking-hydrant on the southeast corner of Broadway and Forty-first street be removed to the northeast corner of Forty-first street and Seventh avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Charles A. Marsh to retain two sign-boards on the curb-line in front of No. 177 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Third avenue; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Duffy—

Resolved, That Daniel E. Henley be and is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York. Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Daniel H. Polten to erect an awning from curb to house, at No. 1441 Third avenue, the work done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Keenan—

Resolved, That James D. Carroll be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York. Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

(G. O. 278.)

By Alderman McClave—

Resolved, That the lamp-posts now within the stoop-line of the church in Madison avenue, northeast corner of Fifty-seventh street, be reset to the curb-line, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Henry Voelker to erect a barber pole in front of his premises, No. 390 Fourth avenue, the work to be done at his own expense; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Duffy—

Resolved, That One Hundred and Nineteenth street, between Second and Third avenues, be flagged a space four feet wide where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Hall—

Resolved, That Samuel Cardwell, Jr., be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York. Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That the resolution, approved April 11, 1882, permitting Adolph Kutroff to erect bay-windows on house corner of Madison avenue and Sixty-ninth street, be and is hereby amended by striking out the word "seven," before the word "feet," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Seventeen."

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Hawes—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Caswell, Massey & Co. to place and keep a show-window on the Twenty-fifth street front of the building on the northwest corner of Broadway and Twenty-fifth street; such bay-window not to exceed 10 feet 6 inches in width, 14 feet in height, and not to project outwardly from the building line more than 4 feet, as shown on the accompanying diagram; the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Fire Department; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Duffy—

Whereas, The elevated station at One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street and Eighth avenue is unable to afford the necessary accommodation to the people residing between that station and the station at One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street; be it therefore

Resolved, That the Manhattan Elevated R. R. Company be respectfully requested to erect a station at One Hundred and Thirtieth street and Eighth avenue, with as little delay as possible.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the same—

Resolved, That Croton-mains be laid in One Hundred and Fifteenth street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue, as provided in chapter 381, Laws of 1879.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman O'Neil—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John A. Hall to place and keep a barber-poll on the northeast corner of Centre and Hester streets; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Duffy—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, street-lamps lighted, and lamp-posts erected in One Hundred and Fifty-first street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Keenan—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Adolph Meyer to place and keep a meat-rack on the sidewalk, near the curb-stone, in front of No. 7 Goerck street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Brady—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to F. Gerken to place and keep a storm-door at the entrance to No. 618 Grand street, to be within the stoop-line; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 279.)

By Alderman McAvoy—

Resolved, That a lamp-post be erected and lamp lighted in front of the entrance to the Thirteenth Police Precinct Station-house, Delancey street, northwest corner of Attorney street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Fitzpatrick—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William Brady to place and keep a coal-box, to be not more than two feet six inches wide, three feet high and five feet long, on the sidewalk in front of No. 165 Madison street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Strack—

Resolved, That John J. Byrnes be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York. Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman McClave—

Resolved, That Nathaniel W. Wood be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York. Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the President—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Association of War Veterans of the First Regiment, N. Y. Volunteers, Col. Ward B. Burnett, in the war between the United States of America and the Republic of Mexico, in the years 1846, 1847, and 1848, to use the battle flags now in the Governor's room during the parade Decoration Day, May 30, 1882, the members of said association having borne the said flags to victory on the bloody fields of carnage and planted them on the dome of the Hall of the Montezumas in the City of Mexico; this permission being granted on condition that the President of said association, Jacob R. Riley, shall be personally responsible for the proper use of the flags and their safe return the day after the parade, and the Keeper of the City Hall is hereby authorized and directed to permit the use of the flags upon the conditions above named.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Kenney—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Myer Steigerwald to place and keep a meat-rack in front of his premises, No. 645 Second avenue; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Martin—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to M. Schneider to place and keep a barber's pole, to be not more than ten feet high and six inches in diameter, on the sidewalk near the curb-stone, in front of No. 234 Sixth avenue; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the President—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to H. B. Kirk & Co. to retain a storm-door within the stoop-line in Twenty-seventh street, 35 feet from the northeast corner of Broadway and Twenty-seventh street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 280.)

By Alderman Hawes—

AN ORDINANCE in regard to Show-cases and Stands.

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

Section 1. Section 282 of article XXX. of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances, approved December 31, 1880, is hereby amended by the addition of: "And no permit shall in any case be granted to place or maintain any show-case or stand on Fourteenth street, between Broadway and Sixth avenue"—so that said section, when so amended, shall read as follows:

Sec. 282. Nothing in this article shall be construed as in any case requiring the registrar of permits to grant such permits in the absence of objections, unless he shall, in his discretion, be satisfied that it is desirable and proper that the same should be granted; and no permit shall in any case be granted to place or maintain any show-case or stand on Fourteenth street, between Broadway and Sixth avenue.

Sec. 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby annulled, rescinded, and repealed.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Sec. 4. It shall be the duty of the Commissioner of Public Works to order and direct the removal forthwith of all show-cases and stands which are now or may be hereafter placed or continued contrary to the preceding provisions of this ordinance; and any person who shall neglect or refuse to comply with such instruction or order shall forfeit and pay, for every such offense, five dollars.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Finck—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Frederick Krieg to erect an iron post, not more than 3 inches in diameter and 10 feet high, surmounted by a sign oblong in shape, not more than 3 feet long and 20 inches wide at the widest part, on the sidewalk near the curb-stone, in front of No. 446 Broome street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Levy—

Resolved, That Julius G. Knuth be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York. Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Duffy—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in One Hundred and Sixth street, from Third to Fourth avenue, and in One Hundred and Eighth street, from Second to Third avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By the same—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the President—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to W. H. L. Jones & Co. to place and keep muslin signs, to extend across sidewalk from building No. 337½ Eighth avenue, the same to be 19 feet 2 inches in width, 33 inches in height, and 14 feet 1 inch above sidewalk, the work done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Roosevelt—

Whereas, More surface railroad tracks have been laid in Park row, and in Fourth avenue, from Fourteenth to Twenty-third streets, than seem to be necessary to accommodate the lines of horse cars, and such unnecessary tracks are an incumbrance to the streets, as well as in some instances a danger to life, and interfere with the proper use of such streets for other purposes ;

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel and the Commissioner of Public Works be requested to inform this Board what, if any, action can be taken by this Board to compel the removal of one of the tracks of surface railroads in Park row, and in Fourth avenue, from Fourteenth to Twenty-third street, so as to require all the railroads using those streets to run their cars on one and the same track.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the same—

AN ORDINANCE to amend section 385 of article XXXIX. of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of 1880.

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

Section 385. Article XXXIX., chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of 1880, is hereby amended by adding thereto, after the word "expedient," the following : "and every such driver shall pay for such license the sum of one dollar, and for every renewal thereof the sum of fifty cents, the same to expire one year from date ; and the Mayor shall have full power and authority to grant permits to drive such wagons to capable young men, between the ages of eighteen and twenty-one years, when it is satisfactorily shown to him that such applicant is the sole or chief support of aged or indigent parents or other relations," so that said section when so amended shall read as follows :

Sec. 385. The Mayor is hereby authorized to grant licenses, from time to time, to drivers of such express wagons as are herein mentioned as often as may be necessary, and to suspend and revoke the same whenever he may deem it expedient, and every such driver shall pay for such license the sum of one dollar, and for every renewal thereof the sum of fifty cents, the same to expire one year from date ; and the Mayor shall have full power and authority to grant permits to drive such wagons to capable young men, between the ages of eighteen and twenty-one years, when it is satisfactorily shown to him that such applicant is the sole or chief support of aged or indigent parents or other relations.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Wells—

Resolved, That a respectful message be sent to his Honor the Mayor, requesting the return of resolution and accompanying papers known as G. O. No. 233, being an ordinance for flagging Lexington avenue, between Ninety-sixth and Ninety-seventh streets.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

Subsequently the above paper was received from his Honor the Mayor, the vote by which it was adopted was, on motion of Alderman Wells, reconsidered, and the paper ordered on file.

REPORTS.

(G. O. 281.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of paving Lincoln avenue, from the Southern Boulevard to Third avenue, at One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. Your Committee has substituted the accompanying resolution and ordinance, marked "B," in place of those so referred, and recommend their adoption.

Resolved, That the roadway of Lincoln avenue, from a line five feet north and parallel with the northern curb-line of the Southern Boulevard to the eastern crosswalk of Third avenue, at East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, and in addition so much of the roadway of each intersection of Lincoln avenue with East One Hundred and Thirty-fourth, One Hundred and Thirty-fifth, One Hundred and Thirty-sixth, and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh streets as is included between the crosswalks thereon across said streets and the curb-lines of Lincoln avenue, and so much of the intersection of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and Lincoln avenue as lies between the eastern curb-line of said avenue and a line five feet easterly therefrom and parallel therewith, be paved with Belgian or trap-block pavement, under the direction of the Commissioners of Public Parks ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

JAMES L. WELLS,
FERDINAND LEVY,
MICHAEL DUFFY,
JOHN MCCLAVE,
PATRICK KEENAN, } Committee
on
Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 282.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of paving Courtland avenue, from Third avenue to One Hundred and Sixty-third street, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. Your Committee has substituted the accompanying resolution and ordinance marked "B," in place of those so referred, and recommend their adoption.

