

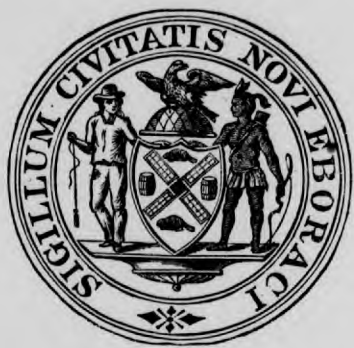
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HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
NEW YORK, June 20, 1878.

The Board met this day.

Reports Received.

From the Sanitary Superintendent—On operations of the Sanitary Bureau; on contagious diseases; on slaughter houses; on Riverside Hospital; on work performed by the Disinfecting Corps; on application for permits; on street pavements; on applications for relief from orders; on 36 and 38 Washington street; on Mill Brook; on 54 and 56 Mulberry street; on Public School No. 68; on public alleyway near Rivington street.

From the Attorney and Counsel—Weekly Report.

From the Register of Records: Weekly letter on mortality; weekly mortuary statement; weekly abstract of marriages, births, and still-births; weekly report on deaths from contagious diseases for week ending June 15, 1878; weekly report on attendance of clerks; report on violations of the Sanitary Code.

Communications Received.

From United States Consul at Merida, Yucatan, in respect to yellow fever.

Communications Received from other Departments.

From Finance Department: Weekly statement.

From Board of Estimate and Apportionment: Notice of transfer of \$5,000.

Permit Granted.

To drive 4 cows from One Hundred and Fifty-second street and Twelfth avenue to One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and Tenth avenue.

Permits Denied.

To slaughter sheep at No. 606 West Forty-seventh street.

To keep 1 cow at north side Fifty-sixth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.

To keep 1 cow at north side Fifty-seventh street, 300 feet east of Seventh avenue.

To keep 20 chickens at 64 Forsyth street.

Report of Standing Committee.

From the Sanitary Committee—

Report on cow stables in West Fifty-sixth, Fifty-seventh, and Fifty-eighth streets.

Resolutions.

Resolved, That copies of the reports of Sanitary Inspectors upon the condition of certain street pavements, etc., be forwarded to the Department of Public Works for the necessary action, as follows:

Street Pavement: Orchard street, between Stanton and Houston streets; Sheriff street, between Stanton and Rivington streets; Suffolk street, between Grand and Hester streets; Stanton street, between Sheriff and Columbia streets; Rivington street, between Orchard and Ludlow streets; Frankfort street, between William street and Park row; in front of 349, 351, and 353 East Fifty-third street; sub-soil drain, Tenth avenue, between Eightieth and Eighty-first streets; public hydrant, corner Tenth avenue and Eighty-fourth street; crosswalk, junction of Division, Grand, and Gouverneur streets.

Resolved, That a copy of the report of Assistant Sanitary Inspector Lockwood, upon the condition of public alleyway east of house No. 10 Rivington street, be forwarded to the Police Department for the necessary action.

Resolved, That the following orders be suspended:

So much of Order 4,564, premises corner Third avenue and Seventy-seventh street, requiring an independent sewer connection, be suspended for one year.

Orders 680, 682, 684, 686, 690, and 692, Eighth avenue, be extended to July 15, 1878.

Order 4,205 on premises 149 West Fifty-fourth street, extended to September 15, 1878.

Resolved, That the Sanitary Superintendent and the attorney be and are hereby authorized and directed to take the necessary steps to abate the nuisance complained of in the report of Sanitary Inspector Post, of certain cow stables in West Fifty-sixth, Fifty-seventh, and Fifty-eighth streets.

Resolved, That the Register of Records be and is hereby authorized and directed to make the following correction in registering the birth certificate of Francis Joseph S. Maguin; name of mother, Marguerite Josephine Gabrielle Maguin, in place of Gabrielle J. Maguin, maiden name of mother, Marguerite Joseph Gabrielle Verdier, in place of M. Lafou. Father's occupation, stage manager in place of artist. Age of father 33 years, age of mother 20 years.

Resolved, That the Register of Records be and is hereby authorized and directed to register the following birth and marriage certificates:

William Henry Limas, born December 9, 1877.

Joseph W. Holtje, born December 9, 1877.

Alfred W. Law and Alice L. Mills, married January 15, 1878.

Whereas, The contractors engaged under the direction of the Department of Public Parks in the work of constructing Mill Brook sewer, have so obstructed the channel of Mill Brook at and near the junction of Brook avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, as to cause the overflow of three or more acres of adjacent lands and the accumulation thereon of stagnant and offensive water and sewage, and

Whereas, This obstruction and such overflow and accumulation of offensive water in the opinion of this Board constitutes a public nuisance, dangerous to life and detrimental to health, the continuance of which at this season of the year is especially dangerous, therefore,

Resolved, That the Department of Parks be respectfully and urgently requested to adopt immediate and peremptory measures to cause such nuisance to be forthwith abated and to prevent the recurrence thereof at this or any other point upon the line of the said sewer.

Resolved, That in case a certificate of a still-birth is received from a midwife, it be the duty of the Deputy Register of Vital Statistics to refuse a permit of burial until an investigation into the case has been held, and that the case be immediately referred to an inspector, who shall investigate and report the result within six hours, and if any suspicious circumstances are developed, to notify the coroner.

Whereas, Satisfactory evidence has been presented to this Board that one Mrs. Bradley has been charged with a violation of sec. 183 of the Sanitary Code, under a misapprehension of facts; therefore,

Resolved, That the Inspector preferring the complaint be, and is hereby directed to withdraw the same same, as provided by law.

Resolved, That the Sanitary Committee and the Counsel take into consideration the subject of

recognizing transit permits from State and local Boards of Health, and report, if deemed advisable, an ordinance or general regulations upon the subject.

The Secretary was directed to communicate with the Metropolitan Elevated Railroad Company in respect to the danger of dropping cinders into the streets.

Sanitary Bureau.

The following is a record of the work performed in the Sanitary Bureau for the week ending June 15, 1878. The total number of inspections made by the Sanitary and Assistant Sanitary Inspectors was 1,894, as follows, viz.:

2 public buildings, 839 tenement-houses, 172 private dwellings, 63 other dwellings, 12 manufactories and workshops, 15 stores and warehouses, 79 stables, 1 lime kiln, 53 slaughter-houses, 14 fat-rendering establishments, 2 fertilizing works, 2 soap factories, 3 glycerine works, 1 oil works, 2 stock yards, 1 pond, 52 sunken and vacant lots, 3 public sewers, 6 docks, 8 manure dumps, 5 garbage dumps, 46 yards, courts, and areas, 77 cellars and basements, 127 waste-pipes and drains, 163 privies and water-closets, 45 streets, gutters, and sidewalks, 5 dangerous stairways, 3 piggeries, 2 cesspools, 2 violations of the Code, 22 other nuisances, together with 71 visits of the Sanitary Inspectors to cases of contagious disease.

The number of reports thereon received from the Inspectors was 783.

During the past week 165 complaints were received from citizens, and referred to the Sanitary Inspectors for investigation and report.

Permits were issued to the consignees of 112 vessels to discharge cargoes, on vouchers from the Health Officer of the Port.

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

The Disinfecting Corps have visited 51 premises where contagious diseases were found, and have disinfected and fumigated 46 houses, 46 privy-sinks, together with clothing, bedding, etc.

The following is a comparative statement of cases of contagious disease reported at this Bureau for the two weeks ending June 15, 1878:

Week Ending	Typhus Fever.	Typhoid Fever.	Scarlet Fever.	Cerebro-Spinal Meningitis.	Measles.	Diphtheria.	Small-pox.
June 8.....	0	12	81	1	40	57	0
June 15.....	0	7	70	2	37	35	0

During the week ending June 15, 1878, there were issued from this Bureau 462 burial permits for city deaths, 21 for bodies in transit, and 39 for the interment of still-born infants. There were recorded 462 deaths, 209 marriages, 378 births, 39 still-births, 21 applications for transit permits, and 71 returns from coroners. There were 34 searches of the registers of births, marriages, and deaths, and 7 transcripts of birth record, 3 of marriage and 24 of death were issued from this Bureau.

