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LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

STATED SESSION

WEDNESDAY, February 7, 1882, }
12 o'clock, M. }

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

PRESENT:

Hon. William Sauer, President

ALDERMEN

Thomas Brady,
Michael Duffy,
Frederick Finck,
Edward T. Fitzpatrick,
Augustus Fleishbein,
Robert Hall,
James W. Hawes,

Patrick Keenan,
Patrick Kenney,
William P. Kirk,
Ferdinand Levy,
Bernard F. Martin,
Joseph J. McAvoy,
John McClave,

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

The minutes of the meetings of January 24 and 31, 1882, were read and approved.

INVITATIONS.

An invitation was received to attend the annual ball of the Tonawanda Club, at Clarendor Hall, on Wednesday evening, February 26, 1882.
Which was accepted.

PETITIONS.

By the President—
Protest of Stratton & Storm against bay-windows at No. 202 East Twenty-seventh street.
Which was referred to the Committee on Fire and Building Departments.

By Alderman Waite—
Petition of owners of property requesting the removal of the public urinal at Astor place.
Which was referred to the Committee on Police and Health Departments.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Alderman Roosevelt—
Resolved, That the Committee on Law be directed to prepare a law and memorial to be presented to the Legislature for the simplification of the registry of titles to land in the City of New York.

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

By Alderman McAvoy—
Resolved, That Theodore Dingeldein be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Keenan—
Resolved, That L. Crawford be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, to date from the expiration of his present term of office, February 19, 1882.
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Franklin F. Robinson to place and keep a storm-door within the stoop-line at the entrance to No. 254 Division street, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.
Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Duffy—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Bryan O'Hara to place a sign, two feet square and seven feet high, on the sidewalk in front of his premises, No. 1145 Second avenue, the work to be done at his own expense; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.
Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the same—
Resolved, That Croton water-mains be laid in One Hundred and Twenty-second street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, as provided in chapter 381, Laws of 1879.
Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Martin—
Resolved, That Charles Meyers be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman McAvoy—
Resolved, That the roadway of Eighty-second street, from the westerly crosswalk of Eighth avenue to the pavement heretofore laid at the intersection of the Boulevard, be paved with trap-block pavement, except such parts of the intersections of Ninth and Tenth avenues as lie between points five feet east and west of the east and west curb-lines of said avenues; and that crosswalks of three courses of blue stone be laid across said street within the lines of the sidewalks of the intersecting avenues and parallel therewith, and within the lines of the easterly sidewalk of the Boulevard and parallel therewith, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.
Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Street Pavements.

By Alderman McClave—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the National Extension Ladder and Water Tower Company to give an exhibition in front of the City Hall, on Saturday, February 11, 1882, at 2 P. M., of their fire-escape and water tower apparatus.
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.
Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the President—

Whereas, It is understood that the Manhattan Elevated Railway Company contemplate the removal of the railway station on Sixth avenue, from Fiftieth to Forty-seventh street; and

Whereas, This removal will inconvenience a great number of residents in one of the most important sections of the city; the present stations at Forty-second street, Fiftieth street and Fifty-eighth streets being equidistant, no passenger is required to walk more than four blocks or streets to reach either station; if, however, the station at Fiftieth street is removed south to Forty-seventh street, a space of eleven blocks or streets will intervene between that street and the station at Fifty-eighth street, thereby compelling many passengers to walk five and one-half blocks or streets to reach either station; and

Whereas, The present station at Fiftieth street is one of the most important on the route, as that street leads directly to the Buckingham Hotel, Columbia College and the School of Mines; St. Patrick's new Cathedral, the Fifth Avenue and Madison Avenue Orphan Asylums, and some of the largest apartment houses in the city; and its removal will entail loss of time and be a decided inconvenience to a great many of our citizens; be it, therefore

Resolved, That, in the opinion of this Common Council, the removal of the said station is to be deprecated, and as there appears to be no public interest or public necessity to require its removal, but, on the contrary, it being apparent that the interests, necessities, and convenience of the public require that the station should be continued at Fiftieth street, this Common Council protests against the removal of said depot, as proposed; and, deeming it unnecessary, at the present time, to exercise the power believed to be vested in the corporate authorities of this city to direct the retention of this depot, or to prevent its location at Forty-seventh street, hereby simply requests the Management of said Elevated Railway Company to defer to the wishes of the Common Council, and to retain the depot now on the route of its road at Fiftieth street and Sixth avenue; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of the foregoing preamble and resolution be transmitted by the Clerk of this Board to the Board of Directors, or President of the Manhattan Elevated Railway Company.

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

By Alderman Wells—

Resolved, That crosswalks be laid in Mott avenue and in East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, at the intersections of said avenue and street, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.
Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By the same—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in East One Hundred and Seventy-third street, between Third avenue and Railroad avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.
Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Brady—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the London and Liverpool Clothing Company to alter the show-windows on the store Nos. 461, 463, 465, and 467 Broadway, as shown on the annexed diagram; the work to be done at the expense of the company, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Fire Department; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

By Alderman Wells—

Resolved, That the lamp-posts now on Third avenue, between the Harlem river and Westchester avenue, be removed and reset at proper locations on said avenue, so as to conform, as nearly as possible, to the distances now between the public lamps south of Harlem river, the work to be done under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By the same—

Resolved, That the sidewalk on the northerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, between Third avenue and Washington avenue, be flagged a space four feet wide, and that crosswalks be laid in Washington avenue and in East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street at the intersections of said avenue and street; under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.
Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Martin—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Stefano Logomarsino to retain a small stand in front of the premises No. 25 Barclay street, he having obtained the consent of the occupants of said premises; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

By Alderman Hall—

Resolved, That the west side of First avenue, between Forty-first and Forty-fourth streets, be regulated and graded where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.
Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By the President—

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

By Alderman McClave—

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

By Alderman Keenan—

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

By Alderman Duffy—

Resolved, That the roadway of One Hundred and Eighteenth street, from the westerly crosswalk of Third avenue to a line five feet east of and parallel with the east curb of Fourth avenue, be paved with trap-block pavement, extending at the intersecting avenue to a line five feet north of and parallel with the north curb and five feet south of and parallel with the south curb of said street respectively, except that crosswalks of three courses of blue stone be laid across said street within the lines of the sidewalks of the intersecting and terminating avenues, except Third avenue; also that crosswalks of two courses of blue stone be laid across the intersecting avenue adjoining the limits of the above-described pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.
Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Street Pavements.

By the same—

Resolved, That the roadway of One Hundred and Third street, from the westerly crosswalk of Second avenue to the easterly crosswalk of Lexington avenue, be paved with trap-block pavement where not already paved, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.
Which was referred to the Committee on Streets and Street Pavements.

By Alderman McClave—

Resolved, That Eighty-seventh street, from the west curb of Tenth avenue to the east curb of the Boulevard, be regulated, graded, curb-stones set, and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

(G. O. 70.)

By the President—

Resolved, That Croton water-mains be laid in Sixth avenue, west side, between One Hundred and Twenty-fourth and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth streets, under the sidewalk, all as provided in chapter 381, Laws of 1879.
Which was laid over.

