

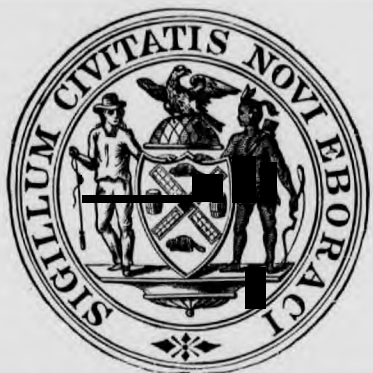
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## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of transactions of the Department of Finance for the week ending December 16, 1876:

### Deposits in the Treasury.

On account of the Sinking Fund.....	\$59,850 48
“ “ City Treasury.....	821,263 66
Total.....	\$881,114 14

### Bonds and Stocks Issued.

Five per cent. Bonds.....	\$2,000 00
Five per cent. Stock.....	25,000 00
Total.....	\$27,000 00

### Warrants Registered and Ready for Payment.

Additional Free Floating Baths.....	\$1,533 53
Advertising.....	327 40
Advertising for the Common Council.....	415 50
Assessment Fund.....	9,970 92
Aqueduct—Repairs and Maintenance.....	200 36
Boulevards, Roads, and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	701 07
City Contingencies.....	40 00
City Parks Improvement Fund.....	8,246 74
College of the City of New York.....	570 15
Commissioners of Excise Fund.....	16 40
Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council.....	24 58
“ Comptroller's Office.....	5 00
“ District Attorney's Office.....	716 24
“ Mayor's Office.....	60 46
Coroners' Post-mortem Examinations.....	300 00
Croton Water Fund.....	12,862 05
Croton Water-main Fund.....	1,330 19
Dock Fund.....	6,306 05
Election Expenses.....	29,045 90
Fire Department Fund.....	5,269 35
Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvements, and Maintenance.....	319 68
Health Fund.....	577 00
Interest on the City Debt.....	381,927 32
Judgment Fund.....	8,597 60
Jurors' Fees.....	3,800 00
Lamps and Gas.....	9,610 28
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places.....	3,700 64
Maintenance and Government of Public Places, Streets, Roads, etc., Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	3,086 83
Museum of Art Fund.....	349 37
Museum of Natural History Fund.....	80 25
New York Infant Asylum.....	2,520 05
New York State Homoeopathic Asylum for Insane.....	141 30
Nursery and Childs' Hospital.....	8,181 01
Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.....	6,569 00
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs.....	835 40
Public Charities and Correction.....	18,851 17
Public Instruction.....	234,518 85
Refunding Croton-water Rents Paid in Error.....	45 97
Refunding Taxes Paid in Error.....	23,827 32
Repairing and Keeping in Order Wooden and Concrete Pavements.....	2,865 60
Rebuilding and Repairing Bridges over the Bronx river.....	113 88
Revenue Bonds of 1876.....	1,496,500 00
Salaries—City Courts.....	416 66
“ Judiciary.....	2,036 27
Small-pox Hospital.....	355 22
Street Improvement Fund.....	28,962 77
Street Improvements above Fifty-ninth street.....	229 61
Support of Prisoners in County Jail.....	2,439 85
Surveying, Laying-out, Monumenting, etc., Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	80
Third District Court-house Fund.....	4,498 79
Union Home and School for the Education of Children of Volunteer Soldiers.....	2,050 83
Total.....	\$2,325,957 22

### CONTRACTS REGISTERED.

NO.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT.	NAMES OF CONTRACTORS.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.
3887	May 26, 1876	Public Instruction.....	Wm. B. Mott.....	Painting required in alterations to Grammar School No. 37, Ward 12 (\$998).
3888	Nov. 22, “	Fire Department.....	Samuel G. French.....	1,800 tons coal; 50 cords pine wood (\$7,759.50).
3889	June 3, “	Public Instruction.....	Wm. J. O'Connor.....	Carpenter work in new Grammar School No. 70, in East Seventy-fifth street (\$25,859).
3890	“ 27, “	“	Nat'l School Furniture Co.....	Furniture for Grammar School Building No. 36, Eleventh Ward (\$4,894).
3891	Oct. 3, “	“	“	Furniture for Grammar School Building No. 60, Twenty-third Ward (\$4,975).
3892	Nov. 11, “	Public Parks.....	Wm. Brennan.....	Plasterer's work for a portion of the Museum of Art (\$15,180).

