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BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

STATED SESSION.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 1879, }
12 o'clock M.

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

PRESENT:

Alderman John J. Morris.

The President being absent, on motion of Alderman Morris, Alderman Morris was appointed President pro tem.

The roll having been called, and a quorum not appearing, the President pro tem. declared the Board adjourned until Tuesday next, the 11th instant, at 12 o'clock M.

JACOB M. PATTERSON, JR.,
Clerk Common Council.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Counsel to the Corporation for the week ending October 25, 1879.

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

SCHEDULE "A."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED.

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the petition of the United States for the appointment of Commissioners pursuant to chapter 147 of the Laws of 1876, as amended by chapter 345 of Laws of 1879, to acquire right of way necessary for improvement of Harlem river and Spuyten Duyvil creek, and for construction of another channel from North to East river, etc.

William J. Best, Receiver, etc., German Savings Bank of Town of Morrisania, against John G. Henrich and Sophia Henrich, his wife, The Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, and al.—To foreclose a mortgage against J. G. Henrich, etc.; the city made a party on account of certain awards due for opening of Willis avenue.

John Ordronaux—Summons only served. \$200.

In re petition Benjamin P. Fairchild, to vacate an assessment for regulating, grading, curb, gutter, and flagging and reflagging One Hundred and Fifty-second street, from Nicholas avenue to Eleventh avenue.

In re petition Mary T. Thain, to vacate an assessment and sale for an assessment for Second avenue sewer, Eighty-sixth to Ninetieth street.

In re petition Mary T. Thain, to vacate an assessment and sale for an assessment for St. Nicholas avenue opening, One Hundred and Tenth to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.

In re petition Mary T. Thain, to vacate an assessment and sale for an assessment for Third avenue trap-block pavement, Eighty-sixth to One Hundred and Tenth street.

In re petition Mary T. Thain, to vacate an assessment and sale for an assessment for Madison avenue opening, Eighty-sixth to One Hundred and Twentieth street.

In re petition Mary T. Thain, to vacate an assessment and sale for an assessment for Ninetieth and Ninety-third streets opening, Fourth to Fifth avenue.

People, ex rel. Chas. H. Lyons, Jr., vs. John Kelly, Comptroller, N. Y.—Certiorari to review proceedings concerning the use and occupation of stands Nos. 135 and 136 in Washington Market, by relator.

In the matter of the petition of Henry S. Moore, for an award on No. 6, Block No. 409, Ward No. 71, Twelfth Ward, for regulating and grading Fourth avenue, between One Hundred and Sixteenth and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth streets.

In the matter of the application for a grant in perpetuity of land under water in Harlem river, adjacent to and in front of premises belonging to Blandina B. Andrews and others, as trustees, etc., of Loring Andrews, deceased; premises between McComb's Dam road and Harlem river.

In re the petition of Harriet A. Walter, ex'x, to vacate an assessment for regulating, etc., Manhattan street.

In re the petition of Anna Maria Schnieder, to vacate an assessment for regulating, grading, etc., avenue (Eastern Boulevard), between Fifty-seventh and Eighty-sixth streets.

In re the petition of Valentine Cook and ano., to vacate an assessment for regulating, grading, etc., avenue (Eastern Boulevard), between Fifty-seventh and Eighty-sixth streets.

In re the petition of John Townshend, to vacate an assessment for sewer in St. Nicholas, Sixth, and Seventh avenues, between One Hundred and Tenth and One Hundred and Sixteenth streets.

In re the petition of William Austin, to vacate an assessment for flagging One Hundred and Twentieth street, between First avenue and Avenue A.

In re the petition of Wm. E. Leech, to vacate an assessment for flagging One Hundred and Twentieth street, between First avenue and Avenue A.

Abian S. Beekman vs. Benjamin Richardson, The Mayor, etc., N. Y., and others—To foreclose a mortgage; the city a judgment creditor.

In re petition Simon Wormser, et al., to vacate assessment for sewers in Eighty-third and Eighty-fourth streets, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, and in Ninth avenue, between Eighty-third and Eighty-fourth streets, with branches in Eighty-fourth street.

In re petition Stephen Upson, to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter, and flagging One Hundred and Sixteenth street (Eastern Boulevard), from Avenue A to Sixth avenue.

In re petition Stephen Upson, to vacate an assessment for outlet sewer in One Hundred and Tenth street, from Harlem river to Fifth avenue, with branches.

Hopper S. Mott, et al., to declare null and void sales of plaintiff's premises on "Fifty-fifth street, south side, between Eleventh and Twelfth avenues," sold to corporation for assessments for opening Fifty-fifth street, and of Eleventh avenue.

George M. Miller, as guardian, etc., against Mayor, etc., N. Y., Angelina M. Smith and others—For an award made to "A. M. Smith" for opening One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, Map Nos. 11, 12, 31, 32, confirmed August 2, 1878, \$773.32.

Owen O'Rourke—Summons only served, for \$138.18.

Alfred Teare—Summons only served, for \$138.18.

In re petition of Daniel Powers, to vacate an assessment for Varick street trap-block pavement, between Franklin and Carmine streets.

In re petition James P. Bennett to vacate an assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter, and flagging, and superstructure of the Eastern Boulevard, One Hundred and Sixteenth street, from Avenue A to Sixth avenue.

In re petition of Grace Church to vacate an assessment for regulating, grading, setting, curb and gutter, and flagging, and superstructure of the Eastern Boulevard, One Hundred and Sixteenth street, from Avenue A to Sixth avenue.

In re petition of John N. Gregory, to vacate an assessment for regulating, grading, setting, curb and gutter, and flagging and superstructure of the Eastern Boulevard, One Hundred and Sixteenth street, from Avenue A to Sixth avenue.

In re petition of C. M. Johnson, to vacate an assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter, and flagging and superstructure of the Eastern Boulevard, One Hundred and Sixteenth street, from Avenue A to Sixth avenue.

In re petition of Mary J. Phillips, to vacate an assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter, and flagging and superstructure of the Eastern Boulevard, One Hundred and Sixteenth street, from Avenue A to Sixth avenue.

In re petition of John F. Van Loon, to vacate an assessment for regulating, grading, setting, curb and gutter, and flagging and superstructure of the Eastern Boulevard, One Hundred and Sixteenth street, from Avenue A to Sixth avenue.

In re petition of James Wood, to vacate an assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter, and flagging and superstructure of the Eastern Boulevard, One Hundred and Sixteenth street, from Avenue A to Sixth avenue.

In re the petition of F. J. Hall, to vacate an assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter, and flagging in One Hundred and Thirty-first street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard.

In re the petition of Simon Wormser, Isaias Wormser, and Max Weil, to vacate an assessment for curbing, guttering, and flagging Eighty-fourth street, between Eighth and Tenth avenues.

In re the petition of Martha A. McCollough, Juliette Shindler, Georgiana Maclay and Robert Maclay, to reform and correct the judgment and vacate assessments and sales (or reduce same), in the matter of opening Riverside Park, from Forty-second to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, between Eighth avenue and Hudson river.

In re the petition of Chas. Guidet, to vacate an assessment for underground drains between Ninety-second and One Hundred and Sixth streets, and between Third avenue and Harlem river.

Thomas Canary—To recover for fifteen coaches furnished members of the Common Council to attend funeral of Assistant Alderman Henry A. Linden, in December, 1874, at \$10 each, \$150.

Alfred P. Boller vs. The Mayor, etc., N. Y., and others—To foreclose lien under contract for a swimming bath made with Wm. F. Morgan, \$1,892.12.

In re the petition of Augustin de Armas, to vacate an assessment for regulating, grading, curb, gutter and flagging, and superstructure of One Hundred and Sixteenth street (Eastern Boulevard), from Sixth avenue to Avenue A.

In re the petition of Patrick Ferrigan, to vacate an assessment for regulating, grading, curb, gutter and flagging, and superstructure of One Hundred and Sixteenth street (Eastern Boulevard), from Sixth avenue to Avenue A.