Adjournment.

The Board adjourned to meet on Tuesday, June 25, 1878, at 1 o'clock P. M.

By order of the Board,

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS,
June 18, 1878.

W. DE F. DAY, M. D., Sanitary Superintendent and Register:

SIR—462 deaths were reported to have occurred in this city during the week ending Saturday, June 15. This is an increase of 28 as compared with the preceding week, and 48 more than the number of deaths reported during the corresponding week of 1877. The actual mortality for the week ending June 8, was 450, which is 25 below the average for the corresponding week of the past five years, and represents an annual death-rate of 21.62 to the 1,000 inhabitants, the population estimated at 1,082,449.

The principal increase of the mortality during the week was from the following causes, viz.: Measles, 1; croup, 3; erysipelas, 3; typhus fever, 1; typhoid, 5; cerebro-spinal fever, 2; malarial fevers, 2; puerperal diseases, 2; alcoholism, 2; phthisis pulmonalis, 13; bronchitis, 3; pneumonia, 8; aneurism, 3; hydrocephalus and tubercular meningitis, 2; diseases of the nervous system, 3; cirrhosis and hepatitis, 3; enteritis, gastritis, and peritonitis, 1; cyanosis and atelectasis, 3; and drowning, 4; and a decrease took place in the deaths from whooping cough of 2; diarrhoeal diseases, 9; inanition, 1; rheumatism and gout, 2; cancer, 4; diseases of the heart, 7; marasmus and scrofula, 3; Bright's disease and nephritis, 3; premature and preterm births, 2; and suicide, 1. The number of deaths from scarlatina—17, and diphtheria, 19—was the same as the previous week. The 5 diseases which caused the highest mortality during the week were the following: phthisis pulmonalis, 94; pneumonia, 43; diseases of the brain and nervous system, 45; and Bright's disease and diarrhoea, 23 each.

Of the total number of deaths reported for the week, 85 were in institutions, 214 in tenement houses, 145 in houses containing three families or less, 3 in hotels and boarding houses, 13 in rivers, streets, boats, etc.; 5 were on the basement floor, 97 were on the first floor, 133 on the second, 80 on the third, 35 on the fourth, 11 on the fifth; 1 on the sixth; 461 were stated to be residents of New York City, and 1 non-resident; 56 were stated to be single, 128 married, 46 widowed, and the condition of 232 was not stated, these were children who had not attained a marriageable age.

The disposition of 454 deaths and still-births, or 90.62 per cent. of the total number reported, was in the following 14 cemeteries: Bayside (Jewish), 8; Calvary (Roman Catholic), 184; City (pauper burial-ground, undenominational), 73; Greenwood (undenominational), 47; Lutheran (undenominational), 75; Cypress Hills (undenominational), 12; Evergreen (undenominational), 21; Woodlawn (undenominational), 16; St. Michael's (Protestant Episcopal), 5; Union (Methodist Protestant), 4; Holy Cross (Roman Catholic), 4; Machpelah, L. I. (Jewish), 1; St. Raymond's (Roman Catholic), 1; Washington (undenominational), 3.

The distribution of deaths for the week ending June 8, was in the following wards, viz.: First, 13; Second, 0; Third, 5; Fourth, 7; Fifth, 7; Sixth, 13; Seventh, 9; Eighth, 14; Ninth, 21; Tenth, 20; Eleventh, 25; Twelfth, 34; Thirteenth, 10; Fourteenth, 10; Fifteenth, 10; Sixteenth, 20; Seventeenth, 35; Eighteenth, 15; Nineteenth, 73; Twentieth, 24; Twenty-first, 31; Twenty-second, 40; Twenty-third, 12; Twenty-fourth, 2.

The mean temperature for the week ending June 15, was 62.9 degrees Fahr., the mean reading of the barometer was 29.792, the mean humidity was 70, saturation being 100, the number of miles traveled by the wind was 662, and the total amount of rain fall was .74 inch depth of water, as reported by D. Draper, Director of the N. Y. Meteorological Observatory, Central Park.

The annual death-rate per 1,000 inhabitants, of the estimated or enumerated population, according to the most recent weekly return of Philadelphia, was 17.72, Brooklyn 17.69, St. Louis 12.58, Chicago 10.28, Baltimore 21.24, Boston 20.95, Cincinnati 16.1, New Orleans 26.24, Cleveland 15.44, Richmond 16.77, Charleston 37.18, Dayton 12.64, Erie 26.47, Lowell 15.74, Worcester 13.04, Cambridge 20.44, Fall River 17, Lawrence 11.58, Lynn 14.22, Springfield 8.28; monthly returns: Rochester 16.75, Nashville 22.56, Norfolk 24.52, Hudson County, N. J., 17.68, St. Paul 21.57, Wilmington, N. C., 15, Buffalo 15.34, Toledo 12.24; Foreign Cities—weekly reports—London 20.7, Liverpool 22.6, Birmingham 19.2, Manchester 17.1, Glasgow 21.8, Edinburgh 23.6, Dundee 24.6, Dublin 25.1, Belfast 28, Cork 25, Brussels 20.1, Antwerp 17.5, Ghent 19.9, Buda-Pesth 42.6, Paris 22.7, Turin 21.3, Venice 16.6, Berlin 17.0, Breslau 32.23, Trieste 29.7, Copenhagen 22.59, Stockholm 29.4, Christiania 13.12, Amsterdam 27.0, Rotterdam 21.1, The Hague 22.6, Calcutta 40, Bombay 42.9, Geneva (with suburbs) 21.2, Basel 30.7, Bern 36.8, Warsaw 41.24, St. Petersburg 56.51; monthly report: Genoa 29.6.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN T. NAGLE, M. D., Deputy Register of Records.

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Births* reported during the week ending June 15, 1878.

TOTAL.	COLOR.		SEX.			NATIVITY OF PARENTS.									NAME OF CHILD.	
	White.	Colored.	Male.	Female.	Not stated.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign Father only.	Foreign Mother only.	NATIVITY OF FATHER STATED ONLY		NATIVITY OF MOTHER STATED ONLY		Not stated.	Not stated.	
										Native.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign.			
378	372	6	212	166	....	227	69	56	23	....	....	2	1	....	277	101

Marriages* reported during the week ending June 15, 1878.

TOTAL.	COLOR.				NATIVITY.						CONDITION.											
	WHITE.		COLORED.		FOREIGN.		NATIVE.		BORN AT SEA.		NOT STATED.		FIRST MARRIAGE.		SECOND MARRIAGE.		THIRD MARRIAGE.		FOURTH MARRIAGE.		NOT STATED.	
	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.
209	206	207	3	2	122	93	80	109	..	..	7	7	169	169	27	24	2	2	..	..	11	14

* The returns of births, marriages, and still-births are incomplete.

Nativity of those who were Married, and the Parents of the Births and Still-Births, for the week ending June 15, 1878, and those who Died (actual mortality), week ending June 8, 1878.

NATIVITY OF DECEASED.	COUNTRY.	DEATHS.		BIRTHS.		MARRIAGES.		STILL-BIRTHS.	
		Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.	Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.	Nativity of Groom.	Nativity of Bride.	Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.
2	Austria	4	5	8	7	4	2	..	..
3	British America	1	4	2	2	..	..	..	..
5	England	14	12	12	10	9	5	1	1
3	France	6	5	2	2	3	4	..	..
41	Germany	128	111	127	104	68	47	12	8
84	Ireland	156	154	92	98	20	25	9	11
1	Italy	5	4	3	2	1	1	3	2
1	Poland	3	3	14	13	2	1	..	..
3	Scotland	7	4	4	2	..	..	..	..
1	Switzerland	1	1	1	..	2	..	..	..
295	United States	93	108	92	127	80	109	10	12
6	Unknown or not stated	19	19	3	..	7	7	4	4
..	West Indies	1	1	2	..	..	..	..	..
5	Other countries	2	9	16	13	8	8	..	1

Still-Births reported during the week ending June 15, 1878.