### SUITS, ORDERS OF COURT, JUDGMENTS, ETC.

COURT.	PLAINTIFF OR RELATOR.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION, ETC.	ATTORNEY.
Supreme...	William A. Butler....	\$983 89	Notice of Judgment.....	J. W. Fowler.
“	Walter L. Cutting....	.....	Order to vacate assessment, regulating, etc., Fortieth street, from First to Second avenue	Develin & Miller.
“	Patrick Reid.....	344 67	Notice of Judgment.....	J. W. Fowler.
“	Mary Katz.....	.....	Order to vacate assessment, paving Twenty-eighth street, Broadway to Eighth avenue.	E. O. Andrews.
“	Michael VanGerichten	4,289 57	Notice of Judgment.....	Vanderpoel, G. & C.
“	John Kneib.....	.....	Order for return of fine of \$100.....	Lawrence & W.
“	John J. Healy, Jr.....	.....	Order to pay \$1,000.08.....	J. W. Fowler.
“	Benj. F. Haskin.....	60 12	Notice of Judgment.....	M. Butzel.
“	John J. Clarke.....	60 12	“ “ .....	“
“	Joseph C. Pinckney....	12,278 00	For salary as Clerk, Board of Supervisors, from May 20, 1873, to December 31, 1874.	A. Oakley Hall.
“	Charles A. Hankins..	3,939 00	For advertising election notice in the New York Argus.....	Nevins & Lord.
“	Michael Englert and others.....	.....	Order to vacate assessment, paving Delancey street, from Bowery to East river.....	Develin, Miller & T. Van Winkle, C. & J.
“	George Widenayer....	342 95	Notice of Judgment.....	“
“	George W. Carleton..	348 84	Notice of Judgment, balance of award and costs in matter of opening Diagonal avenue	J. A. Deering.
“	Augustus Miller.....	358 83	Notice of Judgment.....	Grant & Lydecker.
“	Catharine L. Case....	.....	Order to vacate assessment, paving Thirty-third street.....	E. O. Andrews.
“	Thomas P. Gardner....	.....	Order to vacate assessment, paving South street.....	“
“	Ruth A. Wallace.....	.....	Order to vacate assessment, flagging Fifty-second street.....	“
“	Eimer & Amend.....	157 70	For chemicals furnished College of the City of New York, May, 1872.....	E. Sanford.
“	Ephraim Howe.....	100 00	For return of deposit for Croton water in 1868	C. H. Brannigan.
“	George W. Post.....	100 00	For return of deposit for Croton water by Andrew Huppel.....	S. V. Bagley.
“	John McCloskey.....	1,293 20	For return of assessment on Nos. 29 to 32, block 1082, paid June, 1876.....	Johnson & Ward.
“	Charles H. Haswell..	12 75	For surveys for paving Fifty-third street, Seventh avenue to Broadway.....	E. Sanford.
“	One Hundred and Twenty-third Street Methodist Episcopal Church.....	.....	To have assessment set aside on lots 5 and 6, block 610.....	Johnson & Ward.
“	Jas. Morris, trustee..	.....	For possession of premises, Second street, between Avenues A and B.....	H. W. Clarke.
Superior..	Bernard McGarrity....	107 52	Notice of Judgment.....	S. E. Lane.
“	John Snyder.....	57 50	“ “ .....	“
“	Richard O'Gorman....	5,404 65	“ “ .....	Wm. C. Trull.
“	Roswell D. Hatch....	.....	Order to pay Chamberlain \$1,560 for award for change of grade.....	J. A. Deering.
Com. Pleas	Ernest Luhr.....	93 00	For services as Armorer of the Eleventh Regiment, October, 1876.....	T. D. Cottman.
“	Dennis Dermody.....	100 00	For services as Attendant, Court of Common Pleas, May, 1872.....	H. A. Braun.
“	Frank C. Towle.....	223 30	For surveys, changes of grades, etc.....	E. R. Dodge.
“	Douglas Taylor.....	47,327 33	Notice of Judgment.....	Vanderpoel, G. & C.
“	John J. Samson.....	129 17	“ “ .....	Jas. Taylor.
“	Anthony McOwen....	132 18	“ “ .....	“
“	John S. Burke.....	272 47	“ “ .....	J. H. Strahan.
“	Wm. Macauley.....	925 29	“ “ .....	E. P. Miller.
“	Herman Frohmann....	108 53	For return of tax of 1871, paid in error, on No. 12, block 153.....	E. O. Andrews.
“	Jacob Lorillard.....	505 83	For return of Croton water security deposited July 23, 1868, for No. 377 Eleventh avenue.....	“
“	Daniel Garrison.....	93 89	For return of premises Nos. 7, 9, and 11 West Thirtieth street, to October 1, 1876.....	Allison & Shaw.
“	Wm. Macauley.....	925 29	For clearing stoves for School District No. 1, West Farms, December, 1873.....	E. P. Miller.
“	“	“	For professional services at Coroners' inquests, September 31 to December 31, 1875.....	“

### CLAIMS FILED.

NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.
Frank E. Towle.....	\$8,221 30	For surveys for change of grade of streets between Eighth and Tenth avenues, also east of First avenue, between Fourth and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth streets.....	E. R. Dodge.
Francis McCabe.....	6,100 00	For services as Clerk, Fourth District Court, September 1, 1871, to November 5, 1873.....	E. Sanford.
Aug. Oppenheimer et al....	270 00	For return of Croton water security deposited July 23, 1868, for No. 377 Eleventh avenue.....	H. A. Shipman.
Mary S. Van Beuren.....	3,000 00	For rent of premises Nos. 7, 9, and 11 West Thirtieth street, to October 1, 1876.....	Mitchell & M.
James McClarnon.....	60 69	For clearing stoves for School District No. 1, West Farms, December, 1873.....	M. Butzel.
W. McWhinnie.....	1,391 00	For professional services at Coroners' inquests, September 31 to December 31, 1875.....	G. A. Baker, Jr.
E. A. Pomeroy, C. G. Colgate, L. L. Lambart.....	2,830 34	For costs for opening Desbrosses street, from Hudson to Varick street.....	E. H. Pomeroy.
Augusta E. Bucking.....	18,340 00	For awards for opening Fort Washington Ridge road.....	I. Van Winkle.
Patrick Muldoon.....	458 00	For services as Attendant, Court of Common Pleas, December 13, 1871, to May 1, 1872.....	“
Geo. A. Tracey.....	32,474 99	For balance of contract for regulating, etc., Ninth avenue, Eighty-sixth to One Hundred and Tenth street	“
Jas. E. Serrell.....	1,044 82	For balance of Surveyor's fees for paving Broadway, Thirty-second to Fifty-ninth street.....	“



## Opening of Proposals.

The Comptroller attended the opening of proposals at the following Departments, viz.:

- December 11, 1876—The Department of Public Works—  
For furnishing eight hundred tons Lehigh Anthracite coal, to be delivered at High Bridge, Harlem river.
- December 12, 1876—The Department of Public Works—  
For the various street improvements embraced in advertisement of Department of Public Works in CITY RECORD, dated November 28, 1876.
- December 13, 1876—The Department of Public Charities and Correction.  
For repairs to steamboat "Minnahannock," and for supplying groceries, oil, brick, etc.
- December 14, 1876—The Department of Docks—  
For building wooden platform in the rear of bulkhead wall, between Piers 47 and 48, North river.

## Approval of Sureties on Proposals.

The Comptroller approved of the adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties on the following proposals, viz.:

- December 16—For furnishing 10 bales gray blankets, for use of Department of Public Charities and Correction.  
Joseph J. Walton, 96 Liberty street, Principal.  
Wm. M. Walton, 96 Liberty street,  
Isaac Walton, 126 East Thirty-ninth street, } Sureties.
- December 16—For building sewer in One Hundred and Thirtieth street, between Broadway and Tenth avenue.  
Charles H. Reilly, 165 East Sixty-ninth street, Principal.  
Hugh Newman, 164 East Sixty-sixth street,  
Thomas O'Reilly, 1091 First avenue, } Sureties.
- December 16—For alteration and extension of sewer in James Slip at South street.  
John H. McCabe, 950 Lexington avenue, Principal.  
Edward C. Sheehy, 1453 Third avenue,  
Patrick Sheehy, 251 East Eighty-third street, } Sureties.

## Official Bond filed.

Bond of Richard A. Storrs, Deputy Comptroller of the City of New York, \$10,000. John Paine and George Forrester, Sureties.

## Resigned.

Joseph F. Swords, Temporary Clerk in Bureau for Collection of Taxes, to take effect December 16, 1876.