In re the petition of Leila Scrymser, to vacate an assessment for regulating, grading, curb, gutter and flagging, and superstructure of One Hundred and Sixteenth street (Eastern Boulevard), from Sixth avenue to Avenue A.

In re the petition of Gilbert Wood, to vacate an assessment for regulating, grading, curb, gutter and flagging, and superstructure of One Hundred and Sixteenth street (Eastern Boulevard), from Sixth avenue to Avenue A.

In re the petition of Robert Huson, to vacate an assessment for regulating, grading, curb, gutter and flagging, and superstructure of One Hundred and Sixteenth street (Eastern Boulevard), from Sixth avenue to Avenue A.

Henry K. Webb—Two hours a day overtime as scowman in Department of Docks between January 10, 1875, and August 10, 1877, 1,630 hours, \$815.

SUPREME COURT, KINGS COUNTY.

Charles W. Smith against Alexander S. Williams and Thomas Fleming—Damages for alleged assault and battery on October 15, 1879, at Twenty-seventh street and Fifth avenue, \$10,000.

COMMON PLEAS.

In re the petition of Harriet H. Walter, Executrix, etc., to vacate an assessment for regulating, etc., Ninth avenue.

Pierre M. Miles, assignee of Richard Amerman—Surveyor's fees, paving Twenty-fifth street, from Third avenue to East river, \$104.30.

SCHEDULE "B."

JUDGMENTS ENTERED AND ORDERS OF THE GENERAL AND SPECIAL TERMS.

Benjamin H. McClain, Assignee, etc.—Judgment entered in favor of the city, dismissing the complaint, and for \$87.94 costs, etc.

In re Mary H. Lester, to vacate assessment for paving Fifty-seventh street—Order entered to vacate sale.

Hiram S. Blunt—Order entered dismissing the city's appeal to Court of Appeals, with costs; judgment entered thereon in favor of plaintiff for \$ costs, etc.

In re Regina Grossmeyer—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

Jeremiah P. Russell—Order entered sustaining the city's demurrer, but with leave to plaintiff to amend complaint on payment of costs; judgment entered therein in favor of the city for \$47.94.

Margaret A. Stevenson—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$5,422.68.

In re Henry L. Young et al.—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re Chas. L. Tiffany et al.—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

Andrew Cowen—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$1,752.24.

People, ex rel. Thomas Boylston vs. Edward Cooper, Mayor, etc.—Order entered denying relator's motion for a writ of mandamus.

Andrew Cowen—Order entered amending pleadings, etc.

James Linden—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$646.88.

In re Frederick Booss, to vacate assessment for Ninety-second and One Hundred and Sixth street underground drains—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re petition of Harriet H. Walter, Executrix, etc., for regulating, etc., Ninth avenue—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re the petition of Henry P. McGown, to vacate assessment for One Hundred and Tenth street sewer—General Term order entered affirming order of the Special Term, denying motion to vacate the assessment.

In re John T. Lord, to vacate assessment for paving Great Jones street—Order entered denying motion to vacate the assessment.

Pacific Mail Steamship Co.—Order entered allowing discontinuance of action on payment of costs and allowance to the city.

Sidney H. Conklin—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$40.80, by consent.

George Shields vs. St. Clair Glass—Order entered to set aside verdict.

In re petition of Eliza Wardwell, to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb, gutter, and flagging, and superstructure of Seventy-second street (Eastern Boulevard), from Fifth avenue to Avenue A—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re petition of James Fee et al., to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb, gutter, and flagging, and superstructure of Seventy-second street (Eastern Boulevard), from Fifth avenue to Avenue A—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re petition of Jacob Bookman, to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb, gutter, and flagging, and superstructure of Seventy-second street (Eastern Boulevard), from Fifth avenue to Avenue A—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re petition of Mayer Baum, to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb, gutter, and flagging, and superstructure of Seventy-second street (Eastern Boulevard), from Fifth avenue to Avenue A—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re petition of Henry Stollmeyer, to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb, gutter, and flagging, and superstructure of Seventy-second street (Eastern Boulevard), from Fifth avenue to Avenue A—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re petition of John F. Iden, to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb, gutter, and flagging, and superstructure of Seventy-second street (Eastern Boulevard), from Fifth avenue to Avenue A—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re petition of Sydney C. Jones et al., to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb, gutter, and flagging, and superstructure of Seventy-second street (Eastern Boulevard), from Fifth avenue to Avenue A—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re petition of Catherine M. Jones et al., guardian, to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb, gutter, and flagging, and superstructure of Seventy-second street (Eastern Boulevard), from Fifth avenue to Avenue A—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re petition of Sidney C. Jones, to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb, gutter, and flagging, and superstructure of Seventy-second street (Eastern Boulevard), from Fifth avenue to Avenue A—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re petition of Catherine M. Jones, to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb, gutter, and flagging, and superstructure of Seventy-second street (Eastern Boulevard), from Fifth avenue to Avenue A—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re petition of Geo. A. Robbing, to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb, gutter, and flagging, and superstructure of Seventy-second street (Eastern Boulevard), from Fifth avenue to Avenue A—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re petition of Emma E. Weed, to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb, gutter, and flagging, and superstructure of Seventy-second street (Eastern Boulevard), from Fifth avenue to Avenue A—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re petition of Mary Ann Daly, to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb, gutter, and flagging, and superstructure of Seventy-second street (Eastern Boulevard), from Fifth avenue to Avenue A—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re petition of Solomon Michaelbacher, to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb, gutter, and flagging, and superstructure of Seventy-second street (Eastern Boulevard), from Fifth avenue to Avenue A—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re petition of Timothy C. Eastman, to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb, gutter, and flagging, and superstructure of Seventy-second street (Eastern Boulevard), from Fifth avenue to Avenue A—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re petition of Francis W. Doane, to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb, gutter, and flagging, and superstructure of Seventy-second street (Eastern Boulevard), from Fifth avenue to Avenue A—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re petition of Edith C. Iselin, to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb, gutter, and flagging, and superstructure of Seventy-second street (Eastern Boulevard), from Fifth avenue to Avenue A—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re petition of Eliza Gearty, to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb, gutter, and flagging, and superstructure of Seventy-second street (Eastern Boulevard), from Fifth avenue to Avenue A—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re petition of Abraham Glauber, to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb, gutter, and flagging, and superstructure of Seventy-second street (Eastern Boulevard), from Fifth avenue to Avenue A—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re petition of Moses Freedman, to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb, gutter, and flagging, and superstructure of Seventy-second street (Eastern Boulevard), from Fifth avenue to Avenue A—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re the petition of Edward R. Jones et al., to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging, and paving with Telford macadamized pavement (Eastern Boulevard), Avenue A, from Fifty-seventh to Eighty-sixth street—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re the petition of Thomas Rutler et al., to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging, and paving with Telford macadamized pavement (Eastern Boulevard), Avenue A, from Fifty-seventh to Eighty-sixth street—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re the petition of William Rutler et al., to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging, and paving with Telford macadamized pavement (Eastern Boulevard), Avenue A, from Fifty-seventh to Eighty-sixth street—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re the petition of Cordelia S. Steward, to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging, and paving with Telford macadamized pavement (Eastern Boulevard), Avenue A, from Fifty-seventh to Eighty-sixth street—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re the petition of Edmund N. Schermerhorn et al., trustee, to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging, and paving with Telford macadamized pavement (Eastern Boulevard), Avenue A, from Fifty-seventh to Eighty-sixth street—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re the petition of Edmund N. Schermerhorn et al., to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging, and paving with Telford macadamized pavement (Eastern Boulevard), Avenue A, from Fifty-seventh to Eighty-sixth street—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re the petition of Sydney C. Jones, to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging, and paving with Telford macadamized pavement (Eastern Boulevard), Avenue A, from Fifty-seventh to Eighty-sixth street—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re the petition of Andrew D. L. or Stetson, to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging, and paving with Telford macadamized pavement (Eastern Boulevard), Avenue A, from Fifty-seventh to Eighty-sixth street—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re the petition of Geo. W. Brown, to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging, and paving with Telford macadamized pavement (Eastern Boulevard), Avenue A, from Fifty-seventh to Eighty-sixth street—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re the petition of Henry Clausen, Jr., to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging, and paving with Telford macadamized pavement (Eastern Boulevard), Avenue A, from Fifty-seventh to Eighty-sixth street—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re the petition of Jane B. Eddy, to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging, and paving with Telford macadamized pavement (Eastern Boulevard), Avenue A, from Fifty-seventh to Eighty-sixth street—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re the petition of Wm. C. Schermerhorn, to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging, and paving with Telford macadamized pavement (Eastern Boulevard), Avenue A, from Fifty-seventh to Eighty-sixth street—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re the petition of Frederick A. Schermerhorn, to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging, and paving with Telford macadamized pavement (Eastern Boulevard), Avenue A, from Fifty-seventh to Eighty-sixth street—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re the petition of Edith C. Iselin, to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging, and paving with Telford macadamized pavement (Eastern Boulevard), Avenue A, from Fifty-seventh to Eighty-sixth street—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re the petition of Edward Roberts, to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging, and paving with Telford macadamized pavement (Eastern Boulevard), Avenue A, from Fifty-seventh to Eighty-sixth street—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re the petition of Jeremiah Towle, to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging, and paving with Telford macadamized pavement (Eastern Boulevard), Avenue A, from Fifty-seventh to Eighty-sixth street—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re the petition of A. Newbold Morris, trustee, to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging, and paving with Telford macadamized pavement (Eastern Boulevard), Avenue A, from Fifty-seventh to Eighty-sixth street—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re the petition of Adam Neidlinger et al., to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging, and paving with Telford macadamized pavement (Eastern Boulevard), Avenue A, from Fifty-seventh to Eighty-sixth street—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re the petition of A. Newbold Morris, trustee of Eln. C. Morris, to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging, and paving with Telford macadamized pavement (Eastern Boulevard), Avenue A, from Fifty-seventh to Eighty-sixth street—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re the petition of Mary S. Towle, to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging, and paving with Telford macadamized pavement (Eastern Boulevard), Avenue A, from Fifty-seventh to Eighty-sixth street—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re the petition of James S. Jones, to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging, and paving with Telford macadamized pavement (Eastern Boulevard), Avenue A, from Fifty-seventh to Eighty-sixth street—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re the petition of Joseph A. Metz et al., to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging, and paving with Telford macadamized pavement (Eastern Boulevard), Avenue A, from Fifty-seventh to Eighty-sixth street—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re the petition of John Dowling, to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging, and paving with Telford macadamized pavement (Eastern Boulevard), Avenue A, from Fifty-seventh to Eighty-sixth street—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re the petition of Catherine M. Jones, to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging, and paving with Telford macadamized pavement (Eastern Boulevard), Avenue A, from Fifty-seventh to Eighty-sixth street—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re the petition of Thomas Rutler, to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging, and paving with Telford macadamized pavement (Eastern Boulevard), Avenue A, from Fifty-seventh to Eighty-sixth street—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re the petition of Thomas Varker, to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging, and paving with Telford macadamized pavement (Eastern Boulevard), Avenue A, from Fifty-seventh to Eighty-sixth street—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re the petition of George C. Clausen, to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging, and paving with Telford macadamized pavement (Eastern Boulevard), Avenue A, from Fifty-seventh to Eighty-sixth street—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re the petition of William C. Schermerhorn et al., to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging, and paving with Telford macadamized pavement (Eastern Boulevard), Avenue A, from Fifty-seventh to Eighty-sixth street—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re the petition of Charles G. Cornell, to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging, and paving with Telford macadamized pavement (Eastern Boulevard), Avenue A, from Fifty-seventh to Eighty-sixth street—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

