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LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

STATED SESSION.

TUESDAY, June 27, 1882,
12 o'clock, M.

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

PRESENT:

Hon. William Sauer, President;

ALDERMEN

Thomas Brady,
Michael Duffy,
Frederick Finck,
Augustus Fleishbein,
Patrick Keenan,
Patrick Kenney,

William P. Kirk,
Ferdinand Levy,
Bernard F. Martin,
Joseph J. McAvoy,
John McClave,
Donald MacLean,

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

On motion of Alderman McClave, the reading of the minutes of the last meeting was dispensed with.

PETITIONS.

By Alderman Keenan—

Petition of William S. Webb for permission to erect bay-windows on house on Fifth avenue, between Fifty-third and Fifty-fourth streets.

Whereupon Alderman Keenan offered the following:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to William Seward Webb to erect, on the front of his private residence he is about erecting on the west side of Fifth avenue, commencing northerly 100 feet 5 inches from the northwesterly corner of West Fifty-third street (being 52 feet front on Fifth avenue), two (2) bay-windows, one of them to be one story high, placed in the second story, commencing 4 feet 8 inches from the southerly line of the lot, to be 12 feet wide, and project 4 feet from the avenue line; the other to be three stories high, commencing 28 feet from the southerly line of the lot, to be 14 feet wide in the first story, and 15 feet 6 inches wide in the second story, to project 4 feet in the first story from the avenue line, and 5 feet in the second story, the consent of the property owners adjoining having been obtained, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Alderman Keenan moved to amend by striking out the words "Commissioner of Public Works," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Commissioners of the Fire Department."

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Keenan—

Petition of Hamilton McK. Twombly for permission to erect bay-windows on his house on Fifth avenue at the southwest corner of Fifty-fourth street.

Whereupon Alderman Keenan offered the following:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Hamilton McK. Twombly to erect, on the Fifth avenue front of his private residence he is about erecting, on the southwest corner of Fifth avenue and West Fifty-fourth street, being forty-eight feet three and one-half inches front on the avenue, one (1) bay-window, to commence five feet eight inches southerly from the corner of Fifth avenue and West Fifty-fourth street, to be fifteen feet wide, to project five feet beyond the avenue line, and to be two stories high; also three (3) on West Fifty-fourth street front, each to project five feet from the line of West Fifty-fourth street, the first commencing nineteen feet eight and one-half inches westerly from the avenue line, to be six feet ten inches wide, and to be three stories high; the second commencing twenty-six feet six and one-half inches from the said avenue line, to be thirteen feet six inches wide and one story high; the third commencing forty feet and one-half inch from said avenue line, to be fifteen feet eight inches wide and three stories high, the consent of the property owners adjoining having been obtained; the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Alderman Keenan moved to amend by striking out the words "Commissioner of Public Works," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Commissioners of the Fire Department."

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Brady—

Petition of citizens for reduction of fare on the New York and Harlem City line.

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

By the President—

Petition of the Metropolitan Telephone and Telegraph Company for space in the public buildings in the park.

Whereupon the President offered the following:

Resolved, That permission be and hereby is given to the Metropolitan Telephone and Telegraph Company to place telephones, and occupy space for not more than five operators or messengers, in the New County Court-house, in the hallway on the second floor of said building, under the direction and supervision of the Commissioner of Public Works (with connecting instruments in the City Hall and other buildings in the City Hall Park), provided that said instruments and the wires connected therewith shall not obstruct or interfere with the regular business of the courts, or injure or deface the walls; rent for such space to be the same as that now paid by the Law Telegraph Company for the space similarly occupied by it, and to be placed to the credit of the General Fund. This permission shall continue only during the pleasure of the proper authorities.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Waite—

Petition of persons in business in Great Jones street for permission to keep their wagons in front of their respective places of business.

Whereupon he offered the following:

Be it Resolved, By the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York, in Common Council assembled, that the application of Bemicke & Co., John A. Dunn, Edward Ridley, and Charles B.

Fitzpatrick, business men of said city, for leave to continue to keep their wagons in front of their own places of business on Great Jones street, in said city, for which they are licensed, be granted, and they be and are hereby permitted so to continue to keep their wagons in front of their said places of business.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, June 24, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—I have the honor to call your attention to the necessity of commencing and prosecuting to completion as rapidly as possible, the improvement of Morningside avenue west, including the retaining wall and the work within the park area which is to be done in conjunction therewith, as directed by chapter 565, Laws of 1880. In order to secure the execution of this improvement in the most substantial, economical and expeditious manner, the several parts of the work to be done respectively by the Department of Public Parks and the Department of Public Works should be carried on jointly and simultaneously. A contract for that part of the work which is to be done by this Department has recently been awarded to the lowest bidder after advertisement and public letting, and is drawn with the special view of giving every facility and opportunity for such joint and simultaneous prosecution. To enable the Department of Public Parks to take advantage of such opportunities it must be authorized by your Board to carry out its part of the work without advertisement and public letting. I therefore respectfully urge the speedy adoption of the resolution introduced by Alderman McClave at your meeting of Tuesday, the 20th instant, conferring such authority.

Should there be any unreasonable delay in authorizing and securing such joint action, I shall, in view of the public necessity of the improvement, and the urgent demands of the property-owners who are to bear assessments for the same, deem it my duty to proceed with the construction of the avenue, so far as it is under the direction of the Department, without other co-operation, though the latter, as already stated, would tend to lessen the cost and expedite the completion of the work as a whole.

Very respectfully,

HUBERT O. THOMPSON, Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over in connection with G. O. 389.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Alderman Roosevelt—

Resolved, That the New York Cooking School be allowed to retain sign now in front of premises No. 1516 Broadway during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Duffy—

Resignation of Herbert A. Shipman as a Commissioner of Deeds.

Which was accepted.

By the same—

Resolved, That Hobart Oakley be and he hereby is appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Herbert A. Shipman, who has resigned said office.

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

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

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

By Alderman McLean—

Resolved, That John Mulligan be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in the place of Edwin R. Root, who has failed to qualify.

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

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

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

By Alderman Martin—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to C. T. Ames to place and keep a platform scale in West Twenty-first street, near the bulkhead line, as shown on the annexed diagram; such scale to be flush with the surface of the street, and so constructed as to be no obstruction or impediment to the free uses of the street by the public; the work done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Kenney—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman McClave—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Mutual Benefit Ice Company to place and keep a platform scale and small weigh office in West Forty-sixth street, on the south side, about ten or fifteen feet east of the bulkhead line, on the North river, as shown on the accompanying diagram, the said scale to be constructed flush with the surface of the street, and to be no obstruction or impediment to the free use of the street by the public, the work to be done at the expense of the Company, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Levy—

Resolved, That the resolution approved October 17, 1881, giving permission to John McKiernan to retain a stand for the sale of newspapers corner of Park place and Church street, be and it is hereby annulled, rescinded and repealed.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman O'Neil—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to James McCafferty to place and keep a post and small sign on the sidewalk, near the curb-stone, in front of No. 2128 Third avenue; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

PETITIONS RESUMED.

By Alderman Wells—

Petition of property-owners in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards in favor of granting permission to the Suburban Rapid Transit Company to operate their elevated railroads in said wards.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York:

We, the undersigned residents and taxpayers of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, respectfully and urgently petition your Honorable Body to pass, as soon as possible, the ordinance introduced by our representative, Hon. James L. Wells, granting permission to the Suburban Rapid Transit Company to cross with its routes under or over the streets, roads, and avenues in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.

Jos. G. Rowland.
Estate of Geo. Lyons, by J. G. Rowland, Ex.
Elward Smith.
Ernest Hall.
William Wells.
Isaac J. Mackinley.
David C. Tefft.

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

Frank W. Terry.
David M. Woodall.
Harvey Scofield.
A. J. Wood.
Robert Wilson.
H. Carpenter.
Milton E. Van Fleet.

By the same—

Resolved, That the attention of the Commissioners of the Board of Health be called to the nuisance maintained on the lands of David Lydig, on the easterly side of the Bronx river, near the iron bridge over said river, near the factory of the Bronx Wool and Leather Company, and that said Commissioners be and they are hereby requested to take measures to abate said nuisance forthwith. The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman McClave—

Resolved, That Eben Demarest be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, his term of office expiring July 22, 1882. Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman McAvoy—

Resolved, That John Torney be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, whose term of office expires July 22, 1882. Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That Croton-mains be laid in One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, between Ninth and St. Nicholas avenues, as provided in chapter 381 of the Laws of 1879. Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman O'Neil—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Buse & Miller to place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk, near the curb-stone, in front of their premises, No. 320 Broome street, the work to be done and water supplied at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council. The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman McAvoy—

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

By Alderman Seaman—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to N. G. Schuyler to erect a sign across sidewalk in Twentieth street; also Twenty-first street, west of Eleventh avenue, thirteen feet above sidewalk; also small signs on posts, northwest corner Twentieth street and Eleventh avenue and northwest corner Twenty-first street and Eleventh avenue, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council. The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the President—

Resolved, That the names of the persons contained in the first column of the following list be and are hereby corrected so as to read as contained in the second column, being the names of persons recently appointed Commissioners of Deeds:

Frederick Krapp, to read.....	Frederick Kropp.
Edmund F. O'Dwyer, ".....	Edward F. O'Dwyer.
John J. Mandeville, ".....	John I. Mandeville.
Jacob Abarbanel, ".....	Jacob Abarbanell.
W. George Oppenheim, ".....	Wm. Geo. Oppenheim.
John Kline, ".....	John Klein.
Joseph Hartshorn, ".....	Joseph W. Hartshorn.

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

By Alderman Seaman—

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

By Alderman Martin—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Green & Thomas to erect a storm-door in front of premises No. 59 West Thirty-first street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

By Alderman Waite—

Resolved, That the Polo Ground, located between One Hundred and Tenth and One Hundred and Twelfth streets, and Fifth and Sixth avenues, be and is hereby excepted from the provisions of section 181 of article XIII. of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of 1880.

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

By Alderman Levy—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Giovanni Valenti to place and keep a fruit-stand on southeast corner of Thirty-fourth street and Ninth avenue, said stand to be under the stairs of the elevated railroad; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

By Alderman Wells—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street-lamps lighted in Catherine street, from Samuel street to the Kingsbridge road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By the same—

Resolved, That Croton water-mains be laid in East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, between North Third avenue and the Southern Boulevard, as provided in chapter 381 of the Laws of 1879.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Martin—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Wendel Kohlmann to retain a barber's pole in front of premises No. 927 Sixth avenue; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

By the President—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Edward Ryan to place a watering-trough in front of No. 396 West Twelfth street, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council. The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Duffy—

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized to lay water-mains in Ninety-seventh street, between Second and Third avenues, as provided by chapter 381, Laws of 1879.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman McAvoy—

Resolved, That John E. Lowry be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of John E. Lowry, whose term of office expires July 2, 1882.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Duffy—

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

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

By Alderman Finck—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to A. Goldstein to hang two small swinging signs, each 18 inches by 3 feet wide, in front of his premises, No. 264 Grand street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

By Alderman Kirk—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Steinhardt Brothers to place and keep an ornamental iron drinking-fountain, for man and beast, on the sidewalk in front of No. 91 Hudson street, the work to be done and water supplied at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

By Alderman Keenan—

Resolved, That Croton water-mains be laid under the sidewalk in Seventh avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-seventh to One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, as provided in chapter 381 of the Laws of 1879.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By the same—

Resolved, That John E. Ingersoll be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of John E. Ingersoll, whose term of office expired June 18, 1882.

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

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

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

By Alderman Duffy—

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

By the President—

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

By Alderman Seaman—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to James McEneaney to place and keep a sign on awning at No. 85 Bedford street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

By Alderman Wells—

Resolved, That the roadway of Willis avenue, from the crosswalk at or near the intersection of said avenue with the northerly side of the Southern Boulevard to the crosswalk at or near the intersection of said avenue with the easterly side of North Third avenue and as much of the roadway at each intersection of any other street or avenue with said avenue as lies between the crosswalk across such intersection and the curb-line of said Willis avenue, be paved with Telford-Macadam pavement except where crosswalks shall have heretofore been ordered to be laid, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

By Alderman Duffy—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to James S. McGovern to retain signs on awning posts, on the curb-line, in front of premises No. 1124 Third avenue; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

By the President—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Jacob Pinner to erect a barber's pole in front of his premises, Nos. 155 and 157 East Twenty-sixth street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

By Alderman McAvoy—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street-lamps lighted in Twelfth avenue, between One Hundred and Thirtieth and One Hundred and Thirty-third streets, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Levy—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Jacob Doll to place lumber on the sidewalk in front of his premises, No. 508 East Nineteenth street, for the purpose of removing the same daily into the shop; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

By Alderman Strack—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to M. F. Lyons to lay a crosswalk from in front of Nos. 259 to 264 Bowerly, 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.

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

(G. O. 394.)

By Alderman Duffy—

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to the trustees of the Church of All Saints to construct a coal vault under the sidewalk in front of the church edifice, on Madison avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-ninth and One Hundred and Thirtieth streets, without payment of the usual fee, the work to be done under the direction and supervision of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Levy—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Morris Frohmann to place and keep side curtains and sign on awning of tin or other light metal or canvas, in front of his premises No. 699 Third avenue; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

By Alderman Fleishbein—

Resolved, That one lamp-post be erected, and boulevard lamp placed and lighted, in front of the main entrance to the Methodist Episcopal Church, Nos. 120, 122, 124, 126 Allen street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Geo. Fennell & Co. to display, from the roof of their premises, No. 248 Grand street, a banner sign; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

By Alderman McAvoy—

Resolved, That One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, be paved with granite pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

By Alderman Fitzpatrick—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to D. Barry to stand, with a small wagon, for the sale of lemonade, in front of No. 34 Broad street, he having the consent of the owner of the property; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

By Alderman Martin—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Schaffer to place and keep a soda-water stand, on the curb-stone, in front of premises No. 348 Canal street, said stand not to be more than six feet long, the work done at his own expense; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

By Alderman Keenan—

Whereas, The public offices of the Corporation of the City of New York will be closed on Tuesday, July 4, 1882, and no business will be transacted therein, it being a legal holiday, and as closing or only partially opening these offices on the day preceding, Monday, July 3, 1882, would not seriously, if at all, inconvenience the public, or interfere injuriously with the public business, while it would afford an opportunity to a great many persons of enjoying a limited vacation; be it therefore Resolved, That the heads of the several Departments of the City Government be and they are hereby authorized and requested to close their respective offices on Monday, July 3, 1882, when in their opinion no detriment thereby will be done to the public business, or to partially open such public offices should they deem that the interests of the public require it.