## Removed.

Thomas F. Devoe, Superintendent of Markets in Bureau of Markets.

## Appointed.

Gen. Joshua M. Varian, Superintendent of Markets in Bureau of Markets.  
JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

## LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Counsel to the Corporation for the week ending December 16, 1876.

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

## SCHEDULE "A."

## SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED.

## SUPREME COURT.

- Thomas Foy—Personal injury, \$10,000.
- J. Roosevelt Roosevelt vs. Ed. Matthews et al., The Mayor, etc.—Foreclosure suit.
- Samuel S. Howland vs. same—Foreclosure suit.
- In re Henry Schintker—To vacate assessments for regulating and grading Eighty-fourth street, between Eighth and Tenth avenues.
- In re M. A. Sarles—To vacate assessments for regulating and grading Eighty-fourth street, between Eighth and Tenth avenues.
- In re M. A. Sarles, as executor, H. Sarles—To vacate assessments for regulating and grading Eighty-fourth street, between Eighth and Tenth avenues.
- In re G. H. Moller and ano.—To vacate assessments for regulating and grading Eighty-fourth street, between Eighth and Tenth avenues.
- Joseph C. Pinckney—Salary as Clerk to Board of Supervisors from May 12, 1873, to December 31, 1874, \$12,278.22.
- The One Hundred and Twenty-fifth Street M. E. Church vs. The Mayor, etc., et al.—To set aside and restrain collection of tax, \$112, for 1876.
- In matter of petition of James A. Deering to secure payment of attorney's fees out of award of \$2,200, made by city on property of Peter A. Youngblood—In the matter of change of grade One Hundred and Thirty-second street.
- James Morris, Trustee, against Ann C. Cummings and The Mayor, etc.—To recover possession of premises sold to the city for non-payment of assessment for paving Avenue B., etc.
- Charles Eimer and ano.—To recover for chemicals sold to the College of the City of New York, \$157.70.
- Chas. H. Haswell—Services as Surveyor in the matter of paving Fifty-third street, \$12.75.
- John McClosky—To recover assessment paid under mistake of fact—in the matter of paving One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, \$1,293.20.
- Geo. W. Post—To recover deposit made to secure use of Croton water, \$100.
- Ephraim Howe—To recover deposit made to secure use of Croton water, \$100.
- People, ex rel. Isaac Bernheimer and ano., vs. Comptroller and Clerk of Arrears—Mandamus proceeding to compel respondents to receive payment, and cancel of record assessment laid for opening public square, etc.
- German Evangelical Lutheran St. Paul's Church of Harlem—To recover an award made for damages by change of grade of One Hundred and Twenty-third street, \$2,589.

## COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

- Hermann Frohmann—To recover tax paid on wrong property by mistake, \$108.53.
- Thomas Dunlap—Balance of salary as Commissioner of Jurors, from July 23, 1875, to October 1, 1876, \$12,712.90.
- James H. Studley—To recover an assessment paid under mistake of fact, \$133.41.

People, ex rel. Ed. T. Sinn, vs. The Board of Canvassers, etc.—Mandamus proceeding to compel Board of Canvassers to meet and canvass votes given for relator, for Alderman.

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|------------------------------------|----|----|
| People, ex rel. Chas. Weltz,       | do | do |
| People, ex rel. Jacob Berrlinger,  | do | do |
| People, ex rel. Matthew J. Coggey, | do | do |
| People, ex rel. Matthew P. Breen,  | do | do |
| People, ex rel. Dennis Burns,      | do | do |
| People, ex rel. Anthony J. Oliver, | do | do |
| People, ex rel. William Witters,   | do | do |
| People, ex rel. Austin Leake,      | do | do |
| People, ex rel. Joseph Connell,    | do | do |
| People, ex rel. William Eylers,    | do | do |
| People, ex rel. Farrell,           | do | do |
| People, ex rel. Morris Seebacher,  | do | do |
| People, ex rel. Ambrose O'Neill,   | do | do |
| People, ex rel. Jas. A. Corvil,    | do | do |
| People, ex rel. John Masterson,    | do | do |
| People, ex rel. Werner Bruns,      | do | do |
| People, ex rel. Geo. Demphoff,     | do | do |
| People, ex rel. Ed. J. Burke,      | do | do |

John McGuire—Claim as assignee of Jos. C. Brady, extra work in constructing four floating baths, \$916.65.

Jacob Lorrillard—To recover assessment paid under protest, \$505.83.

## SCHEDULE "B."

## JUDGMENTS ENTERED AND ORDERS OF THE SPECIAL AND GENERAL TERMS.

- Bowery National Bank—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$29,945.80.
- Patrick Reid—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff on offer of defendants for \$344.67.
- In re Walter L. Cutting—Order entered denying motion to vacate assessment, but reducing amount, etc.
- Mark Lanigan and ano.—Order entered at General Term affirming judgment in favor of defendant. Judgment of affirmance entered in favor of defendant, and for \$67.04 costs.
- Wesley C. Miller—Order entered at General Term affirming judgment in favor of defendant. Judgment of affirmance entered in favor of defendant, and for \$67.04 costs.
- Bernard McGarity—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff, by consent of defendant, for \$107.52.
- John Snyder—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff, by consent of defendant, for \$57.50.
- Wm. A. Butler—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff, on offer of defendant, \$983.09.
- Application Matilda A. Grosvenor—Order entered directing payment of award into court, etc.
- People, ex rel. Augustus Miller, agst. Board of Police—Judgment entered in favor of relator, reversing judgment of General Term, and for \$358.83, costs.
- Charles G. Cornell et al.—Order entered at General Term reversing judgment at Special Term, in favor of plaintiff, with costs, etc.
- Edward Burke—Order entered overruling defendant's demurrer, with leave to answer, etc.
- Michael Von Gerichten—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff, for \$4,289.57.
- In re Emma J. McLeary and Caleb D. Gildersleeve—Order entered at Special Term vacating assessment, with costs.
- Douglass Taylor—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$47,327.33.
- James Bigler et al., James W. Nash—Orders entered at General Term, reversing judgment of Special Term in favor of plaintiffs, and granting new trial, with costs to abide event.
- Benjamin F. Haskin, John J. Clarke—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiffs, by consent of defendants, for \$60.12 each.
- John E. Burke—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff, by consent, for \$272.49.
- Anthony McOwen, \$132.18; John J. Sauvan, \$129.17—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiffs, by consent, for above amounts.
- Mary O'Connor, individually and as executrix, etc.—Order entered directing Comptroller to pay and cancel certain assessments amounting to \$3,588.43 out of award now held by him.
- John J. Healy, Jr.—Order entered directing payment to plaintiff of \$1,000.08, amount admitted due.
- N. Y. Church Extension and Missionary Society of M. E. Church—Order entered granting motion to vacate some of the assessments mentioned in petition, and denying motion as to others.
- In re John McCloskey (One Hundred and Seventeenth street)—Order entered vacating assessment with costs.
- In re Catharine A. Durkin—Order entered vacating assessment with costs.
- Wm. Macauley—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$115.35 costs, and in affirmance of Special and General Term judgment.
- People, ex rel. Louisiana St. John—Order entered granting writ of mandamus.
- In re Ruth A. Wallace (flagging Fifty-second street)—Order entered vacating assessment with costs and disbursements.
- In re Thos. P. Gardner (paving South street)—Order entered vacating assessment with costs and disbursements.
- In re Catharine L. Case (paving Thirty-third street)—Order entered vacating assessment with costs and disbursements.
- Eliakim W. Gilbert—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff, on offer of defendant, for \$603.72.
- Patrick O'Connor—Judgment entered in favor of defendants for \$77.04 costs.
- Geo. Widmayer—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff, on offer, for \$342.95.
- Memorial Church of the Rev. Henry Anthon, D. D.—Order entered discontinuing action without costs.
- Geo. W. Carlton—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$348.34.
- In matter petitioner Roswell D. Hatch—Order entered that award be paid over to Chamberlain and Referee appointed, etc.
- The Mayor, etc., vs. Chas. G. Cornell and others—Order entered at General Term affirming order in favor of defendants with \$10 costs and disbursements.
- In re St. Luke's Home—Order entered denying motion to vacate assessment; but reducing assessment on lot 20, block 474 (Twelfth Ward), from \$1,250 to \$900.