Resolved, That the roadway of Courtland avenue, from the crosswalk at Third avenue to the southern crosswalk at the intersection of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, and so much of the carriage-way of the intersections of East One Hundred and Forty-eighth, One Hundred and Forty-ninth, One Hundred and Fiftieth, One Hundred and Fifty-first, One Hundred and Fifty-second, One Hundred and Fifty-third, One Hundred and Fifty-fourth, and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth streets and Courtland avenue as is included between the crosswalks thereon across said streets and the curb-lines of said avenue, be paved with Belgian or trap-block pavement, under the direction of the Commissioners of Public Parks ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

JAMES L. WELLS,
FERDINAND LEVY,
MICHAEL DUFFY,
JOHN MCCLAVE,
PATRICK KEENAN, } Committee
on
Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 283.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of filling in the sunken lots on the west side of Willis avenue, twenty-five feet north of East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That the wet and sunken lots on the west side of Willis avenue, commencing 25 feet north of East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, and extending northerly about 125 feet, be filled in with good and wholesome earth, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

JAMES L. WELLS,
FERDINAND LEVY,
MICHAEL DUFFY,
JOHN MCCLAVE,
PATRICK KEENAN, } Committee
on
Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 284.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of fencing vacant lots on One Hundred and Twenty-third street, between First and Second avenues, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That the vacant lots on the north side of One Hundred and Twenty-third street, beginning about 125 feet west of First avenue and running west about 150 feet, be fenced in where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

JAMES L. WELLS,
FERDINAND LEVY,
MICHAEL DUFFY,
JOHN MCCLAVE,
PATRICK KEENAN, } Committee
on
Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 285.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of fencing vacant lots on One Hundred and Twenty-fifth and One Hundred and Twenty-sixth streets, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That the vacant lots on the north side of One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, and on the south side of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, distant on each of said streets about 200 feet, more or less, east of Sixth avenue, and extending easterly along each of said streets about 200 feet, more or less, be fenced in, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

JAMES L. WELLS,
FERDINAND LEVY,
MICHAEL DUFFY,
JOHN MCCLAVE,
PATRICK KEENAN, } Committee
on
Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 286.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of flagging, etc., Lexington avenue, from Ninety-sixth to Ninety-seventh street, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That the sidewalks of Lexington avenue, from north curb of Ninety-sixth street to south curb of Ninety-seventh street, be regulated, graded, curbed, and flagged a space four feet wide where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

JAMES L. WELLS,
FERDINAND LEVY,
MICHAEL DUFFY,
JOHN MCCLAVE,
PATRICK KEENAN, } Committee
on
Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 287.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., Eighty-second street, between Avenues A and B, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. Inasmuch as the resolution and ordinance referred was not prepared in due form, your Committee hereby report a resolution properly drawn, marked "A," and recommend that the said resolution and ordinance, marked "A," be adopted.

Resolved, That Eighty-second street, from the west curb of Avenue B to the east curb of Avenue A, be regulated, graded, curbed, and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

JAMES L. WELLS,
FERDINAND LEVY,
MICHAEL DUFFY,
JOHN MCCLAVE,
PATRICK KEENAN, } Committee
on
Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 288.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of placing an iron drinking fountain opposite No. 2172 Second avenue, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary, in order to afford a much needed accommodation to the public. They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That an improved iron drinking fountain (for man and beast) be placed on Second avenue, between One Hundred and Eleventh and One Hundred and Twelfth streets (opposite No. 2172), under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

JAMES L. WELLS,
FERDINAND LEVY,
MICHAEL DUFFY,
JOHN MCCLAVE,
PATRICK KEENAN, } Committee
on
Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 289.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the several resolutions in favor of lighting different streets in the upper part of the city, hereto annexed, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the streets named, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary in each case. They therefore recommend that the said resolutions be adopted.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street lamps lighted in Sixth street, from Lewis to the East river, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

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

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street-lamps lighted in Fourth street, from Lewis street to East river, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street-lamps lighted in Eighth street, from Lewis street to the East river, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street-lamps lighted in Third street, from Goerck street to East river, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

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

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street-lamps lighted on both sides of East One Hundred and Forty-second street, between Willis avenue and Brook avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Resolved, That an ornamental lamp-post and lamps, similar in all respects to the post and lamps now in front of the Cooper Union, be placed and lighted in Astor place, on the site from which the public urinal was recently removed, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

JAMES L. WELLS,
FERDINAND LEVY,
MICHAEL DUFFY,
JOHN MCCLAVE,
PATRICK KEENAN, } Committee
on
Public Works.

Which were laid over.

(G. O. 290.)

The Committee on Streets and Street Pavements, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of paving Eighty-seventh street, from First to Second avenue, with trap-block pavement, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That the roadway of Eighty-seventh street, from the westerly crosswalk of First avenue to the easterly crosswalk of Second avenue, be paved with trap-block pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

MICHAEL DUFFY,
JOHN H. SEAMAN,
W. P. KIRK, } Committee
on
Street Pavements.

Which was laid over.

The Committee on Fire and Building Departments, to whom were referred the annexed papers, being the consent of Amos R. Eno to the erection by John Moloy of a bay-window on house corner of Ninth avenue and Sixty-first street, with diagrams showing the dimensions of the proposed bay-window, respectfully

REPORT :

That, upon inquiry, your Committee find the owner of the property does not, as required by the ordinance, make written application for the permission signed by him personally; there is no verification of the consent given by Mr. Eno, either that he is owner of fifty feet front adjoining the lot upon which Mr. Moloy proposes to build, or that such consent was given voluntarily and without compensation. These omissions, under existing ordinances, are defects fatal to the measure, and until they are supplied, the Common Council cannot, without stultifying its own act, grant the right to construct the bay-window in question.

Your Committee, therefore, hereby report adversely to the proposition, ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject, and that the papers be placed on file.

DONALD McLEAN, } Committee on Fire
MICHAEL DUFFY, } and
THOMAS BRADY, } Building Departments.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with the recommendation of the Committee.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices respectfully recommend the adoption of the following resolutions :

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 expire at the time stated :

	Term Expires.
Charles S. Arthur, in place of Charles S. Arthur.....	April 15, 1882.
James W. McGowan, " James W. McGowan.....	" 15, "
John H. McCoy, " John H. McCoy.....	" 15, "
Pierre C. Talman, " Pierre C. Talman.....	" 8, "
William F. McCusker, " Lorenz Zeller.....	" 17, "
Hulbert Peck, " Hulbert Peck.....	" 13, "
William A. Fowler, " Charles M. Berrian.....	" 15, "
George M. Johnson, " Samuel G. Barnard.....	" 15, "
John M. Tierney, " Patrick Cleary.....	" 5, "
Daniel J. Hogan, " Thomas F. Carney.....	" 15, "
Philip Farley, " Charles F. Duryee.....	" 15, "
George Seeman, " Francis J. Gallagher.....	" 15, "
Joseph S. Michael, " Jacob Green.....	" 15, "
John Glass, Jr., " Frederick W. Harth.....	" 15, "
John D. Kinner, " Richard T. Harrison.....	" 15, "
John L. Branch, " Edward J. Knight.....	" 13, "
Frank Strobel, " William F. McCusker.....	" 15, "
Jacob Green, " Thomas D. Reilly.....	" 15, "
Joseph B. Reilly, " Joseph B. Reilly.....	" 15, "
Henry E. Mooney, " George J. Smith.....	" 8, "
Samuel Freeman, " Albert F. West.....	" 2, "
Daniel M. Donegan, " George W. White.....	" 17, "

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 and have failed to qualify :

Robert A. Lyon.....	in place of William H. Moloney.
Joseph F. Moss.....	" Elias Bach.
John M. Supple.....	" William J. McGee.
Benjamin W. Barlow.....	" Edward Brucks.

E. J. FITZPATRICK, } Committee on
J. W. HAWES, } Salaries and Offices.

The President moved to amend by correcting the name of "Robert A. Lyon," and inserting "Robert Lyon, Jr."

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fitzpatrick, Fleishbein, Hall, Hawes, Keenan, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McClave, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, and Wells—20.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Alderman McClave, by unanimous consent, called up veto message of his Honor the Mayor of resolution, as follows :

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Barrington Apartment Association to erect and maintain a portico and bay-windows on the building to be erected by the said association at Nos. 40 and 42 East Twenty-fifth street, as per annexed diagram.

The Board then, as provided in section 13 of chapter 335, Laws of 1873, proceeded to reconsider the same, and, upon a vote being taken thereon, was adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, as follows :

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fitzpatrick, Fleishbein, Hall, Hawes, Keenan, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McClave, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, and Wells—21.

Alderman Hawes, by unanimous consent, called up G. O. 126, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows :

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to cause the removal of the public urinal in Astor place, and to have the street repaired and restored to its former condition.

Alderman Hawes moved that the resolution be placed on file.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Alderman Brady, by unanimous consent, called up G. O. 241, being a resolution, as follows :

Resolved, That the lamp-post and lamp now in front of No. 188 be removed and placed in front of No. 186 Division street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fitzpatrick, Fleishbein, Hall, Hawes, Keenan, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McClave, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, and Wells—21.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS.

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

HEALTH DEPARTMENT, No. 301 MOTT STREET, }
NEW YORK, April 13, 1882. }

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Esq., Clerk Common Council :

SIR—At a meeting of this Board, held on the 11th inst., it was

Resolved, That copies of the reports of Sanitary Inspector M. Morris, upon the condition of One Hundred and Fourth street, between First and Second avenues, and One Hundred and Thirtieth street, between Second and Third avenues, be forwarded to the Honorable the Board of Aldermen, with the request that for sanitary reasons the requisite ordinances be adopted for the paving of said streets."

(A true copy.)

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

To the Board of Health of the Health Department :

I, Moreau Morris, holding the position of Sanitary Inspector in the Health Department in the City of New York, do report : That on the day of 1882, I did inspect carefully, and personally examined the street situated East One Hundred and Fourth street, from First to Second avenue, in the City of New York, and found the facts to be as follows : Said premises consist of a street, roadway of which Department of Public Works and Common Council are responsible, was found in a condition dangerous to life and detrimental to health, for the following reasons, viz. :

This street is unpaved, filled with large holes full of most offensive stagnant water, which cannot drain off, the gutters being obstructed. There are eighteen tenement-houses filled with tenants, beside several private dwellings, and of new tenements just being finished for occupancy. Much sickness has prevailed on both sides of this street among the tenantry, which has been aggravated, if not caused, by the terrible filthy condition of the street. It is impassable for loaded vehicles on account of the depth of the mud.

Recommend that the Department of Public Works be requested to cause the street to be paved as soon as possible (a previous complaint was forwarded in December last).

Dated March 10, 1882.

M. MORRIS, M. D., Sanitary Inspector.

Sworn to before me, this 13th }
day of March, 1882, }

J. R. GRISWOLD, Notary Public.

(A true copy.)

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

To the Board of Health of the Health Department :

I, Moreau Morris, holding the position of Sanitary Inspector in the Health Department in the City of New York, do report : That on the sixteenth day of February, 1882, I did inspect carefully, and personally examined the street situated on East One Hundred and Thirtieth street, between Second and Third avenue in the City of New York, and found the facts to be as follows : Said premises consist of a street of which Department of Public Works is responsible, was found in a condition dangerous to life and detrimental to health, for the following reasons, viz. :

The roadway of said street is unpaved, and in wet weather the mud is deep and becomes almost impassable. The dampness arising therefrom is a very unsanitary condition, causing malaria among the residents. Both sides of the street are built up principally with tenement dwellings. I understand a proper petition from property owners has been presented to the Common Council for paving this block, and would, therefore, recommend that its pavement be urged by the Department of Health as a positive sanitary necessity at as early a day as possible.