TOTAL.	SEX.			COLOR.		NATIVITY OF						PERIOD OF UTERO-GESTATION.										
	Male.	Female.	Not stated.	White.	Colored.	FATHER.			MOTHER.			MONTH.										Unknown or not stated.
						Native.	Foreign.	Not stated.	Native.	Foreign.	Not stated.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
39	23	16	..	35	4	10	25	4	12	23	4	..	..	4	4	1	7	4	2	17	..	..

Deaths reported during the week ending June 15, 1878.

TOTAL.	PLACE OF DEATH.											RESIDENCE.		CONDITION.								
	Institutions.	Tenement-houses.	Houses containing three families or less.	Hotels and Boarding-houses.	In Rivers, Streets, Boats, etc.	Not stated	FLOORS.						New York City.	Outside New York City.	Not stated. †	Single.	Married.	Widowed.	Not stated. †			
							Basement.	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.								Sixth.	Top.	Not stated.
462	85	214	145	3	13	..	5	97	133	80	35	11	1	..	..	461	1	..	56	128	46	234

† Principally children and deaths in institutions.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

WEDNESDAY, June 19, 1878.

The Board of Education held a stated session on Wednesday, June 19, at 4 o'clock P. M., at the Hall of the Board, corner of Grand and Elm streets.

The minutes of the previous session were amended and approved.

Commissioners Kelly and Vermilye were excused for absence.

The President laid before the Board the following communications:

From the Trustees of the Fourth, Ninth, Tenth, Fourteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Twentieth, and Twenty-first Wards, relative to teachers' absence. Referred to the Committee on Teachers, with power.

From the Sixth, Seventh, Tenth, Fifteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth, Nineteenth, and Twenty-second Wards, making awards of contracts for repairs, painting, furniture, etc., in the schools of said Wards. Referred to the Finance Committee.

From the First and Eleventh Wards, relative to salaries of ward teachers. Referred to the Committee on Teachers.

From the Sixth Ward, relative to bills for repairs for 1877. Referred to Finance Committee.

From the Tenth Ward, recommending the purchase of premises Nos. 21, 23, and 25 Norfolk street, for school purposes. Referred to the Committee on Sites and New Schools.

From the Thirteenth Ward, for payment of a bill of John H. Gottker, for repairs, amounting to \$90.16. Referred to the Committee on By-laws, Elections, and Qualifications.

From the Trustees of the Seventeenth Ward, asking to readvertise proposals for repairs, etc., on Primary School No. 26. On motion of Commissioner Manierre, said request was granted.

From the Seventeenth and Twenty-first Wards, nominating a teacher for the Evening School. Referred to the Committee on Evening Schools.

From the Eighteenth and Nineteenth Wards, relative to sundry repairs. Referred to the Committee on Buildings.

From the Twenty-third Ward, recommending J. Schuyler Anderson for Trustee. Referred to the Committee on Nomination of Trustees.

From the Twenty-fourth Ward, recommending Charles E. Barndollar, James C. Hull, and Herman C. Schwab for Trustees. Referred to the Committee on Nomination of Trustees.

The President laid before the Board a communication from the City Superintendent relative to the exhibition of drawings at the hall of the Board. Entered in the minutes.

Also, the monthly report for May. Entered in the minutes.

Also, a communication relative to the Principal of Grammar School, No. 20. Referred to the Special Committee.

The President laid before the Board the report of the Superintendent of School Buildings on the condition of the buildings, etc. Entered in full in the minutes.

From the Counsel to the Corporation, relative to the suit of George Hurst against the Board and the Trustees of the Twenty-second ward. Referred to the Committee on By-laws, etc.

The bill of P. R. Dunham, for \$177.66 for extra work on Grammar School, No. 63. Referred to the Committee on Buildings.

From Hon. William Herring, resigning his position as Trustee of Twenty-third ward, on account of removal from the ward. Referred to the Committee on Nomination of Trustees.

From the Clerk of the Board of Trustees of Twenty-fourth ward, transmitting the resignation of Morris Wilkins, M. K. Hamilton, Jr., and Franklin Edson as Trustees. Referred to the Committee on Nomination of Trustees.

From Professor J. Z. K. M. Hesser, application for appointment as Instructor of Music. Referred to the Committee on Teachers.

From several teachers, relative to salaries, etc. Referred to the Committee on Teachers.

From Mrs. S. M. Johnson, asking for the maximum salary for fourteen years' service. Referred to Committee on Salaries and Economy.

From Mrs. H. M. Cooper, and Louis H. J. Fibel, relative to examinations in schools for the College of New York. Referred to the Committee on Teachers.

From Charles W. Lord, asking to have his Rudiments of Music placed on the list of supplies; and from Ivison, Blakeman, Taylor & Co., to have Loomis' Progressive Music Lessons added to the list. Referred to the Committee on Course of Study and School Books.

Reports from Standing Committees were presented as follows:

By Commissioner Husted, from the Committee on Teachers, relative to the application of a teacher to be paid amount deducted from salary. Adopted.

Also, relative to the Principal of Primary Department, Grammar School No. 70, recommending that she be retained in her position, and admonished to be more courteous and considerate in her treatment of her assistant teachers, and to abstain from collecting money from them for purposes outside of school duties, etc. Adopted.

And recommending amendment to by-laws to prevent assessments on teachers. Referred to Committee on By-Laws, etc.

Also, to excuse certain teachers for absence. Adopted.

Commissioner Wickham presented a report from the Committee on Normal College, showing the applications for admission, admissions, schools, and percentage of admission, etc. Entered in the minutes.

Commissioner Jelliffe presented a report from the Committee on Sites and New Schools, adverse to purchasing a new site for Grammar School No. 60. Adopted.

Commissioner Beardslee presented a report from the Committee on Evening Schools, recommending an amendment to the by-laws relative to Evening School teachers. Referred to the Committee on By-laws, etc.

Commissioner Traud presented a communication from the Committee on Supplies, recommending the appointment of Wm. G. Ackerman for Inspector of Fuel in place of John E. White, deceased. Adopted.

Commissioner West presented a report from the Committee on By-laws, Elections, and Qualifications relative to the bill of Ellison & Todd. Adopted, and entered in the minutes.

Also, relative to contracts of Geo. Hunt & Co., referred to by the Counsel to the Corporation in his communication submitted to this meeting. Adopted, and entered in the minutes.

Also, adverse to changing the hours of the afternoon school sessions. Adopted.

Commissioner Walker presented a report from the Committee on Salaries and Economy, relative to the Branch Primary Department of Grammar School No. 4, recommending that the salary of the principal be increased, and adverse to the erection of said school into a new primary. Referred to the Committee on By-laws, and entered in the minutes.

Also, relative to the salaries of female first assistants in schools in the Eighth District. Referred to the Committee on By-laws, etc.

Commissioner Halsted presented a report from the Finance Committee, recommending an appropriation of \$3,500 for repairs, etc., to the Normal College Buildings. Adopted.

Also, to appropriate \$21,279.25 for repairs, etc., to buildings, furniture, etc. Adopted.

Commissioner Manierre offered a resolution to authorize the Trustees of the Seventeenth Ward to re-hire premises Nos. 15 and 17 East Third street, for Primary School No. 6. Adopted, and referred to the Finance Committee.

Commissioner Beardslee offered a resolution to amend the By-laws relative to salaries of Principals of Female Grammar Schools having 501 and upwards. Referred to the Committee on Salaries and Economy.

Commissioner West called up for consideration the report of the Committee on Nomination of Trustees, laid over at the last meeting, and the resolution was adopted, as follows:

Resolved, That Richard Richardson, residence No. 247 Broadway, be and he hereby is appointed Trustee of Common Schools for the Third Ward, vice Francis F. Fellers resigned; to hold office until the first day of January, eighteen hundred and eighty-two (1882); that Matthew P. Breen, residence 166 Henry street, be and he hereby is appointed a Trustee of Common Schools for the Seventh Ward, vice David Hays resigned, to hold office until the first day of January, eighteen hundred and eighty-two (1882); that George W. Ross, No. 37 Norfolk street, be and he hereby is appointed Trustee of Common Schools for the Tenth Ward, vice John Williamson resigned, to hold office until the first day of January, eighteen hundred and eighty-one (1881); and that George W. Relyea, residence No. 8 Willett street, be and he hereby is appointed Trustee of Common Schools for the Thirteenth Ward, vice Nathan S. Roberts resigned, to hold office until the first day of January, eighteen hundred and eighty-nine (1879); said appointments being made by and in pursuance of the authority conferred upon this Board by the 6th section of the act of March 21, 1873—as amended April 15, 1873—chapter 112 and 215 of the Laws of 1873.