## SCHEDULE "C."

## SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED OR ARGUED.

- Moritz Kellner—Motion for leave to appeal to Court of Appeals submitted.
- James W. Nash—Motion for leave to appeal to Court of Appeals submitted.
- Henry J. Greata et al.—Plaintiff's motion for new trial argued. Decision reserved.
- Patrick O'Connor—Tried before Donohue, J., and jury. Complaint dismissed.
- Geo. W. Carleton—Tried before Donohue, J., and jury. Verdict for plaintiff by direction.
- In re Jeremiah H. Moore—Argued at Court of Appeals.
- In re Oliver Besley—do do
- Ino. J. Healey, Jr.—Motion to compel payment of amount admitted due, argued before Brady, J.
- Joseph Hillenbrand—Tried before Lawrence, J., and jury.
- Timothy Clifford—Motion to correct verdict, argued before Donohue, J., and denied.
- John Hogan—Argued at Court of Appeals.
- Amos R. Eno—do do
- Wm. McDonald—do do
- John B. Dolan—do do
- Michael Dolan—do do
- In re Andreas—Argued at Chambers.
- do McBarron—do do
- do Wangher—do do
- do Reilly—do do
- do St. Luke's Home—do do
- The Mayor, etc., agst. New England Transfer Company—Argued before Shipman, J. (U. S. Circuit Court), decision reversed.
- Michael Donohue—Argued at General Term (Brooklyn).
- People, ex rel Isaac Lunney, agst. Allan Campbell, Commissioner, et al.—Argued before Brady, J.
- WM. C. WHITNEY, Counsel to the Corporation.

## APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby requested and directed to draw a warrant in favor of Koster & Green for the sum of forty dollars, for draping the chamber of the Board of Assistant Aldermen in mourning, on the occasion of the death of Assistant Alderman Henry A. Linden, the payment to be made from an unexpended balance of the City Contingencies for the year 1875.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 7, 1876.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, December 13, 1876, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby requested to pay the bill of Mrs. Rosanna Reynolds, amounting to two hundred and sixty-two dollars, for services rendered as Cleaner of the Sixth District Civil Court, and charge the same to the appropriation for "Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices."

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 7, 1876.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, December 13, 1876, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William Masterson to retain a stand for the sale of newspapers on the northeast corner of Twentieth street and Fourth avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 7, 1876.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, December 13, 1876, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.



## DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS,  
OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT,  
No. 2 FOURTH AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, December 18, 1876.

The following comprises the operations of the Department of Buildings for the week ending December 16, 1876.

W. W. ADAMS,  
Superintendent of Buildings.

## BUREAU OF INSPECTION OF BUILDINGS.

## New Buildings.

No. of plans and specifications filed, etc.	9
No. of buildings embraced in same.	19
Classified, as follows:	
First-class dwellings.	13
Second-class dwellings.	1
French flats.	1
Tenement houses.	3
Hotels and boarding-houses.	1
First-class stores.	1
Second-class stores.	1
Third-class stores.	1
Office buildings.	1
Manufactories and workshops.	1
School-houses.	1
Churches.	1
Public buildings.	1
Stables.	1
Frame buildings (in upper districts).	1

Total..... 19

Plans passed upon, including those previously filed.	12
Approved.	7
Amended and approved.	3
Disapproved.	1
Pending.	1

Total..... 12

## Altered Buildings.

No. of plans and specifications filed.	8
No. of buildings embraced in same.	9
Classified, as follows:	
First-class dwellings.	4
Second-class dwellings.	1
French flats.	1
Tenement houses.	1
Hotels and boarding-houses.	1
First-class stores.	1
Second-class stores.	1
Third-class stores.	1
Office buildings.	1
Manufactories and workshops.	1
School-houses.	1
Churches.	1
Public buildings.	1
Stables.	1
Frame buildings.	4

Total..... 9

Buildings examined and plans relating thereto passed upon, including those previously filed.	10
Approved.	4
Amended and approved.	2
Disapproved.	4
Pending.	4

Total..... 10

## Special Applications.

Number filed and examinations made.	10
Approved.	7
Disapproved.	2
Pending.	1

Total..... 10

Respectfully submitted,  
ROBERT MCGINNIS,  
Chief of Bureau.

## BUREAU OF VIOLATIONS AND APPLICATIONS.

Operations for the week ending December 16, 1876:	
Complaints received from outside sources.	7
Violations of the law reported.	2
“ “ removed.	4
Unsafe buildings reported.	11
“ “ made safe.	10
“ “ taken down.	1
Surveys held on unsafe buildings.	1
Violation cases sent to the Attorney for prosecution.	1
Unsafe building cases sent to the Attorney for prosecution.	1
Violation notices served.	3
Unsafe building notices served.	20
Buildings surveyed as to general condition.	1

The classification of the unsafe buildings reported is as follows:

Unsafe walls.	3
“ chimneys.	3
“ timbers.	2
“ roofs.	2
“ cellar steps.	1

Total..... 11

Respectfully submitted,  
ANDREW OWENS,  
Chief of Bureau.