In re the petition of Sydney C. Jones et al., to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging, and paving with Telford macadamized pavement (Eastern Boulevard), Avenue A, from Fifty-seventh to Eighty-sixth street—Order entered to vacate the assessment.

SCHEDULE "C."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED OR ARGUED.

In re the petition of Nathan G. Newwitter—Motion to vacate assessment; argued before Donohue, J.; decision reserved.

James Linden—Tried before Lawrence, J., and jury; verdict for plaintiff for \$420, with interest from date of demand, by direction of the Court.

Edward H. Tracy, Executor, etc.—Argued at the General Term; decision reserved.

People, ex rel. Manuel Lopez Blanco et al. vs. The Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments for City and County of New York—Submitted at the General Term; decision reserved.

People, ex rel. Manuel Lopez Blanco et al. vs. The Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments for City and County of New York—Submitted at the General Term; decision reserved.

People, ex rel. Marie L. Zacharie vs. The Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments for City and County of New York—Submitted at the General Term; decision reserved.

George Caulfield—Tried before Barrett, J., and jury; verdict directed for the city.

Ninety-first street—Reference proceeded, etc.

One Hundred and Forty-ninth street—Reference proceeded, etc.

Valentine Sillocks, Jr., et al., Ex'rs.—Tried before Lawrence, J., and jury; decision reserved.

In re Ellen Bird—Argued at Chambers; motion to vacate sales granted.

In re petition of Mary G. Pinckney, One Hundred and Eighth street regulating, etc.—Argued at the General Term; decision reserved.

In re the petition of August Belmont, to vacate assessment for paving Seventy-second street, etc.—Argued at the General Term; decision reserved.

In re John T. Lord, to vacate assessment for paving Great Jones street—Motion to vacate assessment reargued before Donohue, J.; motion denied.

Gustav Callmeyer—Argued at the General Term; decision reserved.

William H. Christie—Tried before Curtis, J., and jury; complaint dismissed.

John A. Shea—Tried before Van Brunt, J., and jury; verdict for plaintiff, by direction of the Court, for \$300, with interest from April 27, 1877.

In re petition of Simon Rothschild, to vacate assessment for paving, etc., Seventy-second street—Submitted at the General Term.

In re petition of Manhattan Savings Bank, Ninety-second and One Hundred and Sixth street underground drains—Submitted at the General Term.

In re petition of Thomas H. Walter, Manhattan street improvements—Submitted at the General Term.

In re David King, to vacate assessment for Seventy-second street paving—Argued at the General Term; decision reserved.

In re Thomas H. Suley et al., to vacate assessment for paving Hudson street—Argued at the General Term; decision reserved.

In re Theodore Foulke, to vacate assessment for Eighty-seventh street curbing, guttering and flagging—Argued at the General Term; decision reserved.

In re James Deering, to vacate assessment for paving Manhattan street—Argued at General Term; leave given to submit additional points, etc.

In re petition of Catherine A. Grube, to vacate assessment for One Hundredth street regulating, etc.—Motion to vacate argued at Chambers, before Donohue, J.; decision reserved.

Syme, Receiver, etc.—Motion to amend answer by making Wm. P. Kieley, assignee, etc., a party defendant, argued; motion granted.

Pacific Mail Steamship Company—Motion to discontinue action, etc., on payment of "costs," argued before Van Vorst, J., and granted on payment of "costs and \$500 allowance to the defendants" (the city).

People, on the relation of Richard Watkins et al. against Henry C. Perley et al.—Argued at the General Term; decision reserved.

Marvin R. Clark—Tried before Daly, C. J., and a jury; complaint dismissed with costs to the city.

In re petition of Wm. C. Cauldwell, to vacate assessment for underground drains from Ninety-second to One Hundred and Sixth street—Submitted to Donohue, J., at Chambers.

In re petition of Caroline C. Bishop, to vacate assessment for underground drains from Ninety-second to One Hundred and Sixth street—Submitted to Donohue, J., at Chambers.

In re petition of Henry Mardorf, to vacate assessment for underground drains from Ninety-second to One Hundred and Sixth street—Submitted to Donohue, J., at Chambers.

In re petition of Bernard Kilduff, to vacate assessment for Thirty-first street, paving, etc.—Submitted to Donohue, J., at Chambers.

In re petition of Lydia G. Dominick, to vacate assessment for Fifteenth street paving etc.—Submitted to Donohue, J., at Chambers.

