

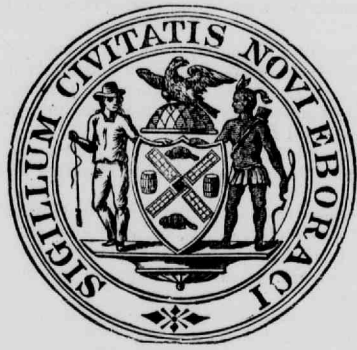
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DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

Report of the Commissioners.

To the Hon. EDWARD COOPER, Mayor, etc. :

SIR—Although nominally this report is for the quarter ending June 30, during which the corrections and reductions of valuations are completed, and the assessments for the year fixed and determined, it actually embraces and is a summary of the transactions of the department for the official year, which commences with the duties assigned by law for the first Monday in September, and terminates with the delivery to the Board of Supervisors of the certified assessment rolls on the first Monday in July.

ASSESSED VALUATIONS.

The assessed valuations of the real and personal estate in the City of New York, for the year 1880, as compared with those of 1879, are as follows :

Relative Value of the Real and Personal Estate in the City and County of New York, as Assessed for 1879 and 1880.

WARDS.	ASSESSMENT FOR 1879.	ASSESSMENT FOR 1880.	INCREASE.	DECREASE.
First.....	\$52,083,726	\$53,056,526	\$966,800	.....
Second.....	27,903,320	28,105,760	202,440	.....
Third.....	33,422,040	33,817,920	395,880	.....
Fourth.....	12,563,215	12,605,945	42,730	.....
Fifth.....	38,938,200	38,949,250	11,050	.....
Sixth.....	21,676,350	21,812,150	135,800	.....
Seventh.....	15,934,700	15,931,050	.....	\$3,650
Eighth.....	34,746,872	35,127,442	380,570	.....
Ninth.....	26,838,590	26,922,570	83,980	.....
Tenth.....	17,062,410	17,136,240	73,830	.....
Eleventh.....	15,789,620	15,834,470	44,850	.....
Twelfth.....	67,986,395	74,922,580	6,936,185	.....
Thirteenth.....	9,777,450	9,742,350	.....	35,100
Fourteenth.....	22,337,887	22,493,457	155,570	.....
Fifteenth.....	50,906,050	51,419,300	513,250	.....
Sixteenth.....	33,779,780	34,000,450	220,670	.....
Seventeenth.....	32,137,460	32,703,480	566,020	.....
Eighteenth.....	68,074,800	69,342,450	1,267,650	.....
Nineteenth.....	129,281,745	133,544,965	4,263,220	.....
Twentieth.....	38,308,050	38,591,150	283,100	.....
Twenty-first.....	75,664,300	76,623,800	959,500	.....
Twenty-second.....	70,307,720	71,986,340	1,678,620	.....
Twenty-third.....	13,255,850	13,478,300	222,450	.....
Twenty-fourth.....	9,351,250	9,423,685	72,435	.....
	\$918,134,380	\$942,571,690	\$24,437,310	\$38,750 00
Personal Estate.				
Resident.....	\$106,644,723	\$133,502,710	\$26,857,987	.....
Non-resident.....	11,207,262	12,089,720	882,458	.....
Shareholders of Banks.....	58,082,970	55,601,607	.....	\$2,481,362 91
	175,934,955	201,194,037	27,740,445	2,481,362 91
Total Real and Personal for 1879.....	\$1,094,069,335	For 1880.. \$1,143,765,727	Total Inc., \$52,216,505	Total Dec., \$2,520,112 91

Total Valuation for 1879.....	\$1,094,069,335 00	Total Increase.....	\$52,216,505 00
Total Valuation for 1880.....	1,143,765,727 09	Total Decrease.....	2,520,112 91
Increase in 1880.....	\$49,696,392 09	Net Increase.....	\$49,696,392 09

This table shows an increase in the valuation of real estate of \$24,437,310, and an increase in personal estate of \$25,259,082.09, making a total increase of \$49,696,392.09.

REAL ESTATE.

The assessed value of real estate was, for—

1879
\$918,134,380.

1880.
\$942,571,690.

The increase is \$24,437,310.

This increase in the assessed value of real estate is accounted for chiefly by the completion and erection of new buildings, by the improvement and alteration of others, by the advance in value of property in the upper portions of the city, and by the assessment of the poles and wires of telegraph companies.

The figures in the above tabular statement of taxable values show that the greatest increase has taken place in the upper wards, where, according to the new census returns, a large increase of population has been reported.

PERSONAL ESTATE.

The following table exhibits the assessments on personal property in the City of New York for the years 1878, 1879, and 1880 :

	1878.	1879.	1880.
Resident.....	\$119,619,355 00	\$106,644,723 00	\$133,502,710 00
Non-resident.....	12,733,400 00	11,207,262 00	12,089,720 00
Shareholders of Banks.....	65,179,320 00	58,082,970 00	55,601,607 09
Totals.....	\$197,532,075 00	\$175,934,955 00	\$201,194,037 09

NUMBER OF ASSESSMENTS.

The following table exhibits the number of names assessed for personal property, the number of applications for relief, the number proving to be non-liaible, and the number passed into the Receiver's books, for the years 1878, 1879, and 1880 :

	1878.	1879.	1880.
Names on rolls at opening.....	15,948	17,590	22,084
Applications for reduction.....	9,566	8,320	15,100
Erased, not liaible.....	5,462	6,112	7,320
Retained on Receiver's books.....	10,486	11,478	14,764

The number of banks and shareholders for the years 1878, 1879, and 1880, respectively, was as follows :

	1878.	1879.	1880.
Number of Banks.....	75	70	69
Number of shareholders on rolls at opening.....	24,979	24,570	22,108
Erased, not liaible.....	.....	.....	1,220
Retained on Receiver's books.....	24,979	24,570	20,883

The following table gives the value of the various kinds of personal property in 1879 and 1880, together with the decrease or increase in each case :

	1879.	1880.	INCREASE.	DECREASE.	NET INCREASE.
Insurance Companies.....	\$7,141,400 00	\$4,978,943 00	.....	\$2,162,457 00	.....
Trust Companies.....	614,931 00	690,410 00	\$75,479 00	.....	.....
Miscellaneous Corporations.....	11,283,451 00	15,229,941 00	3,946,490 00	.....	.....
Railroads.....	738,164 00	16,022,110 00	15,283,946 00	.....	.....
Resident.....	86,866,777 00	96,581,306 00	9,714,529 00	.....	.....
Non-resident.....	11,207,262 00	12,089,720 00	882,458 00	.....	.....
Total.....	\$117,851,985 00	\$145,592,430 00	\$29,902,902 00	\$2,162,457 00	.....
Shareholders of Banks.....	58,082,970 00	55,601,607 09	.....	2,481,362 91	.....
Total.....	\$175,934,955 00	\$201,194,037 09	\$29,902,902 00	\$4,643,819 91	\$25,259,082 09

The decrease in the assessment upon insurance companies may be explained by the fact of their changing their investments in part to government bonds, which are not taxable.

The assessments upon the shareholders of banks since 1873 have been as follows :

1873.....	\$77,650,395 00	1877.....	\$73,614,274 00
1874.....	74,897,570 00	1878.....	65,179,320 00
1875.....	73,390,989 00	1879.....	58,082,970 09
1876.....	85,145,116 00	1880.....	55,601,607 09

The sum assessed for 1880 is less than the assessment for 1879 by \$2,481,362.91, and is less than any year since the method of assessment provided by the act of 1866 was adopted.

This is exclusive of the real estate owned by the banks, which is assessed in common with other real estate ; in 1879 the real estate amounted to \$10,584,874 ; in 1880 it amounted to \$10,813,624 ; an increase of \$228,750.

There is also the sum of \$1,130,530 of the assessed value of bank shares included in the assessed value of personal property of individuals and corporations upon the Books of Annual Record of Assessed Valuations and Personal Estate. This transfer of names and amounts from the Books of Shareholders of Banks to the Books of Annual Record of Assessed Valuations of Personal Estate was caused by and made in pursuance of the law which provides that whenever a shareholder of a bank resides in the same town or ward where the bank is located, the value of his shares in said bank shall be included in the assessed value of his personal property. There have been but few individual instances of this nature, and most of the names and amounts transferred have been those of corporations.

Thus, while the apparent decrease in the assessed value of bank shares is \$2,481,362.91, the actual decrease is \$1,350,832.91.

This decrease is attributable to the decision of the United States Supreme Court, delivered by Justice Miller, in the case of "The People of the State of New York, ex rel Williams, plaintiff in error, against the assessors of the City of Albany," which made necessary a change in the method of assessment of the shareholders of banks. The Court held, in effect, that bank shares should be assessed subject to the same conditions and in like manner as other personal property. The books of this Department containing the names of the shareholders of banks and the amount and value of their stock were held open subject to inspection and all shareholders were afforded an opportunity to appear before the Commissioners to testify as to the amount of their indebtedness, and to be allowed the proper and necessary deduction. As a result of the conformity with the decision of the United States Supreme Court, and an act of the Legislature, passed subsequently and in pursuance thereof, placing State Banks upon an equality with National Banks, the assessed value of bank shares for 1880 has been reduced \$1,350,832.91 below the assessment of 1879, by the sworn statements of the shareholders who appeared before the Commissioners for personal examination as to their indebtedness.

Several writs of Certiorari, Protests, etc., have been served upon the Commissioners by various banks and other corporations, and the same have been transmitted to the Council to the Corporation for his consideration and legal action.

COMPARATIVE ASSESSED VALUATIONS.

The following table exhibits the total assessed valuation on real and personal estate for the years 1878, 1879, and 1880 :

	1878.	1879.	1880.
Real Estate.....	\$900,855,700 00	\$918,134,380 00	\$942,571,690 00
Resident Personal.....	119,619,355 00	106,644,723 00	133,502,710 00
Non-resident Personal.....	12,733,400 00	11,207,262 00	12,089,720 00
Shareholders of Banks.....	65,179,320 00	58,082,970 00	55,601,607 09
Total.....	\$1,098,387,775 00	\$1,094,069,335 00	\$1,143,765,727 09

ANNUAL EXEMPTIONS.

By the laws of this State, the personal property of every minister of the Gospel, or priest of any denomination, or the real estate of every such minister or priest, to the extent of \$1,500, is exempt from taxation. The amount of property exempted under these provisions, for 1880, is \$100,500.

ASSESSMENT UPON REAL ESTATE.

The number of pieces or plots of real estate upon the assessment rolls was, in 1878, 151,058; in 1879, 151,620; and in 1880, 152,400.