## BUREAU OF FIRE-ESCAPES AND IRON WORK.

Operations for the week ending December 16, 1876:	
Buildings reported for fire-escapes.	20
Fire-escapes provided.	15
Arch girders tested (approved).	3
“ (not approved).	1

Iron beams tested (approved).	11
“ (not approved).	1
Iron lintels tested (approved).	1
“ (not approved).	1
Notices for fire-escapes served.	41
Cases sent to the Attorney for prosecution (churches).	5
Buildings reported for trap-doors and railings to hoistways.	1
Buildings reported for iron shutters.	1
Buildings provided with trap-doors and railings to hoistways.	1
Buildings provided with iron shutters.	4

Respectfully submitted,  
CHAS. K. HYDE,  
Chief of Bureau.

## OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

## LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

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

## LAW DEPARTMENT.

Counsel to the Corporation, Staats Zeitung Building, third floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
Public Administrator, 115 and 117 Nassau street, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Corporation Attorney, 115 and 117 Nassau street, 8½ A. M. to 4½ P. M.  
Attorney for the Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes, No. 51 Chambers street, second floor.  
Attorney to the Department of Buildings, 2 Fourth avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

CITY HALL, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Commissioner's Office, No. 19.  
Chief Clerk's Office, No. 20.  
Contract Clerk's Office, No. 21.  
Engineer in charge of Sewers, No. 21.  
“ “ Boulevards and Avenues, No. 18½  
Bureau of Repairs and Supplies, No. 18.  
“ Lamps and Gas, No. 13.  
“ Incumbrances, No. 13.  
“ Street Improvements, No. 11.  
“ Chief Engineer Croton Aqueduct, No. 11½  
“ Water Register, No. 10.  
“ Water Purveyor, No. 4.  
“ Streets and Roads, No. 13.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

## HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

Commissioners' Office, 36 Union Square, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

Commissioners' Office, Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. on Saturday, 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
Surveyor's Bureau, 19 Chatham street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Board of Assessors, “ “

## DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

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

## BOARD OF EXCISE.

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

## BOARD OF EDUCATION.

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

## COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

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

## COMMISSIONERS OF THE COUNTY COURT-HOUSE.

Office, Room B, third floor, northeast corner County Court-house.

## THE CITY RECORD.

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

## MISCELLANEOUS OFFICES.

HOURS 9 A. M. TO 4 P. M.

Coroners' Office, 40 East Houston street, second floor  
Sheriff's Office, first floor, southwest corner of New County Court-house.

County Clerk's Office, first floor, northeast corner of New County Court-house.  
Surrogate's Office, first floor, southeast corner of New County Court-house.

Register's Office, Hall of Records, City Hall Park.  
District Attorney's Office, second floor, Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

## COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Commissioner's Office, Rotunda, north side, New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

## COURTS.

## SUPREME COURT.

General Term, Special Term, Chambers, Circuit Part I, Circuit Part II, Circuit Part III, second floor, New County Court-house, 10½ A. M. to 3 P. M.

## SUPERIOR COURT.

General Term, Trial Term Part I, Trial Term Part II, third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.  
Clerk's Office. Third floor, New County Court-house, 9 A. M., to 4 P. M.

## COMMON PLEAS.

General Term, Equity Term, New County Part I, Trial Term Part II. Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.  
Clerk's office, third floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

## MARINE COURT.

General Term, Trial Term Part I, room 15, old 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.

## 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.

## ARMORY COMMISSION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO CLAIMANTS for compensation under the provisions of chapter 429, Laws of 1876, entitled "An act to provide for payment for the use and occupation of armories and drill-rooms in the City of New York," that the Commission constituted by said act, and consisting of the Mayor of the City of New York, the Comptroller of the City of New York, and one Commissioner of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, previously designated by the Comptroller under the provisions of the act, the same being George H. Andrews, Esq., met at the Comptroller's Office on Thursday, June 8, 1876, at 3 o'clock P. M., and organized by the election of the Mayor as Chairman.

According to the terms of the act, "claimants may be heard before the Commission upon ten days' notice to the Department of Finance."

ELIOT MCCORMICK,  
Secretary pro tem.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF  
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,  
NEW YORK, December 18, 1876.

## PROPOSALS FOR LUMBER, ETC., FOR TWO PAVILIONS ON BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS above, will be received by the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, until 10 o'clock A. M., of Saturday, the 30th day of December, 1876, at which time they will be publicly opened and read by the head of said Department, for furnishing and delivering on Blackwell's Island, and such other places as may be required—

20 spruce girders, 7 x 9 in., 11 ft. long.  
4 spruce girders, 7 x 9 in., 12 ft. long.  
124 spruce beams, 3 x 9 in., 25 ft. long.  
68 spruce beams, 3 x 6 in., 32 ft. long.  
750 spruce sills, 8 x 10 in.  
246 spruce posts, 4 x 6 in., 16 ft. long.  
550 lineal ft. spruce sills, 4 x 6 in.  
1,150 lineal ft. spruce plates, 4 x 6 in.  
500 spruce joists, 3 x 4 in., 16 ft. long.  
16 spruce tie beams, 4 x 10 in., 25 ft. long.  
152 spruce rafters, 4 x 9 in., 18 ft. long.  
32 spruce king posts, 4 x 8 in., 8 ft. long.  
64 spruce struts, 4 x 8 in., 7 ft. long.  
44 spruce rafters, 4 x 9 in., 21 ft. long.  
8 spruce tie beams, 4 x 10 in., 32 ft. long.  
48 spruce rafters, 4 x 9 in., 14 ft. long.  
12 spruce ridge pieces, 3 x 10 in., 21 ft. long.  
12,400 lineal ft. spruce joists, 2 x 3 in.  
19,000 lineal ft. spruce furring strips, 1½ x 2 in.  
20,000 lineal ft. hemlock boards, 1 in.  
200 lineal ft. well seasoned black walnut, 1¼ in. thick.  
7,000 ft. board measure, clear, well seasoned, Georgia yellow pine flooring, 1½ in. x 2½ in.  
24,000 ft. board measure, clear, well seasoned, Georgia yellow pine ceiling boards, ¾ in. x 2 in.  
2,000 ft. board measure, clear, well seasoned, Georgia yellow pine boards, 1 in. x 12 in.  
11,900 ft. board measure, clear, well seasoned white pine roofing plank, planed, 1½ in. x 10 in.  
20 white pine beams, 4 x 8 in., 7 ft. long.  
24 white pine beams, 3 x 8 in., 21 ft. long.  
44 white pine posts, 6 x 6 in., 12 ft. long.  
32 lineal ft. white pine plates, 6 x 6 in.  
400 lineal ft. white pine plates, 6 x 6 in.  
80 white pine beams, 4 x 6 in., 10 ft. long.  
330 lineal ft. white pine strings, 3 x 8 in.  
11,500 ft. board measure, white pine siding, rabbited, 7 in. wide.  
1,150 ft. board measure, white pine boards, tongued and grooved, ¾ x 5 in.  
3,300 lineal ft. white pine plank, planed, 2½ x 12 in.  
1,300 ft. board measure, white pine flooring, 1½ x 4 in.  
1,400 ft. board measure, white pine flooring, 1½ x 3 in.  
4 white pine tie beams, 4 x 10 in., 25 ft. long.  
4 white pine tie beams, 4 x 10 in., 32 ft. long.  
8 white pine rafters, 4 x 9 in., 18 ft. long.  
8 white pine rafters, 4 x 9 in., 21 ft. long.  
8 white pine king posts, 4 x 8 in., 8 ft. long.