Dated February 16, 1882.

M. MORRIS, M. D., Sanitary Inspector.

Sworn to before me, this 20th }
day of February, 1882. }

J. R. GRISWOLD, Notary Public.

(A true copy.)

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

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

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, }
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 15, 1882. }

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

Weekly statement, showing the appropriations made under the authority contained in section 112, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, for carrying on the Common Council from January 1 to December 31, 1882, both days inclusive, and of the payments made up to and including the date hereof, for and on account of each appropriation.

Title of Appropriations.	Am't of Appropriations.	Payments.
City Contingencies.....	\$1,000 00	\$16 50
Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council.....	250 00	20 75
Salaries—Common Council.....	63,000 00	15,735 23

RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.

Which was ordered on file.

MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, April 18, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted April 11, 1882, giving permission to Louis Nicholas to erect a barber-pole in front of No. 49 West Thirty-first street, for the reason that it is intended to place this pole on the curb-stone.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Louis Nicholas to erect a barber-pole at curb-stone in front of his premises, No. 49 West Thirty-first street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, April 18, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted April 11, 1882, giving permission to Eliphalet Chapman to place a stand in front of No. 345 Third avenue, for the reason that it is intended to place this stand on the curb.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Eliphalet Chapman to place an adjustable table in front of his premises, No. 345 Third avenue, for the sale of papers, books, etc.; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, April 18, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted April 4, 1882, giving permission to Louis J. Jordan to remove an ornamental lamp-post from in front of No. 688 Broadway to No. 713 Broadway, for the reason that there is no ornamental lamp-post in front of No. 688 Broadway, but there is an unsightly wooden post on the curb, 24 inches in diameter, on the top of which there is a circular sign, and is considered an objectionable obstruction.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Louis J. Jordan to remove an ornamental lamp from in front of his premises, No. 688 Broadway, and to erect same in front of his new premises, No. 713 Broadway, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, April 18, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted April 11, 1882, giving permission to Everett P. Wheeler to erect bay-windows and porch on building corner of Park avenue and Seventy-first street, for the reason that the proposed extensions would be too great an encroachment on the public street.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Everett P. Wheeler to place on his house, on the northeast corner of Seventy-first street and Park avenue, the following bay-windows, to wit :

A bay-window on basement story of said building where the basement entrance now is, being 7 feet in width and extending beyond the front line of said house 4 feet, and being 9, 9 $\frac{3}{4}$ feet high above the level of the area.

Second—A bay-window immediately above the first and where the front entrance to said building now is, being of the same dimensions on the floor as the first and 13 feet 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches high.

Third—An enclosed porch on the Park avenue side where the bay-window now is, 13 feet 11 inches in width, parallel with the wall of said house, and extending 6 feet 10 inches westerly therefrom, and 23 feet 3 $\frac{1}{4}$ inches high above the foundation thereof.

Fourth—A bay-window immediately above the third hereinbefore described, and of the same size on the floor, and 11 feet 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches high.

Fifth—A bay-window immediately above the fourth of the same size on the floor, and 9 feet 4 inches high.

Sixth—A bay-window on the second floor of the extension proposed to be erected to said building, being 7 feet 10 inches in width, parallel to the westerly wall of said house, extending 3 feet and 8 inches from the same, and 12 feet high.

The work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Fire Department; such permission to continue during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, April 18, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted April 4, 1882, directing that every owner or proprietor of workshops, factories, etc., shall keep on each floor of their premises three or more ropes or chains to be used as fire-escapes, etc., for the reason that the authority for providing means of escape from buildings in case of fire rests with the Fire Department, and I am advised that your Honorable Body has no jurisdiction in the matter.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

AN ORDINANCE.

Section 1. Every owner or proprietor of workshops, factories, and all buildings where five or more persons are employed, shall be required to keep on each floor of their premises three or more ropes or chains of one hundred feet in length, and to keep them in a conspicuous place close by the windows on each floor, to be used as fire escapes in case of fire.

Sec. 2. For each and every violation of this ordinance, the proprietor or occupant of said building shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction shall be fined one hundred dollars for each offense.

Sec. 3. This ordinance to take effect immediately.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, April 18, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted April 4, 1882, giving permission to August Timm to place a watering-trough in front of No. 99 Hudson street, for the reason that there is a good pump on the corner of Hudson and Franklin streets. No. 99 Hudson street is next door to the corner of Franklin street.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to August Timm to place a watering-trough in front of No. 99 Hudson street, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, April 18, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted April 4, 1882, giving permission to Andrew J. White to erect bay-windows, etc., on house corner Fifth avenue and Sixty-sixth street, for the reason that the proposed extension would be too great an encroachment on the public street.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Andrew J. White to erect bay-windows on house to be erected on southeast corner of Fifth avenue and Sixty-sixth street ; one bay-window on Fifth avenue front, 10 feet wide, three stories high, to project 4 feet from house-line ; on Sixty-sixth street front, one bay-window, 21 feet wide, to project 3 feet 6 inches and four stories high ; one bay-window, 17 feet wide, to project 3 feet 6 inches, two stories high ; one bay-window, 15 feet wide, to project 3 feet 6 inches and four stories high, according to diagram annexed, the consent of the adjoining property-owners having been obtained, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Fire Department ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, April 18, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted April 11, 1882, giving permission to Edward Vints to erect a barber-pole in front of No. 100 West Twenty-eighth street, for the reason that it is intended to place this pole on the curb-stone.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Edward Vints to erect a barber-pole in front of premises No. 100 west Twenty-eighth street, the work done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, April 18, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted April 11, 1882, giving permission to Thaddeus Moriarty to retain a sign in front of No. 1 Fourth avenue, for the reason that signs suspended over the sidewalk are considered dangerous.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Thaddeus Moriarty to retain the wire banner sign now in front of No. 1 Fourth avenue ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, April 18, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted April 11, 1882, giving permission to Lord & Taylor to retain a banner sign, now displayed from the third story of their premises, No. 257 Grand street, for the reason that signs so placed are contrary to the provisions of the Corporation Ordinances.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Lord & Taylor to retain the banner sign now displayed from the third story of their premises, No. 257 Grand street ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, April 18, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted April 4, 1882, directing that a free drinking hydrant be erected at the southeast corner of Second avenue and Sixty-third street, for the reason that the appropriation for free drinking hydrants is nearly exhausted.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That a free public drinking hydrant, for man and beast, be erected at the southeast corner of Second avenue and Sixty-third street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, April 18, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted April 4, 1882, directing that a free drinking hydrant be erected in front of No. 646 West Thirty-fourth street, for the reason that there are already two drinking hydrants in this vicinity, and that the appropriation for hydrants will permit of very few additional ones being erected this year.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That a free iron drinking fountain (for man and beast) be placed in front of premises 646 West Thirty-fourth street, the same to be completed under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

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

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

By Alderman Martin—

Resolved, That H. H. Cahn, of No. 154 and 156 South Fifth avenue, and also all the business houses below Fourteenth street, excepting Broadway, be and they are hereby permitted to back their wagons and trucks across the walks in front of their stores and premises for the purposes of loading and unloading their goods ; such permission to be for sixty days.

Which was referred to the Committee on Law Department.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS RESUMED.

Alderman Strack called up G. O. 258, being a resolution, as follows :

Resolved, That two lamp-posts be erected, and a boulevard lamp placed and lighted on each, in front of the School of Our Lady of Sorrow, No. 213 Stanton street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fitzpatrick, Fleishbein, Hall, Hawes, Keenan, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McClave, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, and Wells—21.

Alderman Strack called up G. O. 276, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows :

Resolved, That One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, be paved with Belgian or trap-block pavement, and that at the several intersecting streets and avenues crosswalks be laid where not now laid, and relaid where those now laid are, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fitzpatrick, Fleishbein, Hall, Hawes, Keenan, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McClave, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, and Wells—21.

Alderman Finck called up G. O. 247, being a resolution, as follows :

Resolved, That a six-inch water-main be laid on Ward's Island, crossing the Harlem river, opposite One Hundred and Tenth street, or thereabouts, and encircling the buildings with the necessary number of hydrants to be used by the Department of Charities and Correction, for protection in case of fire, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fitzpatrick, Fleishbein, Hall, Hawes, Keenan, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McClave, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, and Strack—19.

Negative—Aldermen Keenan and Wells—2.

Alderman Finck called up G. O. 234, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows :

Resolved, That the vacant lots, Nos. 340 and 342 East One Hundred and Fourteenth street, be fenced in, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fitzpatrick, Fleishbein, Hall, Hawes, Keenan, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McClave, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, and Wells—21.

Alderman McLean called up G. O. 273, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows :

Resolved, That the vacant lots on the southwest corner of Lexington avenue and One Hundred and Eleventh street, being about 100 feet front on the avenue and about 25 feet front on the street, be fenced in, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fleishbein, Hall, Hawes, Keenan, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McClave, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, and Wells—20.

Alderman McLean called up G. O. 235, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows :

Resolved, That the vacant lots on the southwest corner of Sixth avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street be fenced in, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fleishbein, Hall, Hawes, Keenan, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McClave, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, and Wells—20.

Alderman Seaman called up G. O. 210, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows :

Resolved, That the four vacant lots on One Hundred and Twenty-third street, commencing one hundred and twenty feet west of First avenue, be fenced in, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fitzpatrick, Fleishbein, Hall, Hawes, Keenan, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McClave, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, and Wells—21.

Alderman Seaman called up veto message of his Honor the Mayor of resolution, as follows :

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to P. J. Mackeon to place and keep a white marble stepping-stone, not to be more than two feet six inches long, one foot six inches wide, and one foot three inches high, on the sidewalk near the curb-stone in front of his premises, No. 210 Sixth avenue ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The Board then, as provided in section 13 of chapter 335, Laws of 1873, proceeded to reconsider the same, and, upon a vote being taken thereon, was adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, as follows :

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fitzpatrick, Fleishbein, Hall, Keenan, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McClave, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, and Wells—20.

Negative—Alderman Hawes—1.