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

By Alderman Kirk—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to C. M. Moseman & Brother to erect a post ten feet high and place a sign thereon, said sign to be four feet square, on the curb-stone in front of their store, No. 128 Chambers street, the work done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Alderman Waite moved that when the Board adjourns it do adjourn to meet again on Monday next, the third day of July, at 12 o'clock, M.

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

By Alderman Kenney—

Whereas, In gross and direct violation of law, as also the interests of this Commonwealth, the Iron Steamboat Company, at Pier No. 1, North river, is now monopolizing said pier without the least sense of justice or benefit towards the undeniable rights of the citizens of this Metropolis, especially the inhabitants of the lower districts thereof; and, from information, said company does allow the sale of intoxicating liquors without license, and actually using said pier for the non-beneficial and immoral use of a concert saloon and beer garden, charging an admission-fee of fifteen cents for entrance to same; such an outrageous abuse of power being daily enacted by the above-mentioned company, without the remotest fear of law or redress on the part of the municipal authorities of the City of New York; and

Whereas, The decision of Judge Donohue, when referred to him for adjudication in the matter of the power of the Common Council to thoroughly investigate and correct the above-mentioned abuses, completely divests this Board of all remedial powers in regard to the interests of the city as involved; and as, also, a full and complete report was made to this Board by the Committee on Docks, to whom said matter was referred for investigation, and in such report a true and lucid explanation was given of the total disregard of the chartered rights of the people by the aforesaid Iron Steamboat Company and their arrogant infringement thereon; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Dock Commissioners, the Board of Excise and the Corporation Counsel, be requested to take thorough and efficient action in the matter and in the justified rights of this community, whereby the above-mentioned evils shall be remedied and the people derive the benefits for which said pier was originally intended.

Resolved, That the Clerk of this Board furnish a copy of the above preamble and resolution respectively to the Board of Dock Commissioners, the Board of Excise and the Corporation Counsel, for their immediate action thereon and in accordance therewith.

Which was referred to the Committee on Docks.

By Alderman Wells—

Resolved, That a respectful message be sent to his Honor the Mayor, requesting the return of G. O. 146, being a report of Committee on Public Works in favor of a resolution and ordinance in favor of laying cross-walks in Willis avenue and intersecting streets.

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

Subsequently the paper was received from his Honor the Mayor, and is as follows:

Resolved, That crosswalks be laid where not heretofore laid, across Willis avenue, at the intersection of each street between the southerly side of the Southern Boulevard and the easterly side of Third avenue, and across each street between the aforesaid limits at each intersection with said Willis avenue, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Alderman Wells moved a reconsideration of the vote by which the resolution was adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Alderman Wells then moved to amend by striking out the word "side," where it occurs in the resolution and ordinance, and inserting in lieu thereof the compound word "curb-line."

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution and ordinance as amended.

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

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

The President, for Alderman Fitzpatrick, moved that his Honor the Mayor be requested to return a resolution heretofore passed by this Board authorizing lamps to be lighted in front of the entrances to the Mission of the Immaculate Virgin, as follows:

Resolved, That two lamp-posts be erected and a boulevard-lamp be placed and lighted on each, in front of the entrances of the Mission of the Immaculate Virgin, on Lafayette place, and on Fourth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

On motion, the vote by which the resolution was adopted was then reconsidered, and the paper was ordered on file.

REPORTS.

(G. O. 395.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, curb and gutter, and flagging One Hundred and Eighteenth street, from Fourth to Sixth avenue, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary, and have prepared and herewith present a new resolution and ordinance, marked "A," providing for the performance of the work. They therefore recommend that the said resolution and ordinance, marked "A," be adopted.

Resolved, That One Hundred and Eighteenth street, from the west curb of Fourth avenue to the east curb of Sixth avenue, be regulated, graded, curbed, and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 396.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Seventeenth street, from Fourth to Sixth avenue, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary, and have prepared and herewith present a new resolution and ordinance, marked "A," providing for the performance of the work. They therefore recommend that the said resolution and ordinance, marked "A," be adopted.

Resolved, That One Hundred and Seventeenth street, from the west curb of Fourth avenue to the east curb of Fifth avenue, be regulated, graded, curbed, and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 397.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of laying Croton-mains in East One Hundred and Sixtieth street, between Morris and Railroad avenues, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That Croton water-mains be laid in East One Hundred and Sixtieth street, from Morris avenue to Railroad avenue, east, as provided in chapter 381 of the Laws of 1879.

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

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 398.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of laying Croton-mains in St. Ann's avenue, between Westchester avenue and East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That Croton water-mains be laid in St. Ann's avenue, from Westchester avenue to East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, as provided in chapter 381 of the Laws of 1879.

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

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 399.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution an ordinance in favor of laying Croton water-mains in Riverdale Drive, between One Hundred and First and One Hundred and Third streets, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That Croton water-mains be laid in Riverdale Drive, between One Hundred and First street and One Hundred and Third street, as provided in chapter 381 of the Laws of 1879.

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

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 400.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of laying water-mains in Madison avenue, from One Hundred and Twentieth to One Hundred and Twenty-first street, and in One Hundred and Twentieth street, from Fourth to Madison avenue, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized to lay water-mains in Madison avenue, between One Hundred and Twentieth and One Hundred and Twenty-first streets, and in One Hundred and Twentieth street, between Fourth and Madison avenues, as provided by chapter 381, Laws of 1879.

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

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 401.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of laying water-mains in Madison avenue, from One Hundred and Ninth to One Hundred and Tenth street, and in One Hundred and Ninth street, from Fourth to Madison avenue, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized to lay water-mains in Madison avenue, between One Hundred and Ninth and One Hundred and Tenth streets, and in One Hundred and Ninth street, between Fourth and Madison avenues, as provided by chapter 381, Laws of 1879.

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

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 402.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of laying Croton-mains in East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, from Boston road to Union avenue, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That Croton water-mains be laid in East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, from the Boston road to Union avenue, as provided in chapter 381 of the Laws of 1879.

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

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 403.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, curb and gutter and flag East One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, between North Third avenue and Courtland avenue, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That East One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, between the western curb-line of North Third avenue and the eastern curb-line of Courtland avenue, be regulated and graded, the curb, gutter and flag stones, where not on the established line or grade, be taken up, the curb and gutter stones reset, and the flag-stones relaid four feet in width; new curb and gutter stones be set, and new flag-stones four feet in width be laid on each sidewalk where not heretofore set or laid; and crosswalks be laid where not heretofore laid across the roadway at each intersection of said street with each avenue, and at the intersection of each avenue with said street, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 404.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of laying a crosswalk across East One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, at its intersection with College avenue, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary, and have drafted the annexed resolution and ordinance, marked "A," and recommend that it be adopted in lieu of the resolution submitted to the Committee.

Resolved, That a crosswalk be laid across the roadway of each intersection of East One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street with College avenue, and across the roadway of each intersection of said avenue with said street, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 405.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, curb, gutter and flagging, and laying crosswalks in East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, between Third and St. Ann's avenues, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, between the eastern curb-line of North Third avenue and the western curb-line of St. Ann's avenue, be regulated and graded, the curb, gutter and flag stones where not on the established line or grade be taken up, the curb and gutter stones reset, and the flag-stones relaid four feet in width; new curb and gutter stones be set, and new flag-stones four feet in width be laid on each sidewalk where not heretofore set or laid; and crosswalks be laid, where not heretofore laid, across the roadway at each intersection of said street with each avenue, and at the intersection of each avenue with said street, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

JAMES L. WELLS, } Committee
JOHN McCLAVE, } on
FERDINAND LEVY, } Public Works.
MICHAEL DUFFY, }

Which was laid over.

The Committee on Railroads, to which was referred the application of the Suburban Rapid Transit Company for consent of the local authorities of the City of New York to construct, maintain and operate steam railways within said city, together with the numerous signed petitions of property-owners of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, requesting the Board of Aldermen to grant said application as soon as possible, respectfully

REPORT :

Your Committee has afforded opportunity for a public hearing, after notice given, of the several parties in interest, so far as the Committee has known how to reach them; and has been attended by said parties, and has actually heard all who attended and expressed a desire to be heard. There has been no remonstrance offered on the part of the people of said wards against granting the permission asked by the Suburban Rapid Transit Company to cross with its routes under or over the streets, roads and avenues in that section of the city.

Your Committee report further: That the Suburban Rapid Transit Company is a corporation which was duly incorporated and organized in October, 1880, under the provisions of the Rapid Transit Act of 1875, with authority to construct, maintain and operate a steam railway or railways, to afford rapid transit to the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York, upon certain routes laid out by Commissioners duly appointed under said act. The routes thus determined in said wards are laid out upon private property, and do not occupy any of the streets or avenues therein—crossing the same in all instances either above or below the grades of said streets or avenues.

Authority to cross the Harlem river, upon plans which have been approved by the Department of Public Parks, and by the Engineer of the United States in charge of the Harlem River Improvement, has been given by said Board of Rapid Transit Commissioners and by said Department of Public Parks, according to the provisions of law on that subject.

The capital of the Suburban Rapid Transit Company has been subscribed; and the Company proposes forthwith to construct a road or roads for rapid steam transit within the district covered by said two wards of the City of New York, where the need for such facilities is greatly felt and is earnestly desired by its inhabitants.

Your Committee therefore recommend that the resolution heretofore offered, giving the consent asked for, be adopted, being the same resolution, a draft of which was submitted for the consideration of the Board, with and annexed to the communication in writing from the Company requesting the consent thereon expressed. The said resolution is as follows:

Resolved, That consent is hereby given that a railway or railways be constructed and operated upon and along, or over or under and across, the several streets, avenues, places and lands, as, and upon and along the route or routes and the several connections thereof, fixed, determined, located designated by the commissioners, heretofore and on the 6th day of March, 1880, appointed by the then Mayor of the City of New York, under and pursuant to the provisions of chapter 606 of the Laws of 1875, which said railway or railways the Suburban Rapid Transit Company has been incorporated and organized to construct and operate.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS BRADY, } Committee on
JOSEPH P. STRACK, } Railroads.
JAMES L. WELLS, }

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

Which was laid over by the following vote, viz.:

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

(G. O. 406.)

The Committee on Streets and Street Pavements, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of paving One Hundred and Sixth street, from Third to Lexington avenue, with trap-blocks, respectfully

REPORT :

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

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

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

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 407.)

The Committee on Streets and Street Pavements, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of paving One Hundred and Seventh street, from First to Third avenue, with trap-blocks, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That the roadway of One Hundred and Seventh street, from a line twelve feet west of the west curb-line of First avenue to the easterly crosswalk of Third avenue, be paved with trap-block pavement where not already paved, and that a crosswalk of three courses of blue stone be laid across said street, adjoining the easterly end of the above-described pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was laid over.

The Committee on Streets and Street Pavements, to whom was referred the annexed resolution to permit "the owners of property Nos. 33 to 34 Gold street to extend the vault into the street a distance of not more than eight feet beyond the curb-line, upon the payment of the usual fee," respectfully

REPORT :

That your Committee are in favor of the adoption of the resolution, but recommend that it be so amended as to save the city harmless from any loss or damage that may occur by reason of the permission given to extend the vaults. This is necessary, as in the absence of any such provision, the city, not the owners of the property, would be liable in damages for any loss or injury sustained thereby during the progress of the work, or subsequent to its completion.

The following resolution is therefore respectfully offered for your adoption, in lieu of the resolution referred to by your Committee.

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to the American Heating and Power Company, the owners of property Nos. 33 to 43 Gold street, to extend the vault into the street a distance of not more than eight feet beyond the curb-line, upon the payment of the usual fee; provided the work be done in a durable and substantial manner, and that the said American Heating and Power Company shall stipulate with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the city harmless from any loss or damage that may occur by reason of the extension of the said vault, during the progress or subsequent to the completion thereof; the work to be done under the direction and supervision of the Commissioner of Public Works, and the permission hereby given to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS RESUMED.

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

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, }
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, June 17, 1882. }

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

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

Title of Appropriations.	Amt of Appropriations.	Payments.
City Contingencies.....	\$1,000 00	\$16 50
Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council.....	250 00	20 75
Salaries—Common Council.....	63,000 00	26,234 83

RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.

Which was ordered on file.

MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 27, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted June 20, 1882, giving permission to M. Meyers to place a sign on the sidewalk in front of No. 88 Bleecker street, for the reason that it is intended to place this sign on the curb.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to M. Meyers to place and keep a sign on the sidewalk, near the curb-stone, in front of No. 88 Bleecker street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 27, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted June 20, 1882, giving permission to Patrick O'Connor to keep a sign on awning-rail in front of No. 164 Chatham street, for the reason that signs extending from house to curb are considered dangerous.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Patrick O'Connor to place and keep a sign on the awning-rail parallel with the curb-stones in front of his place of business, No. 164 Chatham street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 27, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted June 20, 1882, giving permission to J. F. O'Mealia to suspend banner signs across several streets, for the reason that such signs are considered dangerous and objectionable.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to J. F. O'Mealia to suspend banner signs across the streets, at the following-named places, he having obtained the consent of the several owners of property viz.: From No. 20 to No. 19 Fulton street; from No. 830 to 835 Broadway; from No. 295 to No. 300 Bowery; from No. 6 East Fifty-ninth street to pole at vacant lot opposite, and across West street at Pier No. 6; such permission to continue only until September 1, 1882.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 27, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted June 20, 1882, giving permission to Robert Fair to retain a sign in front of No. 238 Mulberry street, for the reason that signs extending from house to curb are considered dangerous.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Robert Fair to retain the sign now in front of premises No. 238 Mulberry street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 27, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted June 20, 1882, giving permission to John Hahn to place a barber-pole in front of No. 171 Third avenue, for the reason that it is intended to place this pole on the curb.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Hahn to place a barber-pole on the curb-line in front of No. 171 Third avenue; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 27, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted June 20, 1882, giving permission to Jonas Goldsmith to place a sign in front of No. 103 West Fourteenth street, for the reason that signs extending over the sidewalk are considered dangerous.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Jonas Goldsmith to place a sign in front of his premises, No. 103 West Fourteenth street, the work to be done at his own expense; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 27, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted June 20, 1882, giving permission to James McGuire to place a banner sign across the sidewalk in front of No. 6 West Fourth street, for the reason that signs extending from house to curb are considered objectionable and dangerous.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to James McGuire to place and keep a banner sign across the sidewalk, two feet wide and the length of the width of the sidewalk, and suspended at the outer end from a pole ten feet high and six inches in diameter, in front of No. 6 West Fourth street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 27, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted June 20, 1882, giving permission to John W. Suhr to erect an awning in front of No. 739 Second avenue for the reason that the occupants of the adjoining premises object.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to John W. Suhr to erect a rolling canvas awning in front of premises No. 739 Second avenue, the same to be thoroughly supported in all respects so as not to interfere with the general public or its safety; the space covered shall be from house to curb, and the said permission to exist during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor :
MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 27, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted June 20, 1882, giving permission to Martin Keena to retain an express stand in front of No. 27 Park place, on the sidewalk under the stairs of the elevated railroad, for the reason that such stands are considered objectionable.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Martin Keena to retain express stand in front of 27 Park place, under the stairs of the elevated railroad; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor :
MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 27, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted June 20, 1882, giving permission to Simon Littenstein to erect a soda-water stand in front of No. 49 Chatham street, for the reason that the party named in the resolution is not known at No. 49 Chatham street, and the location of the proposed stand could not be ascertained.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby granted to Simon Littenstein to place and erect a soda-water stand four feet long and three feet high in front of 49 Chatham street, to remain during the pleasure of the Common Council, the landlord of said building having given the permission in writing.