16 white pine queen posts, 4 x 8 in., 6 ft. long.  
16 white pine struts, 4 x 8 in., 8 ft. long.  
700 lineal ft. white pine joists, 4 x 6 in.  
2 window sashes, 3 x 6 ft., 8 lights 15 x 16 in.  
4 window sashes, 2 ft. 6 in. x 4 ft. 6 in., 8 lights 14 x 24 in.  
52 window sashes, 3 ft. x 6 ft. 3 in., 8 lights 15 x 18 in.  
24 French casement sashes, 3 ft. x 8 ft. 7 in., 10 lights 14 x 24 in.  
76 transom sashes, 22 x 36 in., 2 lights 17 x 18 in.  
2 window sashes, 24 x 36 in., 6 lights 12 x 18 in.  
All the above to be glazed with French sheet glass, double thick.  
100 squares 10 x 14 in. best selected dark blue Pennsylvania slate.  
100 squares Martin's slating felt.  
40 boxes tern plate charcoal roofing tin.  
500 ft. No. 24 galvanized iron, 24 in. wide.  
600 ft. No. 22 galvanized iron, 14 in. wide.  
4 kegs galvanized slating nails.  
5 kegs cut nails, each 6d., 8d.  
10 kegs cut nails, rod.  
3 kegs cut nails, 12d.  
5 kegs cut nails, 60d.

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.

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

DEPARTMENT OF  
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,  
NEW YORK, December 14, 1876.

## PROPOSALS FOR FRESH FISH.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS above, will be received by the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, until 10 o'clock A. M., of Thursday, the 28th day of December, 1876, at which time they will be publicly opened and read by the head of said Department, for furnishing and delivering, from the first day of January, 1877, up to and including the thirty-first day of December, 1877, at the foot of East Twenty-sixth street, and at such other places as may be required, free of all expense—  
Fresh Cod, Porgies, and Blue Fish.

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.

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

DEPARTMENT OF  
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,  
NEW YORK, December 14, 1876.

## PROPOSALS FOR CONDENSED MILK.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS above, will be received by the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, until 10 o'clock A. M., of Thursday, the 28th day of December, 1876, at which time they will be publicly opened and read by the head of said Department, for supplying the institutions under their charge with condensed milk of the best quality, from the first day of January, 1877, up to and including the thirty-first day of December, 1877.

Parties proposing for the above will submit samples for examination and analysis, and the milk selected will be the standard for future delivery. The milk delivered under the contract will be analyzed by a competent chemist at such times as the Commissioners may determine.

The above to be delivered daily at the foot of Twenty-sixth street, East river, or at such other places as may be 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.

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



DEPARTMENT OF  
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,  
NEW YORK, December 12, 1876.

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

At Homoeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island, December  
10, 1876—Joseph Eschenmoser; age 57 years; 5 feet 4  
inches high; blue eyes; brown hair; clothing old and  
worn out. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By Order,  
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,  
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF  
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,  
NEW YORK, December 11, 1876.

#### PROPOSALS FOR FRESH BEEF, MUTTON, VEAL, PORK, AND CORNED BEEF.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS  
above, will be received by the Commissioners of  
Public Charities and Correction, until 10 o'clock A. M., of  
Saturday, the 23d day of December, 1876, at which time  
they will be publicly opened and read by the head of said  
Department, for furnishing and delivering daily from the  
first day of January, 1877, up to and including the thirty-  
first day of December, 1877, at the foot of East Twenty-  
sixth street, and at such other places, as may be required,  
free of all expense.

Fresh beef and mutton, and for the use of the officers  
and employees of the various institutions, fresh beef,  
mutton, veal, pork, and corned beef.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as prac-  
ticable after the opening of the bids.

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by  
the consent, in writing, of two householders or free-  
holders 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 esti-  
mated amount of fifty per cent. for its faithful per-  
formance, 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 re-  
serve 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 applica-  
tion at the office of the Department, and all information  
unished.

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

DEPARTMENT OF  
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,  
NEW YORK, December 15, 1876.

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

At Homoeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island, December  
13, 1876—Charles Weisskoff; age 55 years; 5 feet 6 inches  
high; blue eyes; gray hair. Had on when admitted,  
brown overcoat, black coat, dark striped pants and vest,  
white hat, gaiter shoes. Nothing known of his friends or  
relatives.

By Order,  
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,  
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF  
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,  
NEW YORK, December 16, 1876.

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

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island, December 14,  
1876—John Barry; age 38 years; 5 feet 8 inches high;  
brown hair, moustache and beard; gray eyes. Had on  
when admitted, gray pants, mixed brown vest, black coat,  
cotton drawers, white shirt, brogan shoes. Nothing  
known of his friends or relatives.

Henry Walters; age 53 years; 5 feet 9 inches high;  
flaxen hair and moustache; blue eyes. Had on when  
admitted, black pants, white shirt. Nothing known of his  
friends or relatives.

By Order,  
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,  
Secretary.

#### GAS COMMISSION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
ROOM NO. 19, CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, December 15, 1876.