During the time the books were open, from the second Monday in January to the 30th day of April, to receive applications from parties considering themselves aggrieved by assessments upon their property, there were received, in 1878, 8,763 applications; and for a like time in 1879, there were received 10,900 applications; and during the same period in 1880, there were received 2,500 applications.

TOTAL NUMBER OF ASSESSMENTS.

	1878.	1879.	1880.
Number of Pieces of Real Estate.....	151,058	151,620	152,400
Number of Names on Personal Books.....	15,948	17,590	14,764
Number of Shareholders of Banks.....	24,979	24,570	20,888
Total Number of Assessments.....	191,985	193,780	188,052

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN WHEELER,
JOHN N. HAYWARD,
GEO. B. VANDERPOEL, } Commissioners
of Taxes
and Assessments.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Counsel to the Corporation for the week ending July 24, 1880.

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.

William M. Benedict et al. vs. the Mayor, etc., et al.—Received summons and notice for \$6,303.
Edwin M. Lewis et al. vs. the Mayor, etc., coal delivered by J. T. Barnard to the city; claim assigned to plaintiff, \$1,176, with interest.
The People, ex rel. the American Fire Insurance Co. vs. the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments and the Board of Aldermen—Writ of certiorari to review assessment for 1880.
The People, ex rel. the American Exchange Fire Insurance Co. vs. the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments and the Board of Aldermen—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. the Atlantic Mutual Insurance Co. vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. Richard Berry et al., stockholders of the Tradesmen's National Bank, vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. William A. Booth et al., stockholders of the Third National Bank of the City of New York, vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. Sarah E. S. Appleby, et al., stockholders of the Nassau Bank, vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. the Commercial Fire Insurance Co. vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. the Citizens' Insurance Co. vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
People, ex rel. Sylvester R. Comstock, et al., stockholders of the National Citizens' Bank of the City of New York, vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. Horace B. Claffin, et al., stockholders of the Fourth National Bank, vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. the City Fire Insurance Co. vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. the Clinton Fire Insurance Co. vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. Beverly C. Duer, et al., stockholders of the National Bank of the State of New York, vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. William A. Darling et al., stockholders of the Murray Hill National Bank, vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. Amos R. Eno, et al. vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. the Edison Electric Light Co. vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. the Empire City Fire Insurance Co. vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. the Exchange Fire Insurance Co. vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. the Eagle Fire Ins. Co., of New York, vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. the Firemen's Insurance Co. vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. Arthur B. Graves et al., stockholders of the St. Nicholas National Bank, of the City of New York, vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. the Globe Fire Insurance Co. vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. Charles F. Goodhue et al., stockholders of the Oriental Bank, vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. John S. Harberger et al., stockholders of the Manhattan Co. vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. Charles F. Hunter et al., stockholders of the People's Bank, vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. Richard Hamilton et al., stockholders of The Bowery National Bank, vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. the Howard Insurance Co. vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. William Hawes et al., stockholders of the Greenwich Bank, of the City of New York, vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. the Home Insurance Co. vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. the Importers' and Traders' Fire Insurance Co. vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. the Irving Insurance Co. vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. the Jefferson Insurance Company vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. the Knickerbocker Insurance Company vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. the Lennox Fire Insurance Company vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. the Law Telegraph Company vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. William McConachie et al., stockholders of the American Exchange National Bank, vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. William H. Macy et al., stockholders of the Leather Manufacturers' National Bank of New York, vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. George Montague et al., stockholders of the Seventh Ward National Bank, vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. the Mercantile Fire Insurance Company vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. the New York and Boston Insurance Company vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. the New York Life Insurance Company vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. the New York Floating Elevator Company vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. the National Fire Insurance Company vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. Isaac Odell et al., stockholders in the Mercantile National Bank of the City of New York, vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. George H. Potts et al., stockholders in the National Park Bank, vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. George W. Perkins et al., stockholders in the Hanover National Bank, vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. Francis A. Palmer et al., stockholders in the National Broadway Bank, vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. the Pacific Fire Insurance Company vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. Theodore Rogers et al., stockholders in the Bank of the Metropolis, vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. the Relief Fire Insurance Company vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. Benjamin B. Sherman et al., stockholders in the Mechanics' National Bank of the City of New York, vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. Andrew V. Stout et al., stockholders in the National Shoe and Leather Bank, vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.

The People, ex rel. Edward I. Kilbin et al., stockholders in the Central National Bank, vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. the Stuyvesant Insurance Co. vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. the Star Fire Insurance Co. vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. the Saint Nicholas Insurance Co. vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. William A. Thompson et al., stockholders in the Merchants' Exchange National Bank of the City of New York, vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. the United States Trust Co. of New York vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. the United States Fire Insurance Co. vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. Jacob D. Vermilye et al., stockholders in the Merchants' National Bank of the City of New York, vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. George G. Williams et al., stockholders in the Chemical National Bank of New York, vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. the Western Union Telegraph Co. vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. James Yereance, Receiver of the Safeguard Fire Insurance Co., vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
In the matter of the petition of Sophie E. Minton, to vacate assessment for underground drains, between Sixty-second and Sixty-ninth streets, Boulevard and Hudson river.
In the matter of the petition of Anna H. Bacon and Mary M. Hawes, to vacate an assessment for One Hundredth and Sixth street outlet sewer, with branches in First, Second, Third, and Fourth avenues, between Harlem river and Fifth avenue.
In the matter of the petition of Anna H. Bacon and Mary M. Hawes, to vacate an assessment for underground sewers from Ninety-second street to One Hundred and Sixth street, between Third avenue and Harlem river.
In the matter of the petition of Anna H. Bacon and Mary M. Hawes, to vacate an assessment for sewers in Ninety-fifth and Ninety-eighth streets, between First and Third avenues, and in First avenue, with branches, between Ninety-fifth and One Hundredth streets.
Thomas W. Relyea—Salary as a member of the Fire Department from April 13, 1880, to 7th day of May, 1880, \$100 and interest.
In the matter of the petition of C. M. Wing, to vacate an assessment for paving Twenty-fourth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.
The People, ex rel. Philip L. Mayer vs. John Kelly, Comptroller, and A. S. Cady, Clerk of Arrears (No. 11)—Motion for mandamus requiring Comptroller to furnish a bill of arrears of taxes for 1870, and receive amount and give receipt.
The People, ex rel. Philip L. Mayer vs. John Kelly, Comptroller, and A. S. Cady, Clerk of Arrears (No. 10.)—Taxes of 1859, 1860.
The People, ex rel. Philip L. Mayer vs. John Kelly, Comptroller, and A. S. Cady, Clerk of Arrears (No. 9.)—Taxes of 1856, 1857, 1858.
The People, ex rel. Philip L. Mayer vs. John Kelly, Comptroller, and A. S. Cady, Clerk of Arrears (No. 6.)—Taxes 1844, 1845, 1846.
In the matter of the petition of Samuel A. Besson et al., to vacate certain sales for unpaid assessments.
In the matter of the petition of George Dudley, to vacate assessment for One Hundred and Tenth street outlet sewer, between Fifth avenue and Harlem river, with branches.
In the matter of the petition of Julius A. Candee, to vacate assessment for One Hundred and Tenth street outlet sewer, between Fifth avenue and the Harlem river, with branches.
In the matter of the petition of Caleb D. Gildersleeve, to vacate assessment for One Hundred and Fourth street sewer, between Fourth and Fifth avenues.
In the matter of the petition of Stephen H. Thayer, to vacate an assessment for Third avenue sewer, Ninety-third to One Hundred and Seventh street.
In the matter of the petition of Bernard Cohen, to vacate an assessment for outlet sewer in Manhattan street to Hudson river.
In the matter of the petition of J. Watts De Peyster, to vacate an assessment for outlet sewer in Manhattan street to Hudson river.
In the matter of the petition of Frederick De Peyster, to vacate an assessment for outlet sewer in Manhattan street to Hudson river.
In the matter of the petition of George Dudley, to vacate an assessment for outlet sewer in Manhattan street to Hudson river.
In re petition of John H. Watson, to vacate an assessment for outlet sewer in Manhattan street to Hudson river.
In the matter of the petition of George A. Treacy, to vacate assessment for Eightieth street outlet sewer, between Hudson river and road.
The People, ex rel. the Hoffman Fire Insurance Company vs. the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments and the Board of Aldermen—Writ of certiorari to review assessment for 1880.
The People, ex rel. the Manufacturers' and Builders' Fire Insurance Company vs. the same—Writ of certiorari to review assessment for 1880.
The People, ex rel. the Lorillard Insurance Company vs. the same—Writ of certiorari to review assessment for 1880.
The People, ex rel. the People's Fire Insurance Company vs. the same—Writ of certiorari to review assessment for 1880.
The People, ex rel. the Mechanics' and Traders' Fire Insurance Company vs. the same—Writ of certiorari to review assessment for 1880.
The People, ex rel. the Broadway Insurance Company vs. the same—Writ of certiorari to review assessment for 1880.
The People, ex rel. the North River Insurance Company vs. the same—Writ of certiorari to review assessment for 1880.
The People, ex rel. the New York and Staten Island Steamboat Co. vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. the Park Fire Insurance Co. vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. the Republic Fire Insurance Co. vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. the Traders' Fire Insurance Co. vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. the Commercial Mutual Insurance Co. vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. the Pacific Mutual Insurance Co. vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. Robert Lenox Kennedy et al., stockholders in the National Bank of Commerce in New York, vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. William B. Leonard et al., stockholders in the Bank of North America, vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. George W. Quintard et al., stockholders in the Eleventh Ward Bank, vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. Christian Schwarzwaelder et al., stockholders in the Germania Bank, vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. Ambrose Snow et al., stockholders in the Marine National Bank, vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. John Parker et al., stockholders in the Phenix National Bank, of the City of New York, vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. Edwin B. Collins, et al., stockholders in the Butchers' and Drovers Bank, vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. John Castree et al., stockholders in the Irving National Bank, vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. William A. Falls et al., stockholders in the Corn Exchange Bank, vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
The People, ex rel. Samuel C. Thompson et al., stockholders in the Chase National Bank, vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.
In the matter of the petition of Roger Monahan, to vacate an assessment for sewer in Seventh avenue between Greenwich avenue and Fifty-ninth street.
In the matter of the petition of Franklyn A. Paddock, to vacate an assessment for Seventh avenue sewers, One Hundred and Twenty-first to One Hundred and Thirty-seventh streets, with branches.
In the matter of the petition of Joseph Honig, to vacate an assessment for One Hundred and Eighth street sewer, between Third and Fifth avenues, with branches.
In the matter of the petition of William H. Gebhard, to vacate same assessment.
In the matter of the petition of Joseph Honig, to vacate an assessment for One Hundred and Sixth street outlet sewer, between Harlem river and Fifth avenue.
In the matter of the petition of William H. Gebhard, to vacate same assessment.
In the matter of the petition of Fernando Wood, to vacate an assessment for Sixty-first and Sixty-second street sewer, between Boulevard and Ninth avenue.
In the matter of the petition of Charles A. Crow et al., to vacate assessment for Third avenue paving, etc., north of One Hundred and Sixty-third street.
In the matter of Douglas Campbell et al., to vacate an assessment for One Hundred and Forty-second street outlet sewer between Boulevard and Hudson river.
In the matter of the petition of Joseph Bell, to vacate same assessment.
In the matter of the petition of John H. Watson, to vacate an assessment for Ninety-fifth and Ninety-eighth streets sewers, between First and Third avenues, with branches.
In the matter of the petition of John Davidson, to vacate an assessment for One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street sewer, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.
In the matter of the petition of Franklyn A. Paddock, to vacate same assessment.
In the matter of the petition of George Dudley, to vacate the same assessment.
In the matter of the petition of Margaret A. S. Kitchel, to vacate an assessment for Ninety-sixth street outlet sewer, Tenth avenue to Hudson river.
In the matter of the petition of Samuel G. Jelliffe, as assignee, to vacate an assessment for Sixty-eighth street sewer, between Boulevard and Tenth avenue.