By Alderman Martin—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Chamberlain Brothers to retain the sign now on the awning in front of their place of business, No. 190 West street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

By Alderman McClave—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Minot, Hooper & Co. to erect an elevator entrance in front of No. 51 Leonard street, the same to extend one foot six inches beyond the building line, according to the annexed diagram, the consent of the property-owners 50 feet on each side having been obtained, and is hereto annexed, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Fire Department; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

By Alderman Seaman—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to C. L. Tiffany to erect a bay-window on his house, corner Madison avenue and Seventy-second street, according to the annexed diagram, under the direction of the Building Department; said permission to continue during the pleasure of the Common Council; work to be done at his own expense.

Which was referred to the Committee on Fire and Building Departments.

By Alderman McClave—

Resolved, That the sidewalks of Eighty-seventh street, from the west curb of Eighth avenue to the east curb of Tenth avenue, be regulated, graded, curb-stones set and sidewalks flagged four feet wide where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Wells—

AN ORDINANCE in relation to steam railroads crossing on grade public highways in the City of New York.

The Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York do ordain as follows:

Section 1. It shall be the duty of every person, company, or corporation operating or controlling any railroad in the City of New York, upon which cars are drawn by locomotive engines, other than those known as "dummies," to erect and maintain suitable and substantial gates or doors on each and either side of said railroad, at every point in said city, at which its road or tracks cross any public street, road, or avenue at the grade thereof. Such gates or doors shall be kept well painted and in good repair, and be attended, at all times during the approach and passage of cars or trains, by a sober, careful, and experienced man, whose duty it shall be to keep the tracks clear of all horses, cattle, and vehicles, to properly warn all persons against crossing said tracks during the approach of any train, locomotive, or car, and to close said gates or doors at least one minute before the passage of any locomotive, engine, or car over said public street, road, or avenue.

Sec. 2. It shall not be lawful for any person, company, or corporation operating or controlling any railroad in the City of New York, to run, or allow to be run, any locomotive, or locomotive and tender without cars, across any public street, road, or avenue in said city, unless the gates or doors at such street crossing are closed or down, or to permit any locomotive, or steam engine, car, carriage, wagon, or vehicle, of any kind whatever, to stand for a longer time than two minutes on the intersection caused by the crossing of such railroad and any public street, road, or avenue at the grade thereof.

Sec. 3. Every failure to comply with the provisions of this ordinance on the part of the president, directors, superintendent, or other officers of any company or corporation, or on the part of any persons or persons operating or controlling any such railroad, shall be deemed a misdemeanor, and the person or persons so offending shall be punished on conviction before any of the police magistrates of the City of New York, pursuant to the provisions of sections 20 and 21 of chapter 11, Laws of 1833, entitled "An act relative to the powers of the Common Council of the City of New York, and the police and criminal courts of said city," and to the provisions of section 5 of article 4 of chapter 228 of the Laws of 1853, entitled "An act in relation to the Police Department of the City of New York."

Sec. 4. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec. 5. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

By Alderman Kirk—

Resolved, That section 21 of article IV. of chapter 8 of the City Ordinances, now in force, be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 21. It shall not be lawful for any public cartman, or for any person driving or having charge of any public cart, or any other cart, wagon, or other article, to drive or back any such public cart or other vehicle on to the sidewalk of any of the streets of said city, or to stop any such cart or any other vehicle on any of the crosswalks or intersections of streets, so as to obstruct or hinder the travel along such crosswalks or intersections of streets, or to place any such cart or other vehicles crosswise of any street or wharf of said city, except to load thereon or unload therefrom, or to stop any such cart or vehicle on any sidewalk, except to load or unload articles of a greater weight than two hundred pounds; but in no case shall it be lawful for any person to permit such cart or vehicle to remain so crosswise of any street, wharf, or sidewalk for a longer period than may be actually necessary for such purpose, and not to remain crosswise of any street or sidewalk for a longer period than five minutes; but it shall be lawful for the owner or occupant of any store, warehouse, or building, in any street or avenue in which the rails of any railroad company are laid so close to the curb-stones as to prevent the owner or occupant from keeping any such cart or other vehicle in the carriage-way in front of his place of business, without interference with the passing cars of any such railroad company, to occupy, with such cart or other vehicle, during business hours, so much of the sidewalk as may be necessary for such cart or other vehicle; provided that in all cases referred to in this section sufficient space be retained for the passage of pedestrians between the cart or other vehicle so permitted to occupy such portion of the sidewalk, and the stoop or front of every such store, warehouse, or other building.

Alderman Hawes moved to refer to the Committee on Law Department.

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

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

Affirmative—Aldermen Finck, Fleishbein, Hawes, McAvoy, McClave, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Waite, and Wells—10.

Negative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Fitzpatrick, Hall, Keenan, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, and Strack—11.

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

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

Affirmative—Aldermen Brady, Duffy, Fitzpatrick, Keenan, Kenney, Kirk, Levy, Martin, and Strack—9.

Negative—The President, Aldermen Finck, Fleishbein, Hall, Hawes, McAvoy, McClave, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Waite, and Wells—12.

Alderman Kirk moved a reconsideration of the above vote.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Alderman Waite moved that the resolution be referred to the Committee on Law Department.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Kenney—

Whereas, The heroic and courageous conduct of the Fire Department of this city, as exemplified in the late disaster by fire, resulting in an unnecessary loss of life and property, which occurred on Park row, in the Potter building, and wherein Privates John J. Horan and James E. Nolan (said privates receiving a salary of \$800 per annum, while their companions receive \$1,200), who, at the risk of their lives, performed a most praiseworthy action, in their successful efforts to save the lives of their fellow creatures, thereby deserving the just praise of the citizens of our city; and as, also, there exists an unfair and unjust discrimination in the matter of salaries in said Department, and, therefore, in a just and candid view of all honorable and observing citizens, the noble men who endanger their lives, also sharing equal danger with their better paid comrades, for the welfare and safety of the general public and valuable buildings intrusted to their charge, should be rewarded with an equal recompense, thereby preventing a feeling of jealousy and envy, and at the same time will truly create an enthusiastic and fraternal feeling among the members of an honorable and valuable body of men; and

Whereas, There is not an adequate protection for human life, through the want of proper appliances, and as also there does not exist a sufficient number of men in said Department to aid in the safety and security of the interests of this metropolis; therefore, in the spirit of true economy, any measure tending towards the equalization of salaries, appliances to save life and property, and an increase of the force of the New York Fire Department, as, also, the Police Department of the City of New York, as said Department, on account of the insufficiency of men, without doubt, cannot properly and satisfactorily protect and guard the peace and security of the large population and property involved, should receive our heartfelt sympathy and support; therefore be it

Resolved, That an "Act," as presented by Senator Thomas F. Grady, in the Senate of this State, relating to the subject matter as expressed in the above stated preambles, with the recommendations as added and specified, meets with the indorsement and desire of this Board, and, furthermore, that our feelings as expressed be verified in form, and the same be forwarded to the Senate and Assembly of the State of New York, for their serious consideration and appreciation.

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

By Alderman Fitzpatrick—

Resolved, That G. V. Hecker & Co., Cherry street, and J. H. Hobby, 244 South street, be and they are permitted to back their wagons and trucks across the walks in front of their stores and premises, for the purposes of loading and unloading their goods; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Alderman Kirk moved to add the names of H. B. Claffin & Co., West Broadway and Walker street, and H. K. & F. B. Thurber, West Broadway, Hudson, and Reade streets.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Alderman Martin moved to add the firm of Bates, Reed & Cooley, No. 345 Broadway, corner of Leonard street.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Alderman Waite moved to amend by adding "also all business houses below Fourteenth street, except on Broadway; the permission to be during the pleasure of the Common Council."