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

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor :
MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 27, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted June 20, 1882, giving permission to Michael McLoughlin to place a sign across the sidewalk in front of No. 201 East One Hundred and Sixth street, for the reason that signs extending across the sidewalk, from house to curb, are considered dangerous.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Michael McLoughlin to place a sign across the sidewalk in front of premises No. 201 East One Hundred and Sixth street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor :
MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 27, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted June 20, 1882, giving permission to H. Grutering to keep a storm-door at No. 269 Greenwich street, for the reason that this structure is to be used, not as a storm-door but as a water-closet, and would be very objectionable.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to H. Grutering to place and keep a storm-door at the entrance to his premises, No. 269 Greenwich street, such storm-door to be within the stoop-line; the permission hereby given to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor :
MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 27, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted June 20, 1882, giving permission to Louis Nicholas to erect a barber-pole in Thirty-first street, near the corner of Broadway, for the reason that it is intended to place this pole on the curb.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That the resolution which became adopted May 2, 1882, permitting Louis Nicholas to erect a barber-pole at curb-stone in front of No. 49 West Thirty-first street, be and is hereby amended by striking out the words and figures "front of his premises, No. 49 West Thirty-first street," and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "Thirty-first street, near the corner of Broadway," so that said resolution, when so amended, shall read as follows :

"Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Louis Nicholas to erect a barber-pole in Thirty-first street near the corner of Broadway; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council."

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

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor :
MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 27, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted June 13, 1882, giving permission to George H. Beyer to place a show-case in front of 265 Sixth avenue, for the reason that on account of its size it would be very objectionable in obstructing the view of the adjoining premises.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to George H. Beyer to place and keep a show-case within the stoop-line in front of No. 265 Sixth avenue; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor :
MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 27, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted June 13, 1882, giving permission to Joseph Tiegel to place a coal-box on sidewalk in front of No. 303 West Twenty-fourth street, for the reason that it is intended to place this coal-box on the sidewalk near the curb, forming a very objectionable obstruction.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Joseph Tiegel to place a coal-box on sidewalk at No. 303 West Twenty-fourth street, the work done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor :
MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 27, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted June 13, 1882, giving permission to the Standard Oil Company to erect a post and sign in front of No. 140 or 142 Waverley place, for the reason that it is intended to place this post and sign on the sidewalk near the curb. A similar resolution was vetoed by the Mayor on the 16th of May, 1882.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Standard Oil Company to place and keep a post surmounted by a sign on the sidewalk in front of No. 140 or 142 Waverley place; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor :
MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 27, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted June 13, 1882, giving permission to Schroeder Bros. to place a sign, etc., over the awning-rail across the sidewalk, for the reason that such signs are considered dangerous.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Schroeder Bros. to place a canvas strip along the edge of the awning across the sidewalk in front of No. 32 Gansevoort street, not to

exceed four feet in width; also to place and keep a sign, not more than eighteen inches wide and extending over awning-rail, across the sidewalk; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor :
MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 27, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted June 13, 1882, giving permission to James J. Slevin to place a sign in front of his place of business, No. 246 East Twenty-sixth street, for the reason that it is intended to place this sign on the curb.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to James J. Slevin to place a sign at the curb-line in front of his place of business, No. 246 East Twenty-sixth street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor :
MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 27, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted June 13, 1882, giving permission to Mrs. Maggie Muzzio to retain a small stand in front of No. 176 Liberty street, for the reason that there is no such number in Liberty street, and it could not be ascertained where it is intended to locate this stand.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Mrs. Maggie Muzzio to retain a small stand for the sale of fruit in front of No. 176 Liberty street; permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor :
MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 27, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted June 13, 1882, giving permission to James Waters to retain a stand, etc., corner of Twentieth street and Tenth avenue, for the reason that such stands are considered objectionable incumbrances.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to James Waters to retain stand for the sale of newspapers on southeast corner of Twentieth street and Tenth avenue; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor :
MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 27, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted June 13, 1882, giving permission to Frederick W. Kassebaum to retain a barber-pole on northwest corner of Eighty-sixth street and Third avenue, for the reason that this pole is placed on the curb.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Frederick W. Kassebaum to erect and retain a barber-pole on northwest corner of Eighty-sixth street and Third avenue, the work to be done at his own expense; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor, MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 27, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted June 13, 1882, giving permission to S. F. Myers & Co. to place a sign in front of their premises, No. 179 Broadway, for the reason that it would obstruct the view of the adjoining premises.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to S. F. Myers & Co. to place a sign in front of their premises, No. 179 Broadway, the work done at their own expense; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor :
MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 27, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted June 13, 1882, giving permission to Isidore Linderman to retain a sign in front of No. 386 Seventh avenue, for the reason that signs extending across the sidewalk, from house to curb, are considered dangerous.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Isidore Linderman to retain sign and post now in front of his premises, No. 386 Seventh avenue; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor :
MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 27, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted June 13, 1882, giving permission to H. A. Reider to erect a sign across the sidewalk in front of No. 366 Pearl street, for the reason that signs extending from house to curb are considered dangerous and objectionable.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to H. A. Reider to erect a sign across the sidewalk, such sign to be fourteen feet above sidewalk and to be placed in front of No. 366 Pearl street, the work done at his own expense; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor :
MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 27, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted June 13, 1882, giving permission to H. Newman to retain a bill-board in front of No. 390 Seventh avenue, for the reason that this board is placed on the curb.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to H. Newman to retain a bill-board on the curb-line in front of No. 390 Seventh avenue; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor :
MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 27, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted June 13, 1882, giving permission to Norman L. Munro to extend vaults in front of his premises, Nos. 24 and 26 Vandewater street, four feet beyond the curb-line, for the reason that this street is narrow, and the extension of the vaults as desired would endanger the sewer and water pipes.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Norman L. Munro to extend the vault in front of his premises, Nos. 24 and 26 Vandewater street, a distance of four feet beyond the curb-line, as shown on the annexed diagram, upon payment of the usual fee, provided the work be done in a durable and substantial manner, and that the said Norman L. Munro shall stipulate with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the city harmless from any loss or damage that may occur in consequence of the building or extension of said vault, during the progress or subsequent to the completion thereof, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Com-

missioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 27, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted June 13, 1882, giving permission to John McGoldrick to retain meat-rack and stand on the northeast corner of Dey and West streets, for the reason that it obstructs the view of the adjoining premises.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John McGoldrick to retain the meat-rack and stand now on the northeast corner of Dey and West streets; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 27, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted June 13, 1882, giving permission to Gottlieb Mayer to place a barber-pole in front of No. 498 Second avenue, for the reason that it is intended to place this pole on the curb.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Gottlieb Mayer to place a barber-pole on the curb-line in front of No. 498 Second avenue; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 27, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted June 13, 1882, giving permission to the Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Company to suspend a sign over the sidewalk in front of Nos. 126 and 128 East Thirteenth street, for the reason that signs extending over the sidewalk are considered dangerous.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Company to suspend a wire sign, 10 feet long and 15 feet wide, over the sidewalk in front of premises Nos. 126 and 128 East Thirteenth street, the said sign to be an altitude of at least 12 feet from the walk; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 27, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted June 13, 1882, giving permission to Thomas I. McBride to erect a stand at Chatham Square, under the stairs of the elevated railroad, for the reason that the party named in the resolution could be not found, neither could the size or exact location of the stand be ascertained.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Thomas I. McBride to erect a stand for the sale of newspapers, at Chatham Square, under the stairs of the elevated railroad; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 27, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted June 13, 1882, directing that a free drinking-hydrant be placed at the corner of Third street and South Fifth avenue, for the reason that the appropriation for free drinking-hydrants is nearly exhausted.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That a free drinking-hydrant be placed at the southeast corner of Third street and South Fifth avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 27, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted June 13, 1882, giving permission to I. Martino to keep a movable stand in front of No. 2 Cortlandt street, for the reason that it is intended to place this stand on the curb, which would be very objectionable in such a crowded thoroughfare.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to I. Martino to place and keep a small movable stand for the purpose of selling fruit, at No. 2 Cortlandt street, the work to be done at his own expense; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 27, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted June 13, 1882, giving permission to Michael Fraler to erect a barber-pole on the southeast corner of Twenty-seventh street and Sixth avenue, for the reason that it is intended to place this pole on the curb.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Michael Fraler to erect a barber-pole on the southeast corner of Twenty-seventh street and Sixth avenue; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 27, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted June 20, 1882, giving permission to George Euler to erect an awning in front of No. 708 Third avenue, for the reason that the occupants of the adjoining premises object.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to George Euler to erect an awning in front of 708 Third avenue, the same to be constructed of tin or other light metal; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 27, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted June 20, 1882, giving permission to Charles Tupper to place a banner sign in front of No. 6 Stone street, for the reason that building No. 6 Stone street is being torn down.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Charles Tupper to place a banner sign in front of his premises, No. 6 Stone street, the same to extend five feet from house, and three feet high; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 27, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted June 13, 1882, giving permission to Jacob Pinner to retain a barber-pole in its present location, Twenty-sixth street and Third avenue, for the reason that this pole is placed on the curb, and is so placed that it obstructs the light of the street-lamp, as per accompanying diagram.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That Jacob Pinner be and he is hereby allowed to retain the barber's pole in its present location on the northwest corner of East Twenty-sixth street and Third avenue.

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

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

By Alderman Brady—

Resolved, That the Committee on Lands and Places be directed to inquire, with power to send for persons and papers, and report to this Board by what right One Hundred and Eleventh street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, is used as a professional base ball ground, and the same being city property and for admission to which citizens are charged a fee.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Alderman McAvoy called up G. O. 317, being a resolution, as follows:

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

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

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

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

Alderman McAvoy called up G. O. 382, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That the grade of One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, between the Boulevard and Hudson river, be changed as shown on accompanying diagram, viz.: on the westerly line of the Boulevard to 106 feet; on the easterly line of the Public Drive 236 feet 5 inches west of the westerly line of the Boulevard to 84 feet; 134 feet 3½ inches west of the easterly line of the Public Drive to 82 feet, at a point 179 feet 3½ inches westerly of the last-mentioned point to 64 feet; 450 feet westerly of the last-mentioned point to 31 feet 6 inches, and 300 feet west of the last-mentioned point to 6 feet.

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

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

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

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Waite moved that the Board do now adjourn.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Finck, Fleishbein, Kenney, McAvoy, Seaman, Strack, and Waite—8.

Negative—Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Kirk, Levy, Martin, McClave, O'Neil, Roosevelt, and Wells—9.

By Alderman Kirk—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Augustus Fengado to erect an awning on the northeast corner of West and Cedar streets, the same to continue during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS RESUMED.

Alderman Wells called up G. O. 387, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized to procure the necessary materials and labor and build steps, platforms and necessary constructions in connection therewith, the expense thereof to be chargeable to the appropriation for "Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening" for the purpose of affording access from Sedgwick avenue to the Gate House at the easterly end of High Bridge; said labor to be done by day's work, and such material to be procured by private contract, without public letting, as prescribed by section 91 of the charter, chapter 335, Laws of 1873.

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

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

Affirmative—Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fleishbein, Kenney, Levy, McAvoy, McClave, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, and Wells—14.

Negative—The President, Aldermen Kirk, Martin, and Waite—4.

On motion of Alderman Wells, the above vote was reconsidered and the paper again laid over.

Alderman Wells called up G. O. 349, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

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

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fleishbein, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McClave, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, Waite, and Wells—18.

Alderman McClave called up G. O. 389, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That the Department of Public Parks is hereby authorized to carry out that portion of the work of improvement in Morningside Park which is necessary to be done under its direction, in conjunction with the improvement of Morningside avenue, west, under the Department of Public Works, in pursuance of chapter 565, Laws of 1880; the said work to be done and said materials to be procured by private contract or contracts without public letting, as prescribed by section 91 of the Charter, chapter 335 of the Laws of 1873.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fleishbein, Kenney, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McClave, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, Waite, and Wells—17.

Alderman McClave called up G. O. 168, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street-lamps lighted in East One Hundred and Seventeenth street, between Washington and Railroad avenues; the work to be done under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fleishbein, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McClave, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, Waite, and Wells—17.

Alderman Fleishbein called up G. O. 359, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That one lamp-post be erected and boulevard lamp placed and lighted in front of the main entrance to the Church of the Congregation Schara Schamaiem, Nos. 89, 91, 93 Rivington street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fleishbein, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McClave, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, Waite, and Wells—18.

Alderman Fleishbein called up G. O. 388, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That Croton water-mains be laid in East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from Morris avenue to Fleetwood avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, as provided in chapter 381 of the Laws of 1879.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fleishbein, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McClave, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, Waite, and Wells—18.