Several resolutions relative to teachers in the Twenty-first Ward were laid over, or referred to appropriate committees.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

L. D. KIERNAN, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

At a meeting of the Board of Docks, held June 12, 1878.

Present—The full Board.

The minutes of the meeting held June 5 were read and approved.

An application was received from James Mahkon for permission to insert a drain pipe in the bulkhead between Piers 8 and 9 North river; and, being read,

On motion, it was

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby granted to James Mahkon to insert in the bulk-

head between Piers 8 and 9 North river, a six-inch pipe to carry off the water from premises No. 60 West street, the consent of the agent of the owners of said bulkhead having been filed in this office; said pipe to be removed when so ordered by this Department.

An application was received from Henderson Brothers, lessees of Pier, new 46, North river, to lay rail tracks thereon to connect with tracks in West street; and, being read,

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby granted to Henderson Brothers, Agents of Anchor Line of Steamships, lessees of Pier, new 46, North river, to place and retain thereon, and also upon the space recently created by this Department from the easterly end of said pier across to the westerly line of West street, where it has a width of 70 feet, rail tracks for the purpose of facilitating the transportation to and from said pier, of freight in cars drawn by steam; said tracks to be laid under the direction and supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department, in such manner as not to interfere with the ordinary use of the pier; to remain thereon only during the pleasure of this Board or its successor; to be removed whenever so ordered by this Department, free of expense to the city, this Department reserving the right to remove said tracks upon the refusal of the said lessees to comply with such demand, but at the cost and expense of said lessee; said tracks to be accessible to all lines of cars carrying freight connecting therewith; it being hereby expressly understood and provided that the said tracks shall, on request, be used by any railroad corporation landing freight in New York city upon precisely equal terms; and the Department expressly reserves the right to order the removal of the said tracks for any violation of the above provisions.

A petition was received from C. W. Peasley to place a small floating boat-house at the foot of East One Hundred and Twenty-first street; and, being read,

On motion, it was

Resolved, That C. W. Peasley be and is hereby informed that this Department has no objection to his placing at the foot of One Hundred and Twenty-first street, Harlem river, a floating boat-house, about 20 feet by 30 feet, but the Department reserves the right to order the removal of said boat-house at any time it may so elect.

A petition was received from E. McCarthy for permission to place a small tool-house on bulkhead at Pier 17 East river; and, being read,

On motion, it was

Resolved, That E. McCarthy be and is hereby informed that this Department has no objection to his placing upon the bulkhead at Pier 17 East river, a small tool-house, about five feet square, for the use of the horses engaged in hoisting cargo thereat, but this Department reserves the right to cause the removal of said tool-house at any time it may elect.

A petition was received from Stokes & Thedford to drive a few piles at the bulkhead between Twenty-eighth and Twenty-ninth streets, North river; and, being read,

On motion, it was

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby granted to Stokes & Thedford, lessors of bulkhead between Twenty-eighth and Twenty-ninth streets, North river, to drive three or four piles, along the line of bulkhead, in order to properly fasten their boats, said piles to be driven under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department, and to remain only during the pleasure of this Board.

An application was received from Hugh Allen, General Agent, Western Transportation Company, to retain tally house and tool box on Pier 7, East river; and, being read,

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the Western Transportation Company be and is hereby informed that this Department has no objection to said company placing on Pier 7 East river, a tally house and tool box, provided the same shall be placed on wheels so as to be easily moved; but the Department reserves the right to cause their removal at any time it may so elect.

An application was received from T. and A. Walsh to repair the existing platform between Forty-fifth and Forty-sixth streets, East river; and, being read, and the Secretary stating that, by direction of the Commissioners permission had been granted, on the 8th instant, to do the work,

On motion, the application of T. and A. Walsh, of 5th instant, to build crib bulkhead between Forty-fifth and Forty-sixth streets, East river, was taken from the table and placed on file, and the action of the Commissioners approved.

A petition was received from J. T. Rook, to place a hoisting engine and skids on Pier 11 East river, and inclosing the consent of the owner of said pier to the same; and, being read,

On motion, it was

Resolved, That J. T. Rook be, and is hereby, informed that this Department has no objection to his placing a hoisting engine and skids on Pier 11 East river, for the purpose of loading and unloading vessels berthed thereat; but the Department reserves the right to cause the removal of said engine and skids at any time it may so elect.

The following communications were received, read, and,

On motion, placed on file, action being taken where deemed necessary, as stated, to wit:

From Health Department, requesting that repairs be made to the pier at Twenty-eighth street, North river, as that portion reserved for the use of the boats engaged in the removal of night-soil is in need of repairs to the surface. Engineer-in-Chief directed to make repairs to said pier to the extent of \$250, but if more than that amount will be required, to report to the Board before doing the work.

From Department of Public Works—Requesting that the string pieces on piers at Bethune and 35th streets, North river, where the free floating baths are moored, be cut down, and necessary alterations made for the placing of the gang planks opposite the entrance of said baths. Engineer-in-Chief directed to perform the work as requested.

From Lorillard Fire Insurance Company—That the policies of insurance on the sheds on Piers, new 43 and 46, North river, would expire on June 25, 1878. Referred to the Treasurer to effect insurance on said sheds by renewal of the policies now in force, or otherwise, for an amount equal to that now insured.

From S. L. Merchant & Company—Stating that they would be prepared to deliver the cement referred to in their communication of 4th instant, in two, three, four, five, or six weeks, at \$2.45 per barrel. Engineer-in-Chief directed to report as to the advisability of accepting the cement on these terms.

From Engineer-in-Chief:

1. In reference to repairs needed to bulkhead, foot of 130th street, North river. Engineer-in-Chief directed to place 6 spring piles on the corners of the platform in front of the bulkhead, at a cost of about \$90.
2. In reference to repairs to pier at 79th street, East river. Engineer-in-Chief directed to repair said pier in accordance with said report, at a cost of about \$400, in addition to his previous estimate.
3. In reference to repairs to small Pier, between Piers 51 and 52 East river. Engineer in-Chief to make repairs as recommended.
4. In reference to repairs necessary to be made to scow No. 3. Engineer-in-Chief to caulk said scow and replace several of the wearing pieces and planks.
5. On offer of S. L. Merchant & Co. to sell Portland cement to the Department.
6. On work performed during the week ending June 8, 1878.

From Treasurer—As to receipts and disbursements for week ending June 11, 1878.

From Erie Railway Company—As to payment of rent of Pier No. 30, and adjoining bulkhead, North river.

The following communications were received, read, and,

On motion, laid on the table, to await action as stated, to wit:

From George W. Lynch—Offering to rent, during the pleasure of the Board, parts of Piers 51 and 52, and a small pier between, East river. Petitioner to call and state what price he will bid for the premises if same are put up at public sale.

From Inland and Seaboard Coasting Company—For permission to erect a shed on Pier No. 41, East river.

From S. D. Barnes and others—To erect a small shed on Pier 57, East river, as a shelter for passengers. Applicant to inform this Board if he is in the business of steam transportation, and uses and employs the said pier for the purpose of regularly receiving and discharging cargo thereat.

A report was received from the Engineer-in-Chief, stating in full the circumstances attending the delivery of material by John M. C. Scully, contractor, for furnishing rip-rap, etc., and, being read,

On motion, the communication from the Finance Department in reference to the penalty imposed by this Department, in accordance with the provisions of the contract with said John M. C. Scully, in the sum of \$700, was taken from the table and placed on file, and the following resolution adopted:

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby informed in reply to his communication of 8th ultimo, in reference to the penalty deducted from estimate No. 1 of \$700 of the contract with John M. C. Scully, that this Department has carefully considered the subject and is satisfied that the delay of the contractor in furnishing the materials called for did cause considerable damage, but just how much the Department cannot state, and therefore this Department cannot recommend that the penalty be remitted.