Alderman Roosevelt moved to amend the motion of Alderman Waite by striking out the words during the pleasure of the Common Council, and inserting "to be only for one month."

Which was accepted by Alderman Waite.

The President then put the question whether the Board would agree with the resolution of Alderman Fitzpatrick as amended.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Keenan—

Resolved, That the roadway of Ninety-ninth street, from the easterly crosswalk of Third avenue to a line five feet west of and parallel with the west curb of Exterior street, be paved with trap-block pavement, with concrete foundation, extending at the intersecting avenues to a line five feet north of and parallel with the north curb, and five feet south of and parallel with the south curb of said avenues, respectively, where not already paved; and that crosswalks of three courses of blue-stone be laid across said street within the lines of the sidewalks of the intersecting avenues and said Exterior street, and parallel therewith, where not already laid; and that crosswalks of two courses of blue-stone be laid across the intersecting avenues, and adjoining the limits of the above described pavement, where not already laid; also, that curb-stones be set from the easterly and westerly house lines of First avenue, with returns to the northerly and southerly house lines of Ninety-ninth street, where not already set, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

By Alderman Kenney—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to C. Graham & Sons to place and keep a bay-window on the Madison avenue front of the building about to be erected on the southwest corner of Madison avenue and Fifty-eighth street, such bay-window not to project outwardly more than four feet, and to extend to the fourth story of the building, as shown on the annexed diagram, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Fire Department; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Which was referred to the Committee on Fire and Building Departments.

By Alderman Finck—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Ira Perego, of 128 Fulton street and 87 Nassau street, to retain two signs, each about two and a half feet high by eighteen inches wide, in front of his place of business; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Samuel Emmert to suspend sign from awning in front of his premises, No. 163 Reade street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman McAvoy—

Resolved, That Croton water-mains be laid in Twelfth avenue, between One Hundred and Thirtieth and One Hundred and Thirty-third streets, as provided in chapter 381, Laws of 1879.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By the President—

Resolved, That Daniel A. Warren be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Strack—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Brady—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Finck—

Resolved, That Jacob Wallerstein be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Jacob Wallerstein, whose term of office expires February 6, 1882.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Hall—

Resolved, That Forty-third street, from Second to Third avenue, be regulated and graded, curb and gutter stones set, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman McAvoy—

Resolved, That Mathew L. Sutton be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Mathew L. Sutton, whose term of office expires February 19, 1882.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Levy—

Resolved, That James M. Jarvis be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That William L. Pratt be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Martin—

Resolved, That William M. Lyddy be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

(G. O. 71.)

By the President—

Resolved, That the streets west of Eighth avenue, from Sixtieth street to One Hundred and Ninth street (both included), be renumbered, commencing with number one at Eighth avenue, number one hundred at Ninth avenue, and so on to the Hudson river.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Wells—

Resolved, That Croton water-mains be laid in East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, from Courtland avenue to Elton avenue, as provided in chapter 381 of the Laws of 1879, the work to be done under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman McAvoy—

Resolved, That the intersections of Eighty-second street and Ninth and Tenth avenues, extending to a line five feet east of and parallel with the east curb, and five feet west of and parallel with the west curb of Ninth and Tenth avenues, respectively, and to a line five feet north of and parallel with the north curb and five feet south of and parallel with the south curb of Eighty-second

street, be paved with granite-block pavement; also that crosswalks of two courses of blue-stone be laid across the avenues adjoining the limits of the above-described pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

By Alderman Seaman—

Resolved, That permission and the same is hereby given to Geo. Theiss to erect an ornamental lamp in front of his premises, No. 134 East Fourteenth street, work to be done at his own expense and under the direction of the Department of Public Works; said permission to continue during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission and the same is hereby given to Geo. Theiss to lay crosswalk in front of his premises, Nos. 134 and 136 East Fourteenth street, to the opposite side of said street, work to be done at his own expense and under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; said permission to continue during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Alderman McClave, by unanimous consent, called up G. O. 69, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That a ferry be and is hereby established to run from a point at or near the foot of Liberty street, North river, in the City of New York, to and from Communipaw, or to some street or avenue contiguous or adjacent thereto, as the purchaser of the franchise may elect, in Hudson County, State of New Jersey, and the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund are hereby authorized and directed to sell, at public auction, to the highest bidder or bidders, as provided by law, the right to operate the ferry so established, on such terms and conditions and subject to such restrictions and regulations as may be prescribed by said Commissioners.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Brady, Finck, Fleishbein, Hawes, Keenan, Kenney, Martin, McAvoy, McClave, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Strack, Waite, and Wells—15.

Negative—Aldermen Duffy, Fitzpatrick, Kirk, Levy, and Seaman—5.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

By Alderman Fitzpatrick—

Resolved, That Charles R. Logan be, and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Brady—

Resolved, That Julius Levey be and the same be appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Waite—

Resolved, That Carson G. Archibald be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Carson G. Archibald, whose term of office expires February 19, 1882.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Alderman Seaman moved to take from on file a resolution and ordinance to flag, etc., One Hundred and Thirteenth street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the paper was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

REPORTS.

(G. O. 72.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of laying crosswalks in East One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street at Melrose, Courtland, and Railroad avenues, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That crosswalks be laid in East One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and in Melrose avenue, Courtland avenue, and Railroad avenue, east, at the intersections of said street and avenues, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

JAMES L. WELLS, } Committee
FERDINAND LEVY, } on
JOHN MCCLAVE, } Public Works.
PATRICK KEENAN, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 73.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution in favor of laying Croton-mains in One Hundred and Fifth street, from Fourth to Fifth avenue, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That Croton water-pipes be laid in One Hundred and Fifth street, from Fourth to Fifth avenue, as provided in chapter 381, Laws of 1879.

JAMES L. WELLS, } Committee
FERDINAND LEVY, } on
JOHN MCCLAVE, } Public Works.
PATRICK KEENAN, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 74.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of laying Croton-mains in One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, from Third to Courtland avenue, respectfully

REPORT :

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

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

JAMES L. WELLS, } Committee
FERDINAND LEVY, } on
JOHN MCCLAVE, } Public Works.
PATRICK KEENAN, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 75.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of laying Croton-mains in Sixth avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-fourth and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth streets, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That Croton water-mains be laid on the west side of Sixth avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-fourth and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth streets, as provided in chapter 381 of the Laws of 1879.

JAMES L. WELLS, } Committee
FERDINAND LEVY, } on
JOHN MCCLAVE, } Public Works.
PATRICK KEENAN, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 76.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of laying Croton-mains in Eighty-seventh street, from Eighth to Tenth avenue, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That Croton water-pipes be laid in Eighty-seventh street, from the Eighth to the Tenth avenue, as provided in chapter 381, Laws of 1879.

JAMES L. WELLS, } Committee
FERDINAND LEVY, } on
JOHN MCCLAVE, } Public Works.
PATRICK KEENAN, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 77.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, from Willis to Brook avenue, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That East One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, between the easterly curb-line of Willis avenue and the westerly curb-line of Brook avenue, be regulated and graded, the sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide where not heretofore flagged, and that curb and gutter stones be set where not heretofore set, within the aforesaid limits, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

JAMES L. WELLS, } Committee
FERDINAND LEVY, } on
JOHN MCCLAVE, } Public Works.
PATRICK KEENAN, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 78.)