Alderman Hawes called up G. O. 268, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows :

Resolved, That East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, between the western curb-lines of St. Ann's and College avenues, be regulated and graded on the established grade ; that the curb, gutter, and flag stones be taken up and reset and relaid ; that new curb, gutter, and flag stones be laid where necessary, and not heretofore set or laid ; and also that an approach be graded in One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street on a uniform descent from the established grade of said street, at the westerly curb line of College avenue to the elevation of the floor of the eastern end of the bridge over the Mott Haven Canal, and that the curb, gutter, and flag stones on said street between the last-mentioned limits be taken up and preserved, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fitzpatrick, Fleishbein, Hall, Hawes, Keenan, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McClave, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, and Wells—20.

Alderman Hawes called up G. O. 270, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows :

Resolved, That East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, between the easterly curb-line of the Boston road and the westerly curb-line of Union avenue, be regulated and graded on the established grade ; that the curb, gutter, and flag stones be taken up and reset, and relaid where not on the established line or grade ; that new curb, gutter, and flag stones be laid where necessary and not heretofore laid, and that crosswalks be laid in said street where not heretofore laid at the several intersections with the avenues between said limits, and across each avenue at its intersections with said street, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fitzpatrick, Fleishbein, Hall, Hawes, Keenan, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McLean, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, and Wells—19.

Alderman Kirk called up veto message of his Honor the Mayor of resolution, as follows :

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Thomas J. Bushell to retain awning now in front of his premises, No. 604 Eighth avenue ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The Board then, as provided in section 13 of chapter 335, Laws of 1873, proceeded to reconsider the same, and, upon a vote being taken thereon, was adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, as follows :

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fitzpatrick, Fleishbein, Hall, Keenan, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McClave, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, and Wells—20.

Negative—Alderman Hawes—1.

Alderman Kirk called up veto message of his Honor the Mayor of ordinance, as follows :

AN ORDINANCE to amend article XXXV. of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of 1880, relating to the removal of snow and ice.

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

Section 1. Section 317 of article XXXV. of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of 1880 is hereby amended, and shall read as follows :

Sec. 317. Every owner, lessee, tenant, occupant, or person having charge of any building or lot of ground in the City of New York, shall within four hours after the fall of any snow, and within four hours after the forming of any ice on the sidewalk, in front of any such building or lot, remove, or cause the same to be removed, from such sidewalk, under the penalty of three dollars for every such neglect, to be paid by the said owner, lessee, tenant, occupant, or person having charge, severally and respectively ; but where said snow falls or ice forms between the hours of eight o'clock in the evening and five o'clock in the morning, this ordinance will be complied with by removing, or causing the same to be removed, before nine o'clock of the morning succeeding its fall or formation.

Sec. 2. Section 318 of article XXXV. of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of 1880 is hereby amended, and shall read as follows :

Sec. 318. In case the ice or snow on the sidewalk shall be so congealed that it cannot be removed without injury to the pavement, the owner, lessee, tenant, occupant, or person having charge of any building or lot of ground as aforesaid, shall, within the time specified in the last preceding section, cause the sidewalk opposite his, her, or their premises to be strewn with ashes or sand, under the penalty of one dollar, to be paid by the owner, lessee, tenant, occupant, or person having charge thereof, respectively.

Section 3. Section 319 of article XXXV. of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of 1880 is hereby amended, and shall read as follows :

Section 319. It shall be the duty of the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, immediately after every fall of snow, or the formation of ice on the crosswalks or in the culverts or gutters, forthwith to cause the same to be removed from the said crosswalks or gutters, and from the openings into said culverts, to the breadth of one foot, in the several wards respectively ; and the said crosswalks and gutters and openings into culverts shall be kept clean and free from obstructions.

Section 4. Sections 320, 321 and 322 of article XXXV. of chapter 8 of the said Revised Ordinances of 1880 are hereby repealed.

Sec. 5. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec. 6. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

The Board then, as provided in section 13 of chapter 335, Laws of 1873, proceeded to reconsider the same, and, upon a vote being taken thereon, was finally lost, as follows :

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fitzpatrick, Fleishbein, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, and McClave—11.

Negative—Aldermen Hall, Hawes, Keenan, McAvoy, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, and Wells—10.

Alderman Levy called up veto message of his Honor the Mayor of resolution, as follows :

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Joseph Stein to place and keep an emblematic sign (wooden monument) on the sidewalk in front of his place of business, No. 127 East Fourth street, provided such sign shall be no impediment or obstruction to the free use of the sidewalk by the public ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The Board then, as provided in section 13 of chapter 335, Laws of 1873, proceeded to reconsider the same, and, upon a vote being taken thereon, was adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, as follows :

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fitzpatrick, Fleishbein, Hall, Keenan, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McClave, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, and Wells—20.

Negative—Alderman Hawes—1.

Alderman Levy called up G. O. 255, being a resolution, as follows :

Resolved, That two lamp-posts be erected and boulevard lamps lighted in front of the Ludlow street entrance to the armory of the Eleventh Regiment, N. G. S. N. Y., over Essex Market, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fitzpatrick, Fleishbein, Hall, Hawes, Keenan, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McClave, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, and Wells—21.

Alderman McAvoy called up G. O. 256, being a resolution, as follows :

Resolved, That two lamp-posts be erected and two boulevard lamps placed thereon and lighted in front of each of the two entrances to the Church of St. Monica on the north side of Seventy-ninth street, east of First avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fitzpatrick, Fleishbein, Hall, Hawes, Keenan, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McClave, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, and Wells—21.

Alderman McAvoy called up G. O. 206, being a resolution, as follows :

Resolved, That a boulevard lamp be substituted for the lamp now in front of No. 348 East Fifty-eighth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fitzpatrick, Fleishbein, Hall, Hawes, Keenan, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McClave, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, and Wells—21.

Alderman Keenan called up G. O. 215, being a resolution, as follows :

Resolved, That a free drinking-hydrant (for man and beast) be placed on the northwest corner of Avenue A and Eighty-sixth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fitzpatrick, Fleishbein, Hall, Hawes, Keenan, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McClave, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, and Wells—21.

Alderman Keenan called up G. O. 237, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows :

Resolved, That One Hundred and Sixteenth street, from the west curb of Eighth avenue to the east curb of Ninth avenue, be regulated, graded, curb-stones set, with returns to house-line on New avenue, and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fitzpatrick, Fleishbein, Hall, Hawes, Keenan, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McClave, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, and Wells—20.

Alderman Wells called up G. O. 263, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows :

Resolved, That Lincoln avenue, between the northerly curb-line of the Southern Boulevard and the easterly curb-line of Third avenue, be regulated and graded on the established grade, that the flag and curb stones, where not on the established line or grade, be taken up and relaid and reset, and that new flag and curb stones be laid where necessary and not heretofore laid or set, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fitzpatrick, Fleishbein, Hall, Hawes, Keenan, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McClave, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, and Wells—21.

Alderman Wells called up G. O. 271, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows :

Resolved, That Clifton (formerly Cliff) street, between the easterly curb-line of St. Ann's avenue and the westerly curb-line of Union avenue, be regulated and graded on the established grade ; that the sidewalks on said streets, between said limits, be flagged a space four feet wide where not heretofore flagged ; that the curb and gutter stones be set where not heretofore set, and that crosswalks be laid where not heretofore laid in said street at the several intersections with the avenues,

between said limits, and across each avenue at its intersection with said street, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fitzpatrick, Fleishbein, Hall, Hawes, Keenan, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McClave, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, and Wells—21.

The President called up G. O. 246, being a resolution, as follows :

Resolved, That lamp-posts be erected and street-lamps lighted in One Hundred and Seventh street, from First to Second avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fitzpatrick, Fleishbein, Hall, Hawes, Keenan, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McClave, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, and Wells—21.

The President called up G. O. 229, being a resolution, as follows :

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

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fitzpatrick, Fleishbein, Hall, Hawes, Keenan, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McClave, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, and Wells—21.

Alderman McClave called up G. O. 277, being a resolution, as follows :

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of section 91, chapter 335, of the Laws of 1873, the Board of Police be and is hereby authorized to make the necessary alterations, fitting-up, and repairs to the building known as the Fifth Precinct Station House, No. 19 Leonard street, and to place the same in proper and safe condition, as required by the notice of the Bureau of Inspection of Buildings, the said work to be performed under the direction of the Board of Police, and without advertisement for estimates or contracting therefor.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fitzpatrick, Fleishbein, Hall, Hawes, Keenan, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McClave, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, and Wells—20.

Negative—Alderman Kirk—1.

Alderman McClave called up G. O. 219, being a resolution, as follows :

Resolved, That Croton water-mains be laid in East One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from Courtland avenue to Elton avenue, as provided in chapter 381 of the Laws of 1879.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fitzpatrick, Fleishbein, Hall, Hawes, Keenan, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McClave, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, and Wells—21.

Alderman Fleishbein called up veto message of his Honor the Mayor of resolution, as follows :

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Charles Lorenzen to place two oil-cloth signs against the awning-posts in front of his premises, No. 437 Ninth avenue ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The Board then, as provided in section 13 of chapter 335, Laws of 1873, proceeded to reconsider the same, and, upon a vote being taken thereon, was adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, as follows :

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fitzpatrick, Fleishbein, Hall, Keenan, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McClave, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, and Wells—20.

Negative—Alderman Hawes—1.

Alderman Fleishbein called up G. O. 274, being a resolution, as follows :

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

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fitzpatrick, Fleishbein, Hall, Hawes, Keenan, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McClave, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, and Wells—20.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Keenan moved that the Board do now adjourn.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Fleishbein, Keenan, Levy, McAvoy, and Strack—6.

Negative—Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fitzpatrick, Hall, Hawes, Kenney, Kirk, Martin, McClave, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, and Wells—14.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman O'Neil called up G. O. 275, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows :

Resolved, That the roadway of One Hundred and Fifth street, from the westerly crosswalk of Lexington avenue to the easterly crosswalk of Fourth avenue, be paved with Belgian pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fitzpatrick, Fleishbein, Hall, Hawes, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, and Wells—19.

Alderman O'Neil called up G. O. 257, being a resolution, as follows :

Resolved, That the Board of Commissioners governing the Department of Public Parks be and is hereby authorized and ordered to purchase, otherwise than by public letting, such amount of gravel as shall be necessary for repairing the roads and walks in several parks of the City of New York, not exceeding in value the sum of \$25,000.