On motion, the following appointments were made, to wit:

Patrick Foley, as a watchman; Joseph Simpson, as a watchman for temporary jobs.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

EUGENE T. LYNCH, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Abstract of the Proceedings of the Department of Public Parks for the week ending Saturday, June 15, 1878.

MEETING HELD JUNE 12, 1878.

Present—Commissioners Wenman (President), Wetmore, Conover and Lane.

Directions were given to have the roadway at the Plaza, Fifth avenue and Fifty-ninth street, and the Circle, at Eighth avenue and Fifty-ninth street, repaired.

The middle room on the western side of the attic story of the Museum of Natural History building, was directed to be fitted up with cases suitable for a library. A pumping engine was also directed to be placed in the basement of said building.

Commissioner James F. Wenman was elected President, and Commissioner Smith E. Lane was elected Treasurer of the Department for the year ending May 1, 1879.

The President appointed the following Standing Committees:

Commissioners Wetmore and Conover, Executive Committee; Commissioners Lane and Conover, Auditing Committee.

Post-keeper Thomas Wade was found guilty of neglect of duty in not patrolling his post properly on the 20th May, 1878, and he was fined one day's pay.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, In the judgment of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks of the City of New York, or a majority of them, Concord avenue, from Westchester avenue to Boston road, is or may be needed for the convenience of the general public, as a main route of travel or for drainage; as the same is laid down and indicated by red color and by field notes and explanatory remarks on three similar maps or plans, entitled "Map or plan of Concord avenue, from Westchester avenue to Boston road, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as established and classified by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 329 and 604 of the Laws of 1874, and chapter 436 of the Laws of 1876," dated "New York, June 11, 1878," and signed "E. B. Van Winkle, Engineer and Surveyor, etc., Department of Public Parks."

Resolved, That under and by virtue of the powers conferred on said Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks of the City of New York by chapter 329 and 604 of the Laws of 1874, and chapter 436 of the Laws of 1876, they do hereby lay out said Concord avenue, from Westchester avenue to Boston road, of the width, extent and direction that the same is shown on the aforesaid maps or plans by red color and by field notes and explanatory remarks, and do designate the same and all parts thereof, as a street of the first-class.

Resolved, That James F. Wenman, the President of the Board of Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks be and he hereby is designated and directed by the said Board to certify and file, as provided by law, said three similar maps or plans.

Resolved, That in the opinion of the Board of Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, the interests of the public demand the opening of Concord avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, from Boston road to the south side of Denman place, and that the President be and he hereby is authorized and directed to instruct the Counsel to the Corporation to commence and prosecute proceedings to acquire the title, for the use of the public, to said portion of said avenue, wherever the same has not been heretofore legally opened.

Resolved, That the Meteorological Observatory be retained and continued as at present conducted, and that the pay of the director and clerk employed therein be fixed as follows:

Daniel Draper, Director, at the rate of \$2,500 per annum.

Thomas B. Ingram, Clerk, " 1,000 "

Resolved, That a committee of two be appointed to examine and report upon the reorganization of the Department.

The President appointed Commissioners Conover and Wetmore such committee.

Appointment.

June 12, 1878—Bartholomew Francis, carpenter. Pay, \$2.50 per day.

Restored.

June 12, 1878—D. S. Dickinson. Skilled laborer.

Removed.

June 12, 1878—Charles Boorman, carpenter.

" Patrick Garrity, carpenter.

" Benjamin Oakley, carpenter.

Forwarded to the Finance Department.

Bills approved and transmitted to the Comptroller of the City for payment..... \$11,412 65
Money received and deposited with the City Chamberlain..... 27 96

Animals received at the Menagerie in Central Park:

DONATIONS.

- 1 Horseshoe Crab (*Limulus polyphemus*), presented by Mr. B. Roth, New York City.
- 1 Larger-hill Mynah (*Gracula intermedia*), presented by Mrs. L. Grey, New York City.

BORN.

- 3 English Pheasants (*Phasianus colchicus*).
- 1 White Swan (*Cygnus olor*).
- 1 Fallow Deer (*Cervus Dama*).

WM. IRWIN, Secretary D. P. P.

APPROVED PAPERS.

Whereas, The Hon. Samuel S. Cox, one of the representatives in Congress from this city, has delivered an effective and patriotic speech in the House of Representatives in behalf of humanity and the suffering; and as he has given almost his whole life to assist in perfecting the life-saving system, and to establish its workings on our coast from Maine to California, by which thousands of lives and millions of dollars have been saved to all nationalities; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen, in behalf of the City of New York, tender to the Hon. Samuel S. Cox, and to all members of Congress and other persons connected in any way with this life-saving and humane institution, their sincere and grateful thanks, not unmindful of the assistance given to it by the press of the country; and be it further

Resolved, That the Clerk of this Board be authorized and directed to have this resolution engrossed and forwarded to the Hon. Samuel S. Cox.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 11, 1878.

Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1878.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to lay Croton water-mains in Sixty-ninth street, between First and Second avenues, as provided in section 2, chapter 477, Laws of 1875; and also in Ninety-third street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, as provided in section 2, chapter 477, Laws of 1875.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 11, 1878.

Approved by the Mayor, June 21, 1878.

Resolved, That two boulevard lamps be placed on the lamp-posts in front of the Church of the Annunciation in Fourteenth street, south side, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, in lieu of the old lamps now there, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 11, 1878.

Approved by the Mayor, June 21, 1878.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Harry Miner to place two lamp-posts and lamps in front of his premises, Nos. 165 and 167 Bowery, providing the said lamp-posts do not exceed the dimensions prescribed by law, the gas to be supplied from his own meter, and the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; this permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 11, 1878.

Approved by the Mayor, June 17, 1878.

Resolved, That Twelfth avenue, between One Hundred and Thirtieth and One Hundred and Thirty-third streets, be regulated and graded, the curb and gutter stones set, and the sidewalks flagged with one course of flagging four feet wide, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 11, 1878.

Approved by the Mayor, June 21, 1878.

COMMON COUNCIL.

Names, Residences, and Places of Business of the Members of the Board of Aldermen, 1878.

NAMES.	RESIDENCE.	PLACE OF BUSINESS.
William Bennett...	18 Clarkson st...	271 Bowery.
Bernard Biglin...	231 E. 30th st...	
Thomas Carroll...	156 E. 54th st...	156 E. 54th st.
Ferd. Ehrhart...	139 E. Houston st.	137 E. Houston st.
Robert C. Foster...	214 E. 19th st...	Contractor.
William H. Gendey...	67 Horatio st...	143 W. 40th st.
John W. Guntzer...	83 Second st...	83 Second st.
George Hall...	54 Eldridge st...	51 Bowery.
John W. Jacobus...	16 Morton st...	Cartman.
Patrick Keenan...	253 E. 7th st...	216 Avenue B.
Terence Kiernan...	317 E. 83d st...	305 Fifth st.
Samuel A. Lewis...	214 W. 14th st...	
John J. Morris...	117 W. 21st st...	59 University pl.
Henry C. Perley...	716 Lexington av.	7 Murray st.
Lewis J. Phillips...	24 E. 74th st...	6 Pine st.
Joseph C. Pinckney...	27 Stuyvesant st.	27 Stuyvesant st.
Bryan Reilly...	73 Monroe st...	73 Monroe st.
William R. Roberts...	Metropol'n Hotel	
William Sauer...	346 Fourth av...	55 E. 20th st.
Thomas Sheils...	55 Pike st...	71 E. Broadway.
James J. Slevin...	131 Mott st...	25 Spring st.
Louis C. Waehner...	534 Fifth st...	13 Chambers st.