In re petition of George E. Bulmer, guardian, to vacate assessment for Fifteenth street paving, etc.—Submitted to Donohue, J., at Chambers.

WILLIAM C. WHITNEY, Counsel to the Corporation.

Statement and Return of Moneys Received by ALGERNON S. SULLIVAN, Public Administrator in the City of New York, for the Month of October, 1879, rendered to the Comptroller in pursuance of the provisions of Section 3, Part II., Chapter VI., Title VI., Revised Statutes; and Sections 38 and 96 of Chapter 335 of the Laws of 1873, and paid into the Treasury of the City.

DATE.	ESTATE OF	INTERSTATE ESTATES AND COMMISSIONS.	TOTAL AMOUNT.
Oct. 8, 1879	Guilford R. Morse, No. 2501.....	\$9 39	
" 16, "	Elena Shafter or Dunn, No. 16.....	36 15	
" 16, "	Margaret Stuart, etc., No. 2505.....	7 82	
" 20, "	Claude G. Stanly, No. 2508.....	3 92	
" 20, "	Mary Muller, No. 2511.....	3 59	
" 24, "	John Sullivan, No. 2516.....	2 36	
			\$63 23

ALGERNON S. SULLIVAN, Public Administrator.

APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That O. Edward Shipman be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Martin Fleming, who has failed to qualify.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 17, 1879.

Approved by the Mayor, October 27, 1879.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to E. A. Wickes to erect a bay-window on house to be erected on lot No. 14 West Fifty-seventh street, as shown on the annexed diagram, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 17, 1879.

Approved by the Mayor, October 27, 1879.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Samuel F. Knight to erect an ornamental post and lamp in front of his premises No. 1183 Broadway, entrance on Twenty-eighth street, about 30 feet from the corner of Broadway, the post to be of the following dimensions: about 12 inches in diameter at the base, and 9 feet—total height in all, with lamp, about 14 feet—the work to be done and gas supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 17, 1879.

Approved by the Mayor, October 27, 1879.

Resolved, That Isaac A. Barnes be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Frederick H. Hamlin, whose term of office has expired.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 17, 1879.

Approved by the Mayor, October 27, 1879.

Resolved, That Albert Bauman be and the same hereby is reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, whose term of office will expire on the 22d instant.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 17, 1879.

Approved by the Mayor, October 27, 1879.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 17, 1879.

Approved by the Mayor, October 27, 1879.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY

OF THE

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK.

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

ABSTRACT OF REGISTERS FROM SELF-RECORDING INSTRUMENTS

For the Week Ending October 25, 1879.

Barometer.

DATE. OCTOBER.	7 A. M.		2 P. M.		9 P. M.		Mean for the Day.		MAXIMUM.			MINIMUM.		
	Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.	Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.
Sunday, 19	29.878	29.800	29.938	29.848	30.096	30.046	29.898	30.128	30.086	12 P. M.	29.838	29.749	1 A. M.	
Monday, 20	30.178	30.147	30.172	30.101	30.186	30.112	30.120	30.230	30.186	9 A. M.	30.128	30.086	0 A. M.	
Tuesday, 21	30.190	30.138	30.196	30.111	30.194	30.112	30.120	30.208	30.148	9 A. M.	30.184	30.099	6 P. M.	
Wednesday, 22	30.182	30.100	30.182	30.081	30.094	29.999	30.060	30.188	30.101	9 A. M.	30.032	29.937	12 P. M.	
Thursday, 23	29.980	29.890	29.910	29.799	29.882	29.800	29.829	30.032	29.937	0 A. M.	29.896	29.782	4 P. M.	
Friday, 24	30.012	29.978	30.054	30.012	30.246	30.228	30.073	30.310	30.298	12 P. M.	29.902	29.842	0 A. M.	
Saturday, 25	30.478	30.477	30.536	30.510	30.618	30.600	30.529	30.642	30.635	12 P. M.	30.310	30.298	0 A. M.	

Mean for the week..... 30.089 inches.
Maximum " at 12 P. M., October 25..... 30.635 "
Minimum " at 1 A. M., October 19..... 29.749 "
Range "886 "

Thermometers.

DATE. OCTOBER.	7 A. M.		2 P. M.		9 P. M.		MEAN.		MAXIMUM.			MINIMUM.			MAX- IMUM.
	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Time.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Time.	
Sunday, 19	58	56	62	58	47	43	55.7	52.3	64	1 P. M.	60	44	12 P. M.	42	118
Monday, 20	40	40	55	50	51	50.3	57.0	60	4 P. M.	53	4 P. M.	39	6 A. M.	39	111
Tuesday, 21	48	46	60	52	59	54	55.6	50.7	61	3 P. M.	54	48	7 A. M.	46	90
Wednesday, 22	59	55	66	61	64	61	63.0	59.0	66	2 P. M.	62	58	2 A. M.	54	78
Thursday, 23	62	60	70	62	59	55	63.7	59.0	71	4 P. M.	63	51	12 P. M.	47	128
Friday, 24	41	39	44	40	35	33	40.0	37.3	51	0 A. M.	47	33	12 P. M.	32	105
Saturday, 25	29	29	38	36	35	32	34.0	32.3	40	3 P. M.	36	29	7 A. M.	29	101

Mean for the week..... 51.7 degrees.
Maximum for the week, at 4 P. M., 23d..... 71. " at 4 P. M., 23d..... 63. "
Minimum " at 7 A. M., 25th..... 29. " at 7 A. M., 25th..... 29. "
Range " 42. " 34. "

Wind.

DATE. OCTOBER.	DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.				FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.				
	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Distance for the Day.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Max.	Time.
Sunday, 19	NW	NNW	N	68	79	88	235	0	4½	2½	6½	11.20 A. M.
Monday, 20	NNW	WNW	W	66	46	34	146	¼	1¼	¼	2	10.50 A. M.
Tuesday, 21	W	SW	WSW	36	26	36	98	0	½	½	¾	2.40 P. M.
Wednesday, 22	S	SSE	S	32	36	28	96	0	¼	0	¾	9.30 A. M.
Thursday, 23	WSW	W	NW	38	38	47	123	½	½	½	3¾	10.30 P. M.
Friday, 24	WNW	NW	NW	116	104	88	308	1	3¾	¼	7	11.30 A. M.
Saturday, 25	NNW	NNW	N	72	81	49	202	¾	1	¼	4	12 M

Distance traveled during the week..... 1,208 miles.
Maximum force " 7 pounds.

DATE. OCTOBER.	Hygrometer.						Clouds.			Rain and Snow.				
	FORCE OF VAPOR.			RELATIVE HUMIDITY.			CLEAR, O. OVERCAST, IO.			DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES.				
	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration.	Amount of Water.	Depth of Snow.
Sunday, 19	.422	.429	.225	88	77	70	0	2 Cu.	0	0 A. M.	5.30 A. M.	5.30	.06	..
Monday, 20	.248	.295	.308	100	68	69	0	0	0	8.30 P. M.	12 P. M.	3.30	.02	..
Tuesday, 21	.284	.282	.359	85	55	70	0	Hazy.	10	0 A. M.	2 A. M.	2.00	.02	..
Wednesday, 22	.380	.470	.497	76	73	83	0	Hazy.	10	7.50 P. M.	12 P. M.	4.10	.04	..
Thursday, 23	.491	.449	.380	88	61	76	0	Hazy.	10	6.50 P. M.	8 P. M.	1.10	.01	..
Friday, 24	.212	.195	.162	82	68	80	0	7 Cu.	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	..
Saturday, 25	.103	.186	.142	100	81	70	0	1 Cu.	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	..

Total amount of water for the week..... .15 inch.

DANIEL DRAPER, Director.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS,
OFFICE NO. 2 FOURTH AVENUE,
NEW YORK, NOV. 3, 1879.

The following comprises the operations of the Department of Buildings for the week ending November 1, 1879.

HENRY J. DUDLEY,
Sup't of Buildings.

SAMUEL T. WEBSTER,
Chief Clerk.

BUREAU OF INSPECTION OF BUILDINGS.

New Buildings.