Alderman Roosevelt called up G. O. 375, being a preamble and resolution, as follows :
Whereas, information has been received that a Siamese prince is about to visit this country, as the Special Ambassador of his Majesty the King of Siam ; therefore be it
Resolved, That a committee be appointed to make suitable arrangements for his reception on his arrival in this city, and that said committee be empowered to extend to him the hospitalities and courtesies due to the representative of a nation in treaty relations with the United States.
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said preamble and resolution.

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Kenney, Kirk, McAvoy, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, Waite, and Wells—14.
Negative—Aldermen Fleishbein, Levy, Martin, and McClave—4.
And the President subsequently appointed as such Committee Aldermen Roosevelt, Wells, McClave, Levy, and McLean.

The President here announced as the Special Committee to make provision for properly celebrating the approaching Centennial of the Evacuation of the City of New York by the British troops in 1783, as suggested by his Honor the Mayor, in a message to this Common Council, May 16, 1882 (page 622 of proceedings), transmitting a letter from the Corresponding Secretary of the New York Historical Society, with a copy of a resolution adopted by that body on the subject, Aldermen Waite, Roosevelt, Fitzpatrick, McClave, O'Neil, Hawes, and Duffy.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

Alderman Waite moved that the Board do now adjourn.

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

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

Affirmative—Aldermen Fleishbein, Kenney, Kirk, and McLean—4.
Negative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McClave, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Strack, Waite, and Wells—12.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman O'Neil called up G. O. 363, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows :

Resolved, That Croton water-mains be laid in Sixty-eighth street, from First avenue to Avenue A, as provided in chapter 381, Laws of 1879.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fleishbein, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McClave, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, Waite, and Wells—18.

Alderman O'Neil called up G. O. 320, being a resolution, as follows :

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

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

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

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

Alderman Martin, by unanimous consent, called up G. O. 340, being a resolution, as follows :

Resolved, That a bracket lamp be fitted up and lighted in front of No. 522 Washington street, between Charlton and Spring streets, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fleishbein, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McClave, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, Waite, and Wells—18.

The President called up G. O. 379, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows :

Resolved, That East Twenty-sixth street, from the line of the present pavement to a point about one hundred and seventy feet easterly, be regulated and graded, curb-stones set and sidewalks flagged a space eight feet wide, and that the roadway be paved with trap-block pavement between the aforesaid limits, as shown on the annexed map, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefore be adopted.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Finck, Fleishbein, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, McAvoy, McClave, McLean, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Strack, Waite, and Wells—18.

Alderman Roosevelt called up G. O. 336, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows :
Resolved, That two crosswalks, of three courses of granite each, be laid across One Hundred and Twenty-fifth (125th) street, one at the easterly and one at the westerly side of Lexington avenue, within the lines of the sidewalks of said Lexington avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefore be adopted.

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

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

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

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman McAvoy moved that the Board do now adjourn.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the President announced that the Board stood adjourned until Monday next, the 3d day of July, at 12 o'clock, M., as provided by law, in order to receive the tax-rolls for the year 1882, from the Commissioner of the Department of Taxes and Assessments.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND.

Abstract of the Proceedings of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at the meeting held June 26, 1882.

Present—William R. Grace, Mayor (Chairman) ; Frederick Smyth, Recorder ; Allan Campbell, Comptroller ; J. Nelson Tappan, Chamberlain ; and John McClave, Chairman Finance Committee, Board of Aldermen.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The Comptroller submitted the following reports, viz. :

I.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, }
June 17, 1882.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund :

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with a resolution, adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, April 18, 1882, requesting the Comptroller to prepare or cause to be prepared and forwarded to the Legislature, an act to make valid and effectual all deeds from the Corporation to which the only objection made is that the same were not executed as well under the hand of the Mayor as under the common seal of the city of New York, and the hand of the Clerk of the Common Council, an act was prepared and presented to the Legislature.

The act was passed on May 27, 1882, and a copy certified by the Secretary of State is herewith submitted to be filed with the proceedings of the Board, being chapter 231, entitled

"An Act to confirm certain conveyances of real estate delivered by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York."

All confirmatory deeds heretofore authorized by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund have been executed and delivered, and the act referred to renders it unnecessary for them to act upon any future petitions for confirmatory deeds on account of the omission of the signature of the then Mayor of the city to any deed from the Corporation prior to the passage of the said act.

Respectfully,

ALLAN CAMPBELL, Comptroller.

Report accepted and act filed with the proceedings of the Board and printed in the minutes.

CHAPTER 231.

AN ACT to confirm certain conveyances of real estate delivered by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

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

Passed May 27, 1882; three-fifths being present.

Section 1. Every conveyance of real property heretofore executed under the common seal of the corporation of the city of New York, and the hand of the clerk of the common council of said city, and duly delivered, which has been or shall be, deemed or supposed to be invalid, of no effect, or defective, for the sole reason that the same was not signed by the then mayor of the city of New York, is hereby declared to be and to have been, as valid and effectual as if the same had been signed by the then mayor of the city of New York, at or before the time of the delivery thereof, provided, that the real property so conveyed or intended to be conveyed, was sold at a regular public sale of real property of the said corporation, made under the direction of the commissioners of the sinking fund of the city of New York, of which sale due and legal notice was given, and which sale was free from fraud, and the terms of which sale were fully complied with, and that the proceeds of said sale of such real property were fully paid or deposited to the credit of the sinking fund of the city of New York, or secured to such fund by mortgage on the real property so sold. It being expressly declared that this act shall not have any effect other or further than to cure the defect alleged or supposed to exist by reason of the lack of the signature of the said mayor to a conveyance otherwise valid and free from fraud.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

STATE OF NEW YORK, }
Office of the Secretary of State, } ss.:

I have compared the preceding with the original law on file in this office, and do hereby certify that the same is a correct transcript therefrom, and of the whole of said original law.

[SEAL] Given under my hand and the seal of office of the Secretary of State, at the city of Albany, this first day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

JOSEPH B. CARR, Secretary of State.

II.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, }
June 21, 1882.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund :

GENTLEMEN—A part of Barren Island, lying between Rockaway and Coney Island, belongs to the city and affords no revenue.

It does not appear that it can be used at the present time for any public purpose, and I think the premises had better be leased.

The premises consists of one large frame dwelling house, and about one hundred acres of land, principally a barren sand bank, adjoining Swift's land, used by P. White and Sons for a factory to render dead animals and offal taken from New York and Brooklyn, and the manufacture of chemical and animal fertilizers.

Deep water in front on one side of the property allows large boats to come up to the landing, and the place is well adapted for the same purpose or for oil refineries.

I recommend that the premises be leased for a term of three years, and submit a resolution for the purpose.

Respectfully,

ALLAN CAMPBELL, Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized to lease; at public auction, for the highest marketable price or yearly rental, after public advertisement and appraisal, the premises belonging to the city, situated on Barren Island, for the term of three years, from May 1, 1882, the rent to be paid quarterly in advance, and twenty-five per cent. of the amount of the yearly rent bid to be paid at the time of sale for the first quarter's rent, or forfeited if the purchaser neglects or refuses to execute the lease when notified by the Comptroller.

The lease shall contain the usual covenants and conditions and such others as the Comptroller may prescribe for the protection of the interests of the city ; and Samuel C. Holmes is hereby appointed to appraise the yearly rental of the premises.

Report accepted, and, on motion, resolution adopted.

[Map filed.]

III.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, }
June 21, 1882.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund :

GENTLEMEN—The Comptroller, to whom was referred a resolution of the Board of Police, requesting the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to appropriate and set apart the plot of ground and premises belonging to the city of New York, located in Old Slip, and now occupied and known as the Franklin Market, for the purpose of erecting on the site a station-house, lodging-house and prison for the First Police Precinct, respectfully

REPORTS :

That a resolution was passed by the Common Council on May 23, 1882, authorizing and approving of the location of a station-house, lodging-house and prison for the First Police Precinct, on the ground and premises belonging to the city of New York, situated in Old Slip, and known as the property now occupied by the Franklin Market.

I have made a personal examination of the premises, and find that the Franklin Market building is in such a dilapidated condition that it cannot be repaired advantageously, to fit it for a station-house or any other useful public purpose.

The building has not been used for market purposes for a number of years, and has been leased, from time to time, to a number of tenants, for various purposes, and the city now receives a revenue from the premises of \$3,999 per annum.

By request of the Board of Police, the premises have been leased only from month to month, recently, and possession can be given to the Board upon short notice to the tenants.

Herewith, I submit a resolution to authorize the appropriation of the premises as proposed, for the consideration of the Board, and adoption, if deemed advisable.

Respectfully

ALLAN CAMPBELL, Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby authorize and approve of the appropriation of the plot of ground and premises belonging to the city of New York, situated in Old Slip, occupied by and known as the Franklin Market, for the purpose of erecting thereon a station-house, lodging-house and prison, for the First Police Precinct, and the Comptroller is requested to give the Board of Police possession of the property whenever it is required for that purpose.

Report accepted, and, on motion, resolution adopted.

IV.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, }
June 21, 1882.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund :

GENTLEMEN—The lease of the franchise of the ferry from and to the foot of Twenty-third street, East river, to the Greenpoint Ferry Company, and also to the same company of the ferry to and from a point at or near the foot of Tenth street, East river, will expire on the first day of August, 1882, and I submit a resolution to authorize the leasing of the franchise of both ferries and of the wharf property used for a landing at or near the foot of Twenty-third street, the lease of which, from the Department of Docks, expires at the same time.

The wharf property used as a landing for the ferry at or near the foot of Tenth street, cannot be leased with the franchise at the present time on account of conflict of title between the city and parties in possession, but the matter will be decided as soon as possible and an arrangement made accordingly with the lessees of the ferry franchise.

Respectfully,

ALLAN CAMPBELL, Comptroller.

Resolved, That pursuant to chapter 498, of the Laws of 1880, the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to lease and sell at public auction to the highest bidders the franchise of the ferry between a point at or near the foot of Twenty-third street, East river, and Greenpoint, Long Island; and also the franchise of the ferry between a point at or near the foot of Tenth street, East river, to Greenpoint, Long Island, along with the wharf property belonging to the city used and required for ferry purposes, for the term of five years from May 1, 1882, the leases of both ferry franchises to be offered at an upset price of five per cent. upon the gross receipts of ferriage received at each ferry; and the wharf property used and required for ferry purposes at the foot of Twenty-third street at an upset yearly rental of \$4,000; and at the foot of Tenth street at an upset yearly rental to be fixed upon a valuation to be made by the Department of Docks, the lease to contain the covenants and conditions prescribed by a resolution adopted by this Board on March 17, 1881, and according to the requirements of law and the ordinances of the Common Council as embodied in a form of lease prepared by the Counsel to the Corporation.

On motion, laid over for consideration.

The Comptroller submitted the following resolution, viz.:

Resolved, That the Comptroller be authorized to lease the "City Armory" and the Centre Market building each in two parts, instead of the whole together as now authorized, if in his judgment such divisions of these premises, or either of them, be more advantageous to the interests of the city.

The Recorder presented a communication from Mr. James McWilliams in relation to the stipulation in the advertisement for sale of lease at public auction of the second floor of the Centre Market building, that "no machinery requiring steam power shall be permitted to be used on the premises," which, on motion of the Recorder, was referred to the Comptroller, and sale postponed;—when, on motion, the resolution submitted by the Comptroller was adopted.

The Comptroller submitted bill of Williams Brothers for posting 175 bills for sale of leases at auction of Gouverneur Market and school-building at Williamsbridge at \$3 per 100—\$5.25; and bill of Martin B. Brown for 200 medium posters, sale of corporation leases, \$6; when, on motion, the following resolution, submitted by the Comptroller, was adopted, viz.:

Resolved, That a warrant, payable from the appropriation to "Commissioners of the Sinking Fund—Expenses of," for the year 1882, be drawn in favor of Williams Brothers, for the sum of five dollars and twenty-five cents (\$5.25) to pay for posting bills for sale of corporation leases, and also a warrant, payable from the same appropriation, to be drawn in favor of Martin B. Brown, for the sum of six (\$6) dollars, to pay for printing posters for same purpose.

The Chairman Finance Committee, Board of Aldermen, submitted a statement "In the matter of leasing certain lands to the Mount Sinai Hospital," and also one "In the matter of leasing certain lands to the German Hospital and Dispensary," which, on motion, were referred to the Comptroller.

W. H. DIKEMAN, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NO. 31 CHAMBERS ST.,
NEW YORK, June 15, 1882.

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 June 3, 1882:

Public Moneys Received and Deposited in the City Treasury.

For Croton water rents.....	\$49,035 29
For penalties on Croton water rents.....	92 25
For tapping Croton pipes.....	132 00
For sewer permits.....	340 00
For vault permits.....	2,557 50
For restoring and repaving—"Special Fund".....	750 00
Total.....	\$52,907 04

Public Lamps.

20 new lamps lighted.
1 old lamp discontinued.
1 lamp-post removed.
23 lamp-posts straightened.
1 column refitted.
5 columns releaded.

Permits Issued.

45 permits to tap Croton pipes.
102 permits to open streets.
15 permits to make sewer connections.
30 permits to repair sewer connections.
2 permits to construct street vaults.
169 permits to place building material on streets.

Obstructions Removed.

Furniture, from 49 Perry street.
Boxes, from 130 West Broadway.
2 trucks, cart and wagon, from Pike Slip.
Stand, from southwest corner Fourth avenue and Twelfth street.
Boxes, from northeast corner Third avenue and Eleventh street.
Boxes, from southwest corner West Broadway and York street.
Boxes, from southeast corner West Broadway and Reade street.
Produce, etc., from 47 University place.
Stand, from southwest corner Eighth avenue and Twenty-second street.
Trucks and signs, from 516 Third avenue.

Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.

46 receiving-basins and culverts cleaned.
350 lineal feet of sewer cleaned.
28 lineal feet of new curb set.
9 receiving-basins repaired.
2 basin-heads reset.
7 new basin-heads put on.
16 manholes repaired.
7 new manhole-heads put on.
9 manhole-heads reset.
3 new manhole-covers put on.
36 square feet of flagging relaid.
16 square yards of pavement relaid.
121 cart-loads of dirt removed.

Repairs to Pavements.