In the matter of the petition of J. Watts De Peyster, to vacate an assessment for Eighth avenue sewer, between Eighty-fifth and Ninety-second streets, with branches.

In the matter of the petition of Charles G. Havens, to vacate same assessment.

In the matter of the petition of Samuel G. Jelliffe, assignee, etc., to vacate an assessment for Sixty-sixth street outlet sewer, between Tenth avenue and Hudson river.

In the matter of the petition of Stephen H. Thayer, to vacate assessment for Ninety-fourth street sewer, between Third and Fourth avenues.

The People, ex rel. the Atlantic and Pacific Telegraph Co. vs. the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments and the Board of Aldermen—Writ of certiorari to review assessment for 1880.

The People, ex rel. Robert Bayles et al., stockholders of Market National Bank, vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.

The People, ex rel. John M. Pinkney vs. the same—Writ of certiorari to review assessment upon real estate for 1880.

The People, ex rel. the N. Y. Equitable Fire Insurance Co. vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.

The People, ex rel. William L. Jenkins et al., stockholders of the Bank of America, vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.

The People, ex rel. the New York and Elevated Railroad Co. vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.

The People, ex rel. the Sixth Avenue Railroad Co. vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.

The People, ex rel. the Metropolitan Elevated Railway vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.

The People, ex rel. the Manhattan Railway Co. vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.

The People, ex rel. the American District Telegraph Co. vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.

The People, ex rel. the Metropolitan Steamship Co. vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.

The People, ex rel. the Etna Insurance Co. vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.

The People, ex rel. the Lamar Fire Insurance Co. vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.

The People, ex rel. the Columbia Fire Insurance Co. vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.

The People, ex rel. the Hope Fire Insurance Co. vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.

The People, ex rel. the Merchants' Insurance Co. vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.

The People, ex rel. the Rutgers Fire Insurance Co. vs. the same—Writ of certiorari.

John Donar vs. Edward McCabe, policeman—Damages, \$5,000; Kings County.

In the matter of the petition of Lawson N. Fuller, to vacate an assessment for sewers in One Hundred and Fifty-second street, between Tenth avenue and Boulevard.

In the matter of the petition of George S. Hamilton and the Citizen's Insurance Co., to vacate assessment for regulating and grading Ninth avenue, between Eighty-third and Ninety-second streets.

In the matter of the petition of Isaias Meyer, to vacate same assessment.

In the matter of the petition of A. M. Davies and Rowland Davies, to vacate an assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging Eighth avenue, Fifty-ninth to One Hundred and Twenty-second street.

William S. Washburn and Charles N. Washburn vs. the Mayor, etc., et al.—Received summons and notice for \$6,303.

In the matter of the petition of the International Bank, to vacate an assessment for outlet sewer in One Hundred and Sixth street, from Harlem river to Fifth avenue.

In the matter of the petition of Charles L. Cornish, trustee, to vacate an assessment for outlet sewer in One Hundred and Sixth street, from Harlem river to Fifth avenue.

In the matter of the petition of Frank R. Haughton, to vacate an assessment for outlet sewer in One Hundred and Sixth street, from Harlem river to Fifth avenue.

In the matter of the petition of Daniel McL. Quackenbush, to vacate an assessment for outlet sewer in One Hundred and Sixth street, from Harlem river to Fifth avenue.

In the matter of the petition of Frank R. Haughton, to vacate an assessment for sewer in Third avenue, between Ninety-third and One Hundred and Seventh streets.

In the matter of the petition of Thomas L. Sturges, to vacate an assessment for a sewer in Avenue B, between Eighty-sixth and Eighty-seventh streets.

In the matter of the petition of Orsmer Hollister, to vacate an assessment for sewer in Avenue A, between Eighty-ninth and Ninety-second streets.

In the matter of the petition of Daniel McL. Quackenbush, to vacate an assessment for a sewer in Third avenue, between Ninety-third and One Hundred and Seventh streets.

In the matter of the petition of Herbert R. Houghton, to vacate an assessment for a sewer in Third avenue, between Ninety-third and One Hundred and Seventh streets.

In the matter of the petition of Luke Clark to vacate an assessment for sewer in First avenue, between Ninety-second and One Hundred and Tenth streets, and in Second avenue, etc.

In the matter of the petition of Charles L. Cornish, trustee, to vacate an assessment for sewer in Ninety-fifth and Ninety-eighth streets, between First and Third avenues.

In the matter of the petition of Stephen M. Ostrander, assignee in bankruptcy of Arnold H. Wagner, to vacate an assessment for sewer in Eleventh avenue, between Sixty-sixth and Seventy-sixth streets, with branches.

In the matter of the petition of Louisa F. Del Castro, to vacate an assessment for sewer in Tenth avenue, between One Hundred and Sixteenth street and Manhattan street.

In the matter of the petition of Isaac Mehrbach, to vacate an assessment for Second avenue sewer, between One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street and Harlem river.

The People, ex rel. Thomas F. Kerns vs. the Board of Police—To show cause why peremptory writ of mandamus should not issue to reinstate relator.

In the matter of the petition of Frederick De Peyster to vacate assessment for Tenth avenue sewer, Seventy-seventh street to Eighty-first street, with branches.

The People, ex rel. Babette Stemmler vs. Kelly, Comptroller—Received affidavit and order to show cause why peremptory mandamus should not issue to compel Comptroller to audit claim of relator for salary of J. A. Stemmler, Justice Seventh District Court, 1870, 1871, 1872, 1873, as provided in an act entitled "an act for the relief of Babette Stemmler," passed June 26, 1880.

In the matter of the petition of the Trustees of the Academy of the Sacred Heart, to vacate an assessment for outlet sewer, from end of present sewer in Manhattan street, to and through One Hundred and Thirtieth street, etc. (No. 2).

In re. the same, to vacate an assessment for sewers in Manhattan street, between St. Nicholas and Twelfth avenues (amended No. 1).

In the matter of the petition of William Kehoe, to vacate an assessment for (1) paving Lawrence street, Ninth avenue to Boulevard; (2) for flagging both sides of Lawrence street, from One Hundred and Twenty-sixth to One Hundred and Twenty-ninth streets.

In the matter of Anna M. Borst, administratrix, etc., to vacate same assessment.

In the matter of petition of Eleanor A. Petit, to vacate same assessment.

In the matter of petition of Teresa Garleim, executrix, etc., to vacate same assessment.

In the matter of petition of Anthony Liebler, to vacate same assessment.

In the matter of the petition of Esther Sullivan, to vacate same assessment.

In the matter of the petition of the Trustees of the Academy of the Sacred Heart, to vacate the same assessment.

The People ex rel. the Howard Insurance Co. vs. The Board of Aldermen—Mandamus to compel respondent to strike from assessment rolls value of relator's personal property, \$65,948.

People, ex rel. James M. Brown vs. Allan Campbell, Commissioner of Public Works, etc.—Mandamus to compel respondent to remove all incumbrances, etc., from Fourteenth street, between Avenue D and East river.

SCHEDULE "B."

JUDGMENTS ENTERED AND ORDERS OF THE GENERAL AND SPECIAL TERMS.

People, ex rel. Siebert vs. the Board of Police—Decree of reinstatement entered.

Charles E. Appleby, paving Eleventh avenue—Order entered denying motion to vacate One Hundred and Fifty-third street opening; entered order adjourning motion to confirm report until August 6.

Ludwig Piper—Order entered vacating assessment for sewer in One Hundred and Tenth street, Fifth avenue to Harlem river.

John L. Burnett—Order entered vacating assessment for sewer in One Hundred and Forty-third street, from a point 75 feet west of Third avenue to said avenue, and in Third avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-third street to One Hundred and Forty-sixth street in Twenty-third Ward.

Robert S. Crawford—Order entered vacating same assessment.

Henry R. Treadwell—Order entered vacating assessment for outlet sewer in Ninety-sixth street.

David Russell—Order entered amending order vacating an assessment for underground drains, Inwood and Dyckman streets, Hudson to Harlem river.

James Howell vs. Decker Quintard and the Mayor, etc.—Order entered denying plaintiff's motion to discontinue action.

James Abbott—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$154.57.

Bernhard vs. St. John, Property Clerk—Order entered substituting Lindo Brothers as defendants, and releasing St. John from all further liability.

James Lenox—Order entered confirming action in name of Henrietta A. Lenox, executrix, etc.

In the matter of John T. Lord—Judgment entered in favor of city for \$126.21.

Isaac Mehrbach—Order entered vacating sale for Second avenue sewer assessment.

SCHEDULE "C."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED OR ARGUED.

Sylvain Delanet—Reference proceeded with.

Adam W. Spies—Motion for a rehearing argued.

The People, ex rel. Ryan vs. Board of Police—Motion for mandamus to compel payment of \$2,297.50 balance of salary, argued; decision reserved.

Morton vs. Murphy, et al.—Motion to confirm report of referee submitted.

The People, ex rel. Lockwood vs. Kelly, Comptroller—Motion for a mandamus to compel Comptroller to cancel tax for 1867, on lot No. 40½, block No. 494, Twelfth Ward, argued; motion denied.

WM. C. WHITNEY, Counsel to the Corporation.

COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND.

Abstract of the Proceedings of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at the meeting held July 29, 1880.