No. of plans and specifications filed, etc.	21
No. of buildings embraced in same.	71
Classified as follows:	
First-class dwellings	27
Second-class dwellings	9
French flats	23
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	6
School-houses	1
Churches	1
Public buildings	1
Stables	1
Frame buildings (in upper districts)	3
Total	71

Plans passed upon, including those previously filed	26
Approved	15
Amended and approved	4
Disapproved	3
Pending	4
Total	26

Altered Buildings.

No. of plans and specifications filed	9
No. of buildings embraced in same	9
Classified as follows:	
First-class dwellings	1
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	2
School-houses	1
Churches	1
Public buildings	1
Stables	1
Frame buildings	3
Total	9

Buildings examined and plans relating thereto passed upon, including those previously filed	12
Approved	2
Amended and approved	2
Disapproved	1
Pending	7
Total	12

Special Applications.

Number filed and examinations made	17
Approved	6
Disapproved	5
Pending	6
Total	17

Respectfully submitted,
ROBERT MCGINNIS,
Chief of Bureau.

JOHN J. TINDALE,
Plan Clerk.

BUREAU OF VIOLATIONS AND APPLICATIONS.

Operations for the week ending Nov. 1, 1879:	
Complaints received from outside sources	13
Violations of the law reported	13
" " removed	6
" " made safe	12
" " 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	4
Violation notices served	40
Unsafe building notices served	33
Operations for the month of October, 1879:	
Complaints received from outside sources	40
Violations of the law reported	65
" " removed	60
" " made safe	81
" " taken down	4
Surveys held on unsafe buildings	3
Violation cases sent to the Attorney for prosecution	11
Unsafe building cases sent to the Attorney for prosecution	23
Violation notices served	193
Unsafe building notices served	301
Respectfully submitted,	
ANDREW OWENS, Chief of Bureau.	
WILLIAM H. CLASS, Clerk.	

BUREAU OF FIRE-ESCAPES AND IRON WORK.

Operations for the week ending Nov. 1, 1879:	
Buildings reported for additional means of escape in case of fire	16
Buildings reported for trap-doors and railings to hoistways	4
Buildings reported for iron shutters	1
Buildings provided with additional means of escape in case of fire	21
Buildings provided with trap-doors and railings to hoistways	5
Buildings provided with iron shutters	1
Buildings exempted from the provisions of the law requiring iron shutters by the Board of Examiners	1
Arch girders tested (approved)	3
" (not approved)	1
Iron beams tested (approved)	7
" (not approved)	1
Iron lintels tested (approved)	1
" (not approved)	1
Notices for fire-escapes, trap-doors, iron shutters, etc., served	115
Cases sent to the Attorney for prosecution	1

Operations for the month of October, 1879:

Buildings reported for additional means of escape in case of fire	77
Buildings reported for trap-doors and railings to hoistways	21
Buildings reported for iron shutters	1
Buildings provided with additional means of escape in case of fire	97
Buildings provided with trap-doors and railings to hoistways	14
Buildings provided with iron shutters	2
Buildings exempted from the provisions of the law requiring iron shutters by Board of Examiners	3
Arch girders tested (approved)	25
" (not approved)	1
Iron beams tested (approved)	36
" (not approved)	1
Iron lintels tested (approved)	12
" (not approved)	1
Notices for fire escapes, trap-doors, and iron shutters, etc., served	381
Cases sent to the Attorney for prosecution	1

Respectfully submitted,
CHAS. K. HYDE,
Chief of Bureau.
VICTOR W. VOORHEES,
Clerk.

1879. Bills Incurred.

October 27—For salaries as members Board of Examiners, at meetings held September 2, September 16, October 7, and October 21, 1879—four meetings each, at \$10 :	
To James M. McLean	\$40 00
To John Banta	40 00
To Edwin Dobbs	40 00
To Henry Dudley	40 00

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.	No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
EDWARD COOPER, Mayor; JOHN TRACEY, Chief Clerk.	
Mayor's Marshal's Office.	No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
JOHN TYLER KELLY, First Marshal.	
Permit and License Bureau Office.	No. 1 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
DANIEL S. HART, Registrar.	
Sealers and Inspectors of Weights and Measures.	No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
WILLIAM EYERS, Sealer First District; ELIJAH W. ROE, Sealer Second District; JOHN MURRAY, Inspector First District; JOSEPH SHANNON, Inspector Second District.	

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.	No. 8 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JORDAN L. MOTT, President Board of Aldermen.	
JACOB M. PATTERSON, Jr., Clerk Common Council.	

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.	No. 19 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioner; FREDERICK H. HAMLIN, Deputy Commissioner.	
Bureau of Water Register.	No. 10 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN H. CHAMBERS, Register.	
Bureau of Incumbrances.	No. 13 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL, Superintendent.	
Bureau of Lamps and Gas.	No. 21 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
STEPHEN MCCORMICK, Superintendent.	
Bureau of Streets.	No. 19 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES J. MOONEY, Superintendent.	
Bureau of Sewers.	No. 21 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
STEVENSON TOWLE, Engineer-in-Charge.	
Bureau of Chief Engineer.	No. 11½ City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
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.

York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded 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 he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet as provided by law.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, November 1, 1879.
TOWNSEND COX,
THOMAS S. BRENNAN,
JACOB HESS,
Commissioners of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR REMOVING two (2) boilers from Bellevue Hospital, and one (1) from Randall's Island, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9 o'clock A. M., of Saturday the 15th day of November, 1879. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate" for removing three boilers, and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

The entire work will be required to be completed on or before thirty (30) days after the date of the contract.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, in the penal sum of one thousand dollars.

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

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

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded 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 he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet as provided by law.

Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the work, etc., required, before making their estimates.

Bidders will state the price for removing the boilers by which the bids will be tested.

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, November 1, 1879.
TOWNSEND COX,
THOMAS S. BRENNAN,
JACOB HESS,
Commissioners of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, October 30, 1879.

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 Homoeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Julia Carey; aged 22 years; 5 feet 1 inch high; blue eyes; brown hair. Had on when admitted, light wrapper, brown shawl, shoes, straw hat. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

By Order,
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, October 28, 1879.

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 Joyce, aged 40 years; 5 feet 1 inch high; black hair and eyes. Had on when admitted, light calico skirt and sacque, brown delaine shawl, white woolen hood. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

By Order,
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, October 25, 1879.

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—William Thompson; aged 46 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; black hair; blue eyes. Had on when admitted, brown jumper, blue overalls, black felt hat, gaiters.

At Homoeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—John Clifford; aged 39 years; 5 feet 9 inches high; gray eyes; black hair. Had on when admitted, dark coat and pants. Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By Order,
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

THE COMMITTEE ON LAW DEPARTMENT of the Board of Aldermen will meet every Monday in the City Library, Room No. 12 City Hall, at 1 o'clock P. M.

By Order of the Committee,
J. GRAHAM HYATT,
Chairman.

DEPARTMENT PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, October 29, 1879.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON MONDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 1879, AT 11 o'clock A. M. the Department of Public Works will sell at public auction, at the Corporation Yard foot of Gansevoort street, North river, by Peter Bowe, Auctioneer, the following articles:

Iron Boiler.
Iron Fly Wheel.
Iron Kettle.
4 Trucks.
3 Wagons.
5 Carts.
2 Lots of Furniture.
12 Stands.
Lot of Wood.
Lot of Barrels.
Lot of Boxes.
Lot of Bill Boards.
Lot of Lager Beer Kegs.
26 barrels of Cement.
Side Curtain.
Lot of Signs.
Lot of Butter Tubs.
Lot of Posts.

TERMS OF SALE.

Cash payments in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, and the immediate removal of the articles by the purchaser.

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

ELECTION NOTICE.