Alderman Kirk moved that the resolution be referred to the Committee on Public Works.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fleishbein, Hawes, Keenan, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McLean, Seaman, Strack, and Wells—16.

Negative—Aldermen Fitzpatrick, Hall, O'Neil, and Roosevelt—4.

Alderman Roosevelt called up G. O. 134, being a resolution, as follows :

Resolved, That the streets west of Eighth avenue, from Sixtieth street to One Hundred and Ninth street (both included), be renumbered, commencing with number one at Eighth avenue, number one hundred at Ninth avenue, and so on to the Hudson river.

Alderman Roosevelt moved that the resolution be placed on file.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Alderman Roosevelt called up G. O. 67, being an ordinance, as follows :

AN ORDINANCE to compel owners of coaches, landaus, clarences, carriages, broughams, coupes, and cabs to have two lamps lighted on each vehicle when in the public streets of this city during night time.

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

Section 1. Every coach, landau, clarence, carriage, brougham, coupe, or cab, whether used by private owners or others, or specially licensed and used as public vehicles, shall, while in use in any public street, place, or highway, within the corporate limits of the City of New York, during the night time, or between dark in the evening and sunrise the next morning, have two lighted lamps, circular or square in form, with glass on front and outer side, fixed on a conspicuous part of every such vehicle.

Sec. 2. Every owner, driver, or occupant of any vehicle described in the first section of this ordinance who shall violate any of the provisions of the preceding section of this ordinance, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof, shall, in the discretion of the magistrate before whom such offender may be brought, be punished by a fine not exceeding ten dollars, or in default of the payment of such fine, by imprisonment not exceeding ten days.

Sec. 3. The Commissioners of Police are hereby required to rigidly enforce the provisions of this ordinance.

Sec. 4. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec. 5. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Aldermen Roosevelt offered the following as a substitute :
Resolved, That section 98 of article IV. of General Ordinances revised in 1880, be amended so as to read :

§ 98. That every hackney coach or cab which shall make use of any of the public hack-stands made or designated now or hereafter shall be marked and numbered as follows, to wit :

The number of the license of the owner thereof shall be painted in plain legible letters of at least two inches in length (and no other figure or device), in black paint, on the glass side of each lamp, in such a manner that the same may be distinctly seen at a distance of ten feet, whether said carriage or cab is standing or driving.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said substitute.

Which was decided in the negative.

Alderman Roosevelt moved that the general order be placed on file.

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

Which was decided in the negative.

The general order was then again laid over.

Whereupon Alderman Roosevelt asked and was given permission to withdraw the ordinance offered by him as a substitute.

He then, by unanimous consent, presented it as a separate resolution.

And it was referred to the Committee on Law Department.

Alderman Hall called up G. O. 262, being a resolution, as follows :

Resolved, That the free drinking-hydrant situated at the northeast corner of Thirty-seventh street and Second avenue, be removed to the northeast corner of Seventy-fourth street and the Eastern Boulevard, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fitzpatrick, Fleishbein, Hall, Hawes, Keenan, Kenney, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, and Wells—18.

Alderman Hall called up G. O. 248, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows :

Resolved, That the roadway of One Hundred and Fourteenth street, from the easterly crosswalk of First avenue to a line five feet west of and parallel with the west curb of Pleasant avenue, be paved with trap-block pavement, and that a crosswalk of three courses of blue stone be laid across said street, adjoining the easterly end of the above-described pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fitzpatrick, Fleishbein, Hall, Hawes, Keenan, Kenney, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, and Wells—19.

Alderman Brady called up G. O. 121, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows :

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street-lamps lighted in Anthony avenue (Slocum avenue), from East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street (Waverly street) to Ash street (Grove street), Mount Hope, Tremont, Twenty-fourth Ward ; the work to be done under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fitzpatrick, Fleishbein, Hall, Hawes, Keenan, Kenney, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, and Wells—19.

Alderman Brady called up G. O. 164, being a resolution, as follows :

Resolved, That Croton water-mains be laid in George street, from the Boston road to Union avenue, as provided in chapter 381 of the Laws of 1879.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fitzpatrick, Fleishbein, Hall, Hawes, Keenan, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, and Wells—20.

Alderman Duffy called up G. O. 225, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows :

Resolved, That the roadway of One Hundred and Fourteenth street, from the westerly crosswalk of First avenue to the easterly crosswalk of Second avenue, be paved with granite-block pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fitzpatrick, Fleishbein, Hall, Hawes, Keenan, Kenney, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, and Wells—19.

Alderman Duffy called up G. O. 265, being a resolution, as follows :

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street-lamps lighted on the east side of Fourth avenue, between One Hundred and Nineteenth and One Hundred and Twenty-second streets, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fitzpatrick, Fleishbein, Hall, Hawes, Keenan, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, and Wells—20.

Alderman Fitzpatrick called up G. O. 39, being a resolution, as follows :

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

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fitzpatrick, Fleishbein, Hall, Hawes, Keenan, Kenney, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, and Wells—18.

Alderman Kenney called up G. O. 213, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows :

Resolved, That the wet or sunken lots on the southeasterly corner of Adams and Columbia avenues (map of Belmont), Twenty-fourth Ward, be filled in with good and wholesome earth, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fitzpatrick, Fleishbein, Hall, Hawes, Keenan, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, and Wells—20.

Alderman Kenney called up veto message of his Honor the Mayor of resolution, as follows :

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Giovanni Demartini to place and keep a small fruit stand on curb in front of No. 71 Walker street, he having obtained the consent of the occupant of premises, the work done at his own expense ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The Board then, as provided in section 13 of chapter 335, Laws of 1873, proceeded to reconsider the same, and, upon a vote being taken thereon, was adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, as follows :

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fitzpatrick, Fleishbein, Hall, Keenan, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, and Wells—19.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Brady moved that the Board do now adjourn.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Keenan, Kirk, and McAvoy—5.

Negative—Aldermen Duffy, Finck, Fitzpatrick, Fleishbein, Hall, Hawes, Kenney, Levy, Martin, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, and Wells—15.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Martin called up veto message of his Honor the Mayor of resolution, as follows :

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to B. Peck & Co. to place and keep a sign-post, to be not more than nine feet high, on the sidewalk, near the curb-stone, in front of their place of business, No. 315 Eighth avenue ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The Board then, as provided in section 13 of chapter 335, Laws of 1873, proceeded to reconsider the same, and, upon a vote being taken thereon, was adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, as follows :

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fitzpatrick, Fleishbein, Hall, Keenan, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, and Wells—19.

Negative—Alderman Hawes—1.

Alderman Martin called up veto message of his Honor the Mayor of resolution, as follows :

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to George F. Slosson to place and keep an ornamental lamp-post and lamps on the southwest corner of Sixth avenue and Twenty-third street, the post not to exceed the dimensions prescribed by law, the work to be done and gas supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The Board then, as provided in section 13 of chapter 335, Laws of 1873, proceeded to reconsider the same, and, upon a vote being taken thereon, was adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, as follows :

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fitzpatrick, Fleishbein, Hall, Keenan, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Strack, and Wells—17.

Negative—Aldermen Hawes, McLean, and Seaman—3.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Keenan moved that the Board do now adjourn.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the President announced that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday next, the 25th instant, at 12 o'clock, M.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Counsel to the Corporation for the week ending April 15, 1882.

The Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York are defendants unless otherwise mentioned.

SCHEDULE "A."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED.

SUPREME COURT.

In re petition of José F. De Navarro to vacate assessment for flagging Eighty-first street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues ; confirmed January 7, 1882.

People, ex rel. Samuel Conover vs. The Board of Commissioners of the Department of Taxes and Assessments of the City of New York—Certiorari to review removal of relator from the office of Assessor in the Board of Assessors, Jan. 11, 1882.

People, ex rel. Edward North vs. The Board of Commissioners of the Department of Taxes and Assessments of the City of New York—Certiorari to review removal of relator from the office of Assessor in the Board of Assessors, Jan. 11, 1882.

People, ex rel. Edward S. Vanderpoel vs. The Board of Commissioners of the Department of Taxes and Assessments of the City of New York—Certiorari to review removal of relator, a regular Clerk in the Department of Taxes and Assessments.

In the matter of the petition of Wm. C. Havens and others for an award made to John Ziegler in the matter of opening One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and other streets in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, on Damage Map No. 427, \$3,514.

In the matter of the petition of Otto Eisele for an award made to Philip Lambert for damages in the matter of opening One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and other streets in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, on Damage Map No. 555, \$1,294.

People, ex rel. Richard Leary vs. The Board of Police Commissioners of the City of New York and the Mayor, Aldermen, etc., of the City of New York—Certiorari to review dismissal of relator, a patrolman, from the force, March 10, 1882.

SUPERIOR COURT.

William Bathgate { To recover back amount of alleged overcharge for assessment for regulating, etc., One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, from Third to St. Ann's avenue. \$14 98

James Bailey do do do 37 29

Lewis B. Brown do do do 289 80

John L. Burnett do do do 4 40

Mark Connolly do do do 20 72

John Dillon do do do 20 72

Andrew Duryea do do do 91 19

Chas. Drummond do do do 20 72

John Eckle do do do 20 72

Christian Ehman do do do 20 72

Christian Ehman, executor, etc., do do do 24 86

George Ellis do do do 103 60

Wm. Godwin do do do 20 72

John Gordon, administrator, do do do 41 86

George Gould do do do 41 44

Ellen Kallahan do do do 41 44

John McClain do do do 58 00

James McVay do do do 20 72

James Mangin do do do 20 72

Wm. Mooney do do do 16 16

Thomas Mulligan do do do 33 15

Patrick O'Brien do do do 24 86

Ellen J. Ord do do do 31 08

Publius V. Rogers do do do 53 87

Honora Roach do do do 24 86

Geo. H. Schram do do do 20 72

Catharine Spilker do do do 41 44

Henry Weston do do do 179 02

Winfield White do do do 33 15

Stephen Willow do do do 16 43

Charlotte Pembroke vs. The Mayor, etc., New York and David S. Arnott—Damages for alleged personal injuries received from falling over a flag-stone at crossing East Broadway and Pike street, December 12, 1881, \$10,000.

Thomas Sweeney—Balance of salary as crier of Court of Common Pleas, between March 15, 1880, and March 15, 1882, \$2,600.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Patrick Murray—To recover an award made to unknown owners in the matter of opening Westchester avenue on Damage Map No. 597, \$748.