In Washington street, between Little Twelfth and Gansevoort streets.
In West street, between Harrison and Franklin streets.
In Howard street, between Centre and Elm streets.
In Downing street, between Bleecker and Bedford streets.
In Spring street, between South Fifth avenue and Varick street.
In Pell street, between Bowery and Mott street.
In Cherry street, between Franklin square and Roosevelt street.
In South street, between Coenties and Peck slips.
In New Chambers street, between Chatham and North William streets.
In Dover street, between Front and South streets.
In Lewis street, between Grand and Broome streets.
In Third street, between Bowery and Second avenue.
In Avenue A, between Eighth and Ninth streets.
In Fifth street, between Avenues B and C.
In Delancey street, between Chrystie and Forsyth streets.
In Houston street, between Broadway and Crosby street.
In Ninth street, between Third and Fourth avenues.
In Chrystie street, between Grand and Broome streets.
In Thirty-second street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.
In Broadway, between Thirty-first and Thirty-second streets.

In Fifth avenue, between Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets.
In Twenty-seventh street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.
In Seventeenth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.
In Fifth avenue, between Thirtieth and Thirty-first streets.
In Forty-eighth street, between Fifth and Madison avenues.
In Fifty-sixth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.
In Forty-seventh street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.
In Lexington avenue, between Thirty-eighth and Forty-second streets.
In Forty-first street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.
In Seventy-third street, between Fifth and Madison avenues.
In Fifth avenue, between Fifty-seventh and Fifth-eighth streets.
In Sixty-first street, between Avenue A and East river.
In Eighty-sixth street, between Madison and Fourth avenues.
In First avenue, between Fifty-ninth and Sixty-first streets.

Statement of Laboring Force Employed in the Department of Public Works during the Week ending June 3, 1882.

NATURE OF WORK.	MECHANICS.	LABORERS.	TEAMS.	CARTS.
Maintenance of Aqueduct and Reservoirs.....	38	175	10	3
In Pipe Yard foot of East Twenty-fourth street.....	2	16	..	..
Laying and repairing pipes, etc.....	8	85	..	7
Repairing pavements.....	89	274	..	77
Repairing and cleaning sewers.....	3	31	..	15
Maintenance and construction of boulevards and aves.	2	39	7	2
Repairing streets.....	..	14	6	1
Repaving, under chapter 476, Laws of 1875.....	..	..	..	..
Total.....	142	634	23	105
Increase over previous week.....	2	26	..	1
Decrease from previous week.....	..	..	..	..

Appointments.

John B. Lambertson, Inspector on Sewers.

Suspended on Completion of Work.

Peter Nee, Inspector on Sewers.

Requisitions on the Comptroller.

The total amount of requisitions drawn by the Department on the Comptroller during the week is \$104,709.76.

FRED. H. HAMLIN, Deputy Commissioner of Public Works.

Report of Photometrical Examinations of Illuminating Gas, for the week ending June 3, 1882, 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.
May 29	12.45 P.M.	70.	29.75	Manhattan....	Empire 5 ft.....	.85	5.00	114.0	20.12	19.11
" 31	8 A.M.	71.	29.96	" .....	" .....	.88	5.00	117.0	19.09	18.61
June 1	2 P.M.	74.	29.58	" .....	" .....	.86	5.00	114.0	18.66	17.73
" 2	8 A.M.	73.	29.99	" .....	" .....	.85	5.00	117.0	18.45	17.99
" 3	7 A.M.	72.	30.01	" .....	" .....	.84	5.00	117.0	18.92	18.44
Average.									18.37	
May 29	3.25 P.M.	74.	29.85	Harlem.....	" .....	.89	5.00	125.4	17.38	18.16
" 31	9 A.M.	72.	29.96	" .....	" .....	.88	5.00	124.2	18.30	18.94
June 1	9.30 A.M.	74.	29.54	" .....	" .....	.87	5.00	120.0	18.21	18.21
" 2	9 A.M.	73.	30.00	" .....	" .....	.90	5.00	126.0	18.01	18.91
" 3	9.25 A.M.	73.	30.01	" .....	" .....	.86	5.00	114.0	19.05	18.09
Average.									18.46	
May 29	1 P.M.	70.	29.75	New York.....	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.93	5.00	120.6	20.04	20.14
" 31	7.40 A.M.	72.	29.96	" .....	" .....	.95	5.00	115.2	23.30	22.36
June 1	2.15 P.M.	74.	29.58	" .....	" .....	.95	5.00	121.2	22.84	23.06
" 2	7.35 A.M.	72.	29.99	" .....	" .....	.94	5.00	120.0	20.39	20.39
" 3	7.20 A.M.	72.	30.01	" .....	" .....	.95	5.00	115.8	23.59	22.76
Average.									21.74	
May 29	1.50 P.M.	70.	29.75	N. Y. Mutual..	"	1.06	5.00	120.0	24.24	24.24
" 31	7 A.M.	71.	29.96	"	"	1.00	5.00	114.0	25.25	23.98
June 1	3.15 P.M.	74.	29.58	"	"	1.03	5.00	117.0	28.12	27.41
" 2	7 A.M.	70.	29.99	"	"	1.05	5.00	114.6	27.36	26.13
" 3	8 A.M.	73.	30.01	"	"	1.04	5.00	120.0	27.18	27.18
Average.									25.79	
May 29	1.25 P.M.	70.	29.75	Municipal.....	" .....	.93	5.00	120.6	26.16	26.29
" 31	7.20 A.M.	71.	29.96	" .....	" .....	.94	5.00	114.0	30.30	28.78
June 1	3 P.M.	73.	29.58	" .....	" .....	.93	5.00	115.2	29.25	28.08
" 2	7.15 A.M.	72.	29.99	" .....	" .....	.94	5.00	114.6	29.89	28.54
" 3	7.40 A.M.	73.	30.01	" .....	" .....	.94	5.00	117.0	30.08	29.32
Average.									28.20	
May 29	3.10 P.M.	74.	29.85	Metropolitan....	" No. 6	.70	5.00	121.8	22.70	23.04
" 31	9.30 A.M.	73.	29.96	" .....	" .....	.69	5.00	126.0	22.10	23.20
June 1	9 A.M.	74.	29.54	" .....	" .....	.68	5.00	114.0	23.51	22.33
" 2	9.20 A.M.	73.	30.00	" .....	" .....	.68	5.00	120.0	22.97	22.97
" 3	9 A.M.	72.	30.01	" .....	" .....	.68	5.00	126.0	22.20	23.31
Average.									22.97	

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

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 June 17, 1882.

Barometer.

DATE.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Mean for the Day.	MAXIMUM.	MINIMUM.
JUNE.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.
Sunday, 11	29.750	29.806	29.910	29.822	29.964	29.702
Monday, 12	30.068	30.090	30.086	30.081	30.100	29.964
Tuesday, 13	30.108	30.088	30.066	30.087	30.112	30.062
Wednesday, 14	30.050	29.990	29.898	29.979	30.062	29.874
Thursday, 15	29.794	29.642	29.592	29.676	29.874	29.552
Friday, 16	29.590	29.600	29.598	29.596	29.618	29.586
Saturday, 17	29.588	29.588	29.542	29.573	29.602	29.538

Mean for the week..... 29.830 inches.
Maximum " at 9 A. M., June 13..... 30.112 "
Minimum " at 7 P. M., June 17..... 29.538 "
Range "574 "

Thermometers.

DATE.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	MEAN.	MAXIMUM.	MINIMUM.	MAXIMUM.
JUNE.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	In Sun.
Sunday, 11	64	61	71	65	66.7	61.0	76
Monday, 12	64	54	72	65	57.0	57.0	74
Tuesday, 13	67	59	79	68	61.3	62.0	79
Wednesday, 14	65	59	80	68	71.7	62.3	80
Thursday, 15	68	59	79	68	74.7	64.7	83
Friday, 16	73	66	84	72	79.0	69.6	86
Saturday, 17	73	67	83	73	75.7	69.3	83

Mean for the week..... 72.1 degrees.
Maximum for the week, at 5 P. M., 15th..... 86. " at 1 P. M., 17th..... 74 "
Minimum " " at 5 A. M., 12th..... 59. " at 5 A. M., 12th..... 51. "
Range " " 27. "

Wind.

DATE. JUNE.	DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.				FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT				
	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Distance for the Day.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Max.	Time.
Sunday, 11....	NE	ENE	S	41	58	48	147	½	0	0	2½	4.20 P. M.
Monday, 12....	NE	S	S	48	57	51	156	½	¾	0	3	9.15 A. M.
Tuesday, 13....	ESE	S	SSE	34	22	57	113	0	1	0	2¼	4.30 P. M.
Wednesday, 14....	WSW	SSE	SSW	33	39	76	148	0	½	2	3½	3.15 P. M.
Thursday, 15	SSW	SSE	N	77	62	49	188	½	1	½	2	1 P. M.
Friday, 16....	WNW	WNW	W	54	48	29	131	¾	0	0	3	7.15 A. M.
Saturday, 17....	NE	SE	SE	13	41	72	126	0	2½	0	5	6 P. M.

Distance traveled during the week..... 1,009 miles.
Maximum force " " 5 pounds.

DATE. — JUNE.	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. H. M.	Amount of Water.	Depth of Snow.	
Sunday, 11	.497	.436	.451	83	57	73	10	2 Cir. Cu.	2 Cir. S.	2.40 A. M.	5.30 A. M.	2.50	.11	..	
Monday, 12	.285	.358	.359	48	45	58	0	0	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	..
Tuesday, 13	.393	.465	.443	59	47	65	2 Cir. S.	0	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	..
Wednesday, 14	.420	.524	.385	68	51	52	1 Cir.	3 Cir. S.	4 Cir. Cu.	.....	.....	.....	.....	..
Thursday, 15	.380	.537	.568	55	54	68	4 Cir. Cu.	1 Cir.	10	8.50 P. M.	11 P. M.	2.10	.36	..	
Friday, 16	.545	.623	.637	67	53	62	1 Cir. S.	6 Cu.	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	..
Saturday, 17	.581	.677	.644	71	60	85	0	0	3 Cir. Cu.	.....	.....	.....	.....	..

Total amount of water for the week..... .47 inch.

DANIEL DRAPER, PH. D., Director.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

Permit Bureau Office.
No. 13 1/2 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
HENRY WOLTMAN, Register.
Sealers and Inspectors of Weights and Measures.
No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
WILLIAM EYERS, Sealer First District; CHRISTOPHER BARRY, Sealer Second District; JOHN MURRAY, Inspector First District; JOSEPH SHANNON, Inspector Second District.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

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

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.
No. 8 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM SAUER, President Board of Aldermen.
FRANCIS J. TWOMBLY, Clerk Common Council.
City Library.
No. 12 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOS. J. O'CONNELL, Librarian.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

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

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

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

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.
No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
STEPHEN MCCORMICK, Superintendent.

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

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

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

Bureau of Street Improvements.
No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE A. JEREMIAH, Superintendent.

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.
No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS H. McAVOY, Superintendent.

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

Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.
MARTIN J. KEESE, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrear of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents.
No. 5 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ARTEMAS CADY, Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.

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

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

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

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

LAW DEPARTMENT.

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

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

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

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

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Headquarters.

Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.
JOHN J. GORMAN, President; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

Bureau of Chief of Department.
ELI BATES, Chief of Department.

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.
PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

Bureau of Fire Marshal.
GEORGE H. SHELTON, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.
WM. P. ESTERBROOK, Inspector of Buildings.

Office hours, Headquarters and Bureaus, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 3 P. M.

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

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

Repair Shops.
Nos. 128 and 130 West Third street.

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

Hospital Stables.
No. 199 Chrystie street.

DEDERICK G. GALE, Superintendent of Horses.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS

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

Office Bureau Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.
No.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

51 Chambers street, Rooms 10, 11 and 12, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES S. COLEMAN, Commissioner; M. J. MORRISON, Chief Clerk.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, City Hall, Room No. 11 1/2, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN R. LYDECKER, Chairman; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

BOARD OF EXCISE.

Corner Bond street and Bowery, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM P. MITCHELL, President; ANTHONY HARTMAN, Chief Clerk.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Nos. 3 and 4 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
PETER BOWE, Sheriff; JOEL O. STEVENS, Under Sheriff; ALEX. V. DAVIDSON, Order Arrest Clerk.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Register; J. FAIRFAX McLAUGHLIN, Deputy Register.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM A. BUTLER, County Clerk; CHAS. S. BEARDSLEY, Deputy County Clerk.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

Second floor, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN MCKEON, District Attorney; HUGH DONNELLY, Chief Clerk

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

And Bureau of Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.
No. 2 City Hall, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays on which days 8 A. M. to 3 P. M.
THOMAS COSTIGAN, Supervisor; R. P. H. ABELL, Bookkeeper.

CORONERS' OFFICE.

Nos. 13 and 15 Chatham street.
 PHILIP MERKLE, THOMAS C. KNOX, GERSON N. HERR-
 MAN, JOHN H. BRADY, CORONERS; JOHN D. COUGHLIN,
 Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

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.
 JOHN SEDGWICK, Chief Judge; THOMAS BOESE, 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.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

No. 32 Chambers street. Parts I. and II.
 FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder, Presiding Judge of the
 General Sessions; HENRY A. GILDERSLIEVE and RUFUS
 B. COWING, Judges.
 Terms first Monday each month
 JOHN SPARKS, Clerk.

MARINE COURT.

General Term, Room No. 15, City Hall.
 Trial Term, Parts I., II., and III., second floor, City
 Hall.
 Special Term, Chambers, Room No. 21, City Hall, 10
 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 Clerk's Office, Room No. 10, City Hall.
 GEORGE SHEA, Chief Justice; JOHN SAVAGE, Clerk.

OVER AND TERMINER COURT.

General Term, New County Court-house, second floor,
 southeast corner, Room No. 13, 10:30 A. M.
 Clerk's Office, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park,
 second floor, northwest corner.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

At Tombs, corner Franklin and Centre streets, Tues-
 days, Thursdays, and Saturdays, 10 A. M.
 Clerk's Office, Tombs.

DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.