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE COMMON COUNCIL,
No. 8 CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, October 1, 1879.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, PURSUANT TO the provisions of section 1, chapter 503, Laws of 1875, being an act to amend chapter 675, Laws of 1872, entitled "An act in relation to elections in the City and County of New York, and to provide for ascertaining by proper proofs the citizens who shall be entitled to the rights of suffrage thereat," that at the General Election to be held in this State, on the Tuesday succeeding the first Monday of November next (November 4), the following municipal officers are to be elected in the City and County of New York, viz.:

Six Aldermen-at-Large:
Three Aldermen, in the territory comprised within the First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Seventh, Tenth, and Fourteenth Wards of the City of New York;

Three Aldermen, in the territory comprised within the Eighth, Ninth, Fifteenth, and Sixteenth Wards of the City of New York;

Three Aldermen, in the territory comprised within the Tenth, Eleventh, and Seventeenth Wards of the City of New York;

Three Aldermen, in the territory comprised within the Eighteenth, Twentieth, and Twenty-first Wards of the City of New York;

Three Aldermen, in the territory comprised within the Twelfth, Nineteenth, and Twenty-second Wards of the City of New York;

One Alderman, in the territory comprised within the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York;

A Sheriff, in the place of Bernard Reilly;
A County Clerk, in the place of Hubert O. Thompson, appointed in the place of Henry A. Gumbleton, removed;
A Coroner, in the place of Richard Flanagan;

A Coroner, in the place of Henry Wolman;

A Coroner, in the place of Richard Croker;

A Judge of the Court of Common Pleas, in the place of Miles Beach, appointed in the place of Hamilton W. Robinson, deceased;

A Justice of the Marine Court, in the place of David McAdam;

A Justice of the Marine Court, in the place of Henry Alker;

A Justice of the District Court for the Seventh Judicial District, in the place of Charles D. Ingersoll, appointed in the place of Walter S. Pinckney, removed;

A Justice of the District Court for the Tenth Judicial District, in the place of John Flanagan.
JACOB M. PATTERSON, JR.,
Clerk of the Common Council.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 and 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, November 7, 1878.

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

By order of the Board.
VINCENT C. KING, President,
JOHN J. GORMAN, Treasurer,
CORNELIUS VAN COTT,
Commissioners.
CARL JUSSEN,
Secretary.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS, ACCOMPANIED WITH plans and specifications, will be received by the School Trustees of the Twelfth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Friday, the 14th day of November, 1879, and until 4 o'clock P. M. on said day, for warming and ventilating the new school-house in course of erection on Lexington avenue, between One Hundred and Fifth and One Hundred and Sixth streets.

Plans of the building may be seen and additional information obtained at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand street, third floor.

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

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

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

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

DAVID H. KNAPP,
CHARLES CRARY,
ANDREW L. SOULARD,
GERMAIN HAUSCHEL,
ROSEWELL G. ROLSTON,
Board of School Trustees, Twelfth Ward.
Dated New York, October 18, 1879.

JURORS.

NOTICE IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, June 1, 1879.

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).

THE CITY RECORD

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

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Parks, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of a new road or street, commonly known as Bronx River road, though not yet named by proper authority, from Grand avenue to the north line of the City of New York, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of said city.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to George W. McGlynn, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 261 Broadway, Rooms 34 and 35, in said city, on or before the first day of December, 1879; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said first day of December, and will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also the affidavits taken, and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of

the Department of Public Works, there to remain until the 17th day of December, 1879. That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows:

Commencing at the intersection of the northerly line of Grand avenue, with the westerly line of the lands of the Harlem Railroad Company, thence running northerly along the westerly line of the said railroad company's lands to the westerly bank of the Bronx river; thence northerly along the westerly bank of the Bronx river as the same winds and turns, to the northerly line of the City of New York; thence westerly along the northerly line of the City of New York to a point where the said line would be intersected by the prolongation of a line drawn parallel to, and two hundred feet westerly of the westerly line of First street; thence southerly along the prolongation of said line, and along said line to the northerly side of Grand avenue; thence easterly along the northerly side of Grand avenue, to the point or place of beginning.

That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof to be held at Chambers in the Court-house in the City of New York on the 31st day of December, 1879, at ten o'clock of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that then and there a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, October 28, 1879.

GEORGE W. MCGLYNN,
BERNARD SMYTH,
JULIUS HEIDERMAN,
Commissioners.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Parks, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of Eighty-first street, from the Boulevard to the new avenue, and from the Twelfth avenue to the Hudson river, in the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of the costs, charges, and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Court-house, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 11th day of November, 1879, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated New York, October 27, 1879.
CHARLES PRICE,
JOSEPH MEEKS,
LOUIS MESIER,
Commissioners.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of Eighty-second street, from First avenue to Avenue B.

PURSUANT TO STATUTES IN SUCH CASE made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held in Chambers, in the Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 15th day of November, 1879, at ten o'clock A. M. of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. That the nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon, and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of Eighty-second street, from the easterly line of First avenue to the westerly line of Avenue B, being the following described pieces or parcels of land:

Beginning at a point on the easterly line of First avenue, 204 feet 4 inches northerly from the northerly line of Eighty-first street, and running parallel to said street 613 feet, to the westerly line of Avenue A; thence northerly, along the westerly line of Avenue A, 60 feet; thence westerly 613 feet, to the easterly line of First avenue; thence southerly, along the easterly line of First avenue, 60 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point on the easterly line of Avenue A, 204 feet 4 inches northerly from the northerly line of Eighty-first street, and running parallel to said street 646 feet, to the westerly line of Avenue B; thence northerly, along the westerly line of Avenue B, 60 feet; thence westerly 646 feet, to the easterly line of Avenue A; thence southerly, along the easterly line of Avenue A, 60 feet, to the point or place of beginning; said street being 60 feet wide between First avenue and Avenue A, and between Avenues A and B.

Dated New York, October 23, 1879.
WILLIAM C. WHITNEY,
Counsel to the Corporation.

In the matter of the petition of the Department of Public Parks, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of Forest (Concord) avenue, from Denman place to Home street, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

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

1. That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to Gunning S. Bedford, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 25 Chambers street, room No. 1, in the said city, on or before the 21st day of November, 1879; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 21st day of November, 1879, and will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 12 o'clock, noon.

2. That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also the affidavits taken, and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain until the 1st day of December, 1879. That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows:

All those parcels of land lying on each side of Concord (Forest) avenue, between Denman place and Home street, in the Twenty-third Ward, and extending 135 feet each way from the said Concord avenue.

3. That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at Chambers, in the Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 17th day of December, 1879, at ten o'clock of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that then and there a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, October 20, 1879.

GUNNING S. BEDFORD,
AMBROSE H. PURDY,
BERNARD SMYTH,
Commissioners.

In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of the Central Park, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of Seventy-fourth street, from Eighth avenue to the Hudson river, in the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, the Department of Public Parks, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York hereby given

notice that the Counsel to the Corporation will apply to the Supreme Court of the First Judicial District of the State of New York, on the 7th day of November, 1879, at a Special Term, at Chambers, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of a Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in the above proceeding, in the place and stead of C. Graham Stanley, deceased.

New York, October 15, 1879.

WM. C. WHITNEY,
Counsel to the Corporation.

In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of Sedgwick avenue, from the Fordham Landing Road to Boston avenue, in the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO STATUTES IN SUCH CASE made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers, in the Court-house in the City of New York, on the 21st day of November, 1879, at 10 A. M. of said day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on the behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon, and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening, as a first class street, of that certain continuous street or avenue known as Sedgwick avenue, although not yet named by proper authority, being all of that piece or parcel of land—as the same is shown on certain maps made by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, under authority of chapter 604, Laws of 1874, and chapter 436, Laws of 1876, and filed in the Department of Public Parks, the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, viz:

Beginning at a point on the Fordham Landing Road, distant 2695 58-100 feet easterly from the eastern line of Tenth avenue, produced and measured on a line at right angles to the same, from a point 14539 25-100 feet northerly from the southeastern corner of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and Tenth avenue.

1. Thence southwesterly, on a line whose direction is 34° southwest of that of the eastern line of Tenth avenue, for 91 76-100 feet.

2. Thence northwesterly on the arc of a circle of 300 77-100 feet radius whose centre lies west of the said arc and whose radial line passing through the western extremity of the preceding course forms—when produced easterly—an angle of 33° 33' 08" with the said preceding course, for 69 39-100 feet to a point of reverse curve.