The Committee on Streets and Street Pavements, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of paving One Hundred and Twenty-second street, between Third and Fourth avenues, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the accompanying resolution and ordinance be adopted, in lieu of the resolution referred to the Committee.

Resolved, That the carriage-way of One Hundred and Twenty-second street, from the westerly crosswalk of Third avenue to the easterly crosswalk of Fourth avenue, be paved with Belgian or trap-block pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 79.)

The Committee on Streets and Street Pavements, to whom was referred the annexed petition in favor of paving One Hundred and Twenty-second street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue, with granite-block pavement, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That the carriageway of One Hundred and Twenty-second street, from the westerly crosswalk of Sixth avenue to the easterly crosswalk of Seventh avenue, be paved with granite block pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 80.)

The Committee on Streets and Street Pavements, to whom was referred the annexed petition in favor of flagging, etc., One Hundred and Fifth street, from Third to Fourth avenue, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That the sidewalks on both sides of One Hundred and Fifth street, from the westerly side of Third avenue to the easterly side of Fourth avenue, be curbed, guttered, and flagged four feet wide, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 81.)

The Committee on Law Department, to whom was referred the annexed petition of the Mount Sinai Hospital for exemption from the payment of Croton-water rates, respectfully

REPORT :

That they have considered the same. They find that said petition was before the Board of Aldermen in 1880, when it was referred to the Committee on Public Works, which Committee in a report hereto annexed recommended the adoption of a resolution granting such exemption. Said report was laid over and no further action was taken on it.

The Committee on Law Department therefore report the resolution in said report contained to the Board for its action, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

J. W. HAWES, } Committee on
FERDINAND LEVY, } Law Department.

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed petition of the President and Vice-President of the Board of Managers of the Mount Sinai Hospital, asking the Common Council, on behalf of said institution, to pass a resolution to exempt the hospital buildings from the payment of taxes for Croton water, respectfully

REPORT :

That, in examining the claims of the managers of said hospital, the Committee have learned the following facts: That from the time of its organization to the present date, the said hospital has been maintained by voluntary contributions from its members and patrons.

That their buildings have been erected and furnished at a cost exceeding the sum of three hundred thousand dollars, all of which was obtained by voluntary subscription.

That the total number of patients treated gratuitously during the year was thirteen hundred and ninety-nine (1,399).

That the number of hospital days in which patients were treated gratuitously amounts to forty thousand eight hundred and twelve.

That in connection with the hospital is a dispensary in which twenty-one thousand eight hundred and nine (21,809) patients were treated gratuitously, and twenty-one thousand four hundred and sixty-nine (21,469) prescriptions were gratuitously supplied.

That the entire work of the dispensary in furnishing medical aid and medicines to all applicants is entirely gratuitous.

That all the patients in the wards of the hospital have been treated without pay or charge, and that, unlike most of our private city hospitals, no revenue whatever is derived from their patients, either from those treated in-door in the hospital or in the dispensary. That all the revenue received from patients is that received from the letting of a few private rooms to persons who desire to avail themselves of the benefit of hospital treatment, and who voluntarily offer to pay for the privilege of occupying private apartments.

That the entire number of this class of patients has been less than five per cent. of the total number receiving medical treatment, showing the operations of the institution to be supported almost exclusively by voluntary subscription.

That the hospital extends treatment to all, irrespective of nationality or creed.

That the petitioners have never applied for pecuniary aid from the city since the hospital was first established, and have never received any, excepting the occasional appropriation of a portion of the Excise Fund.

That the amount of receipts from members, together with the interest derived from a permanent fund, is not sufficient to keep up and maintain the hospital, without relying upon a variable income dependent entirely upon persons charitably disposed, and an increasing roll of membership.

Your Committee, in view of the fact that this hospital relieves thousands of persons who would otherwise become burdens upon the City Treasury, by throwing their maintenance and relief upon our now overcrowded public institutions, have concluded to recommend that the prayer of the petitioners be granted, and accordingly submit for adoption the following resolution:

Resolved, That the buildings used and occupied by the Trustees and Managers of the Mount Sinai Hospital, in the City of New York, viz.: situated on Lexington avenue, Sixty-sixth and Sixty-seventh streets, be and they are hereby exempted from the payment of all taxes or rents for the use of the Croton water on the premises above specified.

BERNARD KENNEY, } Committee
HENRY HAFFEN, } on
THOMAS SHEILS, } Public Works.

Which was laid over.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS.

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

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, }
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, February 4, 1882. }

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

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

Title of Appropriations.	Am t of Appropriations.	Payments.
City Contingencies.....	\$1,000 00	.....
Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council.....	250 00	.....
Salaries—Common Council.....	63,000 00	\$5,235 64

RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Public Administrator:

LAW DEPARTMENT, }
BUREAU OF THE PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR, }
NEW YORK, February 1, 1882. }

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Pursuant to chapter 4, article III., section 24, of the Ordinances of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, of January 1, 1881, the undersigned hereby reports a transcript of such of his accounts as have been closed or finally settled, and of those on which any money has been received by him as part of the proceeds of any estate on which he has administered since the date of his last report.

Respectfully,

ALGERNON S. SULLIVAN, Public Administrator.

A transcript of such of his accounts as have been closed or finally settled since the date of his last report.

NAME OF DECEASED.	Date of Final Decree.	Total Amount Received.	Total Amount paid for Funeral Expenses, Expenses of Administration, and Claims of Creditors.	Commissions paid into the City Treasury.	Amount paid to Legatees or Next of Kin.	Amount paid into City Treasury for Unknown Next of Kin.
James Laurie.....	1882, Jan. 13	\$4,711 06	\$28 45	\$10 28	\$4,502 33	.....
Victor Daguene.....	" 13	139 89	24 93	6 99	107 97	.....
*Theodore Gentil.....	" 17	217,930 95	6,281 60	5,471 97	34,632 53	.....
Nicolaus Lautenbach.....	" 18	301 57	28 65	15 08	257 84	.....
August Bauer.....	" 18	255 26	28 65	12 76	213 85	.....

* Balance of the estate, consisting of bonds, stocks, and other securities, was paid to the attorney in fact of the next of kin, except forty thousand dollars' worth securities which are retained by order of Court.

A statement of the title of any estate on which any money has been received since the date of the last report.