Present—Hon. Edward Cooper, Mayor (Chairman); Hon. Frederick Smyth, Recorder; Hon. John Kelly, Comptroller; and J. Nelson Tappan, Esq., Chamberlain.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The petition of Anna M. Lamont, Executrix, for grant of land between One Hundred and Fifty-ninth and One Hundred and Sixty-second streets, on the Hudson river, was submitted; and, on motion, referred to the Comptroller.

The petition of Jeremiah J. Driscoll, for satisfaction of mortgage on lot on Lexington avenue, between Fifty-first and Fifty-second streets, was submitted; and, on motion, referred to the Comptroller.

The application of the Commissioners of Excise for additional office room, and the report of the Committee on County Affairs of the Board of Aldermen thereon, were received; and, on motion, referred to the Comptroller.

The application of Edward T. Wood, Esq., for return of papers in the case of Edward M. Tyler, for return of moneys paid for Croton water in 1867-1869, was received; and, on motion, the Secretary was authorized to return said papers to Mr. Wood.

The petition of Andrew Watson for return of certain moneys paid the Commissioners of Public Parks, for wagon purchased at an auction sale, held under their direction, it being subsequently ascertained that the Commissioners had no right to dispose of said wagon, was received; and, on motion, referred to the Comptroller.

A communication was received from John A. Dinkel, Justice Fourth District Civil Court, in relation to the matter of a location of the place for holding said court; which, on motion, was referred to the Comptroller.

A communication was received from the Commissioner of Public Works, in relation to the complaint of W. A. Ewing, M. D., Sanitary Inspector, in reference to the sanitary condition of the premises (abandoned aqueduct) between Ninth and Tenth avenues, and West One Hundred and Fourth and One Hundred and Seventh streets; which, on motion, was referred, with accompanying papers, to the Comptroller.

A communication was received from the Commissioners of Docks, in relation to a change of the lines of the proposed new Pier 41, North river, as shown on maps accompanying said communication; which, on motion, was referred, with said maps, to the Comptroller.

A communication was received from George Bliss, in relation to the premises No. 2 Fourth avenue, leased by the city in 1875, of Reuben Smith, the lease having expired; which, on motion, was referred to the Comptroller.

The bill of William Kennelly, for "adjournment of auction sales" from April, 1877, to December, 1879, was submitted; and, on motion, referred to the Comptroller.

The application of the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, for transfer to said society of fines deposited in error to the credit of the Sinking Fund, laid over at the last meeting, was taken up for consideration; when, on motion, the following resolution was adopted, viz.:

Resolved, That a warrant for seventy-five dollars (\$75), payable from the Sinking Fund for payment of the interest on the city debt, be drawn in favor of the Chamberlain for deposit in the city treasury to credit of American Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, to correct erroneous return and deposit made by Clerk of Court of Special Sessions for the month of February, 1880, said fines being payable to said society under provisions of chapter 12, section 6, Laws of 1874.

The lease from George Peabody Wetmore to the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, of the premises known as No. 31 Chambers street and No. 7 Reade street, as prepared by the Counsel to the Corporation, was submitted and read; whereupon the following resolution was, on motion, adopted, viz.:

Resolved, That the lease of the premises No. 31 Chambers street, from George Peabody Wetmore, Esq., for the period beginning July 1, 1880, and expiring May 1, 1885, at an annual rent of \$12,500, with the right of renewal for three or five years from the end of that period, at the annual rent of \$12,000, drawn and approved by the Counsel to the Corporation in accordance with a resolution adopted June 29, 1880, and now submitted to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, be and the same is hereby approved; and the Comptroller is requested to execute said lease on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, as provided by section 3, of chapter 461 of the Laws of 1880.

The following communication from the Commissioner of Public Works was received and ordered to be filed and printed in the minutes, viz.:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, July 16, 1880.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

GENTLEMEN—I find, upon a final and accurate estimate and specification, and according to proposals submitted, that the cost of the alterations and improvements of the building No. 31 Chambers street, to be leased from Mr. G. P. Wetmore, will amount to about \$21,000, instead of \$18,500, the sum agreed to be appropriated by Mr. Wetmore. The rental and terms of the lease may remain as heretofore fixed, and the excess of about \$2,500 can be paid out of our regular appropriations for public buildings and supplies.

The first estimates were hastily made, and it was difficult to foresee exactly all that will be necessary to provide for proper accommodation and security. I report this matter to the Board so that they may understand the increase of cost, and that my explanation may be placed upon your files. We are ready to begin the work immediately upon the execution of the lease.

Yours respectfully,

ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioner of Public Works.

On motion of the Recorder, it was

Resolved, That the Comptroller have the aforesaid lease recorded in the Register's Office.

The following resolution to correct an error in resolution, adopted June 7, 1880, authorizing Deed of Confirmation to Emily M. Childs, was, on motion, adopted, viz.:

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board, June 7, 1880, granting the petition of Emily M. Childs for a Confirmatory Deed of a lot of land sold by the Corporation at public auction, May 21, 1866, be corrected by changing the designation of said lot to No. 46 of Plot H, in place of No. 66, as erroneously designated in said resolution.

A communication was received from J. B. Simpson, Jr., submitting an offer to lease to the city a portion of the building known as the Morrisania Savings Bank, to be occupied by the Civil and Police Courts of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards which, on motion, was referred to the Comptroller.

W. H. DIKEMAN, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, July 30, 1880.

In accordance with section 110, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the Department of Public Works makes the following report of its transactions for the week ending July 24, 1880:

Public Moneys Received and Deposited in the City Treasury.

For Croton rents	\$123,727 01
For penalties on Croton rents	75 70
For tapping Croton pipes	196 00
For sewer permits	1,042 90
For vault permits	1,547 50
For removing obstructions	7 50
Total	\$126,596 61

Public Lamps.

1 lamp-post removed.
1 lamp-post reset.
8 lamp-posts straightened.
1 column refitted.
5 columns released.

*Report of Photometrical Examinations of Illuminating Gas, for the week ending July 24, 1880,
made at the Photometrical Rooms of the Department of Public Works.*

DATE.	TIME.	Thermometer.	Barometer.	GAS COMPANY.	BURNER.	Pressure as Delivered to Burner.	Consumption of Gas, Rate per hour.	Consumption of Candle, Grs. per hour.	ILLUMINATING POWER.	
									Observed.	Corrected.
July 19	4 P.M.	87.	30.14	Manhattan	Empire 5 ft. ....	.85	5.00	121.2	18.62	18.80
" 20	5 P.M.	87.	30.03	"	"	.86	5.00	120.6	18.62	18.71
" 21	6 P.M.	85.	30.16	"	"	.88	5.00	121.2	18.40	18.58
" 22	2.30 P.M.	82.	30.20	"	"	.86	5.00	116.4	18.90	18.33
" 23	5 P.M.	81.	30.21	"	"	.88	5.00	117.6	19.68	19.28
" 24	9 A.M.	80.	30.20	"	"	.87	5.00	121.8	18.82	19.10
Average.									18.80	
July 19	8.30 P.M.	83.	30.07	Harlem	"	.88	5.00	126.0	17.32	18.19
" 20	9 P.M.	81.	30.02	"	"	.88	5.00	115.2	18.90	18.14
" 21	9.30 P.M.	80.	30.15	"	"	.88	5.00	126.0	16.96	17.81
" 22	9 P.M.	79.	30.12	"	"	.88	5.00	120.0	17.92	17.92
" 23	9 P.M.	77.	30.18	"	"	.88	5.00	122.4	17.62	17.97
" 24	8 A.M.	78.	30.17	"	"	.88	5.00	123.0	17.76	18.20
Average.									18.04	
July 19	5 P.M.	87.	30.14	New York	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.71	5.00	118.2	24.54	24.17
" 20	2 P.M.	86.	30.03	"	"	.71	5.00	115.8	23.94	23.10
" 21	5 P.M.	85.	30.16	"	"	.72	5.00	119.4	25.40	25.27
" 22	3 P.M.	82.	30.20	"	"	.72	5.00	116.4	25.60	24.83
" 23	4 P.M.	81.	30.21	"	"	.72	5.00	115.2	25.02	24.02
" 24	10.30 A.M.	81.	30.20	"	"	.72	5.00	120.0	24.46	24.46
Average.									24.31	
July 19	3 P.M.	86.	30.14	N. Y. Mutual	"	.79	5.00	120.0	29.17	29.17
" 20	4 P.M.	86.	30.03	"	"	.79	5.00	117.0	29.32	28.58
" 21	5.30 P.M.	85.	30.16	"	"	.80	5.00	121.8	26.42	26.81
" 22	5 P.M.	82.	30.20	"	"	.79	5.00	120.0	27.59	27.59
" 23	2.30 P.M.	80.	30.26	"	"	.82	5.00	120.0	26.84	26.84
" 24	9.30 A.M.	80.	30.20	"	"	.81	5.00	121.2	26.86	27.13
Average.									27.68	
July 19	3.30 P.M.	86.	30.14	Municipal	"	.68	5.00	121.2	24.78	25.03
" 20	3 P.M.	86.	30.03	"	"	.70	5.00	117.0	26.84	26.17
" 21	4.30 P.M.	85.	30.16	"	"	.71	5.00	120.0	27.02	27.02
" 22	4 P.M.	82.	30.20	"	"	.71	5.00	120.0	26.56	26.56
" 23	3 P.M.	81.	30.21	"	"	.72	5.00	117.0	27.78	27.08
" 24	10 A.M.	81.	30.20	"	"	.72	5.00	119.4	27.00	26.86
Average.									26.45	
July 19	9 P.M.	84.	30.07	Metropolitan	No. 6	.75	5.00	124.8	19.50	20.28
" 20	9.30 P.M.	82.	30.02	"	"	.75	5.00	120.0	20.02	20.02
" 21	9 P.M.	80.	30.15	"	"	.74	5.00	123.6	18.78	19.34
" 22	9.30 P.M.	80.	30.12	"	"	.73	5.00	120.0	20.01	20.01
" 23	9.30 P.M.	78.	30.18	"	"	.71	5.00	126.0	19.50	20.47
" 24	7.30 A.M.	77.	30.17	"	"	.72	5.00	123.0	20.04	20.54
Average.									20.11	

E. G. LOVE, PH. D., Gas Examiner.

Permits Issued.

33 permits for tapping Croton pipes.
78 permits for opening streets.
38 permits to make sewer connections.
22 permits to repair sewer connections.
3 permits to construct street vaults.
147 permits to place building material on streets.

Removing Obstructions.

Trucks from 171 Christopher street.
Stand and booth from southwest corner Ninth avenue and Thirty-first street.
Wagon from 274 Rivington street.
Sign from 79 and 81 Cortlandt street.
Lager beer kegs from 64 and 68 Vesey street.
Wagon from 413 Hudson street.