WILLIAM R. ROBERTS, President.
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

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.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.
No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
SMITH ELY, Jr., Mayor; GEORGE B. VANDERPOEL, Secretary.
Mayor's Marshal's Office.
No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
JOHN TYLER KELLY, First Marshal.
Permit and License Bureau Office.
No. 1 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
DANIEL S. HART, Registrar.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.
No. 19 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioner; HUBERT O. THOMPSON, Deputy Commissioner.
Bureau of Water Register.
No. 10 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN H. CHAMBERS, Register; WILLIAM R. FARRELL, Deputy Register.
Bureau of Incumbrances.
No. 13 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL, Superintendent.
Bureau of Lamps and Gas.
No. 13 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
STEPHEN MCCORMICK, Superintendent.
Bureau of Streets.
No. 19 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES J. MOONEY, Superintendent.
Bureau of Sewers.
No. 21 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
STEVENSON TOWLE, Engineer-in-Charge.
Bureau of Chief Engineer.
No. 11½ City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN C. CAMPBELL, Chief Engineer.
Bureau of Street Improvements.
No. 11 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE A. JEREMIAH, Superintendent.
Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.
No. 18 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS KEECH, Superintendent.
Bureau of Water Purveyor.
No. 4 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
DANIEL O'REILLY, Water Purveyor.
Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.
JOHN F. SLOPER, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.
Nos. 19 and 20 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN KELLY, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.
Auditing Bureau.
No. 19 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
DANIEL JACKSON, Auditor of Accounts.
Bureau of Arrears.
No. 5 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ARTEMAS CADY, Clerk of Arrears.
Bureau for the Collection of Assessments.
No. 16 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EDWARD GILON, Collector.
Bureau of City Revenue.
No. 6 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EDWARD F. FITZPATRICK, Collector of City Revenue.
Bureau of Markets.
No. 6 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOSHUA M. VARIAN, Superintendent of Markets.
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.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.
Staats Zeitung Building, third floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM C. WHITNEY, Counsel to the Corporation;
ANDREW T. CAMPBELL, Chief Clerk.
Office of the Public Administrator.
No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ALGERNON S. SULLIVAN, Public Administrator.
Office of the Corporation Attorney.
No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM A. BOYD, Corporation Attorney.
Attorney to Department of Buildings Office.
Corner Cortland and Church streets.
JOHN A. FOLEY, Attorney.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.
No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM F. SMITH, President; SETH C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.
Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS S. BRENNAN, President; JOSHUA PHILLIPS, Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Headquarters.
Nos. 153, 155, and 157 Mercer street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
VINCENT C. KING, President; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

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.
JAMES F. WENMAN, President; WILLIAM IRWIN, Secretary.
Civil and Topographical Office.
Arsenal, 64th street and 5th avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
JAMES R. CROES, Engineer.
Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.
Fordham, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

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

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, No. 114 White street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS B. ASTEN, President; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

No. 2 Fourth avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WALTER W. ADAMS, Superintendent.

BOARD OF EXCISE.

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

SEALERS OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

No. 236 West Forty-third street.
ELIJAH W. ROE.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Nos. 3 and 4 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
BERNARD REILLY, Sheriff; JOHN T. CUMMING, Under Sheriff.

COMMISSION FOR THE COMPLETION OF THE NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE.

No. 28 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
WYLLIS BLACKSTONE, President; ISAAC EVANS, Secretary.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

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

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

No. 27 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
LINDSAY I. HOWE, JOHN H. MOONEY.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HENRY A. GUMBLETON, County Clerk; J. FAIRFAX McLAUGHLIN, Deputy County Clerk.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

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

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

And Bureau of Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.
No. 2 City Hall, 8 A. M. to 6 P. M.; Saturdays, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.
CHARLES F. WOOD, Supervisor; R. P. H. ABELL, Book-keeper.

CORONERS' OFFICE.

No. 40 East Houston street.
HENRY WOLTMAN, MORITZ ELLINGER, RICHARD CROKER, and RICHARD FLANAGAN, Coroners.

SUPREME COURT.

Second floor, New County Court-house, 10½ A. M. to 3 P. M.
General Term, Room No. 9.
Special Term, Room No. 10.
Circuit, Part I, Room No. 11.
Circuit, Part II, Room No. 12.
Circuit, Part III, Room No. 13.
Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 14.
NOAH DAVIS, Chief Justice; HENRY A. GUMBLETON, Clerk.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Third floor, New County Court-house, A. M.
General Term, Room No. 29.
Special Term, Room No. 30.
Chambers, Room No. 31.
Part I, Room No. 32.
Part II, Room No. 33.
Part III, Room No. 34.
Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 35.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 36.
Clerk's Office, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., Room No. 37.
WILLIAM E. CURTIS, Chief Judge; THOS. 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. 23.
Special Term, Room No. 24.
Chambers, Room No. 25.
Part I, Room No. 26.
Part II, Room No. 27.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 28.
CHARLES P. DALY, Chief Justice; NATHANIEL JARVIS, Jr., Chief Clerk.

MARINE COURT.

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

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, second floor, Room 14, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN K. HACKITT, Recorder; JOSIAH SUTHERLAND, City Judge; HENRY A. GILDERSLEEVE, Judge-Sessions; JOHN SPARKS, Clerk.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT, No. 301 MOTT STREET, NEW YORK, June 14, 1878.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH of the Health Department of the City of New York, held at its office on the 11th day of June, 1878, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That under the power conferred by law upon the Health Department, the following sections of the Sanitary Code for the security of life and health be and the same are hereby amended, and declared to form a portion of the Sanitary Code:

Section 196. That it shall be the duty of every owner, lessee, or tenant of any vacant, sunken, or excavated lot in the City of New York, to keep the same at all times clean and inoffensive, and to provide around the same a proper fence so as to effectually prevent the throwing or depositing therein or thereupon any garbage or offensive thing whatsoever, and also to prevent persons passing from falling into such excavation.

Section 198. That on and after the 10th day of May, 1878, no cows or cattle shall be led or driven through or along any of the streets of that portion of the City of New York bounded by Fifty-seventh and Sixty-fourth streets, Tenth and First avenues, exclusive of these boundary streets and avenues, without a permit in writing from this Department, and in strict accordance with the routes, hours, and terms prescribed and designated therein.

[L. S.] CHARLES F. CHANDLER, President.

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, 300 MULBERRY STREET, ROOM 39.
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, June 4, 1878.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk, Police Department, 300 Mulberry street, Room 39, for the following property now in his custody without claimants:

Furniture, boats, wagons, rope, iron, lead, soap, revolvers, gold and silver watches, tea, liquor, male and female clothing, trunks, shades, boots, shoes, also small amount money found and taken from prisoners.

C. A. ST. JOHN, Property Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, 300 MULBERRY STREET, NEW YORK, June 17, 1878.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the following described property of the Police Department will be sold at public auction, at the stables of Van Tassel & Kearney, 110 East Thirteenth street, on Friday, June 28, 1878, at 10 o'clock A. M., viz: four horses, one business wagon, ten cavalry saddles, part of a set of heavy wagon harness, lot of old harness, one top wagon, one sleigh.

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

JURORS.

NOTICE IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS, NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, NEW YORK, June 1, 1877.

APPLICATIONS FOR EXEMPTIONS WILL BE heard here, from 9 to 4 daily, from all persons hitherto liable or recently serving who have become exempt, and all needed information will be given.

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

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

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

CORPORATION NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE FOLLOWING Assessment Lists have been received by the Board of Assessors from the Commissioner of Public Works:

No. 1—Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones and flagging Seventieth street, from Third avenue to the East river..... \$45,240 25
No. 2—Setting curb and gutter stones and flagging four feet wide in Fourth avenue, from Seventy-first to Seventy-ninth street..... 2,580 23
No. 3—Sewers in the Boulevard, between Seventy-seventh and Ninety-second streets..... 222,720 83

WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS, NO. 114 WHITE STREET, NEW YORK, May 28, 1878.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the School Trustees of the Seventeenth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until 9:30 o'clock A. M. on Wednesday, July 3, 1878, for repairing and painting Primary School Building No. 26, on East Twelfth street, near Avenue B.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blanks for proposals obtained, at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand street, third floor.