PROPOSALS IN ACCORDANCE WITH SEC. 73,  
chap. 335 of the Laws of 1873, and Revised Ordi-  
nances of 1859, chapter 8, article 2, addressed to the un-  
derigned, inclosed in a sealed envelope, and the name of  
the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received at the office  
of the Commissioner of Public Works until Thursday, De-  
cember 28, 1876, at 12 o'clock, noon (at which hour they  
will be publicly opened and read), for furnishing the gas  
for and lighting and extinguishing, cleaning, repairing,  
and maintaining and supplying gas, etc., for new lamps  
and places in the City of New York, for the period of three  
months, from January 1, 1877, to March 31, 1877, both  
days inclusive.

Each proposition must contain a fixed and definite price  
for one or more of each of the following duties to be per-  
formed:

A price for furnishing the gas (of sixteen-candle power)  
for each lamp, including the lighting, extinguishing, clean-  
ing, repairing, reglazing, and painting lamp-posts and  
lamps, replacing cocks, tubes, burners, cross-heads, lamp-  
trons, and lanterns thereto, for the period of three months  
for each lamp-post strightened, the sum of  
For each column relined, the sum of  
For each column refitted, the sum of  
For each lamp-post removed, the sum of  
For each lamp-post reset, the sum of  
For each new lamp fitted up, the sum of

Blank forms of proposals, the specifications and agree-  
ments, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the bids,  
and any further information desired can be obtained on  
application at the office of the Commissioner of Public  
Works.

The right to decline any or all proposals is reserved, if  
deemed for the best interests of the Corporation.

WM. H. WICKHAM, Mayor.  
JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.  
ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

#### LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

THE COMMITTEE ON STREETS WILL MEET  
Wednesday, December 21st, 1876, at 2 o'clock  
P. M., in Room No. 9, City Hall.

B. REILLY,  
WILLIAM SAUER,  
WILLIAM WADE,  
Committee on Streets.

F. J. TWOMEY,  
Clerk.

THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS WILL  
meet every Wednesday, at 1 o'clock P. M.

WM. H. MCCARTHY,  
JACOB HESS,  
HENRY D. PURROY,  
Committee on Public Works

F. J. TWOMEY,  
Clerk.

THE COMMITTEE ON FERRIES AND DOCK  
Department will meet every Wednesday, at 2 o'clock  
P. M., in Room No. 9, City Hall.

MAGNUS GROSS,  
MICHAEL TUOMEY,  
WILLIAM WADE,  
Committee on Ferries and Dock Department.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY,  
Clerk.

THE COMMITTEE ON STREET PAVEMENTS  
will meet every Tuesday, at 2 o'clock P. M., in Room  
No. 9, City Hall.

JOHN W. GUNTZER,  
WILLIAM H. MCCARTHY,  
JOSEPH C. PINCKNEY,  
Committee on Street Pavements

F. J. TWOMEY,  
Clerk.

THE COMMITTEE ON ARTS AND SCIENCES  
will meet every Friday, at 2 o'clock P. M., in Room  
No. 9, City Hall.

MAGNUS GROSS,  
MICHAEL TUOMEY,  
JOHN J. MORRIS,  
Committee on Arts and Sciences.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY,  
Clerk.

THE COMMITTEE ON SALARIES AND OFFICES  
will meet every Tuesday, at 3 o'clock P. M., in Room  
No. 9, City Hall.

WILLIAM L. COLE,  
THOMAS SHELLS,  
JOSEPH C. PINCKNEY,  
Committee on Salaries and Offices.

F. J. TWOMEY,  
Clerk.

THE COMMITTEE ON COUNTY AFFAIRS WILL  
meet every Monday, at 1 o'clock P. M., in Room  
No. 9, City Hall.

PETER SEERY,  
PATRICK KEENAN,  
J. W. GUNTZER,  
O. P. C. BILLINGS,  
HENRY E. HOWLAND,  
Committee on County Affairs

#### JURORS.

#### NOTICE IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,  
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,  
NEW YORK, June 1, 1876.

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

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

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

Every man must attend to his own notice. It is a mis-  
deemeanor to give any jury paper to another to answer  
it. It is also punishable by fine or imprisonment to give or  
receive any present or bribe, directly or indirectly, in re-  
lation to a jury service, or to withhold any paper or make  
any false statement, and every case will be fully prose-  
cuted.

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

#### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
300 MULBERRY STREET,  
December 21, 1876.

#### PUBLIC NOTICE.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT  
the Central Department of Police, until 10 o'clock  
A. M., of Friday, January 5, 1877, at which time and place  
proposals will be publicly opened and read, for printing,  
binding, and furnishing to the Board of Police, five thou-  
sand copies of the "Manual" of Rules and Regulations  
for the government of the Police Department and Force  
of the City of New York.

Proposals will state a price for each printed page of one  
copy, and a price for the binding of each copy.  
Proposals must be addressed to the President of the  
Board of Police, be indorsed "Proposals for furnishing  
"Manual," and must contain the name and address of the  
parties making the same.

Two responsible sureties, freeholders in this city, will be  
required with each proposal, who must justify in the sum  
of three thousand dollars each.

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

#### THE CITY RECORD.

COPIES OF THE CITY RECORD CAN BE OR-  
dained at No. 2 City Hall (northwest corner base-  
ment). Price three cents each.

#### CORPORATION NOTICES.

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

No. 1. Outlet sewer in One Hundred and Forty-second  
street, between the Boulevard and Hudson river.

No. 2. Sewer in Eighth avenue, between Eighty-fifth  
and Ninety-second streets, with branches.

No. 3. Paving with Telford-macadamized pavement in  
One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, between Sixth  
and Seventh avenues.

No. 4. Belgian pavement in One Hundred and Thirty-  
first street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

No. 5. Belgian pavement in Twenty-first street, between  
Tenth and Thirteenth avenues.

No. 6. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter  
stones, and flagging Ninety-second street, from Broadway  
to the Boulevard.

No. 7. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter  
stones, and flagging One Hundred and Thirtieth street,  
from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

No. 8. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter  
stones, and flagging Seventy-seventh street, between First  
avenue and East river.

No. 9. Laying crosswalks across Lexington avenue, at  
Seventy-ninth, Eightieth, and Eighty-second streets.

No. 10. Paving with Belgian pavement in Eighty-second  
street, from Madison to Fifth avenue.

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

No. 1. All the property situated between One Hundred  
and Thirty-sixth and One Hundred and Forty-first streets,  
Boulevard and North river; also the property between  
One Hundred and Forty-first and One Hundred and  
Fifty-fifth streets, St. Nicholas avenue and North river.