Repairing Pavements.

In Sixty-first street, between Ninth avenue and Boulevard.
In Forty-third street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.
In Thirty-eighth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.
In Fifty-eighth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.
In Fifty-fifth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.
In Fifty-second street, between Broadway and Eighth avenue.
In Thirty-third street, between Lexington and Third avenue.
In St. Mark's place, between First and Second avenues.
In St. John's lane, between Beach and York streets.
In Crosby lane, between Broome and Grand streets.
In Varick street, between Broome and Spring streets.
In Ninth avenue, between Sixtieth and Sixty-first streets.
In Ninth avenue, between Twenty-second and Twenty-seventh streets.
In Fourth avenue, between Thirtieth and Thirty-first streets.
In Second avenue, between Twenty-second and Twenty-third.
In Thirty-fourth street, between First avenue and East river.
In Thirty-fourth street, between First and Second avenues.
In Fourth street, between First and A avenues.
In Thompson street, between Spring and Broome streets.
In West Twelfth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.
In Greenwich street, between Chambers and Reade streets.
In Nassau street, between Beekman and Ann streets.
At intersection of Duane and Elm streets.
In Pearl street, between Oak and Hague streets.
In Peck slip, between Pearl and Water streets.
In Grand street, between Forsyth and Eldridge streets.
In Pike street, between Division street and East Broadway.
In East Broadway, between Pike and Market streets.
In Printing-house square.

In Broadway, between Worth and Franklin streets.
In Division street, between Essex and Norfolk streets.
In New Chambers street, between William and Pearl streets.
In Orchard street, between Canal and Hester streets.
In Lindlow street, between Broome and Delancey streets.
109 receiving-basins and culverts cleaned.

Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.

450 lineal feet of sewer cleaned.
4 lineal feet of sewer rebuilt.
15 lineal feet of spur-pipe laid.
1 receiving-basin repaired.
6 manholes repaired.
2 new manhole heads and covers put on.
4 manhole-covers reset.
5 new manhole-covers put on.
6 cubic yards of earth excavated and refilled.
9 square yards of pavement relaid.
230 cart-loads of dirt removed.

Statement of Laboring Force Employed in the Department of Public Works during the Week ending July 24, 1880.

NATURE OF WORK.	MECHANICS.	LABORERS.	TEAMS.	CARTS.
Maintenance of Aqueduct and Reservoirs.....	32	246	19	..
In Pipe Yard foot of East Twenty-fourth street.....	2	14	..	..
Laying and repairing pipes, etc.....	19	75	..	9
Repairing pavements.....	62	203	..	54
Repairing and cleaning sewers.....	3	25	..	10
Maintenance and construction of Boulevards and Aves.	2	46	23	4
Repairing roads.....	1	22	6	8
Repaving, under chapter 476, Laws of 1875.....	..	..	..	..
Total.....	121	631	48	85
Increase over previous week.....	..	..	..	..
Decrease from previous week.....	13	23	3	1

Discharged.

Nicholas Mulligan, Inspector Sewers.

Requisitions on Comptroller.

The total amount of requisitions drawn by the Department on the Comptroller during the week is \$78,967.42.

FRED. H. HAMLIN,

Deputy Commissioner of Public Works.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
CITY OF NEW YORK, July 21, 1880.

Present—President Vincent C. King, Commissioners John J. Gorman and Cornelius Van Cott.
Affidavit relative to publication of advertisement inviting proposals was read and filed, and approved form of contract submitted.

Proposals for the erection of a house for Engine Co. No. 5

were received, opened in the presence of the Comptroller, and disposed of as follows:

No. 1. From Webb & O'Reilly, for..... \$13,897 00
No. 2. " Edward Lennon (informal), for..... 13,785 00
No. 3. " Holmes Bros. (informal), for..... 12,380 00
No. 4. " M. J. & D. F. Mahoney, for..... 13,790 00
No. 5. " Patrick K. Horgan, for..... 13,472 00
Which were filed.

No. 6. From John McGuire, for..... \$13,250 00
Referred to the Comptroller for action upon the sureties.
The minutes of the meetings held 14th, 17th, and 19th instants were read and approved.

Trials.

Fireman William McClair, of Engine Co. No. 43, charged with "neglect of duty" and "conduct prejudicial to good order." Found not guilty on first charge, guilty on second charge, and fined five days' pay.

Fireman Andrew Gilmartin, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 10, charged with "conduct prejudicial to good order." Found guilty, and fined five days' pay.

Fireman John J. Mulligan, of Engine Co. No. 9, charged with "violation of General Orders, No. 8, O. B. 6, 1879," "sleeping on duty," and "being under the influence of liquor." Found guilty, and fined ten days' pay.

Assistant Fireman John McDermott, of Engine Co. No. 17, charged with "absence without leave," and "disobedience of orders." Found guilty, and reprimand ordered.

Fireman Robert Beattie, of Engine Co. No. 18, charged with "conduct prejudicial to good order." Found guilty, and fined one day's pay.

Fireman John S. Craft, of Engine Co. No. 30, charged with "violation of paragraph V., General Orders No. 15, O. B. C., 1875," and "conduct prejudicial to good order." Found guilty, and dismissed the service of the Department from the 22d instant.

Foreman George L. Crum, of Engine Co. No. 4, charged with "neglect of duty." Evidence taken, charge dismissed.

Charge of "neglect of duty" preferred against Assistant Foreman Thomas Lally, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 10, was dismissed.

Bills

—audited and transmitted to the Comptroller for payment:

For the current year—Schedule No. 33:

Barron, James S. & Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.....	\$12 60
Brewster & Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.....	10 45
Carlock, Abm. D., apparatus, supplies, etc.....	37 00
Caswell Fire Dept. Supply Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.....	975 00
Dobbs, William H., apparatus, supplies, etc.....	507 00
Gutta Percha and Rubber Mfg. Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.....	10,000 00
Hart, George W., apparatus, supplies, etc.....	70 27
Joannes, Emile, apparatus, supplies, etc.....	36 00
McClave, E. W. & Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.....	13 80
Moonan, John, apparatus, supplies, etc.....	900 00
Pearce & Jones, apparatus, supplies, etc.....	165 00
Sheilds & McEvoy, apparatus, supplies, etc.....	104 25
Western Electric Mfg. Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.....	12 52
Willets Mfg. Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.....	2,350 00
Willets, S. T. & Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.....	9 60
Williams, H. P. & Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.....	18 40
	\$15,221 89

On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSSEN, Secretary.

JULY 22, 1880.

Present—President Vincent C. King, Commissioners John J. Gorman and Cornelius Van Cott.

Communications.

From—

Chief of Department, recommending that fire-hydrants be placed at locations designated. Filed, with directions to communicate to Department of Public Works.

Same, recommending amendment to section 2 of paragraph I, General Orders No. 5, O. B. C., current series. Approved.

Same, returning report of Foreman of Engine Co. No. 5, relative to trial of Owen's engine connection, with recommendation. Referred to Committee on Apparatus.

Same—Report of inspection of building No. 214 Pearl street. Filed, with directions to inform of recommendation.

Same—Report of inspection of building on Ninety-second street, near Tenth avenue. Filed.

Same—Report of inspection of building No. 202 East One Hundred and Sixth street. Laid over, with directions.

Inspector of Combustibles—Report of licenses and permits issued to 20th instant. Filed.

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

Resolved, That James Fox, 234 East Fifty-fourth street; Charles Lorencero, 422 West Thirty-fifth street; John Kadel, 880 Sixth avenue and Mrs. Murtha, 225 East Twenty-ninth street, be and are hereby fined \$5 each, for violation of section 9, chapter 742, Laws of 1871, and that in each of the above named cases the Inspector of Combustibles be and is hereby directed to enforce the collection of the penalty.

Superintendent of Telegraph, reporting that an alarm box furnished for trial has been located at Mott avenue and One Hundred and Forty-ninth street. Filed, with directions to promulgate in orders.

Same—Reports of work and duty performed by employees. Filed.

Medical Officer, recommending that full pay for one day be allowed Fireman Robert Douglass, of Engine Co. No. 16. Approved.

Same, recommending leaves of absence to:

Foreman Philip Sheridan, of Engine Co. No. 25, for four days.

Engineer of Steamer Albert Stillwell, of Engine Co. No. 41, for two days.

Fireman Robert Douglass, of Engine Co. No. 16, for two days.

Patrick J. Feehan, of Engine Co. No. 37, for five days.

William Farrell, of Engine Co. No. 39, for six days.

Granted on half pay.

Superintendent of Horses—Weekly report of inspection. Filed.

Captain in Charge of Repair Shops—Report of operations for six months ending June 30, 1880. Filed.

Same—Relative to coupling rubber hose. Filed.

Same—Report relative to oil-feeder furnished for trial. Filed.

Foreman of Engine Co. No. 4, applying for a horse. Referred to Superintendent of Horses for selection.

Foreman of Engine Co. No. 38, reporting death of Assistant Foreman John F. L. Du Flon, on 16th instant. Filed.

Foreman of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 19, reporting defective drainage at quarters. Laid over, with directions to notify owners.

Private James Cooke, of Engine Co. No. 13, tendering his resignation. Accepted, to take effect 1st proximo.

Private John Molloy, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 13, applying for promotion to rank of Assistant Engineer of Steamer. Referred to Examining Board of Engineers.

Chief of Eighth Battalion—Report of investigation relative to breaking of extension ladder at fire in East Thirtieth street on 19th instant. Filed, with directions.

Supreme Court—Writ of certiorari in the matter of The People, ex rel. Ernest Drevet vs. Board of Fire Commissioners. Referred to Counsel to the Corporation, with statement of facts on record.

Comptroller—Statement of condition of appropriation to 17th instant. Filed.

John Coombs—Relative to filling in lot on East Seventy-fifth street. Laid over, with directions to have lot inspected.

John J. Delaney, recommending Fireman George S. Searle for promotion. Filed.

Joseph G. Harrison, directing attention to unsafe condition of building No. 130 Monroe street. Referred to Chief of Department for inspection.

J. F. H. King, requesting appointment of a committee of experts to examine merits of fire escape. Referred to Chief of Department for compliance.

Steele Mackaye, Manager Madison Square Theatre, applying for direct connection with fire alarm telegraph. Referred to Superintendent of Telegraph for report and recommendation.

Penfold, Chatfield & Co., complaining of rubbish from building No. 18 Burling slip damaging roofs of adjoining premises. Referred to Chief of Department for investigation.

Daniel Leamy, attorney, and J. Smith—Claims against members of the Department. Filed, with directions to notify.