BEFORE THE ASSESSMENT COMMISSION APPOINTED UNDER CHAPTER 550 OF THE LAWS OF 1880.

In re petition of George F. Betts for repayment of assessment for macadamizing Sixth avenue.

In re petition of James Vanderbilt for repayment of assessment for macadamizing Sixth avenue.

In re petition of David H. Gould for repayment of assessment for paving Seventh avenue, between One Hundred and Tenth and One Hundred and Fifty-fourth streets.

In re petition of Adeline Raynor for repayment of assessment for paving Seventh avenue, between One Hundred and Tenth and One Hundred and Fifty-fourth streets.

In re petition of David H. Gould for repayment of assessment for regulating and grading, etc., Seventh avenue.

In re petition of Adeline Raynor for repayment of assessment for regulating and grading, etc., Seventh avenue.

In re petition of Adeline Raynor for repayment of assessment for sewers in Seventh avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-first and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street.

SCHEDULE "B."

JUDGMENTS ENTERED AND ORDERS OF THE GENERAL AND SPECIAL TERMS.

Julius Frankel—Order entered discontinuing action without costs.

James Fitzgerald—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$2,848.93 by consent.

Isaac Henderon—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$93.25 by consent.

People, ex rel. Thomas H. Casey vs. H. O. Thompson—Order entered denying relator's motion for writ of mandamus.

Lavinia C. H. Dempsey—General Term order entered affirming judgment and order.

Matter James A. Deering, St. Nicholas avenue award—Order entered confirming referee's report.

Henry Wakeling and another—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$726.83 by consent.

Mayor etc. vs. Alexander Mason, et al (No. 2)—Judgment entered in favor of the city for \$1,862.08.

Thomas Hassett—Judgment entered in favor of the city, dismissing complaint, and for \$250.24 costs, etc.

William Schroeder—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$62.87.
Ann Reilly—Judgment entered in favor of the city on the verdict for \$116.95, costs, etc.
George Chesterman vs. England—Order entered directing Comptroller to pay the moneys over to Mary E. Timpson and Helen S. Schroeder or their attorney.
Henry R. Gifford vs. Edward Tynan—Order entered vacating stay and denying motion for injunction.
Stephen J. Cutter et al. executors.—Judgment of affirmance and for \$71.80 costs, etc., entered.
Matter Sarah Anna Goss, One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street award—Order entered confirming referee's report.

SCHEDULE "C."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED.

John O'Neill—Trial concluded; verdict for the city.
Shepherd's Fold of the Protestant Episcopal Church, etc.—Tried before J. F. Daly, J., and jury; verdict directed for the city.
William H. Wood—Trial commenced before Arnoux, J., and jury.
John Bell vs. Vanderbilt—Reference proceeded with.
People, ex rel. Amos R. Eno vs. Tax Commissioners, 1880—Reference proceeded with.
People ex rel. Amos R. Eno vs. Tax Commissioners, 1881—Reference proceeded with.
James Hunter—Trial commenced before Larremore, J., and jury; adjourned one week.
James H. Monroe—Trial commenced before Larremore, J., and jury; adjourned one week.
George Lewis—Plaintiff examined before trial.
Valeria Van Beil—Plaintiff examined before trial.

WM. C. WHITNEY, Counsel to the Corporation.

APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That the premises on the west side of Arthur street, Fordham, about 400 feet south of Pelham avenue, owned by Joseph McMahon, and known as lot A V on map of the Powell farm, be and they are hereby designated as and for a public pound, and that a pound master be appointed therefor and assigned thereto by the Mayor, without any compensation or salary to be paid by the corporation.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 4, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, April 10, 1882.

Whereas, It is of great importance to the people of this city that they should be furnished with cheap as well as rapid transit; and

Whereas, Except for a limited time, morning and evening, the rate of fare on the elevated railroads is so high that it practically excludes the laboring population of this city from the benefits intended to be conferred upon our whole people, when they surrendered, gratuitously, the invaluable franchises now used by these railroad companies; and

Whereas, It is self-evident that if the surface railroad companies can convey passengers from the City Hall to Harlem river at a uniform fare of five cents, and pay heavy dividends upon their investments, a like service, at a like rate, can profitably be rendered by the elevated roads; be it therefore

Resolved, That the Legislature of this State be and is hereby earnestly requested to pass the bill now pending providing for a uniform fare of five cents, and to furnish seats to all passengers, during all hours of the day, for any distance, on the elevated railroads in this city, and the members of the Legislature from this city are hereby specially requested to use every honorable means to secure the passage of said bill; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of the foregoing preamble and resolution be transmitted by the Clerk of this Board to the President of the Senate, the Speaker of the Assembly, and to each representative from this city in the State Legislature.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 4, 1882.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, April 10, 1882, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street-lamps lighted in Fordham Landing road, from the Fordham Heights Depot of the New York and Northern Railroad to Jerome avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 28, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, April 11, 1882.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Hamblen & Knowland to place and keep a storm-door at the entrance to No. 75 Chambers street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 4, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, April 11, 1882.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Adolf Kutroff to place and keep four bay-windows on the building about to be erected on the northeast corner of Madison avenue and Sixty-ninth street, each of such bay-windows to be seven feet wide, not more than ten feet high, and to project outwardly from the house-line not more than four feet, as shown on the accompanying diagram, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Fire Department; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 28, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, April 11, 1882.

Resolved, That permission be granted to Sarah R. Simmons, and she is hereby authorized to build on the Fifty-ninth street side of the extension proposed to be built to her house on the northwest corner of Lexington avenue and Fifty-ninth street in the City of New York a bay-window, extending sixteen feet five inches along Fifty-ninth street, and four feet out beyond the line of the present building, and three stories and basement high, such bay-window to be of octagon form and as to materials and workmanship to be in accordance with the building laws relating to the City of New York.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 4, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, April 11, 1882.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Louis Best to place and keep an ornamental lamp-post and lamps on the sidewalk near the curb-stone, in front of No. 108 West Eighteenth street, provided the post does not exceed the size prescribed by law, and that the work be done and gas supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 4, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, April 11, 1882.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Bernard Duffy to place and keep a storm-door at the entrance to No. 42 Cedar street, such storm-door to be within the stoop-line; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 4, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, April 11, 1882.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Frank Wirsley & Co. to substitute an ornamental lamp-post and lamps for the ordinary street lamp-post in Broadway, opposite the entrance to the Victoria Hotel, and to erect an additional ornamental lamp-post and lamps ten feet distant from the present city lamp-post; also to place two ornamental lamp-posts and lamps in front of the entrances on Fifth avenue, to the said Victoria Hotel, provided the said posts do not exceed the dimensions prescribed by law, and that the work be done and gas supplied 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, April 4, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, April 11, 1882.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works is hereby respectfully requested to repair the pavement in Ludlow street, between Houston and Stanton streets.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 4, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, April 11, 1882.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY

OF THE

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK.

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

ABSTRACT OF REGISTERS FROM SELF-RECORDING INSTRUMENTS

For the Week Ending April 8, 1882.

Barometer.

DATE.	APRIL.	7 A. M.		2 P. M.		9 P. M.		Mean for the Day.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.	
		Reduced to Freezing.	Time.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.		Reduced to Freezing.	Time.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.
Sunday,	2	29.872		29.710		29.904		29.829	30.178	12 P. M.	29.700	3 P. M.
Monday,	3	30.308		30.378		30.390		30.359	30.390	9 P. M.	30.178	0 A. M.
Tuesday,	4	30.254		30.014		29.950		30.072	30.378	0 A. M.	29.942	12 P. M.
Wednesday,	5	30.018		30.182		30.292		30.164	30.310	12 P. M.	29.942	0 A. M.
Thursday,	6	30.388		30.348		30.280		30.339	30.392	9 A. M.	30.212	12 P. M.
Friday,	7	30.018		29.864		29.848		29.910	30.212	0 A. M.	29.796	5 P. M.
Saturday,	8	30.000		29.978		29.948		29.975	30.012	9 A. M.	29.893	0 A. M.

Mean for the week..... 30.092 inches.
Maximum " at 9 A. M., April 6..... 30.392 "
Minimum " at 3 P. M., April 2..... 29.700 "
Range "692 "

Thermometers.

DATE.	APRIL.	7 A. M.		2 P. M.		9 P. M.		MEAN.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.		MAXIMUM.
		Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.		Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	
Sunday,	2	47	43	72	59	64	53	61.0	73	3 P. M.	60	3 P. M.	44
Monday,	3	39	36	48	42	41	38	42.7	38.7	4 P. M.	43	4 P. M.	37
Tuesday,	4	40	38	54	46	56	51	50.0	45.0	4 P. M.	51	4 P. M.	40
Wednesday,	5	48	46	46	42	43	40	45.7	42.7	0 A. M.	51	0 A. M.	42
Thursday,	6	39	37	41	38	40	38	40.0	37.6	0 A. M.	39	0 A. M.	39
Friday,	7	39	38	50	45	55	52	48.0	45.0	5 P. M.	53	7 P. M.	38
Saturday,	8	53	48	62	50	52	48	55.6	48.6	4 P. M.	55	4 P. M.	49

Mean for the week..... Dry Bulb. 49.0 degrees. Wet Bulb. 44.2 degrees.
Maximum for the week at 3 P. M., 2d..... 73. " at 3 P. M., 2d..... 60. "
Minimum " at 6 A. M., 3d..... 37. " at 6 A. M., 3d..... 35. "
Range " " 36. " 25. "

Wind.

DATE.	APRIL.	DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.			Distance for the Day.	FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.				
		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Max.	Time.
Sunday,	2	SW	W	NW	32	96	78	206	1	6	2	12 3/4	4 P. M.
Monday,	3	NE	SSE	SE	109	74	62	245	1	1 1/4	0	3	10 A. M.
Tuesday,	4	SW	SW	SW	75	84	88	247	1 1/4	4 1/2	2 1/4	5 1/4	3:30 P. M.
Wednesday,	5	NNE	ENE	ESE	65	77	44	186	0	1	0	4 1/4	11:30 A. M.
Thursday,	6	ENE	ESE	ESE	65	61	65	191	1/2	3/4	1/4	2	3:30 P. M.
Friday,	7	E	WSW	W	60	37	62	159	0	1 1/2	0	5 1/4	2:30 P. M.
Saturday,	8	NNE	N	SSW	49	67	39	155	2 1/4	1	0	5	9:20 A. M.