No. 2. Both sides of Eighth avenue, between Eighty-  
fifth and Ninety-second streets; also blocks bounded by  
Eighty-eighth and Ninety-second streets, Eighth and Ninth  
avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-fourth  
street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue, and to the extent of  
half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-first  
street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, and to the extent  
of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 5. Both sides of Twenty-first street, from Tenth  
to Thirteenth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at  
the intersecting avenues.

No. 6. Both sides of Ninety-second street, from Eighth  
avenue to the Boulevard.

No. 7. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirtieth street,  
between Sixth and Seventh avenues.

No. 8. Both sides of Seventy-seventh street, between  
First avenue and East river, and to the extent of half the  
block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 9. Both sides of Lexington avenue, between  
Seventy-eighth and Eighty-third streets, and to the extent  
of half the block at the intersection of Seventy-ninth,  
Eightieth, and Eighty-second streets.

No. 10. Both sides of Eighty-second street, between  
Madison and Fifth avenues, and to the extent of half the  
block at the intersecting 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. 19  
Chatham street, within thirty days from the date of this  
notice.

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

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
NEW YORK, November 27, 1876.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE FOL-  
lowing Assessment Lists have been received by the  
Board of Assessors, from the Commissioner of Public  
Works, for—

No. 1. Sewers in Fourth avenue, east side, between  
Eighty-fifth and Eighty-eighth streets.

No. 2. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter  
stones, and flagging Seventy-ninth street, from the [Pub-  
lic Drive] Boulevard to the Hudson river.

No. 3. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter  
stones, and flagging Seventy-seventh street, between First  
avenue and East river.

No. 4. Belgian pavement in Twenty-third street, from  
Avenue A to East river.

No. 5. Basin on northeast corner of Birmingham and  
Madison streets.

No. 6. Belgian pavement in One Hundred and Fourth  
street, between Third and Fourth avenues.

No. 7. Belgian pavement in Ninety-second street, be-  
tween Eighth avenue and the Boulevard.

No. 8. Belgian pavement in One Hundred and Ninth  
street, between Second and Third avenues.

No. 9. Belgian pavement in Bloomfield street, between  
West street and Thirteenth avenue.

No. 10. Regulating, grading setting curb and gutter  
stones, and flagging One Hundred and Forty-fourth street,  
from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard.

No. 11. Sewer in Madison avenue, between One Hun-  
dred and Twenty-seventh and One Hundred and Twenty-  
eighth streets.

No. 12. Extension of sewer in Thirty-fifth street, be-  
tween Ninth and Tenth avenues, westerly to within 70  
feet west of Tenth avenue.

No. 13. Receiving-basins on northeast corner of Twenty-  
second street and Thirteenth avenue, and northeast corner  
of Twenty-fourth street and Thirteenth avenue.

No. 14. Regulating and grading One Hundred and Six-  
teenth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.

No. 15. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter  
stones, and flagging, and superstructure, Eastern Boulevard, One  
Hundred and Sixteenth street, from Avenue A to Sixth  
avenue.

No. 16. Belgian pavement in Eighth avenue, from the  
Circle, Fifty-ninth street and Eighth avenue to One Hun-  
dred and Twenty-fifth street.

No. 17. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter  
stones, and flagging Seventy-sixth street, between Eighth  
avenue and Hudson river.

No. 18. Flagging both sides, 4 feet wide, One Hundred  
and Sixty-third street, between Third and Fifth avenues.

No. 19. Receiving-basin in East Third street, in front  
of Nos. 395 and 397.

No. 20. Receiving-basins and culverts on southeast cor-  
ner of Seventieth street and Fourth avenue, the southwest  
corner of Seventy-first street and Fourth avenue, the  
northeast corner of Seventy-second street and Fourth ave-  
nue, the northeast corner of Seventy-third street and  
Fourth avenue, and north and south side of Seventy-  
fourth, Seventy-fifth, Seventy-sixth, and Seventy-seventh  
streets, and north side of Seventy-eighth street, west of  
Fourth avenue (excepting on southwest corner of Seventy-  
first street and Fourth avenue, which was built in Fourth  
avenue improvement).

No. 21. Receiving-basins and culverts on northeast corner  
of Madison avenue and Sixty-fifth street, at southwest corner  
Fourth avenue and Sixty-fifth street, and south side Sixty-  
second street, west of Fourth avenue, and on south side of  
Sixty-third street, east of Fourth avenue, the south side of  
Sixty-fourth street, east and west of Fourth avenue, and  
the southeast and southwest corners of Sixty-sixth and  
Sixty-ninth streets and Fourth avenue.

No. 22. Regulating and paving with Belgian pavement,  
Third avenue, from northerly side of One Hundred and  
Sixty-third street to northern boundary of Twenty-third  
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OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
NO. 19 CHATHAM STREET,  
NEW YORK, November 27, 1876.

JOHN R. MUMFORD,  
Secretary.

#### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,  
ROTUNDA, NEW COURT-HOUSE,  
NEW YORK, November 16, 1876.

#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED NOVEMBER 14, 1876.

Regulating, grading, setting curb, gutter-stones, and  
flagging One Hundred and Fourth street, from Fifth  
avenue to Harlem river.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before  
January 16, 1877, will be exempt (according to law) from  
interest. After that date interest will be charged at the  
rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of confirmation.

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

NICHOLAS F. BUTENSCHON,  
Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,  
ROTUNDA, NEW COURT-HOUSE,  
NEW YORK, November 4, 1876.

#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED OCTOBER 21, 1876.

Outlet sewer in One Hundred and Sixth street, between  
Harlem river and Fifth avenue, with branches in First,  
Second, Third, and Fourth avenues, and in One Hundred  
and Third street.

All payments made on the above assessment on or be-  
fore January 5, 1877, 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 confirma-  
tion.

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P. M., for the collection of money, and until 4 P. M. for  
general information.

NICHOLAS F. BUTENSCHON,  
Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,  
ROTUNDA, NEW COURT-HOUSE,  
NEW YORK, November 10, 1876.

#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED OCTOBER 21, 1876.

Regulating and grading Fifth avenue, from Eighty-sixth  
street to Mount Morris square.

All payments made on the above assessment on or be-  
fore January 10, 1877, 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 confirma-  
tion.

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for the collection of money, and until 4 P. M. for general in-  
formation.

NICHOLAS F. BUTENSCHON,  
Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,  
ROTUNDA, NEW COURT-HOUSE,  
NEW YORK, November 10, 1876.

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NICHOLAS F. BUTENSCHON,  
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DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
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