Isaac W. Dunsmore—Relative to claim against Fireman Charles M. Moore. Referred to Chief of Department for proper action.

Supply Clerk—Requisitions for articles required, estimated cost \$18, \$39.90, \$158.45, \$27.73, \$180.45, \$60, \$408.96, \$25, \$45, and \$88 respectively. Purchase ordered.

Captain in charge of Repair Shops—Requisition for recharging calcium light tanks for Hook and Ladder Co. No. 1, estimated cost, \$4.45. Ordered.

Superintendent of Repairs to Buildings—Requisition for mason work at quarters of Engine Co. No. 18, estimated cost, \$23.75. Ordered.

Caswell Fire Department Supply Co., inclosing bond of indemnity. Filed.

Promotion.

Fireman George S. Searle, of Engine Co. No. 17, to be Assistant Foreman, same company, 8 P. M. this date.

Transfers

—to take effect 24th instant:

Assistant Foreman Charles J. Williams, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 17 to Engine Co. No. 38.

Patrick H. O'Reilly, Engine Co. No. 1 to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 17.

On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

JULY 23, 1880.

Present—President Vincent C. King and Commissioner Cornelius Van Cott.

Appointment.

Timothy J. Coughlan, as Private Engine Co. No. 19, 26th instant.

Transfers

—to take effect 26th instant.

Assistant Engineer of Steamer Peter J. McLarney, Engine Co. 19 to Engine Co. No. 1.

Fireman William J. Galbraith, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 12 to Engine Co. No. 19.

Francis Kerrigan, Engine Co. No. 30 to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 12.

Communications.

From—

Captain in charge of Repair Shops, recommending repairs to spring furnace, etc. (previously laid over). Referred to Superintendent of Repairs to Buildings for estimates.

Comptroller, returning proposal of John McGuire, for erection of house for Engine Co. No. 5, with approval of sureties. Filed, and following resolution adopted:

Resolved, That the contract for the rebuilding and erection of an Engine-house for Engine Co. No. 5, at No. 340 East Fourteenth street, as per advertisement in the CITY RECORD, dated July 8, 1880, be and is awarded to John McGuire, No. 236 East Thirty-seventh street, for the sum of \$13,250, on his proposal, dated July 21, 1880.

On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

JULY 24, 1880.

Present—President Vincent C. King, and Commissioner Cornelius Van Cott.

Appointment.

Edward P. McLean, as Private Engine Co. No. 13, 20th instant.

On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 23d day of July, 1880.

Present—Commissioners French, Nichols, and Smith.

Resolved, That the re-examination of David N. Grannis, appointed a Patrolman on July 20, 1880, be and is hereby waived.

Adjourned.

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby required to keep a full head or pressure of water in the distributing reservoir at Forty-second street and Fifth avenue, by causing it to be filled to its utmost capacity of thirty-four feet and kept in full action in order to supply the lower part of this city with water; also that free access be given the public to the said reservoir between the hours of 8 A. M. and 4 P. M., every day.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 15, 1880.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, July 5, 1880, with his objections thereto.

In Board of Aldermen, July 20, 1880, taken up and considered, as provided in section 13, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Thomas G. Cowan to erect and retain a stand for the sale of newspapers, books, periodicals, etc., on the sidewalk at the northeast corner of Fourteenth street and Fourth avenue, the work done at his own expense; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 15, 1880.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, July 5, 1880, with his objections thereto.

In Board of Aldermen, July 20, 1880, taken up and considered, as provided in section 13, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Mrs. Henry A. Smith to have a newspaper stand on the sidewalk adjoining the elevated railroad station, northwest corner of Sixth avenue and Fiftieth street, the work done at her own expense; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 15, 1880.

Received from his Honor the Mayor July 5, 1880, with his objections thereto.

In Board of Aldermen, July 20, 1880, taken up and considered, as provided in section 13, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Nulty to place and keep a stand at the southeast corner of Grand and Mott streets, the said stand to be 6 x 2, and not to obstruct the free use of the sidewalk, the consent of the occupant of said premises having been received, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen June 15, 1880.

Received from his Honor the Mayor July 5, 1880, with his objections thereto.

In Board of Aldermen, July 20, 1880, taken up and considered, as provided in section 13, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to J. W. Beardsley's Sons to retain wning now in front of their premises, No. 179 West street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 15, 1880.

Received from His Honor the Mayor, July 5, 1880, with his objections thereto.

In Board of Aldermen, July 20, 1880, taken up and considered, as provided in section 13 chapter 335, Laws of 1873, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor, the Mayor, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 19, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, July 22, 1880.

Resolved, That James McCosker be and he hereby is appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in the place and stead of Carlisle Norwood, Jr., whose term of office has expired.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 19, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, July 22, 1880.

Resolved, That Isaac S. Isaacs be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Isaac S. Isaacs, whose term of office expires July 2, 1880.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 19, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, July 22, 1880.

Resolved, That the name of Edward T. Smith, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be corrected so as to read Edward F. Smith.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 19, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, July 22, 1880.

Resolved, That the name of John E. Insegar, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be corrected so as to read John E. Ingersoll.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 19, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, July 22, 1880.

Resolved, That James McLaughlin be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Michael J. Goodwin, who has failed to qualify.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 19, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, July 22, 1880.

Resolved, That the name of George Oppenheim, lately appointed as Commissioner of Deeds, be corrected so as to read William George Oppenheim.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 19, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, July 22, 1880.

Resolved, That the name of Ernest O. Barnett, Jr., recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be corrected so as to read Ernest O. Bernet, Jr.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 19, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, July 22, 1880.

Resolved, That the name of Augustus Salzmann, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be corrected so as to read Augustus Salzman.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 20, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, July 22, 1880.

Resolved, That the name of Henry M. Leipsiger, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be corrected so as to read Henry M. Leipziger.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 20, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, July 22, 1880.

Resolved, That the name of Joseph Koehler, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be corrected so as to read Joseph Kohler.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 20, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, July 22, 1880.

Resolved, That William F. Reilly be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of William F. Reilly, whose term of office has expired.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 20, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, July 22, 1880.

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 July 24, 1880.

Barometer.

DATE.	JULY.	7 A. M.		2 P. M.		9 P. M.		Mean for the Day.		MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.	
		Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.
Sunday,	18	30.008	29.899	30.034	29.901	30.072	29.950	29.917	30.072	29.950	9 P. M.	29.906	29.800
Monday,	19	30.115	29.997	30.124	29.986	30.022	29.900	29.961	30.126	29.999	9 A. M.	30.018	29.899
Tuesday,	20	29.938	29.829	29.932	29.807	29.954	29.837	29.824	30.018	29.899	0 A. M.	29.922	29.800
Wednesday,	21	30.018	29.909	30.098	29.981	30.100	29.989	29.959	30.104	29.998	12 P. M.	29.942	29.833
Thursday,	22	30.108	29.999	30.108	29.999	29.994	29.909	29.970	30.108	29.999	7 A. M.	29.974	29.889
Friday,	23	30.084	29.997	30.112	30.001	30.106	30.000	29.999	30.112	30.001	2 P. M.	29.994	29.909
Saturday,	24	30.102	29.999	30.122	29.995	30.092	29.975	29.989	30.122	30.008	9 A. M.	30.092	29.975

Mean for the week..... 29.945 inches.
Maximum " at 9 A. M., July 24..... 30.008 "
Minimum " at 6 P. M., July 20..... 29.800 "
Range "208 "

Thermometers.

DATE.	JULY.	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.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	
Sunday,	18	69	66	78	69	74	69	73.7	68.0	81	5 P. M.	71	5 P. M.	136
Monday,	19	73	69	80	70	74	71	75.6	70.0	81	4 P. M.	71	4 P. M.	132
Tuesday,	20	69	69	75	71	72	71	72.0	70.3	75	2 P. M.	72	5 P. M.	103
Wednesday,	21	69	65	72	67	70	68	70.3	66.7	74	3 P. M.	68	3 P. M.	126
Thursday,	22	68	66	69	66	60	6	65.7	64.0	70	12 M.	68	12 M.	86
Friday,	23	61	61	70	67	68	67	66.3	65.0	72	6 P. M.	68	6 P. M.	121
Saturday,	24	67	67	76	71	72	70	71.6	69.3	78	5 P. M.	72	5 P. M.	120

Mean for the week..... 70.7 degrees.
Maximum for the week, at 4 P. M., 19th..... 81. " at 4 P. M., 19th..... 71. "
Minimum " " at 4 A. M., 23d..... 60. " at 4 A. M., 23d..... 60. "
Range " " 21. " 11. "

Wind.

DATE.	JULY.	DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.			FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.		
		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.
Sunday,	18....	N	NNW	SSW	19	30	39	88	0	0
Monday,	19....	W	SE	SE	6	47	75	128	0	1
Tuesday,	20....	S	SSE	SSE	78	30	26	134	3/4	0
Wednesday,	21....	NNE	NNE	SSW	26	31	16	73	1/2	0
Thursday,	22....	NW	E	N	23	14	56	93	0	0
Friday,	23....	NW	S	S	45	13	34	92	0	1/2
Saturday,	24....	WSW	S	S	32	26	43	101	0	1/2

Distance traveled during the week..... 709 miles.
Maximum force " " 2 pounds.

DATE.	JULY.	Hygrometer.					Clouds.			Rain and Snow.				
		FORCE OF VAPOR.		RELATIVE HUMIDITY.			CLEAR, O. OVERCAST, 10.			DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES.				
		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration.	Amount of Water.
Sunday,	18	.599	.588	.641	85	61	76	0	2 Cu.	0	.....	.....	.....	.....
Monday,	19	.655	.598	.718	81	58	86	0	1 Cu.	7 Cir. Cu.	.....	.....	.....	.....
Tuesday,	20	.708	.704	.745	100	81	95	10	9 Cu.	10	3.15 A. M.	0.30 P. M.	9.15	.47
Wednesday,	21	.564	.595	.658	80	76	90	5 Cir. Cu.	8 Cir. Cu.	8 Cir.	.....	.....	.....	.....
Thursday,	22	.612	.599	.478	90	85	83	8 Cu.	10	10	10.30 A. M.	11 P. M.	12.30	1.86
Friday,	23	.537	.622	.648	100	85	95	8 Cu.	Hazy.	8 Cu.	.....	.....	.....	.....
Saturday,	24	.662	.691	.706	100	77	90	8 Cir. Cu.	10	3 Cir.	.....	.....	.....	.....

Total amount of water for the week..... 2.46 inch.

DANIEL DRAPER, 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.
EDWARD COOPER, Mayor; JAMES E. MORRISON, Secretary; John Tracey, Chief Clerk.