3. Thence to the right and northwesterly on the arc of a circle of 1403 38-100 feet radius for 79 79-100 feet to a point of compound curve.

4. Thence to the right and northwesterly on an arc of a circle of 2220 feet radius for 538 14-100 feet to a point of compound curve.

5. Thence to the right and northerly on the arc of a circle of 1018 feet radius for 404 11-100 feet to a point of reverse curve.

6. Thence to the left and northerly on the arc of a circle of 1220 feet radius for 537 65-100 feet to a point of reverse curve.

7. Thence to the right and northerly on the arc of a circle of 930 feet radius for 738 71-100 feet to a point of tangency.

8. Thence northeasterly on a tangent for 317 44-100 feet to a point of curve.

9. Thence to the right and northeasterly on the arc of a circle of 450 feet radius for 191 47-100 feet to a point of reverse curve.

10. Thence to the left and northerly on the arc of a circle of 465 feet radius for 383 22-100 feet.

11. Thence to the right, easterly, or the prolongation of the radius of the preceding course, across the "Kingsbridge road," easterly for 80 feet.

12. Thence to the right and southwesterly on the arc of a circle of 80 feet radius, whose centre lies on the prolongation easterly of the preceding course, for 105 57-100 feet, to a point of compound curve.

13. Thence to the left and northerly on the arc of a circle of 25 feet radius, for 30 76-100 feet to a point of compound curve.

14. Thence to the left and northerly on the arc of a circle of 900 feet radius for 727 38-100 feet to a point of reverse curve.

15. Thence to the right and northerly on the arc of a circle of 1600 feet radius for 339 feet to a point of tangency.

16. Thence, on a tangent, northerly for 733 31-100 feet to a point of curve.

17. Thence to the right and northerly on the arc of a circle of 1200 feet radius for 572 47-100 feet to a point of tangency.

18. Thence, on a tangent, northerly, for 440 feet to a point of curve.

19. Thence to the left, northerly on the arc of a circle of 1200 feet radius for 423 95-100 feet to a point of reverse curve.

20. Thence to the right, northerly, on the arc of a circle of 1167 61-100 feet radius for 214 33-100 feet to a point of reverse curve.

21. Thence to the left and westerly on the arc of a circle of 30 feet radius for 65 14-100 feet to a point on "Boston avenue."

22. Thence northeasterly 249 16-100 feet to the opposite side of Sedgwick avenue, on a line forming an angle of 73° 0' 32" 44", to the right of the prolongation northerly of that radial line of the preceding course, which passes through the western extremity of said course.

23. Thence southerly, on the arc of a circle of 300 feet radius, whose centre lies to the east of Sedgwick avenue, and whose radial line, passing through the northeastern extremity of the preceding course, forms an angle of 73° 9' 31" 5" to the right of said course produced for 73 74-100 feet to a point of compound curve.

24. Thence to the left and southerly on the arc of a circle of 1087 61-100 feet radius for 348 9-100 feet to a point of reverse curve.

25. Thence to the right and southerly on the arc of a circle of 1280 feet radius for 454 35-100 feet to a point of tangency.

26. Thence on a tangent, southerly, for 440 feet to a point of curve.

27. Thence to the left and southerly on the arc of a circle of 1220 feet radius for 534 3-100 feet to a point of tangency.

28. Thence on a tangent, southerly, for 733 31-100 feet to a point of curve.

29. Thence to the left and southerly on the arc of a circle of 1520 feet radius for 322 5-100 feet to a point of reverse curve.

30. Thence to the right and southerly on the arc of a circle of 980 feet radius for 792 3-100 feet to a point of reverse curve.

31. Thence to the left and easterly on the arc of a circle of 75 feet radius for 122 39-100 feet to a point on the Kingsbridge road.

32. Thence to the right, on the prolongation of the radius of the preceding course, southerly across the Kingsbridge road for 80 feet.

33. Thence to the right, southwesterly, on the arc of a circle of 170 feet radius, whose centre lies on the prolongation southerly of the preceding course, for 196 81-100 feet to a point of compound curve.

34. Thence to the left, southwesterly, on the arc of a circle of 1370 feet radius for 344 46-100 feet to a point of tangency.

35. Thence on a tangent southwesterly for 317 44-100 feet to a point of curve.

36. Thence to the left and southerly on the arc of a circle of 850 feet radius for 675 16-100 feet to a point of reverse curve.

37. Thence to the right and southerly on the arc of a circle of 1300 feet radius for 572 9-100 feet to a point of reverse curve.

38. Thence to the left and southerly on the arc of a

circle of 938 feet radius for 372 35-100 feet to a point of compound curve.

39. Thence to the left and southeasterly on the arc of a circle of 2140 feet radius for 648 85-100 feet to the point of beginning.

Dated New York, October 31, 1879.

WM. C. WHITNEY,
Counsel to the Corporation.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Eighth street, from the easterly line of Fifth avenue to the Harlem river

PURSUANT TO STATUTES IN SUCH CASE made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers in the Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 21st day of November, 1879, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. That the nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on the behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon, and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of One Hundred and Eighth street, from Fifth avenue to the Harlem river, being the following described pieces or parcels of land:

Beginning at a point on the easterly line of Fifth avenue two hundred and one feet ten inches (201' 10") northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Seventh street, and running easterly and parallel to said street four hundred and twenty (420) feet to the westerly line of Madison avenue; thence northerly and along the westerly line of Madison avenue sixty (60) feet; thence westerly four hundred and twenty (420) feet to the easterly line of Fifth avenue; thence southerly along the easterly line of Fifth avenue sixty (60) feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point on the easterly line of Madison avenue two hundred and one feet ten inches (201' 10") northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Seventh street, and running easterly and parallel to said street four hundred (400) feet to the westerly line of Fourth avenue; thence northerly and along the westerly line of Fourth avenue sixty (60) feet; thence westerly four hundred (400) feet to the easterly line of Madison avenue; thence southerly and along the easterly line of Madison avenue sixty (60) feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point on the easterly line of Fourth avenue two hundred and one feet ten inches (201' 10") northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Seventh street, and running easterly and parallel to said street four hundred and five (405' 0") feet to the westerly line of Lexington avenue; thence northerly and along the westerly line of Lexington avenue sixty (60) feet; thence westerly four hundred and five (405' 0") feet to the easterly line of Fourth avenue; thence southerly and along the easterly line of Fourth avenue sixty (60) feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point on the easterly line of Lexington avenue two hundred and one feet ten inches (201' 10") from the northerly line of One Hundred and Seventh street, and running easterly and parallel to said street four hundred and twenty (420' 0") feet to the westerly line of Third avenue; thence northerly and along the westerly line of Third avenue sixty (60) feet; thence westerly four hundred and twenty (420' 0") feet to the easterly line of Lexington avenue; thence southerly and along the easterly line of Lexington avenue sixty (60) feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point on the easterly line of Third avenue two hundred and one feet ten inches (201' 10") from the northerly line of One Hundred and Seventh street, and running easterly and parallel to said street six hundred and ten (610' 0") feet to the westerly line of Second avenue; thence northerly and along the westerly line of Second avenue sixty (60) feet; thence westerly six hundred and ten (610' 0") feet to the easterly line of Third avenue; thence southerly and along the easterly line of Third avenue sixty (60) feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point on the easterly line of Second avenue two hundred and one feet ten inches (201' 10") from the northerly line of One Hundred and Seventh street, and running easterly and parallel to said street six hundred and fifty (650' 0") feet to the westerly line of First avenue; thence northerly and along the westerly line of First avenue sixty (60) feet; thence westerly six hundred and fifty (650' 0") feet to the easterly line of Second avenue; thence southerly and along the easterly line of Second avenue sixty (60) feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point on the easterly line of First avenue two hundred and one feet ten inches (201' 10") from the northerly line of One Hundred and Seventh street, and running easterly and parallel to said street six hundred and thirteen (613' 0") feet to the westerly line of Avenue A; thence northerly and along the westerly line of Avenue A sixty (60) feet; thence westerly six hundred and thirteen (613' 0") feet to the easterly line of First avenue; thence southerly and along the easterly line of First avenue sixty (60) feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point on the easterly line of Avenue A two hundred and one feet ten inches (201' 10") from the northerly line of One Hundred and Seventh street, and running easterly and parallel to said street one hundred and thirteen (113' 0") feet to the bulkhead line, Harlem river; thence northerly and along said bulkhead line one hundred and twelve feet three and three-quarters of an inch (112' 3 3/4") to the easterly line of Avenue A; thence southerly and along the easterly line of Avenue A sixty (60) feet to the point or place of beginning, said street being sixty (60) feet wide between the easterly line of Fifth avenue and the bulkhead line, Harlem river.