Proposals will not be considered unless the following provisions are strictly complied with:

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

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

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

R. A. BARRY, M. D.,
HENRY MERZ,
JOHN M. REYNOLDS,
PATRICK K. HORGAN,
FREDERICK C. WAGNER,

Board of School Trustees, Seventeenth Ward.
Dated New York, June 19, 1878.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
117 AND 119 DUANE STREET,
NEW YORK, 18th June, 1878.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR REMOVING THAT PART OF PIER, OLD 48, AT THE FOOT OF CLARKSON STREET, NORTH RIVER, OUTSIDE THE NEW BULKHEAD WALL, EXCEPT CRIB WORK BELOW MEAN LOW WATER MARK, AND ALL THE SHEDS AND BUILDINGS THEREON, AND PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING A NEW WOODEN PIER ON THE SITE OF SAID PIER, OLD 48, TO BE KNOWN AS PIER, NEW 40, NORTH RIVER.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR REMOVING A part of Pier, old 48, and all the sheds and buildings thereon, and for building a new wooden Pier at foot of Clarkson street, North river, indorsed as above, and with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same and the date of presentation, and addressed to "The President of the Department of Docks," will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M., of

MONDAY, 1ST JULY, 1878, at which time and place the bids 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 bidder for this contract must be known to be a skilled dock or bridge builder, well prepared for the business, and shall give security for the faithful performance of his contract, in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance, in the sum of ten thousand dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

	B. M., Measured in the Work.
1. Yellow pine timber, 3-inch plank.....	84,600 feet.
" " " 4 x 10 inch plank.....	33,600 "
" " " 5-inch plank.....	260,000 "
" " " 3 x 5 inch.....	2,142 "
" " " 5 x 6 ".....	3,845 "
" " " 6 x 10 ".....	4,030 "
" " " 6 x 8 ".....	3,800 "
" " " 6 x 12 ".....	10,728 "
" " " 10 x 10 ".....	140,720 "
" " " 10 x 12 ".....	24,197 "
" " " 12 x 12 ".....	200,286 "
Total.....	767,948 "

2. White oak timber, 12 x 12 inch.....	924 "
" " " 12 x 8 ".....	9,984 "
" " " 12 x 5 ".....	6,020 "
" " " 12 x 6 ".....	300 "
Total.....	17,228 "

3. Spruce timber, 3 x 4 inch.....	2,000 "
4. 2, 1½, 1¼, and 1 inch wrought iron screw bolts and wrought iron round washers, about 7,876 pounds.	
5. 1 and ¾ inch wrought iron screw bolts and wrought iron square washers to be furnished by the Department of Docks, about.....	26,150 pounds.
6. 22 x ¾ inch, 18 x ¾ inch, 16 x ¾ inch, 12 x ¾ inch, 10 x ¾ inch, 8 x ¾ inch, 6 x ¾ inch, 4 x ¾ inch, 3 x ¾ inch, 2 x ¾ inch, 1 x ¾ inch, ½ inch square, and 12 x ¾ inch, 6 x ¾ inch, and 4 x ¾ inch round wrought iron, spike-pointed bolts, about.....	40,000 "
7. Wrought iron spike bolts and cut spikes for sewer box, about.....	4,800 "
8. Cast-iron mooring posts, about.....	3,600 "
9. Cast-iron washers for 1½ inch and 1 x 49 inch screw bolts, about.....	3,876 "
10. Cast-iron washers for 1 inch bolts, to be furnished by the Department of Docks, about.....	9,000 "
11. Boiler plate armatures, about.....	3,220 "
12. Boiler plate armatures to be furnished by the Department of Docks, about.....	3,430 "
13. 41 piles to be spliced, and the points to be furnished by contractors.	
14. 813 piles furnished by the Department of Docks to be driven.	
15. 48 columns 20 x 20 inches, in section, 84 feet or more in length, to be driven.	
16. Labor of framing and carpentry, including all moving of timber, jointing, planing, bolting, spiking, painting, oiling or tarring, and furnishing the materials for painting, oiling or tarring, and the treenails and wedges for the columns, etc., and labor of every description. For that part of the pier where the bays are 12 feet 6 inches span, 4,875 square feet, and for the remainder of the pier, 38,588 square feet.	

The foregoing are the quantities which have been estimated approximately for the construction of the work. They form, however, no part of the contract, and persons bidding are cautioned that the Department of Docks do not hold themselves responsible that any of them shall strictly obtain in the construction of the work, and bidders are required to examine the plans and the premises, and to judge for themselves of the quantity and other circumstances affecting the cost of the work.

The time allowed for the completion of the work (except about 100 feet of the shore end of the pier, which will not be constructed until the bulkhead wall in the rear is erected, and except the sewer box, and the bracing of the piles referred to in Article 20 of the specifications), is four months from the date of the execution of the contract, or

within as many days thereafter as the premises may have been occupied, after the date of the contract, by the Department of Docks in dredging for the pier; and an additional two months after the expiration of the four months above specified will be allowed for the completion of the sewer box and the bracing for the piles, but this work for which the additional time is allowed must be carried on by the contractor, without any delay or hindrance to the free use of the new pier by the Department of Docks or its lessees, and without any claim for damage or delay caused to the work by such use of the new pier; and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract or any part thereof may be unfulfilled, after the time fixed for fulfillment has expired, Sundays and holidays not to be excepted, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at fifty dollars per day, in each case.

All the old material taken from said Pier 48, and the sheds and buildings thereon, outside the new bulkhead wall, to be removed under this contract, will be relinquished to the contractor, and bidders must estimate the value of such material when considering the price for which they will do the work under the contract.

Bidders will state in their proposals the price for the whole of the work to be done in conformity with the specifications, by which the bids will be tested. This price is to cover the expenses of furnishing all the necessary materials and labor, and the performance of all the work set forth in the annexed agreement.

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

Should the lowest bidder or bidders neglect or refuse to accept to contract within forty-eight (48) hours after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if, after acceptance, he or they should refuse or neglect to execute the contract and give the proper security for forty-eight hours after notice that the same is ready for execution, 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, and so on until it be accepted and executed.

Bidders are required to state in their proposals their names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein; and if no other person be so interested, the proposal shall distinctly state the fact; also that the bid is made without any connection with any other person making any estimate for the same work, and that it is in all respects fair, and without collusion or fraud; and also 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; which proposals must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party 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 proposal 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 or persons making the bid, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person 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 the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 6 of chapter 574, Laws of 1871, and by section 27 of chapter VIII, 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 is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York, after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instructions of the Engineer-in-Chief.

No proposal 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 right to decline all the proposals is reserved, if deemed for the interest of the Corporation.

Bidders are requested, in making their bids, to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the Department, a copy of which, together with the form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application at the office of the Department, Room No. 6.

JACOB A. WESTERVELT,
HENRY F. DIMOCK,
JACOB VANDERPOEL,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
New York, June 15, 1878.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS
Department with five hundred (500) Chestnut telegraph poles, will be received at these Headquarters until 9:30 o'clock A. M. on Wednesday, the 3d proximo, when they will be publicly opened and read.

The poles are to be of the following dimensions and descriptions:

Fifteen (15) poles, each 60 feet long.
Sixty (60) poles, each 50 feet long.
Seventy-five (75) poles, each 40 feet long.
Three hundred and fifty (350) poles, each 35 feet long.
—all to be straight, well proportioned, peeled, trimmed and butted, not less than six inches in diameter at the top, and to be delivered at such times and places in this city as may be designated by the Superintendent of Telegraph.

No proposals will be received or considered after the time named.

Two responsible sureties will be required with each proposal, who must each justify thereon prior to its presentation, in not less than one-half the amount thereof.

Blank proposals and further information will be furnished upon application at these Headquarters, where the form of contract to be entered into may also be seen.

Proposals must be addressed on the envelope to the Board of Commissioners, with the endorsement "Proposals for furnishing Telegraph Poles," and the name of the bidder.

The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted, if deemed to be for the interests of the city.

VINCENT C. KING,
JOSEPH L. PERLEY,
JOHN J. GORMAN,
Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
New York, June 10, 1878.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS
Department with the following articles, to wit:

1,600 tons Egg Coal,
1,200 tons Stove Coal,

—to be of the best quality of Pittston, Scranton, or Lackawanna Valley, weigh 2,000 pounds to the ton, and be well screened and free from slate, will be received at these Headquarters until 9:30 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, the 3d proximo, when they will be publicly opened and read.