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
JOHN TYLER KELLY, First Marshal.

Permit and License Bureau Office.

No. 1 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
DANIEL S. HART, Registrar.

Sealers and Inspectors of Weights and Measures.

No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
WILLIAM EYLER, Sealer First District; ELIJAH W. ROE, Sealer Second District; JOHN MURRAY, Inspector First District; JOSEPH SHANNON, Inspector Second District.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.

No. 8 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN J. MORRIS, President Board of Aldermen.
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

Commissioner's Office.

No. 19 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioner; FREDERICK H. HAMLIN, Deputy Commissioner.

Bureau of Water Register.

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

Bureau of Incumbrances.

No. 13 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL, Superintendent.

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

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

Bureau of Streets.

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

Bureau of Sewers.

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

Bureau of Chief Engineer.

No. 11 1/2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE W. BIRDSALL, Chief Engineer.

Bureau of Street Improvements.

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

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

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

Bureau of Water Purveyor.

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

Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.

JOHN F. SLOPER, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

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

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.

Auditing Bureau.

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

Bureau of Arrears.

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

Bureau for the Collection of Assessments.

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

Bureau of City Revenue.

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

Bureau of Markets.

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

LAW DEPARTMENT

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation

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

Office of the Public Administrator.

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

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
STEPHEN B. FRENCH, President; SETH C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Headquarters.

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

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Health Officer.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

Civil and Topographical Office.

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS

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

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, City Hall, Room No. 12, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS B. ASTEN, President; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

BOARD OF EXCISE.

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

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Nos. 3 and 4 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
PRTER BOWE, Sheriff; JOEL O. STEVENS, Under Sheriff.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

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

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

No. 27 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WM. PITT SHEARMAN, JOHN W. BARROW.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM A. BUTLER, County Clerk; J. HENRY FORD, Deputy County Clerk.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

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

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

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

CORONERS' OFFICE.

No. 40 East Houston street.
MORITZ ELLINGER, GERSON N. HERRMAN, THOMAS C. KNOX, and JOHN H. BRADY, Coroners.

RAPID TRANSIT COMMISSIONERS.

RICHARD M. HOE, 504 Grand street.
JOHN J. CRANE, 138th street, Morrisania.
GUSTAV SCHWAB, 2 Bowling Green.
CHARLES L. PERKINS, 23 Nassau street.
WILLIAM M. OLLIFFE, 6 Bowery.

SUPREME COURT.

Second floor, New County Court-house, 10 1/2 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.
WILLIAM E. CURTIS, Chief Judge; THOMAS BOESF, Chief Clerk.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

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

MARINE COURT.

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

OVER AND TERMINER COURT.

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

ASSESSMENT COMMISSION.

THE COMMISSIONERS APPOINTED BY CHAPTER 550 of the Laws of 1880, to revise, modify, or vacate assessments for local improvements in the City of New York, give notice to all persons affected thereby that the notices required by said act must be filed with the Comptroller of said city and a duplicate thereof with the Counsel to the Corporation, as follows:
First. As to all assessments confirmed prior to June 9, 1880, on or before November 1, 1880.
Second. 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, 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 confirmation of the

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

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from New York Hos-
pital—Unknown man; aged about 50 years; 5 feet
7 inches high; sandy hair; whiskers; blue eyes.

Unknown man from Pier 22, North river—Aged about
40 years; 5 feet 7 inches high. Had on gray jean coat,
gray striped pants and vest, white shirt, white knit under-
shirt, gaiters.

Unknown man from Pier 1, North river—Aged about
20 years; 5 feet 6 inches high. Had on gray plaid frock
coat and pants, striped vest, white shirt, gaiters.

Unknown man from Pier 4, North river—Aged about
60 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; gray hair; whiskers and
moustache; blue eyes. Had on black alpaca coat, blue
flannel pants, dark mixed vest, white shirt, white
drawers and undershirt, brown socks, slippers.

Unknown man from the foot of Spring street; aged
about 45 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; gray hair; mous-
tache; blue eyes. Had on dark plaid coat, black and
gray diagonal pants, white shirt, white knit undershirt,
white cotton flannel drawers, brown socks, boots.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Mary Berz-
mier; aged 40 years; 5 feet 3½ inches high; blue eyes;
brown hair. Had on when admitted, brown alpaca dress,
white underclothing, shoes. Nothing known of her friends
or relatives.

Ann Hackett; aged 38 years; 5 feet 1 inch high; black
hair; gray eyes. Nothing known of her friends or
relatives.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Philip
Tierney; aged 54 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; blue eyes;
brown hair. Had on when admitted, dark coat and vest,
brown pants, gaiters. Nothing known of his friends or
relatives.

Benjamin Chamberlain; aged 48 years; 5 feet 10
inches high; blue eyes; red hair. Had on when ad-
mitted, black coat, pants, and vest, gaiters, derby hat.
Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

At Branch Lunatic Asylum, Hart's Island—Christina
Thomas; aged 55 years. Nothing known of her friends
or relatives.

By Order,

G. F. BRITTON,
Assistant Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, July 1, 1880.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from Pier 1, North
river—Unknown boy; aged about 12 years; black hair;
hazel eyes. Had on black vest, brown plaid pants, check
shirt.

Unknown man from Pier 60, East river; aged about 50
years; 5 feet 7 inches high; dark brown hair, mixed with
gray; blue eyes. Had on black coat, gray jean pants,
white shirt, laced shoes.

Unknown man from Bellevue Hospital; aged about 35
years; 5 feet 7 inches high; dark brown hair and
moustache; brown eyes. W. M. tattooed on left arm.
Had on blue check jumper, dark gray pants, black vest,
gaiters.

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Luke Flynn;
aged 65 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; gray hair; blue
eyes. Had on when admitted, black coat, brown vest,
dark pants, felt hat. Nothing known of his friends or
relatives.

Mary Coleman; aged 45 years; 5 feet 3 inches high;
dark hair and eyes. Had on when admitted, black alpaca
shawl, brown calico dress, red woollen hood. Nothing
known of her friends or relatives.

Peter McNulty; aged 50 years; 5 feet 4½ inches high;
dark hair; gray eyes. Had on when admitted, gray
pants and vest, black felt hat. Nothing known of his
friends or relatives.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Eliza Bell;
aged 20 years; 4 feet 11½ inches high. Nothing known
of her friends or relatives.

At N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—
George Martin; aged 30 years; 5 feet 10 inches high;
black hair; dark eyes. Nothing known of his friends or
relatives.

By Order,

G. F. BRITTON,
Assistant Secretary.

JURORS.

NOTICE

**IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR
STATE COURTS**

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, July 1, 1880.

APPLICATIONS FOR EXEMPTIONS WILL BE
heard here, from 9 o'clock daily, from all persons hitherto
liable or recently serving who have become exempt, and all
needed information will be given.

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

Persons "enrolled" as liable must serve when called
or pay their fines. No mere excuse will be allowed or
interference permitted. The fines, received from those
who, for business or other reasons, are unable to serve at
the time selected, pay the expenses of this office, and 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 mis-
demeanor 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 re-
lation to a jury service, or to withhold any paper or make
any false statement, and every case will be fully prose-
cuted.

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

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS OF
the Board of Aldermen will meet every Monday at
two o'clock p. m., at Room No. 8 City Hall.

HENRY C. PERLEY,
THOMAS SHELLS,
JOHN McCLAVE,
HENRY HAFEN,
EDWARD KENNEY,
Committee on Public Works.

SUPREME COURT.

In the Matter of the Application of the Mayor, Aldermen,
and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to
the opening of a certain street, extending from the
northerly side of Little West Twelfth street to the
southerly side of West Fourteenth street, in the City of
New York, as laid out by the Board of Street Opening
and Improvement of said city.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH
cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that
in compliance with an act of the Legislature of the State
of New York, entitled "An Act to reorganize the local gov-
ernment of the City of New York, passed April 30, 1873,
and of all other acts relating thereto, the Counsel to the
Corporation of the City of New York, for and on behalf of
the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of said City, will
apply 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 Thursday, the twenty-sixth day of August, 1880,
at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon there-
after as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment
of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above
entitled matter. That the nature and extent of the im-
provement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in
the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Com-
monalty of the City of New York, for the use of the pub-
lic, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings there-
on and the appurtenances thereto belonging required for
the opening of a certain new street extending from the
northerly side of Little West Twelfth street to the southerly
side of West Fourteenth street, as said street is shown
on certain maps made by the Board of Street Opening and
Improvement, and filed in the office of the Counsel to the
Corporation of the City of New York and in the office of
the Department of Public Works of the City of New York
on the 20th day of May, 1880; being the following de-
scribed pieces or parcels of land: Beginning at a point
in the southerly line of West Fourteenth street distant four
hundred and twenty-five (225.0) feet westerly from the
westerly line of Ninth avenue, running southerly and
parallel with Ninth avenue two hundred and six feet and
six inches (206.6) to the northerly line of West Thirteenth
street; thence westerly along said line seventy-five (75.0)
feet; thence northerly two hundred and six feet and six
inches (206.6) to the southerly line of West Fourteenth
street; thence easterly along said line seventy-five feet
(75.0) feet to the point of place of beginning.

Also—Beginning at a point on the southerly line of
West Thirteenth street, distant four hundred and twenty-
five (225.0) feet westerly from the westerly line of Ninth
avenue, running southerly and parallel with Ninth avenue
two hundred and six feet and six inches (206.6) to the
northerly line of Little West Twelfth street; thence westerly
along said line seventy-five (75.0) feet; thence northerly
two hundred and six feet and six inches (206.6) to the
southerly line of West Thirteenth street; thence easterly
along said line seventy-five (75.0) feet to the point or place
of beginning—said street being seventy-five (75.0) feet
wide between the lines of Little West Twelfth and West
Fourteenth streets.

Dated New York, July 31, 1880.

WM. C. WHITNEY,
Counsel to the Corporation.

No. 2 Tryon Row.