Dated New York, October 31, 1879.

WM. C. WHITNEY,
Counsel to the Corporation.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Parks, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of Eighty-eighth street, from Eighth avenue to the New Road or Public Drive and from Twelfth avenue to the Hudson river, in the City of New York.

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

That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections, in writing, duly verified, to A. M. Soteldo, Jr., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 82 Nassau street (Room 24), in the said city, on or before the 14th day of November, 1879, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 14th day of November, and for that purpose will be in attendance, at our said office, on each of said ten days, at one o'clock P. M.

That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 25th day of November, 1879.

That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows: All those lots, pieces, or parcels of land lying and being on Eighty-eighth street, between Eighth avenue and the New Road, and between Twelfth avenue and the Hudson river, and extending on either side of Eighty-eighth street half the distance to the next street thereto, in the City of New York. That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the

New Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 10th day of December, 1879, at 10 A. M. of that day, and that there and then, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, October 13, 1879.

A. M. SOTELDO, JR.,
THOMAS W. PITTMAN,
GEORGE F. MARTENS,
Commissioners.

In the matter of the petition of the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Fifth street, from Third to Fifth avenue, in the City of New York.

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

1. That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections, in writing, duly verified, to William Lalor, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 25 Chambers street, in the said city, on or before the 1st day of November, 1879, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 1st day of November, 1879, and for that purpose will be in attendance, at our said office, on each of said ten days, at twelve o'clock noon.

2. That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits taken, and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 10th day of November, 1879.

3. That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows:

All those lots, pieces, or parcels of land situated, lying and being in the City of New York, and which, taken together, are bounded and contained as follows, that is to say: Beginning at a point on the westerly side of Third avenue, equidistant between the northerly line or side of One Hundred and Fifth street and the southerly line or side of One Hundred and Sixth street, and running thence westerly parallel with One Hundred and Fifth street to a point on the easterly line of Fifth avenue, equidistant between the northerly line or side of One Hundred and Fifth street, and the southerly line or side of One Hundred and Sixth street; thence running along said easterly line of Fifth avenue to a point in said line equidistant between the southerly side of One Hundred and Fifth street and the northerly side of One Hundred and Fourth street; thence running easterly parallel with One Hundred and Fifth street to a point on the westerly line of Third avenue, equidistant between the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifth street and the northerly line of One Hundred and Fourth street; thence along said westerly line of Third avenue to the point of beginning.

4. That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the City of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the New Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 1st day of December, 1879, at 10 o'clock of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that then and there a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

WILLIAM LALOR,
GUNNING S. BELFORD,
AMBROSE H. PURDY,
Commissioners.

Dated New York, September 30, 1879.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, ROOM No. 39,
NEW YORK, November 3, 1879.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department, City of New York, 300 Mulberry street, Room 39, for the following property now in his custody without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, hose, shoes, male and female clothing, cigars, molasses, revolvers, watches, gold and silver, also small amount of cash taken from prisoners and found.

C. A. ST. JOHN,
Property Clerk.

RAPID TRANSIT COMMISSION.

54 EXCHANGE PLACE,
NEW YORK, October 25, 1879.

THE COMMISSIONERS OF RAPID TRANSIT hereby give public notice, that they invite the submission of plans for the construction and operation of steam railways for rapid transit. All communications to be in writing, addressed to the undersigned, at this office, on or before the eighth day of November, 1879.

RICHARD M. HOE,
President.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF TAXES,
No. 32 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, November 1, 1879.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS who have omitted to pay their taxes for the year 1879 to the Receiver of Taxes, that unless the same shall be paid to him, at his office, before the first day of December next, one per cent. will be collected on all taxes remaining unpaid on that day, and one per cent. in addition thereto on all taxes remaining unpaid on the 15th day of December next.

No money will be received after 2 o'clock P. M. Office hours from 8 A. M. to 2 P. M.

MARTIN T. McMAHON,
Receiver of Taxes.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,
32 NEW CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, October 27, 1879.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Assessment rolls on real estate, personal property, and bank stock in the City and County of New York, for the year 1879, have been delivered to the undersigned, and that the taxes thereon are now due and payable at this office.

In case of payment before the first day of November next, the person so paying shall be entitled to the benefits mentioned in the twenty-ninth section of the act of March 30, 1850, viz:

A reduction at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the time of payment to the first day of December next.

MARTIN T. McMAHON,
Receiver of Taxes.

WILLIAM KENNELLY, AUCTIONEER.

CORPORATION SALE OF THE BELLS NOW HANGING IN THE ESSEX MARKET BELL TOWER, AND IN THE MARION STREET BELL TOWER.

THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW York will sell at public auction, on Thursday, November 6, 1879, at 12 o'clock noon, at the New County Court-house, the Bell at Essex Market Bell Tower, and the Bell at Marion street Bell Tower.

TERMS OF SALE.

Cash to be paid to the Collector of the City Revenue at the time and place of sale.

The successful bidder to take down the Bells from the premises where they are now hanging, with proper care, so that no damage will result to the buildings, and leave the premises in good order and condition, within ten days from sale.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, October 24, 1879.

WILLIAM KENNELLY, AUCTIONEER.

CORPORATION SALE OF THE BELL TOWER AT ESSEX MARKET, ALSO THE MARION STREET BELL TOWER.

THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW York will sell at public auction, on Monday, November 17, 1879, at 12 o'clock noon, at the New County Court-house, the buildings known as the Essex Market Bell Tower, and the Marion Street Bell Tower.

TERMS OF SALE.

Cash to be paid to the Collector of the City Revenue at the time and place of sale. The successful bidder to remove the buildings within thirty days from the date of sale, and to leave the premises on which they stand free from all material of the building.

The Essex Market Bell Tower to be taken down to the roof of the market building, and to be cleared from the roof in a workmanlike manner, but no portion of the frame below the roof to be removed. The ground on which the Marion street tower stands to be smoothly and evenly graded.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, October 25, 1879.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,
No. 32 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, October 21, 1879.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.

THE RECEIVER OF TAXES GIVES NOTICE that the books for taxes on real estate, personal property, and bank stock for the year 1879, will be opened for payment at this office on Monday, October 27, 1879.

MARTIN T. McMAHON,
Receiver of Taxes.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
FIRST FLOOR (NEW WING), NEW COURT-HOUSE,
CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, Sept. 29, 1879.

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 SEPTEMBER 23, 1879.

99th street, regulating, grading, setting curb, gutter, and flagging, from 8th to 11th avenue.

109th street, regulating and grading, from 3d to 5th avenue.

115th street, sewer, between 4th and Madison avenues.

77th street, paving, between 3d avenue and Avenue A.

81st street, paving, from 4th to 5th avenue.

Madison avenue, flagging east side, between 80th and 81st streets.

1st avenue, flagging west side, between 59th and 60th streets.

51st street, flagging north side, between Broadway and 8th avenue.

60th street, flagging sidewalks, between 9th avenue and Boulevard.

72d street, flagging, from Lexington to 3d avenue.

85th street, flagging south side, 100 feet west of Lexington avenue.

Madison avenue, fencing vacant lots, between 80th and 81st streets, east side, and in 80th street, between Madison and 4th avenues.

69th and 70th streets and Lexington avenue (Block 360), fencing vacant lots.

44th street, fencing vacant lots, between 10th and 11th avenues.

74th street, fencing vacant lots, southwest corner 4th avenue.

6th avenue, fencing vacant lots, east side, between 124th and 125 streets.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before November 28, 1879, 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.

INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

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