NAME OF DECEASED.	DATE.	Total Amount Received.	NAME OF DECEASED.	DATE.	Total Amount Received.
Robert Rogers.....	Jan. 5, 1882	\$33 50	Anna Mills.....	Jan. 27, 1882	\$434 21
Frederick Ramig.....	" 11, "	19 92	Eliza Ford.....	" 27, "	10 02
Gustav Nehring.....	" 20, "	1,185 24	Thomas McNab.....	" 27, "	103 27
Louisa Groll.....	" 20, "	174 45	Gustave Nehring.....	" 27, "	424 48
Heinrich E. W. Boecker.....	" 20, "	143 04	Theodore Gentil.....	" 30, "	1,553 05
Catharine Clar.....	" 20, "	120 38	Louis T. Voight.....	" 30, "	1,565 66
Eliza O. Maher.....	" 20, "	91 86	Ann E. Lindsay.....	" 30, "	7 50
Arthur Carman.....	" 20, "	201 50	Augusta Peterson.....	" 30, "	25 25
Ann Mooney.....	" 21, "	935 86	William W. Finley.....	" 30, "	7 68
George H. Wheelock.....	" 26, "	200 75	Juan Font.....	" 30, "	9 63
Jean Le Coz.....	" 27, "	418 01			

ALGERNON S. SULLIVAN, Public Administrator.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the County Clerk:

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE, NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, }
NEW YORK, February 1, 1882. }

Hon. WILLIAM SAUER, President of the Board of Aldermen:

SIR—Herewith please find list of names of Commissioners of Deeds whose term of office expire during the month of February, 1882:

Name	Term Expires.
Carson G. Archibald.....	February 19, 1882.
Edward A. Carland.....	" 6, "
Lemuel Crawford.....	" 19, "
Perkins Cleveland.....	" 19, "
George Dowdell.....	" 14, "
Joseph Farrell.....	" 16, "
Andrew J. Gillen.....	" 14, "
John H. Grimes.....	" 14, "
Samuel Goldsticker.....	" 19, "
Ole H. Holberg.....	" 14, "
Emil A. Kliebe.....	" 12, "
Peter McCullough.....	" 19, "
Henry A. S. Martin.....	" 4, "
Louis Pohl.....	" 14, "
Louis Roos.....	" 14, "
Matthew L. Sutton.....	" 19, "
William H. Salter.....	" 28, "
John Simerad.....	" 28, "
Jacob Wallerstein.....	" 6, "
Harris Wines, Jr.....	" 28, "

Very respectfully yours,

WM. A. BUTLER, Clerk.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, January 25, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I herewith transmit an account of the expenses and receipts of the Mayor's Office and Bureau of Permits during the three months ending December 31, 1881, together with a statement in detail of the amounts paid for salaries to clerks and subordinates in said Office and Bureau, and the general nature of their duties in the same period.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, January 25, 1882.

Statement in detail of the Amounts paid for Salaries to Clerks and Subordinates in the Mayor's Office and Bureau of Permits, for the Quarter ending December 31, 1881.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

Wm. M. Ivins, Secretary and Chief Clerk.....	\$1,050 00
Chas. G. Crocker, Clerk.....	300 00
Chas. H. Woodman, Clerk.....	300 00

Wm. E. Parsons, Clerk.....	\$198 91
Michael W. Brown, Messenger.....	249 99
Charles Reilly, First Marshal.....	147 84
George A. McDermott, Law Clerk.....	399 99
Herman Schroeter, Second Marshal.....	250 00
Louis Kneiss, Second Marshal.....	125 00
Thomas B. Jones, Clerk.....	249 99
Jeremiah O'Brien, ".....	249 99
Charles W. McCusker, Clerk.....	51 08

\$3,572 79

PERMIT BUREAU.

Henry Woltman, Register.....	\$600 00
David S. White, Clerk.....	375 00
P. H. Ganlon, ".....	249 99
C. M. Roth, ".....	199 98
Patrick Ryan, ".....	199 98
James P. Burns, Inspector.....	199 98
Bernard Neis, ".....	199 98
Nicholas J. Hayes, Temporary Inspector.....	199 98
F. V. B. Kennedy, ".....	199 98

2,424 87

Salaries of Keeper of Dog Pound and his Assistants, for October.....

\$5,997 66

232 00

\$6,229 66

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, January 25, 1882.

Statement of Receipts of the Mayor's Office, from Places of Amusements for License Fees, Theatrical, etc., and paid to the Treasurer of the Society for the Reformation of Juvenile Delinquents of the City of New York, for Three Months ending December 31, 1881.

Atlantic Garden.....	\$150 00
Liverpool Varieties.....	150 00
Tony Pastor's "New" Fourteenth street.....	250 00
Worth's Museum.....	150 00
Pacific Garden.....	150 00
Terrace Garden.....	150 00
Bowery Theatre.....	150 00
Vercelli Theatre.....	150 00
Globe Dime Museum.....	150 00
Metropolitan Casino.....	500 00
Lyric Hall.....	150 00
Equine Paradox, "Thirty-fifth street".....	150 00
London Theatre.....	150 00
Steinway Hall.....	150 00
Koster & Bial's.....	150 00
Theiss House.....	150 00
Bowery Varieties.....	150 00
Harry Miner's, "Eighth avenue".....	250 00
Turn Hall.....	150 00
Prospect Hall.....	150 00
New American Museum.....	150 00

\$3,700 00

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, January 25, 1882.

Statement of Receipts of the Bureau of Permits for Stands, etc., and paid to the City Chamberlain, for the Quarter ending December 31, 1881.

For different privileges granted.....	\$2,743 00
Permits for dogs—	
52 new permits, at \$2 each.....	\$104 00
9 renewal permits, at \$1 each.....	9 00
	113 00
	\$2,856 00

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, January 25, 1882.

Statement of Receipts of the Mayor's Marshal's Office, and paid to the City Chamberlain, for Licenses, etc., for the Quarter ending December 31, 1881.

For account of the City Treasury.....	\$16,486 25
For account of the Sinking Fund.....	875 00
	\$17,361 25

Which was ordered on file.

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, February 4, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted January 31, 1882, directing that Eighty-second street, from Eighth avenue to the Boulevard, be paved, for the reason that the gas-mains are not laid, and unless it is a public necessity, it would be well to delay the paving as long as possible, as in making house connections the pavement would be unavoidably injured.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That the roadway of Eighty-second street, from the west crosswalk of Eighth avenue to the pavement heretofore laid at the intersection of the Boulevard and extending at the several intersecting avenues, from a line five feet north of and parallel with the north curb of Eighty-second street to a line five feet south of and parallel with the south curb of Eighty-second street, be paved with Belgian or trap-block pavement, except that crosswalks of three courses of blue-stone be laid on the east side of the Boulevard and on both sides of the intersecting avenues, where not already laid, across Eighty-second street within the lines of the sidewalks of said avenues or Boulevard and parallel therewith, also that two crosswalks of blue-stone be laid at the intersecting avenues adjoining the above-described pavement; under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance thereto be adopted.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, February 4, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted January 31, 1882, giving permission to Giuseppe Logomarsino to retain a stand corner of Cortlandt and New Church streets, for the reason that Mr. Ward, who occupies the premises in front of which this stand is located, strongly objects to the privilege being granted.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Giuseppe Logomarsino to retain a small stand on the southwest corner of Cortlandt and New Church streets, he having obtained the consent of the occupant of the said premises; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, February 4, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted January 31, 1882, giving permission to Joseph Dixon to retain sign in front No. 585 Third avenue, for the reason that signs extending from house to curb are considered dangerous.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Joseph Dixon to retain a sign in front of No. 535 Third avenue; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, February 4, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted January 31, 1882, giving permission to George Casey to keep a watering-trough on the west side of Avenue A, near Ninety-second street, for the reason that a similar resolution was approved by the Mayor, June 23, 1881.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to George Casey to place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk in front of his premises on Avenue A, west side, twenty feet north of Ninety-second street, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, February 4, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted January 31, 1882, directing that One Hundred and Twenty-third street be paved from First to Second avenue, for the reason that the resolution is not in proper form.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That the carriageway of One Hundred and Twenty-third street, from the west crosswalk at First avenue to the east crosswalk at Second avenue, be paved with Belgian pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, February 4, 1882.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted January 24, 1882, directing water-pipes to be laid in Lexington avenue, from One Hundred and Fifth to One Hundred and Tenth street, for the reason that this ground is covered by General Order No. 22, which has been approved by the Mayor.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That Croton water-pipes be laid in Lexington avenue, from One Hundred and Fifth to One Hundred and Tenth street, as provided in chapter 381, Laws of 1879.