In the Matter of the Application of the Mayor, Aldermen,
and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to
the opening of West Fifty-third street, from the westerly
line of Tenth avenue to the easterly line of Eleventh
avenue, in the City of New York, as laid out by the
Board of Street Opening and Improvement of said city.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH
cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that
in compliance with an act of the Legislature of the State
of New York, entitled "An Act to Reorganize the Local
Government of the City of New York," passed April 30,
1873, and of all other acts relating thereto, the Counsel
to the Corporation of the City of New York, for and on behalf
of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of said City, will
apply 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 Thursday, the twenty-sixth day of August, 1880, at the
opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as
counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Com-
missioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entit-
led matter. That the nature and extent of the improve-
ment 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, for the use of the public, to all the
lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the ap-
purtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of
West Fifty-third street, from the westerly line of Tenth
avenue to the easterly line of Eleventh avenue, as said street
is shown on certain maps made by the Board of Street
Opening and Improvement, and filed in the office of the
Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York and in
the office of the Department of Public Works of the City
of New York, on the 20th day of May, 1880, being the
following described pieces or parcels of land:

Beginning at a point in the westerly side of Tenth ave-
nue, distant two hundred feet and ten inches (200.10)
northerly from the northerly line of Fifty-second street
and running westerly and parallel with said street eight
hundred (800.0) feet, to the easterly line of Eleventh
avenue; thence northerly along said line sixty (60.0) feet;
thence easterly eight hundred (800.0) feet to the westerly
line of Tenth avenue; thence southerly sixty (60.0) feet,
to the point or place of beginning.

Said street being sixty (60.0) feet wide between the lines
of Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

Dated New York, July 31, 1880.

WILLIAM C. WHITNEY,
Counsel to the Corporation.

Tryon row.

In the matter of the application of the Commissioners 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 of Sedgwick avenue,
from Fordham Landing road to Boston avenue, 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, occu-
pant or occupants, of all houses and lots, and improved
or unimproved lands affected thereby; and to all others
whom it may concern, to wit:

I.—That we have completed our estimate and assess-
ment, 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 Jerome Buck, Esq., our Chair-
man, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 206 Broad-
way, in the said city, on or before the 26th day of August,
1880; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear
parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after
the said 26th day of August, 1880, and for that purpose
will be in attendance at our said office on each of said
ten days, at 2 o'clock p. m.

II.—That the abstract of the said estimate and assess-
ment, 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 8th day of September,
1880.

III.—That the limits embraced by the assessment afore-
said, are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces, or
parcels of land situate, lying, and being within the fol-
lowing described lines, viz: Commencing at a point on
the northerly line of the Fordham Landing road, where the
same is intersected by the easterly line of the New York
& Northern Railroad; thence running northerly along the
said railroad until it intersects a line drawn parallel to and
five hundred feet westerly of the westerly line of Sedgwick
avenue; thence northerly along said line and always five
hundred feet westerly of the westerly line of Sedgwick

avenue until intersected by a line fifteen hundred feet
north of the northerly end of Sedgwick avenue, as now
being opened; thence easterly along said last mentioned
line until the same is intersected by the prolongation of a
line drawn parallel to and five hundred feet easterly of
the easterly line of Sedgwick avenue; thence southerly
along the prolongation of said line, and said line always
five hundred feet easterly of the easterly line of Sedg-
wick avenue until it intersects the northerly line of
Fordham Landing road; thence westerly along northerly
side of the said Fordham Landing road to the place of
beginning. Excepting therefrom all the avenues, streets,
and roads within said boundaries.

IV.—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 thereof, in the
County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of
New York, on the 14th day of September, 1880, 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, July 19, 1880.

JEROME BUCK,
CHARLES W. BATHGATE,
THOMAS J. BROWN,
Commissioners.

THE CITY RECORD.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, ROOM No. 39,
NEW YORK, July 29, 1880.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY
Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New
York, 300 Mulberry street, Room 39, for the following
property now in his custody without claimants: Boats,
revolvers, coffee, tea, trunk and contents, bags and con-
tents, male and female clothing, gold watch No. 2185,
silver watches, tobacco, two cases cloth, two pieces cloth,
silverware, etc.; also small amounts of money taken from
prisoners and found by patrolmen of this Department.

C. A. ST. JOHN,
Property Clerk.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

ARREARS OF ASSESSMENTS.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW
York hereby gives notice to the owners of real
estate, that as provided by chapter 195, passed May 7,
1880, at any time before the first day of September, 1880,
any person liable therefor may pay the amount of any
assessment for any local improvement in the City of New
York, confirmed prior to the passage of said act, and
remaining unpaid with interest at the rate of seven per
centum per annum, and after said first day of September,
and before the first day of December, 1880, any such
assessment may be paid as aforesaid, with interest at the
rate of nine per centum per annum, from the date of con-
firmation to the date of payment thereof.

If any such assessment shall not be paid before the first
day of December, 1880, the rate of interest thereon will be
twelve per centum per annum thereafter, as provided by
law, from the date of confirmation to the date of payment.
The said act of 1880 is published herewith.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, July 23, 1880.

CHAPTER 195.

AN ACT in relation to the payment of assessments for
local improvements in the City of New York.

Passed May 7, 1880; three-fifths being present.

The People of the State of New York, represented in
Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. At any time before the first day of Septem-
ber, eighteen hundred and eighty, any person liable there-
for may pay, to the officer authorized to receive the same,
the amount of any assessment for any local improvement
in the City of New York, heretofore confirmed and now
unpaid, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per
centum per annum from the date of confirmation to the
date of payment and at any time on or after said first day
of September, and before the first day of December, 1880,
any such assessment may be paid as aforesaid, with interest at the
rate of nine per centum per annum from the date of confirma-
tion to the date of payment.

Sec. 2. Where any installment or installments of any
assessments have been paid under the provisions of chap-
ter one hundred and three of the laws of eighteen hundred
and seventy-six, or of chapter one hundred and fifty-nine
of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-seven, or of
chapter two hundred and fifty-five of the laws of eighteen
hundred and seventy-eight, the amount of such assess-
ment or assessments remaining unpaid may be paid within
the same periods prescribed in the first section of this act
and upon the same terms and conditions therein pre-
scribed.

Sec. 3. Upon such payment in full, as hereinbefore
provided, such assessment or assessments shall cease to be
a lien upon the property, and shall be deemed fully paid,
satisfied and discharged; and there shall be no further
interest or penalty by reason of such assessment or assess-
ments not having been paid within the time heretofore re-
quired by law, or by reason of any statute heretofore re-
quiring the payment of any penalty or interest over the
rate hereinbefore provided for upon any unpaid assess-
ment.

Sec. 4. No provision of this act hereinbefore contained
shall be construed as applicable to or affecting any assess-
ment for the collection of which assessment the property
has been sold.

Sec. 5. This act shall take effect immediately.

INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

THE INTEREST ON THE BONDS AND STOCKS
of the City of New York, due August 1, 1880, will be
paid on Monday, August 2d, by the Comptroller, at his
office in the New Court-house.

The transfer books will be closed from July 20, to
August 2, 1880.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, July 19, 1880.

ARREARS OF TAXES.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW
York hereby gives notice to owners of Real Estate in
said city, that, as provided by chapter 123 of the Laws of
1880, they may now pay any arrears of taxes and Croton
water rents levied prior to the year 1877, with interest
thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum. If, how-
ever, such taxes and Croton water rents are not paid be-
fore the first day of October next, the property on which
they are due will be sold for taxes immediately thereafter,
with the addition of accrued interest thereon at the rate
of 12 per cent. per annum from the respective dates on
which they were levied.

Lists for such tax sale are now being prepared by the
Clerk of Arrears.

The time of payment of taxes for the years 1877, 1878,
and 1879, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per

cent. per annum, is extended to the first day of April, 1881,
and if not paid before that date, interest will be payable at
the rate of twelve per cent. per annum.

The Act, chapter 123, Laws of 1880, containing these
provisions of law, is published below.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, June 4, 1880.

CHAPTER 123.

AN ACT in relation to arrears of taxes in the City of New
York, and to provide for the reissuing of revenue
bonds in anticipation of such taxes.

Passed April 15, 1880; three-fifths being present.

The People of the State of New York, represented in
Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. At any time after the passage of this act, and
before the first day of October, eighteen hundred and
eighty, any person may pay to the Comptroller of the
City of New York the amount of any tax upon real prop-
erty belonging to such person, heretofore laid or imposed
and now remaining unpaid, together with interest thereon
at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated
from the time that such tax was imposed to the time of such
payment, provided, also, that the time when such payment
may be made on the amount of any such tax laid or imposed
in the years eighteen hundred and seventy-seven, eighteen
hundred and seventy-eight, and eighteen hundred
and seventy-nine shall extend to the first day of April,
eighteen hundred and eighty-one. The comptroller shall
make and deliver to the person making any such payment a
receipt therefor, and shall forthwith cancel the record of
any such tax on the books of the finance department; and
upon such payment being made such tax shall cease to
be a lien upon the property and shall be deemed fully
paid, satisfied and discharged, and there shall be no right
to any further interest or penalty by reason of such tax
not having been paid within the time heretofore required
by law, or by reason of any statute passed requiring the
payment heretofore of any penalty or interest over seven
per centum per annum upon any unpaid tax.

Sec. 2. Any revenue bond heretofore issued in antici-
pation of the taxes in the first section specified which may
fall due and become payable before said taxes are col-
lected, may be reissued by the comptroller of said city, in
whole or in part, for such period as he may determine,
not exceeding one year.

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
FIRST FLOOR, ROOM No. 1, NEW COURT-HOUSE,
CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, June 4, 1880.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED APRIL 16, ENTERED APRIL 24, 1880.

Opening of—

156th street, from the westerly line of Kingsbridge road
to the easterly line of 11th avenue.

157th street, from the westerly line of the Road or Pub-
lic Drive near the Harlem river to the easterly line of
11th avenue.

158th street, from the westerly line of Kingsbridge road
to the Hudson river.

159th street, from the westerly line of the Road or Pub-
lic Drive near the Harlem river to the easterly line of
11th avenue.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before
August 3, 1880, will be exempt (according to law) from
interest. After that date interest will be charged at the
rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of entry.

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

EDWARD GILON,
Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
FIRST FLOOR, ROOM No. 1, NEW COURT-HOUSE,
CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, May 18, 1880.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED MAY 11, ENTERED MAY 18, 1880.

88th street opening, from 8th avenue to New road, and
from 12th avenue to the Hudson river.

91st street opening, from 8th avenue to New road, and
from 12th avenue to the Hudson river.

All payments made on the above assessments on or
before July 17, 1880, will be exempt (according to law)
from interest. After that date interest will be charged
at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of entry.

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

EDWARD GILON,
Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
FIRST FLOOR, ROOM No. 1, NEW COURT-HOUSE,
CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, January 22, 1880.

NOTICE TO OWNERS OF REAL ESTATE IN THE
TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH
WARDS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW
York hereby gives notice to owners of real estate in
the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, that pursuant
to an act of the Legislature of the State of New York,
entitled "An act to provide for the adjustment and pay-
ment of unpaid taxes due the county of Westchester by
the towns of West Farms, Morrisania, and Kingsbridge,
lately annexed to the city and county of New York,"
passed May 22, 1878, the unpaid taxes of said town have
been adjusted and the amount determined as provided in
said act, and that the accounts, including sales for taxes