First District—First, Second, Third, and Fifth Wards,
 southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets, 10 A. M.
 to 4 P. M.
 MICHAEL NORTON, Justice.
 Second District—Fourth, Sixth, and Fourteenth Wards
 corner of Pearl and Centre streets, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 CHARLES M. CLANCY, Justice.
 Third District—Eighth, Ninth, and Fifteenth Wards,
 Sixth avenue, corner West Tenth street.
 GEORGE W. PARKER, Justice.
 Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards Nos.
 20 and 22 Second avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 ALFRED STECKLER, Justice.
 Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh, and Thirteenth
 Wards, No. 154 Clinton street.
 JOHN H. MCCARTHY, Justice.
 Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards,
 Nos. 389 and 391 Fourth avenue.
 WILLIAM H. KELLY, Justice.
 Seventh District—Nineteenth and Twenty-second
 Wards, Fifty-seventh street, between Third and Lexing-
 ton avenues.
 AMBROSE MONELL, Justice.
 Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards, south-
 west corner of Twenty-second street and Seventh avenue.
 FREDERICK G. GEDNEY, Justice.
 Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, One Hundred and
 Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue.
 HENRY P. MCGOWN, Justice.
 Tenth District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth
 Wards, corner of College avenue and Kingsbridge road.
 JAMES R. ANGEL, Justice.

POLICE COURTS.

Judges—BUTLER H. BIXBY, MAURICE J. POWER,
 J. HENRY FORD, JACOB PATTERSON, JR., JAMES T.
 KILBRETH, BANKSON T. MORGAN, HENRY MURRAY,
 MARCUS OTTERBOURG, SOLON B. SMITH, ANDREW J.
 WHITE, HUGH GARDINER.
 GEORGE W. CREGIER, Secretary.
 Office of Secretary, Fifth District Police Court, One
 Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue.
 First District—Tombs, Centre street.
 Second District—Jefferson Market.
 Third District—No. 69 Essex street.
 Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington
 avenue.
 Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street,
 near Fourth avenue.
 Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street
 and Third avenue.

THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

A STATED MEETING OF THE BOARD OF
 Trustees of the College of the City of New York
 will be held at the Academy of Music, corner of Four-
 teenth street and Irving place, on Thursday, June 29,
 1882, at 7:30 o'clock P. M.

LAWRENCE D. KIERNAN,
 Secretary

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
 300 MULBERRY STREET,
 NEW YORK, June 28, 1882.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A
 horse, the property of this department, will be sold
 at public auction on Tuesday, July 11, 1882, at 10:30
 o'clock, A. M., at the stables of Van Tassel & Kearney,
 No. 110 East Thirteenth street.
 By order of the Board,

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
 300 MULBERRY STREET.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR MAKING ALTERA-
 tions and repairs to the Eleventh Precinct Station-
 house on Houston street, in the City of New York, known
 as the "Union Market" building, will be received at the
 Central Office of the Department of Police in the City of
 New York until 10 o'clock A. M., of Friday, the 7th day of
 July, 1882.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish
 the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimate for
 making alterations and repairs to the Eleventh Precinct
 Station-house," and with his or their name or names, and
 the date of presentation, to the head of said Department,
 at the said office, on or before the day and hour above
 named, at which time and place the estimate received
 will be publicly opened by the head of said Department
 and read.

For particulars of the nature and extent of the work to
 be done, reference must be made to the plans and speci-
 fications on file in the office of the Chief Clerk of the
 said Department.

Bidders will state in writing, and also in figures, a
 price for the work complete. The price is to cover
 the furnishing of all the materials and labor and the per-
 formance of all the work called for by the specifications,
 plans, drawings, and form of agreement.

No estimate will be accepted from, or a contract
 awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corpora-
 tion upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as
 surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corpora-
 tion.

The entire work is to be completed within four months
 from the date of the contract.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be
 awarded will be required to give security, for the per-
 formance of the contract, in the manner prescribed by
 law, in the sum of twelve thousand dollars.

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

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

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

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

No estimate for a sum in excess of six thousand dollars
 can be considered.

Plans may be examined and specifications and blank
 estimates may be obtained by application to the under-
 signed, at his office in the Central Department.

By order of the Board,
 S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

NEW YORK, June 22, 1882.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
 OFFICE OF THE PROPERTY CLERK (Room No. 39),
 No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
 NEW YORK, June 14, 1882.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY CLERK
 of the Police Department of the City of New York,
 No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 39, for the following
 property now in his custody without claimants: Boats,
 rope, lead, iron, furniture, boots, shoes, male and female
 clothing, watches, diamond ear-rings, locket, revolvers,
 silverware, jute, pearl fan, trunks and contents, bags and
 contents; also several lots of cash found and taken from
 prisoner by patrolman of this Department.

C. A. ST. JOHN,
 Property Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
 NOS. 117 AND 119 DUANE STREET,
 NEW YORK, April 22, 1882.

RULES AND REGULATIONS ESTABLISHED
 for the government and proper care of piers, bulk-
 heads, slips, and other wharf property, under the pro-
 visions of subdivision 7 of section 6 of chapter 574 of the
 Laws of 1871, by the Board of the Department of Docks,
 and published, to take effect on and after

MAY 1, 1882.

The said subdivision 7, among other things, provides as
 follows:

"The violation of or disobedience to any rule, regula-
 tion, or order of said Board shall be a misdemeanor,
 punishable by a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars,
 or by imprisonment not exceeding thirty days, or by both
 such fine and imprisonment, on complaint of said
 Board."

And every person guilty of a violation of or
 disobedience to any of the following rules or
 regulations, in addition to the penalties thereby
 fixed and imposed, to be recovered in civil actions,
 is liable to be prosecuted for a misdemeanor and to
 be punished by such fine and imprisonment, or
 by both.

No. 1.—No piles shall be driven, nor shall any platform
 be erected, nor shall any filling-in of any kind be made on
 any part of the water-front of the city, without a written
 permit therefor being first had and obtained from the
 Board, under a penalty of two hundred and fifty dollars
 for every such offense, to be recovered from the owner,
 lessee, or occupant of any pier or bulkhead, or of any
 water-front property or right, who shall cause or permit
 any such work to be done upon his premises before such
 permit therefor has been obtained, and under the further
 penalty of fifty dollars for each and every day which
 shall elapse before any piles so driven, or platform
 so erected, or material so filled-in, without such permit
 being first obtained, shall be removed, after the expira-
 tion of the time which may be allowed for such removal,
 by a notice served upon such owner, lessee, or occupant,
 by the Corporation Wharfinger for the district, to be
 also recovered from such owner, lessee, or occupant.

No. 2.—No shed, building, office, tally-house, or other
 structure shall be erected, nor shall any derrick, hoist-
 ing-mast, coal-hopper, sign, or advertising device, or
 other erection or obstruction of any kind be placed or
 maintained upon any pier, bulkhead, or other wharf
 structure, nor upon any reclaimed land, without a written
 permit therefor being first had and obtained from the
 Board; and if the owner, lessee, or occupant of any such
 premises, or the owner, lessee, or agent, of any such
 structure, erections, or obstructions, shall fail to comply
 with a notice served by the Corporation Wharfinger for
 the district to remove any such structure, erection, or
 obstruction, after the expiration of the time allowed by
 such notice for the removal, such owner, lessee, occu-
 pant or agent, shall forfeit and pay a penalty of twenty-
 five dollars per day for each and every day, which shall
 elapse before any such structure, erection or obstruction,
 shall be removed, after the expiration of the time for the
 removal thereof specified in said notice.

No. 3.—No cargo shall be discharged from any vessel
 upon any bulkhead or wharf structure, at which such
 vessel is being unladen, after service by the Corporation
 Wharfinger for the district, upon the owner, consignee,
 master, or other officer, or stevedore, of such vessel, of a
 notice that such bulkhead or structure will be endangered
 by the placing of additional cargo thereon, under a pen-
 alty of two hundred and fifty dollars for every such
 offense, and a further penalty equal in amount to the
 damages of every description which shall be caused by
 the further discharging of cargo upon such bulkhead or
 wharf structure, after the service of the said notice, both
 of such penalties to be recovered from such owner, con-
 signee, master or other officer or stevedore, severally
 and respectively.

No. 4.—All goods, merchandise, and materials of every
 kind, landed or placed on any pier, bulkhead, or other
 wharf structure, or upon reclaimed land, must be re-
 moved therefrom without unnecessary delay, and within
 twenty-four hours after the Corporation Wharfinger for
 the district shall have served upon the owner, shipper,
 or consignee, of such cargo, a notice to remove the same,
 under a penalty of fifty dollars per day for each and
 every day, during which any part of said cargo shall re-
 main upon such pier, bulkhead, structure, or land, after
 the expiration of the said twenty-four hours, to be re-
 covered from such owner, shipper, or consignee, severally
 and respectively.

No. 5.—All goods, merchandise and materials of every
 kind encumbering any pier, bulkhead or other wharf
 structure, or reclaimed land, after the time designated
 for the removal thereof shall have expired, will be liable
 to be removed by the Board to any warehouse or yard,
 at the sole risk and expense of the owner of any such
 property, and all expense incurred for such removal and
 storage or otherwise, shall be and become a lien thereon,
 and such goods, merchandise and materials will not be
 delivered to the owner until the expense of such removal
 and storage has been paid.

No. 6.—No person shall construct or maintain any en-
 gine-house, tally-house, or other small structure, under
 a permit of the Board, on any unshedded pier, or other
 wharf structure, unless the same be placed on wheels so
 as to admit of easy removal thereupon when required, and
 to prevent the accumulation of dirt or refuse thereunder,
 under a penalty of twenty-five dollars per day for each
 and every day which may elapse before the discontinu-
 ance of such offense.

No. 7.—No vessel of any kind shall be loaded or dis-
 charged by horse power, nor shall stones or similar
 cargo be discharged from any vessel, upon any pier,
 bulkhead or other wharf structure, unless proper plank-
 ing be provided to protect the surface of such pier, bulk-
 head or other wharf structure from injury consequent
 upon the travel of the horse, or the throwing of the
 stones or similar cargo thereupon, under a penalty of
 five dollars a day for each horse so employed, and of
 twenty-five dollars for each offense of discharging such
 stones or like cargo, upon such pier, bulkhead, or other
 wharf structure, to be recovered from the owner, con-
 signee, master or stevedore of any such vessel, severally
 and respectively; and if such penalty be recovered for
 using horses, or discharging stones or similar cargo, upon
 wharf property belonging to the Corporation, under
 lease, it shall be paid to the lessee thereof, but if such
 penalty be recovered for using horses, or discharging
 stones or similar cargo, upon wharf property not owned
 by the Corporation, it shall be paid to the owner thereof.

No. 8.—No sand shall be discharged from any vessel
 unless canvas or similar material be extended from the
 vessel's side to the bulkhead or wharf structure at which
 such vessel is being unladen, to prevent the falling of
 the sand into the water, and if the surface of any such
 wharf structure is not sufficiently tight to prevent the
 sand dumped thereon from going through into the water,
 then no sand shall be discharged thereon from any vessel,
 unless canvas or similar material be first laid thereon to
 receive the sand, under a penalty of twenty-five dollars
 for each offense, to be recovered from the owner, con-
 signee, master or stevedore of any such vessel, severally
 and respectively; and if such penalty be recovered on
 account of sand discharged upon wharf property belong-
 ing to the Corporation, under lease, it shall be paid to
 the lessee thereof, but if such penalty be recovered on
 account of sand discharged upon wharf property not
 owned by the Corporation, it shall be paid to the owner
 thereof.

No. 9.—The owners, lessees and occupants of every
 pier, wharf and bulkhead in the City of New York shall
 keep the same in good repair, and the slips adjacent
 thereto properly dredged; and whenever, in the judgment
 of the Board, it shall be necessary so to do, written notices,
 signed by the President or Secretary of said Board, shall
 be served upon the owners, lessees or occupants, or col-
 lector of wharfage of any such pier, wharf or bulkhead,

or the slip adjoining the same, on or in which repairs or
 dredging are required by said Board, specifying the
 nature and extent of the repairs or dredging so required,
 and the time within which such repairs must be made, or
 such dredging done; and in case the owners, lessees or
 occupants so notified, fail to comply with the terms and
 requirements of such notice, they shall forfeit and pay a
 penalty of fifty dollars per day for every day which shall
 elapse before they comply with such notice.

No. 10.—No ashes, refuse, offal, fruit, vegetables or
 any other substances, shall be thrown into the waters
 surrounding or adjacent to any pier or bulkhead, or any
 other part of the water-front of the city, under a penalty
 of twenty-five dollars for every such offense, to be re-
 covered from the owner, lessee, or occupant, severally
 and respectively, of any pier, bulkhead, wharf, structure,
 or other property, from which any such substance shall
 be thrown, or from the person actually throwing the
 same; or if any such substance be thrown from any
 vessel lying in waters within the jurisdiction of the De-
 partment, whether berthed or not, then such penalty to
 be recovered from the owner, consignee, or master of
 such vessel, severally and respectively.

No. 11.—No snow or ice shall be dumped into the
 waters adjacent to the water-front of the city, except from
 the piers, bulkheads and other places designated from
 time to time, by the Board, for such dumping, under a
 penalty of twenty-five dollars for each offense, to be re-
 covered from the owner, lessee or occupant of any pier,
 bulkhead or other wharf property, from which any such
 snow and ice shall be dumped, or from the person actually
 dumping the same, severally and respectively.

No. 12.—All lumber, brick, or other material in bulk
 discharged on any bulkhead not shedded, shall be at once
 removed, or, if not so removed, shall be placed at least
 twenty feet from the edge of the bulkhead, pending re-
 moval, under a penalty of fifty dollars per day, for each
 and every day such lumber, brick or other material shall
 remain on the bulkhead, to be recovered from the owner
 or consignee of such lumber, brick or other material, or
 from the person placing, or causing the same to be placed,
 on such bulkhead, severally and respectively.

No. 13.—The charges for wharfage and dockage of all
 vessels admitted to any of the piers or bulkheads con-
 structed under the new plans adopted by the Department,
 shall be at the same rates as are now, or shall hereafter be,
 fixed and established by laws of this State, until otherwise
 ordered by the Board.

No. 14.—The term "Board," when used in the fore-
 going rules and regulations, shall be taken to mean "The
 Board of the Department of Docks of the City of New
 York," and the term "Corporation," when so used, shall
 be taken to mean "The Mayor, Aldermen and Common-
 alty of the City of New York."

JOHN R. VOORHIS,
 JACOB VANDERPOEL,
 WM. LAIMBEER,
 Commissioners of Docks.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY
 the School Trustees of the Eighth Ward, at the
 Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and
 Elm streets, until Monday, the 10th day of July, 1882,
 and until 4 o'clock P. M. on said day, for an Iron Stair-
 way for Primary School No. 25, on Greenwich street,
 near Charlton street.