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

UNFINISHED BUSINESS RESUMED.

Alderman Wells, by unanimous consent, called up G. O. 50, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Whereas, A certain resolution of the Board of Aldermen heretofore passed by this Board on behalf of the corporate authorities of the City of New York, giving the consent of such corporate authorities to the routes adopted by the Commission on Rapid Transit, as contained in the report of said commission transmitted to the Board of Aldermen October 28, 1881, was returned to this Board without the approval of the Mayor, for the reason that no provision was made for compensation to the city for the franchises which would accrue to the company or corporation to be organized for the purpose of operating a steam railway upon and along the routes described in the said report of the said Rapid Transit Commissioners; be it therefore

Resolved, That the consent of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York be and is hereby granted for the location of the routes of such steam railway as set forth in the said report of the said Board of Rapid Transit Commissioners, upon condition, however, that the company or corporation which shall come into possession of the franchises for operating a steam railway along and upon the said routes shall annually pay to the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York a sum equivalent to five per cent. of all dividends paid during such year by the said company or corporation upon its capital stock, and that such company or corporation shall, before entering upon the construction of any line of railroad along or upon such routes, enter into an undertaking or obligation with the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York to make such annual payments as aforesaid.

Alderman Fitzpatrick moved to amend by striking out the words "all dividends paid," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "the profits."

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

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

Affirmative—Aldermen Brady, Fitzpatrick, Martin, Kenny, McAvoy, and Strack—6.
Negative—The President, Aldermen Duffy, Finck, Fleishbein, Hawes, Kirk, Levy, McClave, O'Neil, Roosevelt, Seaman, Waite, and Wells—13.

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

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

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

Alderman McClave, by unanimous consent, called up G. O. 51, being a resolution and ordinance as follows:

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of section 91, article 16, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks be and are hereby authorized and empowered to procure, in open market, and without contract, an elephant for the use of and to be added to the zoological collection of the department, at a cost not exceeding two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500), and to be paid for out of the appropriation made for "Zoological Department" for 1882.

Which was laid over.

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

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

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

Alderman Martin, by unanimous consent, called up veto message of his Honor the Mayor of resolutions, as follows:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Francis P. Doyle to place a pyramidal sign in front of No. 400 Third avenue, the said sign to be four feet high and fourteen inches at the base; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to L. Reich to retain the sign now on the sidewalk in front of premises No. 13 West Eleventh street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The Board then, as provided in section 13 of chapter 335, Laws of 1873, proceeded to reconsider the same, and, upon a vote being taken thereon, was adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, as follows:

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

Alderman Kirk, by unanimous consent, called up veto message of his Honor the Mayor of resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William Dodd to retain the sign now across the sidewalk in front of No. 21 New Chambers street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The Board then, as provided in section 13 of chapter 335, Laws of 1873, proceeded to reconsider the same, and, upon a vote being taken thereon, was adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, as follows, viz.:

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

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

By the President—

Resolved, That the resolution approved by his Honor the Mayor, appointing John E. Corr a Commissioner of Deeds, be corrected so as to read Joseph E. Corr.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Alderman Waite moved that the Board do now adjourn.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the President announced that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday, the 14th instant, at 12 o'clock, M.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Counsel to the Corporation, for the week ending January 21, 1882.

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.

The Pacific Mail Steamship Company agst. The Mayor, etc., New York, and M. T. McMahon, Receiver of Taxes (No. 1)—To restrain collection and to set aside taxes of 1881.
The Pacific Mail Steamship Company agst. The Mayor, etc., New York, and M. T. McMahon, Receiver of Taxes (No. 2)—To restrain collection and to set aside taxes of 1880.
People, ex rel. James Flanagan, against the Board of Police of the Police Department of the City of New York—Certiorari to review removal of relator, a patrolman, from the force.
Hannah E. Brown, in her own right and as executrix, against Charles G. Waterbury, and the Mayor, etc., New York.
In the matter of opening of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, etc.—Petition of Sarah Anna Goss for an award made to unknown owners.
The Mayor, etc., New York, against Sidney P. Nichols and Jonathan A. Frazee—Suit on bond \$2,500.
People, ex rel. Michael Sexton, vs. Hubert O. Thompson, Commissioner of Public Works, and John H. Chambers, Register, etc.—Mandamus to compel granting of permit.
In re petition of Sarah M. Acker—To vacate certain sales for certain unpaid assessment.
Thomas Barry—To recover an award made in the matter of opening One Hundred and Thirty-eighth, etc., streets, in Twenty-third Ward, \$1,378.
Mary Ball—To recover an award made in the matter of opening One Hundred and Thirty-eighth, etc., streets, in Twenty-third Ward, \$521.
Thomas Ball—To recover an award made in the matter of opening One Hundred and Thirty-eighth, etc., streets, in Twenty-third Ward, \$595.

COMMON PLEAS.

Margaret Kiernon—Summons only served.
John Darrow and ano. against James Downing, James Elder, Jr., and the Mayor, etc., of City of New York—To foreclose lien for material furnished defendants, Downing & Elder, \$52.90.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Joaquin M. Agtiero—Damages for alleged personal injuries, falling on ice on sidewalk in front of No. 218 Pearl street, \$10,000.
Catharine Nolan—Damages for alleged personal injuries, falling on ice on sidewalk at northeast corner Lexington avenue and Seventy-third street, January 31, 1881, \$10,000.

MARINE COURT.

Patrick Butler against Joseph Murphy and George Boland—Damages for alleged false arrest and imprisonment.
The Mayor, etc., N. Y., against Edward N. Sprague, tenant, and Thomas Shea, undertenant. To dispossess from 1145 Third avenue.

UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT.

Edward A. Smith against the Mayor, etc., of New York, Jacob Vanderpoel, Wm. Laimbeer, and John R. Voorhees, composing the Board of the Department of Docks of the City of New York—To restrain interference with right of complainant, bulkhead at West Twenty-sixth street.
Henry K. S. Williams against the Mayor, etc., of New York, Jacob Vanderpoel, Wm. Laimbeer, and John R. Voorhees, composing the Board of the Department of Docks of the City of New York—To restrain interference with right of complainant, bulkhead at West Twenty-sixth street.
Writ of subpoena served.

SCHEDULE "B."

JUDGMENTS ENTERED AND ORDERS OF THE GENERAL AND SPECIAL TERMS.