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

Proposals must be made for both of the items, specifying the price per ton.

All of the coal is to be delivered and weighed upon scales furnished by the Department, in the presence of Inspectors to be designated by the Department for that purpose, at the various houses, etc., of the Department, in such quantities and at such times as may be from time to time directed.

Two responsible sureties will be required upon each proposal, who must each justify thereon in not less than one-half the amount thereof prior to its presentation. Proposals must be indorsed "Proposals for Furnishing Coal," with the name of the bidder, and be addressed to the Board of Commissioners of this Department.

Blank forms of proposals, together with such information as may be required, may be obtained upon application at these Headquarters, where the prescribed form of contract may also be seen.

The Board of Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals received, if deemed to be for the interests of the city.

VINCENT C. KING,
JOSEPH L. PERLEY,
JOHN J. GORMAN,
Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
New York, June 15, 1878.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS
Department with the following articles, to wit:

240,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as good sweet Timothy.

45,000 pounds good clean Rye Straw,

1,800 bags clean white Oats, 80 pounds to the bag,

1,200 bags fine Feed, 60 pounds to the bag,

will be received at these Headquarters until 9:30 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, the 3d proximo, when they will be publicly opened and read.

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

Proposals must include all of the items, specifying the price per cwt. for hay and straw, and per bag for oats and feed.

All of the articles are to be delivered at the various houses of the Department, in such quantities, and at such times as may be directed.

Two responsible sureties will be required upon each proposal, who must each justify thereon, prior to its presentation, in an amount not less than one-half of the amount thereof.

Blank forms of proposals, together with such further information as may be required, may be obtained upon application at these Headquarters, where the prescribed form of contract may also be seen.

Proposals must be endorsed upon the envelope, "Proposals for furnishing Forage," with the name of the bidder, and be addressed to the Board of Commissioners of this Department.

The Board of Commissioners reserves the right to reject any or all of the proposals received, if deemed to be for the interests of the city.

VINCENT C. KING,
JOSEPH L. PERLEY,
JOHN J. GORMAN,
Commissioners.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

A BROWN MARE, BOB-TAIL, WHITE SPOT ON
the forehead, to be sold at public pound, on Thursday, 27th inst., corner Ninety-third street and Second avenue, at 2 o'clock P. M.

DAVID McMAHON,
Pound Keeper.

THE CITY RECORD.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
New York, June 21, 1878.

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

At Hart's Island Hospital—George Clarkson; aged 66 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; blue eyes; light brown hair. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By Order,
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
New York, June 22, 1878.

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

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Catherine Fay; aged 57 years; 5 feet 3 inches high; gray eyes and hair. Had on when admitted, dark calico dress. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

Mary Taylor; aged 26 years; 5 feet 3 inches high; black hair and eyes. Had on when admitted drab merino dress, drab calico dress. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

By order,
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
New York, June 20, 1878.

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

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Mary Brown; aged 30 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; light hair; brown eyes. Had on when admitted, dark calico dress, gray skirt, gray plaid shawl, black felt hat. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

By Order,
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
New York, June 15, 1878.

PROPOSALS FOR DRY GOODS, GRO-
ceries, ETC.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS
above, will be received by the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, until 9 o'clock A. M., of Friday, June 28, 1878, at which time they will be publicly opened and read by the head of said Department, for furnishing and delivering at the foot of East Twenty-sixth street, free of all expense to the Department—

60 bales Brown Muslin.
20 bales Bandage Muslin.
3 cases Shroud Muslin.
100 pieces Oiled Muslin.
250 Rubber Blankets.
65,000 lbs. Hard soap.
40 bbls. Syrup.
100 bbls. Soda Crackers.
2,000 lbs. Chicory.
1,000 bbls. good sound Irish Potatoes, to weigh 168 pounds to the barrel net; to be delivered in quantities as required.
50 bbls. Whitewash Lime.
50 bbls. Rosedale Cement.
20 bbls. Plaster Paris.

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

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

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

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
New York, June 18, 1878.

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

At New York City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—Joseph Lowery; aged 58 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; gray hair; blue eyes. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

John Hynes, alias John Doe, alias Ed. Roescher; aged 38 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; brown hair; gray eyes. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

At Branch Insane Asylum, Randall's Island—Dennis Miskell; aged 50 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; brown hair; gray eyes. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

At Hart's Island Hospital—Kate McCarroll; aged 61 years; 5 feet high; blue eyes; dark hair. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

By Order,
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
New York, June 19, 1878.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from foot of Jackson street—Unknown man; aged about 25 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; dark brown hair; sandy moustache. Had on black chevrot suit, white shirt, white knit undershirt, white cotton socks, gaiters.

By Order,
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
New York, June 17, 1878.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from foot of Tenth street, East river—Unknown man; aged about 45 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; dark brown hair; whiskers and moustache mixed with gray. Had on dark gray pants, white flannel undershirt, blue knit undershirts, white woolen socks, gaiters.

By Order,
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
New York, June 17, 1878.

PROPOSALS FOR 3,000 BARRELS OF FLOUR.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS
above, will be received by the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, until 9 o'clock A. M. of Friday, June 28, 1878, at which time they will be publicly opened and read by the head of said Department, for furnishing and delivering at the Bakers' House, Blackwell's Island, free of all expense to the Department—

3,000 barrels of good extra Wheat Flour, to be equal in quality to samples to be seen at this office (empty barrels to be returned and deducted in proposals from the price of flour), to be delivered in quantities as required, free of all expense to the Department.

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

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

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

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

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

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

WILLIAM KENNELLY, AUCTIONEER.

PREMISES AT THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF
THIRD AVENUE AND EIGHTY-FIFTH
STREET, TO BE LEASED AT AUCTION ON
FRIDAY, JUNE 14, 1878.

THE LEASE OF PREMISES ON THE NORTH-
east corner of Eighty-fifth street and Third avenue, for the term of four years, ten months and sixteen days, from June 15, 1878, will be sold at public auction at the New County Court-house, on Friday, June 14, 1878, at 10½ o'clock A. M.

TERMS OF SALE.

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

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

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

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

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

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

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
New York, May 31, 1878.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

The above sale is adjourned to Friday, June 28, 1878, at 10½ o'clock A. M., at the same place.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
New York, June 14, 1878.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

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

Grants, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriffs' sales, in 61 volumes, full bound, price, \$100 00

The same, in 25 volumes, half bound, 50 00

Complete sets, folded, ready for binding, 15

Records of Judgments, 25 volumes, bound, 10 00

Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Angell, Comptroller's Office, New County Court-house."

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
New York, February 9, 1877.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
No. 16 NEW COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK,
New York, May 9, 1878.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED AND ENTERED MAY 4, 1878.

113th street, regulating, grading, etc., from Morningside to Riverside Drive.

146th street, regulating, grading, etc., from 10th avenue to Boulevard.

Washington street, curb, gutter, and flagging, west side, from Gansevoort to Little 12th street, etc.

5th avenue, sewer, west side, between 35th and 36th streets.

5th avenue, sewer, west of Mount Morris Square, between 122d and 123d streets.

10th avenue, sewer, between 57th and 59th streets.

57th street, sewer, between 8th and 9th avenues, etc.

127th street, sewer, between 6th avenue and summit west of 1th avenue.

127th street, sewer, between 7th avenue and summit east of 7th avenue.

4th street, paving, between Lewis and Mangin streets.

23d street, paving, between Avenue A and East river.

121st street, paving, between 1st avenue and Avenue A.

Grand street, basin, southwest corner Ridge street.

Lincoln avenue, basin, northeast corner 135th street, etc.

127th street, basin, southwest corner Lexington avenue.

5th avenue, basin, west side, opposite 108th and 109th streets.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before July 8, 1878, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of entry.

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

EDWARD GILON,
Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
No. 16 NEW COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK,
New York, May 11, 1878.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED MAY 6, AND ENTERED MAY 7, 1878.

91st street, regulating, grading, etc., from 4th to 5th avenue.

Lawrence street, paving, from 9th avenue to Boulevard.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before July 10, 1878, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of entry.

The Collector's office is open daily from 9 A. M. to