Distance traveled during the week..... 1,389 miles.
Maximum force " " 12 3/4 pounds.

DATE.	APRIL.	Hygrometer.			Clouds.			Rain and Snow.			
		FORCE OF VAPOR.			CLEAR, O. OVERCAST, 10.			DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES			
		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration.	Amount of Water.
Sunday,	2	.225	.327	.257	70	41	43	10 30 A. M.	11 A. M.	0.30	.03
Monday,	3	.173	.189	.190	72	56	74	.....	.....	.....	..
Tuesday,	4	.203	.206	.308	82	49	68	.....	.....	.....	..
Wednesday,	5	.284	.215	.208	85	69	75	2 A. M.	9:30 A. M.	7:30	.04
Thursday,	6	.194	.190	.203	81	74	82	7 P. M.	8 P. M.	1:00	.01
Friday,	7	.216	.234	.349	90	64	80	4:30 A. M.	7 A. M.	2:30	.01
Saturday,	8	.269	.202	.282	66	36	72	.....	.....	.....	..

Total amount of water for the week..... .09 inch

DANIEL DRAPER, PH. D., Director.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.

No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
WILLIAM R. GRACE, Mayor; WILLIAM M. IVINS, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

No. 1 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
GEORGE A. McDERMOTT, First Marshal.

Permit Bureau Office.

No. 13½ City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
HENRY WOLTMAN, Register.

Sealers and Inspectors of Weights and Measures.

No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
WILLIAM EYERS, Sealer First District; CHRISTOPHER BARRY, Sealer Second District; JOHN MURRAY, Inspector First District; JOSEPH SHANNON, Inspector Second District.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

No. 1 County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WM. PITT SHEARMAN, JOHN W. BARROW.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.

No. 8 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM SAUER, President Board of Aldermen.
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

City Library.

No. 12 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOS. J. O'CONNELL, Librarian.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HUBERT O. THOMPSON, Commissioner; FREDERICK H. HAMLIN, Deputy Commissioner.

Bureau of Water Register.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN H. CHAMBERS, Register.

Bureau of Incumbrances.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL, Superintendent.

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
STEPHEN MCCORMICK, Superintendent.

Bureau of Streets.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES J. MOONEY, Superintendent.

Engineer in Charge of Sewers.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
STEPHENSON TOWLE, Engineer in Charge.

Bureau of Chief Engineer.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ISAAC NEWTON, Chief Engineer.

Bureau of Street Improvements.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE A. JEREMIAH, Superintendent.

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS H. McAVOY, Superintendent.

Bureau of Water Purveyor.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
DANIEL O'REILLY, Water Purveyor.

Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.

MARTIN J. KEESSE, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

Nos. 19 and 20 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ALLAN CAMPBELL, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.

Auditing Bureau.

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

Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents.

No. 5 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ARTEMAS CADY, Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenues and of Markets.

No. 6 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS F. DeVOR, Collector of City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets.

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

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

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

Office of the City Paymaster.

Room 1, New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
MOOR FALLS, City Paymaster.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

Staat Zeitung Building, third floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM C. WHITNEY, Counsel to the Corporation; ANDREW T. CAMPBELL, Chief Clerk.

Office of the Public Administrator.

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

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
STEPHEN B. FRENCH, President; SETH C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk; JOHN J. O'BRIEN, Chief Bureau of Elections.

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.

No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 8:30 A. M. to 5:30 P. M.
THOMAS S. BRENNAN, President; GEORGE F. BRITTON, Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Headquarters.

Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.

JOHN J. GORMAN, President; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

Bureau of Chief of Department.

ELI BATES, Chief of Department.

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

Bureau of Fire Marshal.

GEORGE H. SHELTON, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

WM. P. ESTERBROOK, Inspector of Buildings.
Office hours, Headquarters and Bureaus, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 3 P. M.

Attorney to Department.

WM. L. FINDLEY, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street and No. 120 Broadway.

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent of Telegraph, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.

Repair Shops.

Nos. 128 and 130 West Third street.

JOHN McCABE, Chief of Battalion-in-Charge, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Hospital Stables.

No. 199 Chrystie street.
DIEDERICK G. GALE, Superintendent of Horses.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

No. 36 Union Square, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EDWARD P. BARKER, Secretary.

Civil and Topographical Office.

Arsenal, 64th street and 5th avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.
146th street and 3d avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN R. VOORHIS, President; JOHN T. CUMING, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS B. ASTEN, President; J. C. REED, Secretary.

Office Bureau Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes
No. _____

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

51 Chambers street, Rooms 10, 11 and 12, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JAMES S. COLEMAN, Commissioner; M. J. MORRISON, Chief Clerk.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, City Hall, Room No. 11½, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JOHN R. LYDECKER, Chairman; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

BOARD OF EXCISE.

Corner Bond street and Bowery, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

WILLIAM P. MITCHELL, President; ANTHONY HARTMAN, Chief Clerk; Counsel to Board, _____

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Nos. 3 and 4 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

PETER BOWE, Sheriff; JOEL O. STEVENS, Under Sheriff; ALEX. V. DAVIDSON, Order Arrest Clerk.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Register; J. FAIRFAX McLAUGHLIN, Deputy Register.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

No. 17 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

GEORGE CAULFIELD, Commissioner; ALFRED J. KEEGAN, Deputy Commissioner.

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

WILLIAM A. BUTLER, County Clerk; CHAS. S. BEARDSLEY, Deputy County Clerk.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

Second floor, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JOHN McKEON, District Attorney; HUGH DONNELLY, Chief Clerk.

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

And Bureau of Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.

No. 2 City Hall, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

THOMAS COSTIGAN, Supervisor; R. P. H. ABELL, Book-keeper.

CORONERS' OFFICE.

Nos. 13 and 15 Chatham street.

PHILIP MERKLE, THOMAS C. KNOX, GERSON N. HERRMAN, JOHN H. BRADY, Coroners; JOHN D. COUGHLIN, Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

SUPREME COURT.

Second floor, New County Court-house, 10½ A. M. to 3 P. M.

General Term, Room No. 9.

Special Term, Room No. 10.

Chambers, Room No. 11.

Circuit, Part I., Room No. 12.

Circuit, Part II., Room No. 13.

Circuit, Part III., Room No. 14.

Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 15.

NOAH DAVIS, Chief Justice; WILLIAM A. BUTLER, Clerk.

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.

JOHN SEDGWICK, Chief Judge; THOMAS BOESE, Chief Clerk.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD.

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 2d day of May, 1882, and until 4 o'clock P. M. on that day, for erecting one wing and two stairways to Grammar School-house No. 65, on Walker street, corner Locust and West Farms.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blanks for proposals, and all necessary information may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand, corner of Elm street.

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

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

Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, are required in all cases.

No proposal will be considered from persons whose character and antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful.

WARREN C. CRANE,

WM. H. GEER,

SAMUEL M. PURDY,

FREDERICK MEYER,

FREDERICK FOLZ,

Board of School Trustees, Twenty-fourth Ward.
Dated New York, April 17, 1882.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,

NEW YORK, April 7, 1882.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A petition of the property owners, with a map and plan for changing the grade of One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, from the Boulevard to the Hudson river, is now pending before the Common Council.

All persons interested in the above change of grade and having objections thereto, are requested to present the same in writing to the undersigned at his office on or before the 21st day of April, 1882.

The map showing the present and proposed grade can be seen at Room 7, 31 Chambers street.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,

Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,

NEW YORK, April 6, 1882.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder inclosed thereon, will be received at this office until Wednesday, April 19, 1882, at 12 o'clock M., at which hour and place they will be publicly opened by the Head of the Department and read, for the following:

No. 1. REGULATING AND GRADING Eighty-seventh street, from the west curb of Tenth avenue to the east curb of 11th Avenue, and setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks thereon.

No. 2. REGULATING AND GRADING One Hundred and Fifth street, from the west curb of Third avenue to the east curb of Fourth avenue, and setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks thereon.

No. 3. REGULATING AND GRADING First avenue, from the north curb of Ninety-second street to the south curb of One Hundred and Ninth street, and setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks thereon.

No. 4. SEWER in Front street, between Old slip and Cuyler's alley.

No. 5. SEWER in Ninety-fourth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

No. 6. SEWER in One Hundred and Twelfth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.

No. 7. SEWERS in One Hundred and Twentieth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues; in One Hundred and Twenty-first and One Hundred and Twenty-second streets, between Mount Morris and Sixth avenues; and in Mount Morris avenue, between One Hundred and Twentieth and One Hundred and Twenty-second streets.

No. 8. SEWER in Tenth avenue, east side, between Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth streets.

No. 9. SEWERS in West End avenue, formerly Eleventh avenue, between Seventy-sixth and Eighty-ninth streets; and in Eightieth street, between Boulevard and Riverside avenue.

Each estimate must contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact. That it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud. That no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation is directly or indirectly interested in the estimate or in the work to which it relates or in the profits thereof.

Each estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the same, that the several matters therein stated are true, and must be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, to the effect that if the contract is awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall refuse or neglect to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract shall be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested.

The consent last above mentioned must be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the national banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-book, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall neglect or refuse, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelope in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and further information desired, can be obtained for each class of work at the following offices: For Regulating and Grading, Room 5; Sewers, Room 8—No. 31 Chambers street.

The Commissioner of Public Works reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, if, in his judgment, the same may be for the best interests of the city.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,

Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,

117 AND 119 DUANE STREET,

NEW YORK, April 13, 1882.

WILLIAM KENNELLY, AUCTIONEER, will sell at public auction, at the Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway, on

TUESDAY, APRIL 25, 1882,

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

ON NORTH RIVER.

For and during the term of three years, from 1st May, 1882:

Lot 1. Pier at West Eleventh street, and Bulkhead extending easterly from southerly side thereof to west line of West street.

Lot 2. Pier at Gansevoort street (except reservation of the right to cancel the lease at any time during its existence, should the premises be required for the uses and purposes of a Public Market, erected in the vicinity thereof.)

Lot 3. Pier at West Fifty-fifth street. (These premises will not be repaired or dredged by the Department, and the purchaser of this lot will be required to take the premises in the condition in which they may be on 1st May, 1882.)