Laffin & Rand Powder Company vs. James Devlin and the Mayor, etc., New York—Order discontinuing action, without costs, entered.
Mayor, etc., of New York vs. Sidney P. Nichols—Order discontinuing action, without costs, entered.
Wesley C. Miller against James H. Ingersoll, Michael Norton, and Thomas Cowan, Commissioners of the New York County Court-house—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$4,206.67.
(People, ex rel.) Metropolitan Steamship Company vs. Tax Commissioners and Board of Aldermen—Order entered discontinuing proceeding, without costs.
Charles G. Waterbury (1)—Order entered discontinuing action, without costs.
Charles G. Waterbury (2)—Order entered discontinuing action, without costs.
Shepherd's Fold of the Protestant Episcopal Church in State New York—Judgment of affirmance in favor of the city entered, and directing new trial as to tax of 1877; cost to the city to abide the event.
Caroline S. Thayer—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$604.85.
In re Lambert Suydam, Fifty-seventh street flagging—Order to vacate assessment entered.
Thomas A. Davies—Judgment entered dismissing complaint and for \$67 costs, etc.
Louis Bender vs. Thomas Stephenson—Order entered discontinuing action, without costs.
Peter Lagrassa vs. John Johnston and Martin V. B. Duval—Order entered discontinuing action, without costs.
In re Peter Cooper—Order entered to vacate sale.
In re George M. Boyd, One Hundred and Sixteenth street regulating, etc.—Order entered to vacate assessment.
Mayor, etc., vs. Welhelmina Kilian et al.—Judgment entered in favor of the city against defendant Kilian for \$1,414.72, and in favor of defendants Eichler and Stahl against the city for \$132.76, costs, etc.
Alexander J. Howell—Order entered discontinuing action, without costs.
Bowery National Bank—Order entered discontinuing action, without costs.
Hannah E. Brown vs. Waterbury, etc.—Order entered discontinuing action, without costs.
James W. Mills—Order entered discontinuing action, without costs.
James L. Harway—Order entered discontinuing action, without costs.

SCHEDULE "C."

Mary Ann Kennedy—Tried before Arnoux, J., and jury; verdict for the City.
Patrick Guilfoyle—Tried before Sedgwick, J.; decision reserved.
John Malloy—Tried before Sedgwick, J.; decision reserved.
James Byrns—Tried before Sedgwick, J.; decision reserved.
Isaac Lunney—Argued at General Term; decision reserved.
In re John Paine—Argued at General Term; decision reserved.
In re J. Barclay, Bloomingdale Road—Argued at General Term; decision reserved.

WM. C. WHITNEY, Counsel to the Corporation.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, }
NEW YORK, January 31, 1882.

The Board met this day.

Reports.

From the Sanitary Superintendent: On operations of the Sanitary Bureau; on contagious diseases; on slaughter-houses; on work performed by the Sanitary Company of Police; on work performed by the Milk Inspectors; weekly report from Riverside Hospital; on work of the Night Medical Service, from September 1, 1880, to December 31, 1881; on application for permits; on condition of Grammar and Primary School No. 18, 121 East Fifty-first street; on applications for relief from certain orders.

From the Attorney and Counsel: Weekly report.

From the Register of Records: Weekly letter; weekly mortuary statement; weekly abstract of births, still-births and marriages; weekly abstract of deaths; on violations of section 161, Sanitary Code.

Communications from other Departments.

From the Department of Finance: Comptroller's weekly statement.
From the Department of Public Works: In respect to bad condition of sewer in New Church street.

Bills Audited.

Eimer & Amend.....	\$31 89	C. W. Klappert's Sons.....	\$408 33
J. B. Purroy.....	166 66	Gerald McKenny.....	108 60
Wm. Anderson.....	35 25	Thos. F. White, assignee.....	3,000 00
Pay-roll, Commissioners, Officers, and Employees.....			\$12,114 00
Pay-roll, Small-pox Hospital.....			832 29

Permits Granted.

To keep a lodging-house at 124 New Church street, second floor.
" " 189 Mott street.
" " 20 Bowery.
" " 91 Suffolk street.
" " 79 Delancey street.
" " 204 and 206 Chatham street.
" " 124 New Church street, first floor.
" " 75 Washington street.

Permits Denied.

To keep four fowls at 752 Second avenue.
" " 1413 Second avenue.

Permits Revoked.

No. 178c. To keep six chickens at

Resolutions.

Resolved, That a copy of the report of Assistant Sanitary Engineer Golden upon the condition of Grammar and Primary School No. 18, at 121 East Fifty-first street, be forwarded to the Board of Education for the necessary action.

Resolved, That the application for relief from order No. 23312, on premises No. 236 Spring street, be and is hereby denied, and the Sanitary Superintendent directed to enforce the same.

Resolved, That order No. 16206, on premises 194 Elizabeth street, be and is hereby extended until March 15, 1882.

Resolved, That order No. 144, on premises No. 1 West Thirty-ninth street, be modified so as to permit the use of the sink and basin on the third floor, and the old brick drain removed and an iron pipe substituted therefor.

Resolved, That the Register of Records be and is hereby authorized to record the following births and marriages:

Edward Hirtz, born September 27, 1881.
Harry Vogel, born August 27, 1881.
William Pool and Susan Ann Egbert, October 25, 1881.
Resolved, That the Register of Records be and is hereby authorized and directed to amend the record of deaths, as follows:

Bianca Wilhelmina Bergheimer, died October 31, 1881, instead of Blanche Wilhelmina Bergheimer, the same being a clerical error.

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

Charles H. Earle and Ida L. Connor, December 29, 1880.
Wm. Turnbull, Jr., and Delia Syers, July 31, 1881.
Smith B. Keach and Nettie B. King, July 29, 1881.
John E. Davis and Hattie Rees, June 18, 1881.
Wm. F. Murphy and Charlotte Patterson, July 9, 1881.
Wm. F. Rumble and Elizabeth Whitley, June 29, 1881.
Alfred E. Fountain, Jr., and Sarah C. Robinson, June 14, 1881.
Andrew Fash and Anna E. Wallace, May 29, 1881.
Allan Speight and Mary E. Hollender, April 19, 1881.
Charles E. Harvey and Mary F. Probst, June 2, 1881.
James M. Dewey and Emma F. Harrison, July 7, 1881.
Charles H. Benedict and Josephine Wines, April 5, 1881.
Joseph W. Tauturn and Martha Losey, April 7, 1881.
John Wesley Walker and Charles Etta Tuttle, September 30, 1881.
Aloys Meisel and Emily M. Mowbray, October 2, 1881.
Eugene F. Smith and Maggie L. Meeker, October 5, 1881.
William R. Porter and Mary E. Jones, May 9, 1881.
Wm. P. McGinn and Miranda J. Ipseer, May 7, 1881.
Augustus F. Asher and Catherine Lucy Blake, April 20, 1881.
James H. Paine and Matilda Hartman, May 13, 1881.
Fred'k S. Adams and Julia Josephine Gilmarin, March 1, 1881.
Wm. C. Eddy and Hattie E. Goodnough, February 18, 1881.
Lewis J. Eisenprice and Nellie Mahon, February 3, 1881.
Augustus D. Robinson and Adelaide D. Mott, January 22, 1881.
Edward Tompkins and Florence Addie Wyman, July 27, 1881.
Eugene Fred. Westcott and Bessie Lyon Peck, September 25, 1881.
Wallace G. Parkin and Elizabeth W. Foley, September 22, 1881.
James C. Vello and Mary F. Levings, September 20, 1881.
Frank Varian and Jessie E. Webb, August 31, 1881.
Fred'k Guttenberg and Virginia Bowen, August 29, 1881.
Alfred Van Nostrand and Hetty Byard Huton, October 6, 1881.
George J. Brietell and Sarah L. Green, August 1, 1881.
Charles Jandon and Emily C. Avery, August 15, 1881.
Wm. R. Isaacs and Mary A. Mooney, August 29, 1881.
Robert M. Hollack and Mary Stari, August 1, 1881.
Chas. T. Albrow and Lucy M. Davids, November 30, 1881.
Richard B. Wright and Barbara E. Ford, March 26, 1881.
Wm. McVay and Martha Greer, November 28, 1881.
Fred'k W. Matthews and Minnie R. Reinert, November 20, 1881.