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

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

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

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

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

CHARLES W. BAUM,
 GEORGE F. VETTER,
 O. ROCKEFELLER,
 CHAS. H. HOUSLEY,
 URIAH WELCH,

Board of School Trustees, Eighth Ward.
 Dated NEW YORK, June 26, 1882.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY
 the School Trustees of the Tenth Ward, at the hall
 of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm
 streets, until Monday, the 10th day of July, 1882, and
 until 11 o'clock A. M., on said day, for erecting two stair-
 ways to Grammar School House No. 20, on Chrystie
 street, near Delancey street.

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

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

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 posing to become sureties, must each write his name and
 place of residence on said proposal.

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

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 character and antecedent dealings with the Board of
 Education render their responsibility doubtful.

HENRY R. ROOME,
 PATRICK CARROLL,
 JOHN C. CLEGG,
 GEORGE W. ROSS,
 PETER DENNERLEIN,

Board of School Trustees, Tenth Ward.
 Dated NEW YORK, June 26, 1882.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY
 the Committee on Normal College, at the Hall of
 the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until
 Monday, July 3, 1882, and until 4:15 o'clock, P. M. on said
 day for repairs, etc., to the steam-heating apparatus of the
 Normal College Building, Sixty-ninth street and Fourth
 avenue.

Plans and specifications, and blanks for proposals, and
 all necessary information may be obtained at the office of
 the Engineer, No. 146 Grand street.

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

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

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

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

WILLIAM WOOD,
 ISAAC BELL,
 GILBERT H. CRAWFORD,
 FREDERICK R. COUDERT,
 JOSEPH W. DREXEL,

Committee on Normal College.
 Dated NEW YORK, June 19, 1882.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY
 the Board of School Trustees of the several Wards,
 as herein after named, at the hall of the Board of Educa-
 tion, corner of Grand and Elm streets, for repairs, etc., to
 be made on the various school buildings, as follows:

By the Trustees of the Fifth Ward until 9:30 o'clock,
 A. M., on Thursday, June 29, 1882, for new furniture and
 repairs of furniture for Grammar School No. 44.

JOHN C. HUSER, Chairman,
 HENRY V. CRAWFORD, Secretary,
 Board of School Trustees, Fifth Ward.

By the Trustees of the Seventh Ward until 10 o'clock,
 A. M., on said day, for wood ceilings, etc., for Grammar
 School, No. 12.

Also, at the same time and place for wood ceilings, for
 Primary School No. 36.

JAMES W. MCBARRON, Chairman,
 GEORGE G. HALLOCK, Secretary,
 Board of School Trustees, Seventh Ward.

By the Trustees of the Eighth Ward, until 10:30 o'clock, A. M., on said day, for repairs and painting on Grammar School No. 38.

CHARLES W. BAUM, Chairman,
URIAH WELCH, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Eighth Ward.

By the Trustees of the Ninth Ward, until 11 o'clock, A. M., on said day, for wood ceiling, etc., at Primary School No. 18.

Also at the same time and place, for water-closets, etc., at Primary School No. 24.

CHARLES S. WRIGHT, Chairman,
ELLERY DENISON, M. D., Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Ninth Ward.

By the Trustees of the Tenth Ward until 11:30 o'clock on said day, for painting, etc., at Grammar School No. 7.

HENRY R. ROOME, Chairman,
JOHN C. CLEGG, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Tenth Ward.

By the Trustees of the Twelfth Ward until 3 o'clock, P. M., on said day, for wood ceilings, etc., at Grammar School No. 39.

Also at the same time and place, for repairs, painting, etc., at Primary School No. 32.

Also at the same time and place, for new furniture and repairs of furniture for Grammar School No. 57.

ANDREW L. SOULARD, Chairman,
GEO. W. DEBEVOISE, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Twelfth Ward.

By the Trustees of the Eighteenth Ward until 3:30 o'clock, P. M., on said day, for improving the drainage, etc., at Grammar School No. 40.

Also, at the same time and place for painting, etc., at Primary School No. 29.

JOHN F. TROW, Chairman,
EDWARD S. MEAD, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Eighteenth Ward.

By the Trustees of the Nineteenth Ward until 4 o'clock, P. M., on said day, for wood ceilings, etc., at Grammar School No. 18.

Also, at the same time and place, for improving drainage, etc., at Grammar School No. 53.

ABRAHAM DOWDNEY, Chairman,
CHARLES L. HOLT, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Nineteenth Ward.

By the School Trustees of the Twenty-third Ward, until 4:30 o'clock, P. M., on said day, for wood ceilings, etc., at Grammar School No. 62.

WILLIAM HOGG, Chairman,
A. FAHS, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-third Ward.

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

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

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

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

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

Dated NEW YORK, June 15, 1882.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, JUNE 21, 1882.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AND constructing duplex steam pumps for a Floating Engine, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, July 12, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

Any person making an estimate for the work shall present the same in a sealed envelope, to said Board, at said office, on or before the day and hour above named, which envelope shall be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates.

The pumps are to be completed and delivered in one hundred and twenty (120) days after the date of the contract.

For information as to the amount and kind of work to be done, bidders are referred to the specifications and drawings, which form part of these proposals.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at twenty-five (\$25) dollars per day.

The Fire Department reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of this security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be received or considered after the hour named.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of two hundred and fifty (\$250) dollars, being five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-book, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but, if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

The form of the agreement and specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, may be seen and forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Department.

JOHN J. GORMAN,
CORNELIUS VAN COTT,
HENRY D. PURROY,
Commissioners.

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

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

By order of

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

CARL JUSSEN,
Secretary

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

REGULATIONS ESTABLISHING A SCALE OF WATER RENTS FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK. BY ORDER OF HUBERT O. THOMPSON, COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS.

"The said Commissioner of Public Works shall, from time to time, establish scales of rents for the supplying of Croton water, which rents shall be collected in the manner now provided by law."—Chap. 574, Sec. 5, Session Laws of 1871.

The regular annual rents to be collected by the Department of Public Works shall be as follows, to wit:

FRONT WIDTH.	1 Story.	2 Stories.	3 Stories.	4 Stories.	5 Stories.
16 feet and under	\$4 00	\$5 00	\$6 00	\$7 00	\$8 00
16 to 18 feet....	5 00	6 00	7 00	8 00	9 00
18 to 20 feet....	6 00	7 00	8 00	9 00	10 00
20 to 22½ feet...	7 00	8 00	9 00	10 00	11 00
22½ to 25 feet...	8 00	9 00	10 00	11 00	12 00
25 to 30 feet....	10 00	11 00	12 00	13 00	14 00
30 to 37½ feet...	12 00	13 00	14 00	15 00	16 00
37½ to 50 feet...	14 00	15 00	16 00	17 00	18 00

The apportionment of the regular rents upon dwelling houses are on the basis that but one family is to occupy the same, and for each additional family the sum of one dollar per year shall be charged.

Each flat or suit of rooms for one family shall be charged ten dollars per year where they have hot and cold water, stationary wash-tubs, bath, and water-closet, with the privilege of using meter.

METERS will be placed on all houses where waste of water is found, and they will be charged at rates fixed by the Department for all the water passing through them.

The rent of all tenements which shall exceed in width fifty feet shall be the subject of special contract with the Commissioner of Public Works.

The extra and miscellaneous rates shall be follows, to wit:

BAKERIES—For the average daily use of flour, for each barrel, the sum of three dollars per annum.

BATHING TUBS in private houses, beyond one, at three dollars per annum each, and five dollars per annum each in public houses, boarding houses, bathing establishments, and barber shops.

BOARDING SCHOOLS shall be charged at the rate of from fifteen to fifty dollars each; and school houses at the rate of from ten to twenty dollars each per annum.

BUILDING PURPOSES—For each one thousand bricks laid, or for stone-work—to be measured as brick—ten cents per thousand. For plastering, forty cents per hundred yards.

COW STABLES—For each and every cow, the sum of seventy-five cents per annum.

FOUNTAINS or jets are prohibited.

For all stables not metered, the rates shall be as follows:

HORSES, PRIVATE—For two horses there shall be charged the sum of six dollars per annum; and for each additional horse, the sum of two dollars.

HORSES, LIVERY—For each horse up to and not exceeding thirty in number, the sum of one dollar and fifty cents each per annum; and for each additional horse, the sum of one dollar.

HORSES, OMNIBUS AND CART—For each horse, the sum of one dollar per annum.

HORSE TROUGHS—For each trough on sidewalks, the sum of twenty dollars per annum; each trough is to be fitted with a proper ball-cock to prevent waste, this must be kept in order.

HOTELS AND BOARDING HOUSES shall, in addition to the regular rate for private families, be charged for each lodging room at the discretion of the Commissioner of Public Works.

PORTER HOUSES, TAVERNS AND GROCERIES shall be charged an extra rate of either ten to twenty-five dollars, in the discretion of the Commissioner of Public Works, LAGER BEER SALOONS, with no water fixtures in the saloon, five dollars per annum.

PRINTING OFFICES AND REPECTORIES shall be charged at such rates as may be determined by the Commissioner of Public Works.

SLAUGHTER HOUSES shall be charged at the rate of five cents for every bullock slaughtered.

STEAM ENGINES shall be charged by the horse-power, as follows: for each horse-power up to and not exceeding ten, the sum of ten dollars per annum; or each exceeding ten, and not over fifteen, the sum of seven dollars and fifty cents each; and for each horse-power over fifteen, the sum of five dollars.

The use of hose for washing sidewalks, stoops, areas, house-fronts, and about stables, is prohibited, because it is absolutely necessary to save water for more necessary purposes. Where premises are provided with wells, special permits will be issued for the use of hose, in order that the Police or Inspectors may understand that the permission is not for the use of Croton water.

WATER-CLOSETS AND URINALS—To each building on a lot one water-closet having sewer connection is allowed without charge, each additional water-closet or urinal will be charged as hereinafter stated. All closets or urinals in which the Croton water from any service pipe or hydrant connecting with a privy vault or man-hole shall be charged two dollars for each seat per annum, whether in a building or on any other portion of the premises.

WATER-CLOSET RATES—For hoppers, of any form when water is supplied direct from the Croton supply, through any form of the so-called single or double valves, hopper-cocks, stop-cocks, self-closing cocks, or any valve or cock of any description attached to the closet, each per year twenty dollars.

For any pan-closet, or any of the forms of valve, plunger, or other water-closet not before mentioned, supplied with water as above described, per year, ten dollars.

For any form of hopper or water-closet, supplied from the ordinary style of cistern filled with ball-cock and overflow pipe that communicates with the pipe to the water-closet, so that overflow will run into the hopper or water-closet, when ball-cock is defective, or from which an unlimited amount of water can be drawn by holding up the handle, per year, each, five dollars.

For any form of hopper or water-closet, supplied from any of the forms of waste-preventing cisterns, that are approved by the Engineer of the Croton Aqueduct, which are so constructed that not more than three gallons of water can be drawn at each lift of the handle or depression of the seat, if such cisterns are provided with an overflow pipe, such overflow pipe must not connect with the water-closet, but be carried like a safe waste, as provided by the Board of Health Regulations, per year, two dollars.

Cistern answering this description can be seen at this Department.

METERS.

Under the provisions of section 73, chapter 335, Laws of 1873 (City Charter), water meters, of the pattern approved in accordance with said section 73 of the Charter, shall be hereafter placed on the pipes supplying all stores, workshops, hotels, manufactories, public edifices, at wharves, ferry-houses, stables, and in all places where water is furnished for business consumption, except private dwellings.

It is provided by section 73, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, that "all expenses of meters, their connections and setting, water rates, and other lawful charges for the supply of Croton water, shall be a lien upon the premises where such water is supplied, as now provided by law."

All manufacturing and other business requiring a large supply of water will be fitted with a meter.

Water measured by meter, ten cents per one hundred cubic feet for all manufacturing or other purposes.

PER DAY, GALLONS.	PER 100 GALS. RATE.	PER ANNUM, AM'T
25	05	\$3 75
50	"	7 50
60	"	9 00
70	"	10 50
80	"	12 00
90	"	13 50
100	"	15 00
150	"	22 50
200	"	30 00
250	04½	33 75
300	04	36 00
350	03½	36 75
400	"	42 00
500	"	52 50
600	"	63 00
700	"	73 50
800	"	82 00
900	"	94 50
1,000	"	105 00
1,500	03	135 00
2,000	02½	150 00
2,500	"	180 00
3,000	"	225 00
4,000	02¼	280 00
4,500	"	303 75
5,000	"	333 50
6,000	02	360 00
7,000	"	420 00
8,000	"	480 00
9,000	"	540 00
10,000	"	600 00

The rate charged for steam-vessels taking water daily or belonging to daily lines, is one-half per cent. per ton (Custom-house measurement) for each time they take water.

Steamers taking water other than daily, one per cent. per ton (Custom-house measurement).

Water supplied to sailing vessels and put on board, twenty-five cents per hundred gallons.

All matters not hereinbefore embraced are reserved for special contract by and with the Commissioner of Public Works.

By order,

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Public Works

Rate Without Meters.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NO. 31 CHAMBERS ST.,
NEW YORK, May 10, 1882.

JOHN H. CHAMBERS, Water Register:

SIR—From your letter of this date, in reference to certain rates included in the scale of water rents established

by me on the 1st instant, it appears that there is a misapprehension in regard to their application. In order that the matter may be clearly understood, I have to inform and instruct you that the new rates in reference to water-closets are not intended to and do not apply to existing houses and fixtures, but will be applied to all new houses hereafter erected or completed, and to all existing houses where the water-closets and fixtures therein referred may hereafter be put in. These water-closet rates are to go into general effect May 1, 1883.

Respectfully,
HUBERT O. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
BUREAU OF WATER REGISTER,
31 CHAMBERS STREET, ROOM 2,
NEW YORK, April 26, 1882.

NOTICE TO TAX PAYERS.

CROTON WATER RENTS.

THE REGULAR ANNUAL RENTS FOR Croton water for the year 1882, will become due and payable at this office on and after May 1.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

JURORS.

NOTICE

IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

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

APPLICATIONS FOR EXEMPTIONS WILL BE heard here, from 10 to 3 daily, from all persons hitherto liable or recently serving who have become exempt, and all needed information will be given.

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

Persons "enrolled" as liable must serve when called or pay their fines. No mere excuse will be allowed or interference permitted. The fines if unpaid will be entered as judgments upon the property of the delinquents.