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, DRY GOODS, AND HARDWARE.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

- GROCERIES.
- 3,000 pounds Dairy Butter, sample on exhibition April 27, 1882.
 - 25,000 fresh Eggs (all to be candled).
 - 20 hhds. Molasses, to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.
 - 20 dozen Canned Peaches (3 lbs.).
 - 5,000 barrels good sound Irish Potatoes, to weigh 168 pounds net per barrel, to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.
 - 100 barrels Russia Turnips, to weigh 145 lbs. net per barrel.
 - 100 " Carrots, to weigh 135 lbs. net per barrel.
- DRY GOODS.
- 50,000 yards Brown Muslin.
 - 5,000 " Hickory Stripes.
 - 100 packs Pins.

- HARDWARE.
- 30 gross Teaspoons.
 - 2 dozen 2-foot Rules.
 - 12 " Padlocks.
 - 2 " "Gem" Springs.
 - 12 " Peg-awl Hafts.
 - 6 " Manure Forks.
 - 20 bundles Wire, No. 18.
 - 20 dozen Dust Brushes.

—or any part thereof, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., of Friday, the 28th day of April, 1882. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Dry Goods, and Hardware," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, and to accept any bid or estimate as a whole, or for any one or more articles included therein. No bid or estimate 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 a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, at such time and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Department; but the entire quantity will be required to be delivered on or before thirty (30) days after the date of the contract.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, in the penal amount of fifty (50) per cent. of the estimated amount of the contract.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect, that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the national banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but, if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to him or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and let as provided by law.

The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares, and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same respectively at the office of the said Department. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required, before making their estimates.

Bidders will state the prices for each article, by which the bids will be tested.

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate, in addition to inserting the same in figures.

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, issued on the completion of the contract, or from time to time, as the Commissioners may determine.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instruction of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction.

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, and to accept any bid or estimate as a whole, or for any one or more articles included therein. No bid or estimate 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 a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Department.

Dated New York, April 15, 1882.
THOMAS S. BRENNAN,
JACOB HESS,
HENRY H. PORTER,
Commissioners of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,
No. 32 CHAMBERS STREET,
New York, January 9, 1882.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE books of Annual Record of the assessed valuation of Real and Personal Estate of the City and County of New York for the year 1882, will be opened for inspection and revision, on and after Monday, January 9, 1882, and will remain open until the 30th day of April, 1882, inclusive, for the correction of errors and the equalization of the assessments of the aforesaid real and personal estate.

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

By order of the Board.
ALBERT STORER
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
36 UNION SQUARE,
New York, April 10, 1882.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the following-mentioned property of the Department of Public Parks will be sold at public auction on the Central Park, by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, on Saturday, the 22nd day of April, 1882.

The sale will commence at the Department stables in the Eighty-sixth street transverse road, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

- 11 Horses.
- 4 head of Cattle.
- 1 Light Wagon, without top.
- 1 Light Wagon, with top.
- 1 Top Phaeton.

OLD POLICE UNIFORMS.

- 44 Overcoats.
- 84 Frock Coats.
- 97 Rubber Coats.
- 109 Blouses.
- 159 pairs of Pants.
- 103 Hats.

OLD TOOLS AND MATERIALS.

- 14 Dirt Shovels.
- 7 Scoop Shovels.
- 4 Long Handle Shovels.
- 10 Spades.
- 7 Scuffle Hoes.
- 18 Scythes.
- 6 Sickles.
- 78 Lawn Rakes, wood.
- 70 Steel Rakes.
- 50 Steel Brooms.
- 1 Plough.
- 15 Wooden Wheelbarrows.
- 1 Hay Feed-Cutter.
- 14 Oil Barrels.
- 12 tons, estimated, Wrought Scrap Iron.
- 10 " " Cast " "
- 1 large lot Barrel Hoops.
- 1 lot Galvanized Iron Stable Fixtures.
- 2 Gould's Heaters.
- 1 lot of old Lumber.

TERMS OF SALE.

The purchase money to be paid in bankable funds at the time of sale or the property will be resold.

Purchasers will be required to remove their property from the Central Park within twenty-four hours after the sale.

Information in relation to the property to be sold may be obtained at the office of the Property Clerk, Arsenal Building, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, Central Park.

By order of the Department of Public Parks.
E. P. BARKER,
Secretary.

JURORS.

NOTICE IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,
New York, Sept. 15, 1881.

APPLICATIONS FOR EXEMPTIONS WILL BE heard here, from 10 to 3 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 if 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.

GEORGE CAULFIELD,
Commissioner of Jurors,
Room 17, New County Court-house.

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Twenty-second street, from Fourth avenue to Madison avenue, in the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of the costs, charges, and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 22nd day of April, 1882, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon. Notice is also given that the said bill of costs has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for public inspection for the space of ten days.

NEVIN W. BUTLER,
ISAAC T. SMITH,
AUGUSTUS J. REQUIER,
Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.
Dated New York, April 10, 1882.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Parks, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening, as a first-class street, of that certain continuous street or avenue known as Webster avenue, although not yet named by proper authority, extending from the eastern line of the New York and Harlem Railroad, at One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, to the northern line of One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, in the City of New York.

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

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections, in writing, duly verified, to Charles H. Haswell, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 29 Broadway, in the said city, on or before the eleventh day of May, 1882, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said eleventh day of May, 1882, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second.—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also 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 eighteenth day of May, 1882.

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces, or parcels of land situate, lying, and being in the City of New York, and contained within the following described area: Commencing on a line drawn parallel to the northerly end of Webster avenue (as now being opened) and one thousand feet northerly thereof at a point where said line would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to the westerly line of said Webster avenue, if extended, and five hundred feet westerly of the same; thence running southerly parallel to and distant five hundred feet westerly from the westerly line of Webster avenue (as now being opened) until it intersects a line drawn parallel to the northerly line of Third street, now called One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, and one thousand feet southerly of the same; thence easterly in a line parallel to and distant one thousand feet southerly from said northerly line of Third, now called One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, eleven hundred feet; thence northerly to a point on the northerly side of Fourth street, now called One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, which point is distant five hundred feet easterly of the easterly line of Webster avenue (as now being opened); thence still northerly parallel to and distant five hundred feet easterly of said easterly line of Webster avenue until it intersects a line drawn parallel to and distant one thousand feet northerly of the northerly end of Webster avenue (as now being opened); thence westerly parallel to and distant one thousand feet northerly of said northerly end of Webster avenue eleven hundred feet to the point or place of beginning, excepting therefrom all streets, roads, and avenues embraced within the foregoing description.

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 County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the twenty-fifth day of May, 1882, 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, April 3, 1882.
WILLIAM H. WICKHAM,
CHARLES H. HASWELL,
CLIFFORD A. H. BARTLETT,
Commissioners.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, from the easterly line or side of Second avenue to the westerly line or side of First avenue, in the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 25th day of April, 1882, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The extent and nature of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, from Second avenue to First avenue, being the following pieces or parcels of land, bound and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Second avenue, distant one hundred and ninety-nine feet ten inches (199.10) northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, thence easterly and parallel with said street six hundred and thirteen (613) feet to the westerly line of First avenue, thence northerly along said line sixty (60) feet, thence westerly six hundred and thirteen (613) feet to the easterly line of Second avenue, thence southerly along said line sixty (60) feet to the point or place of beginning; said street to be sixty (60) feet wide between the lines of First and Second avenues.

WILLIAM C. WHITNEY,
Counsel to the Corporation,
Tryon Row, N. Y. City
Dated New York, March 27, 1882.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of Sixty-fourth street, from Third avenue to the East river, in the City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved or

unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections, in writing, duly verified, to Joseph W. Meeks, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 82 Nassau street (Room No. 22), in the said city, on or before the 4th day of April, 1882, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 4th day of April, 1882, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at two o'clock P. M.

Second.—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works in the City of New York, there to remain until the 12th day of April, 1882.

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces, or parcels of land, lying and being within the following described area:

Beginning at a point on the easterly line or side of Fourth avenue, distant one hundred feet and five inches northerly from the point formed by the intersection of the northerly line or side of Sixty-fourth street with the easterly line or side of Fourth avenue, and running thence easterly and parallel with Sixty-fourth street to the Harbor Commissioner's bulkhead line on the East river; thence southerly along said Harbor Commissioner's line to the centre line of the block between Sixty-fourth and Sixty-third streets; and running thence westerly along said centre line to the easterly line of the Fourth avenue, and thence northerly along the easterly line of Fourth avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers of said court, in the County Court-house at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 19th day of April, 1882, 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, February 25, 1882.

JOSEPH W. MECKS,
EDMOND CONNOLLY,
LUKE F. COZANS,
Commissioners.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

THE INTEREST ON THE BONDS AND STOCKS of the City and County of New York, due May 1, 1882, will be paid on that day, by the Comptroller, at his office in the New County Court-house.

The Transfer books will be closed from March 31 to May 1, 1882.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
New York, March 21, 1882.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

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

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE (Room No. 39),
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
New York, April 14, 1882.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York, 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 39, for the following property now in his custody without claimants: Boats, rope, cotton, iron pig tin, horse blankets, trunks, bags and contents, fowling pieces, butter, cheese, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, sugar, coffee, and miscellaneous articles; also, several amounts of cash found and taken from prisoners by Patrolmen of this Department.

C. A. ST. JOHN,
Property Clerk.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
New York, September 23, 1881.

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

By order of
JOHN J. GORMAN, President.
CORNELIUS VAN COTT,
HENRY D. PURROY,
Commissioners.

CARL JUSSER,
Secretary.

ASSESSMENT COMMISSION.

THE COMMISSIONERS APPOINTED BY CHAPTER 550 of the Laws of 1880, to revise, vacate, or modify assessments for local improvements in the City of New York, give notice to all persons affected thereby that the notices required by the said act must be filed with the Comptroller of said city and a duplicate thereof with the Council to the Corporation, as follows:

As to all assessments confirmed subsequent to June 9, 1880, for local improvements theretofore completed, and as to any assessment for local improvements known as Morningside avenues, notices must be filed within two months after the dates upon which such assessments may be respectively confirmed.

The notice must specify the particular assessment complained of, the date of the confirmation of the same, the property affected thereby, and in a brief and concise manner the objections thereto, showing, or tending to show, that the assessment was unfair or unjust in respect to said real estate.

Dated, No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET, May 18, 1881.

EDWARD COOPER,
JOHN KELLY,
ALLAN CAMPBELL,
GEORGE H. ANDREWS,
DANIEL LORD, JR.,
Commissioners under the Act.

JAMES J. MARTIN,
Clerk.