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, DRY GOODS, CROCKERY AND OILS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES, ETC.
3,000 pounds fresh dairy butter, sample on exhibition morning of July 7.
500 barrels good sound Irish potatoes, to weigh 168 pounds net per barrel, to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.
100 barrels crackers.
200 bushels beans.
2,000 gallons molasses.
2,000 pounds best roasted Maracaibo coffee.
2,500 pounds cheese.
300 quintals best quality Grand Bank codfish, to be delivered in boxes of (4) four quintals each.
500 bales long, bright dry straw, weight delivered at B. Island.

DRY GOODS
10,000 yards calico.
5,000 " towelling.

CROCKERY.
5 gross dinner plates.
2 " two-quart pitchers.
1 " tumblers.
1 " male urinals.

OILS.
10 barrels best raw linseed oil.
10 " standard white, 150° test, kerosene oil, barrels to be returned.

—or any part thereof, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., of Friday, the 7th day of July, 1882. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Dry Goods, Crockery and Oils," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, and to accept any bid or estimate as a whole, or for any one or more articles included therein. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, at such times and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Department.

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

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, and to accept any bid or estimate as a whole, or for any one or more articles included therein. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

Dated New York, June 23, 1882.

THOMAS S. BRENNAN,
JACOB HESS,
HENRY H. PORTER,
Commissioners of the Department of
Public Charities and Correction.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
May 9, 1882.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 4 OF CHAPTER 33 of the Laws of 1881, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to property-owners that the assessment lists for the opening of One Hundred and Twenty-second street, between Fourth and Madison avenues, was confirmed by the Supreme Court May 5, 1882, and on the 9th day of May, 1882, was entered in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents."

Section 5 of the said act provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof, in the said record of titles of assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect, and receive legal interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," from 9 A. M. until 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before July 8, 1882, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles and Assessments in said Bureau.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
May 9, 1882.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 4 OF CHAPTER 33 of the Laws of 1881, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to property-owners

that the following lists of assessments for local improvements in said city were confirmed by the "Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments" on the 4th day of May, 1882, and on the same date, were entered in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," viz.:

Sixty-eighth street regulating, etc., from Third avenue to East river.

Ninety-fifth street regulating, etc., from Lexington to Fifth avenue.

Fourth avenue regulating, etc., from One Hundred and Fifteenth to One Hundred and Sixteenth street.

Ninth avenue regulating, etc., from One Hundred and Fiftieth street to St. Nicholas avenue.

One Hundred and Thirty-second street regulating, etc., from Fifth to Sixth avenue.

Ninety-sixth street paving, from Public Drive to Hudson river.

Sixty-eighth street paving, from Boulevard to Tenth avenue.

Seventy-eighth street paving, from First avenue to Avenue A.

Fourth avenue paving, at intersection of One Hundred and Fourth street.

One Hundred and Fortieth street sewer, from Alexander to Brook avenue.

One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street sewer, from Harlem river to Fifth avenue.

Pearl street sewer, between Coenties and Old slips.

First avenue sewer, between Forty-sixth and Forty-seventh streets.

Fifth avenue sewer, between Sixty-ninth and Seventieth streets.

Fourth street sewer, between Christopher and West Tenth streets.

Eightieth and Eighty-first streets sewers, between Avenues A and B, etc.

One Hundred and First street sewer, between Tenth avenue and Boulevard.

First avenue flagging, east side, from Forty-eighth to Forty-ninth street.

Fifty-eighth street flagging, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

Section 5 of the said act provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said record of titles of assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect, and receive legal interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," from 9 A. M. until 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before July 8, 1882, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the record of titles of assessments in said Bureau.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

ORDER OF THE COMPTROLLER ABOLISHING THE "BUREAU OF LICENSES," IN THE FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

THE ATTENTION OF LAWYERS, REAL Estate Owners, Monetary Institutions engaged in making loans upon real estate, and all who are interested in providing themselves with facilities for reducing the cost of examinations and searches, is invited to these Official Indices of Records, containing all recorded transfers of real estate in the City of New York from 1653 to 1882, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

Grantors, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriff's sales, in 61 volumes, full bound, price, \$100 00
The same, in 25 volumes, half bound, price, 50 00
Complete sets, folded, ready for binding, 15 00
Records of Judgments, 25 volumes, bound, 10 00

Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Angell, Comptroller's Office, New County Court-house."

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

No. 1. Flagging sidewalk on north side of Seventy-first street, from Ninth to Tenth avenues.

No. 2. Sewer in One Hundred and Twelfth street, between Madison and Sixth avenues.

No. 3. Alteration and improvements to sewer in Fifty-seventh street, between Fifth and Madison avenues.

No. 4. Sewer in Sixty-ninth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

No. 5. Sewer in Seventy-sixth street, between Eighth and Tenth avenues.

No. 6. Regulating, grading, setting curb-stone and flagging four feet wide in One Hundred and Twenty-first street, from the west curb of Sixth avenue to the east curb of Seventh avenue.

No. 7. Fencing vacant lots on both sides of Ninth avenue, between Seventy-first and Seventy-second streets, and on both sides of Seventy-first street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

No. 8. Flagging east side of Avenue D, from Thirtieth to Fourteenth streets.

No. 9. Sewer in Lexington avenue, between Eighty-first and Eighty-second streets.

No. 10. Sewers in First Avenue, between Twenty-first and Twenty-fourth streets.

No. 11. Sewer in Tenth avenue, between Forty-ninth and Fiftieth streets.

No. 12. Sewer in One Hundred and Forty-first street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.

No. 13. Sewer in Eighty-fifth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

No. 14. Basin at junction of Christopher and Grove streets.

No. 15. Sewer in Eighty-first street, between Ninth avenue and summit west of Ninth avenue. The limit embraced by such assessment includes all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

No. 1. North side of Seventy-first street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Twelfth street, between Madison and Sixth avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of Fifty-seventh street, between Madison and Fifth avenues.

No. 4. Both sides of Sixty-ninth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

No. 5. Both sides of Seventy-sixth street, between Eighth and Tenth avenues.

No. 6. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-first street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.

No. 7. Both sides of Ninth avenue, between Seventy-first and Seventy-second streets; and both sides of Seventy-first street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

No. 8. Both sides of Avenue D, between Thirtieth and Fourteenth streets.

No. 9. Both sides of Lexington avenue between Eighty-first and Eighty-second streets.

No. 10. Both sides of First Avenue, between Twenty-first and Twenty-fourth streets.

No. 11. Both sides of Tenth avenue, between Forty-ninth and Fiftieth streets.

No. 12. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-first street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.

No. 13. Both sides of Eighty-fifth street between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

No. 14. Park bounded by Grove, Fourth and Christopher streets.

No. 15. Both sides of Eighty-first street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 11 1/2 City Hall, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

The above-described lists will be transmitted as provided by law to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 30th day of June, ensuing.

JOHN R. LYDECKER,
DANIEL STANBURY,
JOHN W. JACOBUS,
JOHN MULLALLY,
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
NO. 11 1/2 CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, MAY 20, 1882.

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the widening of Gansevoort street, from Washington street to the intersection of Gansevoort and West Thirtieth streets, and West Thirtieth street, from Eighth avenue to the intersection of Gansevoort and West Thirtieth streets, in the City of New York, as widened 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-ninth day of June, 1882, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the widening of Gansevoort street from Washington street to the intersection of Gansevoort and West Thirtieth streets, and West Thirtieth street from Eighth avenue to the intersection of Gansevoort and West Thirtieth streets, as said streets are 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 18th day of March, 1882, being the following described pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at the northeast corner of Washington and Gansevoort streets; thence northerly along the easterly line of Washington street twenty feet and three quarters of an inch (20' 3/4"); thence easterly and parallel to the northerly line of Gansevoort street and twenty feet distant therefrom three hundred and fifty-six feet six inches and one quarter (356' 6 1/4") to the westerly line of Ninth avenue, thence southerly along the said line twenty-three feet and one-quarter of an inch (23' 1/4") to the northerly line of Gansevoort street; thence westerly along said line three hundred and forty-six feet eight inches (346' 8") to the point or place of beginning.

Also all that triangular plot of ground bounded by the Ninth avenue, Little West Twelfth and Gansevoort streets, beginning at the southeast corner of Ninth avenue and Little West Twelfth street; thence easterly and along the southerly line of Little West Twelfth street, twenty-nine feet four inches (29' 4") to the northerly line of Gansevoort street, thence westerly along the said line thirty-three feet nine inches (33' 9") to the easterly line of Ninth avenue thence northerly along said line sixteen feet eight inches (16' 8") to the point or place of beginning.

Also beginning at the northwesterly corner of Hudson and Gansevoort streets; thence northerly and along the westerly line of Hudson street twenty feet one and one-half inches (20' 1 1/2"); thence westerly and parallel to the northerly line of Gansevoort street, and twenty feet distant therefrom, seventy-six feet nine inches (76' 9") to the northerly line of Little West Twelfth street; thence easterly along said line northerly line thirty-nine feet two and one-half inches (39' 2 1/2") to the intersection of Little West Twelfth and Gansevoort streets; thence along the northerly line of Gansevoort street forty feet ten inches (40' 10") to the point or place of beginning.

Also beginning at the northeasterly corner of Hudson and Gansevoort streets; thence northerly along the easterly line of Hudson street twenty feet one and one-half inches (20' 1 1/2"); thence easterly and parallel to the northerly line of Gansevoort street and twenty feet distant therefrom two hundred and thirty-five feet seven inches (235' 7"); to the southerly line of West Thirtieth street; thence further easterly along said southerly line thirty-nine feet two and one-half inches (39' 2 1/2") to the northerly line of Gansevoort street; thence westerly along said line two hundred and seventy-one feet six inches (271' 6") to the point or place of beginning.

Also beginning at the southwesterly corner of Gansevoort and West Fourth streets thence westerly and along the southerly line of Gansevoort street two feet nine inches (2' 9"); thence southeasterly three feet one and three-quarter inches (3' 1 3/4") to the westerly line of West Fourth street; thence northerly along the westerly line of West Fourth street one foot six inches (1' 6") to the point or place of beginning.

Also beginning at the southeasterly corner of Eighth avenue and West Thirtieth street; thence southerly and along the westerly line of Eighth avenue, ten feet two and one-half inches (10' 2 1/2"); thence westerly and parallel to the southerly line of West Thirtieth street, and ten feet (10' 00") distant therefrom, one hundred and forty-seven feet one and three-quarters inches (147' 3/4") to the easterly line of West Fourth street; thence northerly along said line, eleven feet, four and one-half inches (11' 4 1/2") to the southerly line of West Thirtieth street; thence easterly along said line one hundred and fifty-four feet seven and one-half inches (154' 7 1/2") to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, June 1, 1882.

WILLIAM C. WHITNEY,
Counsel to the Corporation,
Tryon Row New York City

In the matter of the Application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands required for the southern approach to the so-called Madison Avenue Bridge across the Harlem River, in the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 534 of the Laws of 1871, and of all other statutes in such cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at the Chambers thereof in the County Court House, in the City of New York, on Thursday, the Twenty-ninth day of June, 1882, at the opening of the Court on that day or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the approaches to the so-called Madison Avenue Bridge across the Harlem river, between One Hundred and Thirty-seventh and One Hundred and Thirty-eighth streets, as shown on a map or plan made by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, and adopted by them on the 14th day of February, 1882, and filed in the office of said Department and in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

PARCEL "A."

Beginning at the intersection of the eastern line of Madison avenue with the northern line of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street;

1. Thence running northerly along the eastern line of Madison avenue for one hundred and ninety-nine feet and ten inches to the southern line of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street;

2. Thence running easterly along the southern line of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street for twenty feet;

3. Thence running southerly and parallel with the eastern line of Madison avenue for one hundred and ninety-nine feet and ten inches to the northern line of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street;

4. Thence running westerly along the northern line of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street for twenty feet to the place of beginning.

PARCEL "B."

Beginning at the intersection of the western line of Madison avenue with the northern line of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street;

1. Thence running northerly along the western line of Madison avenue for one hundred and ninety-nine feet and ten inches to the southern line of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street;

2. Thence running westerly along the southern line of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street for twenty feet;

3. Thence running southerly and parallel with the western line of Madison avenue for one hundred and ninety-nine feet and ten inches to the northern line of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street;

4. Thence running easterly along the northern line of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street for twenty feet to the place of beginning.

Dated New York, June 1, 1882.

WILLIAM C. WHITNEY,
Counsel to the Corporation,
Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from the Boulevard to Tenth avenue in the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said court, to be held at the Chambers thereof in the County Court House, in the City of New York, on Thursday, the 29th day of June, 1882, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter. The extent and nature of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street from the Boulevard to Tenth avenue, in the City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces, or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of the Boulevard distant four hundred and fifty-nine feet eight inches (459' 8") southerly from the southerly side of One Hundred and Fortieth street; thence easterly and parallel with said street one hundred and thirty-nine feet and one-quarter of an inch (139' 3/4") to the westerly line of Diagonal avenue; thence southerly and along said line sixty-five feet two inches (65' 2"); thence westerly one hundred and thirteen feet six and three-quarter inches (113' 3/4") to the easterly line of the Boulevard; thence northerly and along said line sixty feet (60') to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the westerly line of Tenth avenue, distant four hundred and fifty-nine feet eight inches (459' 8") southerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fortieth street; thence westerly and parallel with said street five hundred and fifty-four feet six and one-quarter inches (554' 6 1/4") to the easterly line of Diagonal avenue; thence southerly and along said line sixty-five feet two inches (65' 2"); thence easterly five hundred and seventy-nine feet eleven and three-quarter inches (579' 11 3/4") to the westerly line of Tenth avenue; thence northerly and along said line sixty feet (60') to the point or place of beginning.

Said street being sixty feet (60') wide between the lines of the Boulevard and Tenth avenue.

Dated New York, May 29, 1882.

WILLIAM C. WHITNEY,
Counsel to the Corporation,
Tryon Row.

ASSESSMENT COMMISSION.

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

As to all assessments for local improvements confirmed before June 9, 1880, on or before November 1, 1882. As to all assessments for local improvements completed before June 9, 1880, and since confirmed, on or before November 1, 1882. 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 the confirmation of the same, the property affected thereby, and in a brief and concise manner the objections thereto, showing, or tending to show, that the assessment was unfair or unjust in respect to said real estate.

Dated, No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET, June 6, 1882.

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

JAMES J. MARTIN,
Clerk.