Resolved, That order 17699 (Series 1881), on premises 325 West Forty-fifth street, be and is hereby rescinded.

Resolved, That the Attorney be and is hereby authorized and directed to suspend suit 1809 on premises No. 1065 Second avenue.

Resolved, That Thomas Handy be and is hereby employed temporarily as messenger in the Vaccination Bureau, with salary at the rate of \$25 per month.

Resolved, That the following named persons be and are hereby appointed Assistant Sanitary Inspectors, temporarily, with a salary at the rate of \$100 per month, and assigned to duty in the vaccinating corps:

Matthew D. Field,	John N. Gibbs,
John R. Hobbie,	J. Varnum Mott,
R. H. Voorhee,	Cyrus Edson.
A. P. Maragliano.	

Resolved, That in view of the limited resources of this Department for providing free vaccination, it is inexpedient, at present, for its officers to perform vaccination in private families who have not been recently exposed to contagion.

Resolved, That gratuitous vaccination be continued at Room 38, No. 301 Mott street, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 5 P. M., and on Sundays from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Resolved, That leave of absence of one week be and is hereby granted to Sanitary Inspector Russel, from January 30.

The Secretary presented rules for the government of the Sanitary Engineers, which were approved and adopted.

An application from David Morgan, for relief from orders on premises 1480 to 1490 Second avenue, was received and referred to the Sanitary Superintendent.

An application from Edward S. Hatch, for relief from order 903 on premises 783 Greenwich street, was received and referred to the Sanitary Superintendent.

An application from B. Schieffelin, for permission to reopen Simloh Shelter as a lodging-house, corner Prince and Marion streets, was received and referred to the Sanitary Superintendent.

An application from Mary Cutto, for relief from order on premises 1065 Second avenue, was received and referred to the Sanitary Superintendent.

Action of the Board on Tenement-house Plans.

Resolved, That the following plans for light and ventilation of tenement-houses be and are hereby approved upon the conditions specified in the several permits granted:

Plan No. 1322, for one six-story tenement, 27 feet 3 inches by 66 feet, on a lot 27 feet 3 inches by 87 feet 6 inches, at No. 28 Lighthouse street, to be occupied by 24 families.

Plan No. 1323, for one six-story tenement, 27 feet 3 inches by 66 feet, on a lot 27 feet 3 inches by 87 feet 6 inches, at No. 7 Vestry street, to be occupied by twenty-four families.

Plan No. 1324, for one four-story tenement, 20 feet by 85 feet 5 inches, on a lot 20 feet by 100 feet 5 inches, on the north side of Forty-fifth street, 100 feet west of Third avenue, to be occupied by four families.

Plan No. 1325 for four five-story tenements, each 25 feet by 80 feet, on lots 25 feet by 97 feet, on the south side of Sixth street, beginning 105 feet west of Second avenue, to be occupied by ten families.

Plan No. 1326, for two five-story tenements, one 50 feet by 73 and the other 56 feet by 47 feet, on lots of the same dimensions respectively, fronting on Hester, Suffolk, and Division streets, to be occupied by twenty-four families.

Plan No. 1327 for three four-story tenements, each 30 feet by 67 feet, on lots 30 feet by 100 feet 11 inches, on the south side of One Hundred and Twenty-first street, 162 feet west of First avenue, each to be occupied by eight families.

Plan No. 1328, for one five-story tenement 25 feet by 78 feet, on a lot 25 feet by 98 feet 9 inches, at No. 312 East Thirty-fifth street, to be occupied by twenty families.

Plan No. 1331, for five five-story tenements of irregular dimensions, on a plot of ground 50 feet by 100 feet, on the southwest corner of Walker street and Baxter street, to be occupied by four and eight families respectively.

Plan No. 1332, for two five-story tenements, each 32 feet front, 20 feet rear, and 85 feet deep, on lots 32 feet by 100 feet, on the west side of Third avenue, 75 feet 8 inches north of One Hundred and Fourteenth street, each to be occupied by nine families.

Plans Disapproved.

Resolved, That the following plans for light and ventilation of tenement-houses be and are hereby disapproved.

Plan No. 1320, for four tenements, proposed to be built on the south side of Seventieth street.

Plan No. 1321, for one ten-story tenement, proposed to be built on the northeast corner of Madison avenue and Thirtieth street.

Plan No. 1329, for one five-story tenement, proposed to be built on the north side of Thirty-fourth street, 70 feet west of First avenue.

Plan No. 1330, for two five-story tenements, proposed to be built on First avenue, beginning on the northwest corner of Thirty-fourth street.

Plan No. 1333, for one five-story tenement, on the south side of Eighth street, 55 feet east of First avenue, proposed to be altered; and

Plan No. 1334, for five five-story tenements, proposed to be built on the north side of Seventy-third street, 150 feet west of First avenue.

The weekly report of inspections of tenement-houses in course of construction, was received and ordered on file.

Plumbing and Drainage of New Houses.

Resolved, That plans for the plumbing and drainage of new houses be and are hereby approved as follows:

Plan No. 123, one tenement, on the north side of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, 150 feet east of Avenue A; conditionally.

Plan No. 124, one warehouse, north side of Franklin street, from West Broadway to Varick street; conditionally.

Plan No. 125, three dwellings, north side of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, 375 feet west of Seventh avenue.

Plan No. 126, one dwelling, southeast corner Ninety-ninth street and First avenue.

Plan No. 127, three tenements, east side of First avenue, 51 feet south of Seventy-third street.

Plan No. 128, one dwelling, west side of Kingsbridge avenue, 162 feet north of N. Y. C. R. R. track.

Plan No. 129, one tenement, south side of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, 165 feet east of Third avenue; conditionally.

Plan No. 130, one dwelling, west side of Kingsbridge avenue, 162 feet north of N. Y. C. R. R. track.

Plan No. 132, one store-house, southeast corner of One Hundred and Twenty-first street and Third avenue; conditionally.

Plan No. 133, three tenements, south side of One Hundred and Third street, 205 feet east of Third avenue.

Plan No. 135, six dwellings, south side of One Hundred and Twenty-first street, 100 feet east of Madison avenue; and

Plan No. 135, four tenements, south side of Sixty-third street, 250 feet east of Second avenue; conditionally.

Weekly reports of Assistant Sanitary Engineers on the plumbing and drainage of houses in course of construction, were received and ordered on file.

Sanitary Bureau.

The following is a record of the work performed in the Sanitary Bureau for the week ending January 28, 1882:

The total number of inspections made by the Sanitary and Assistant Sanitary Inspectors was 1,532, as follows, viz.: 1 public building, 544 tenement-houses, 105 private dwellings, 58 other dwellings, 13 manufactories and workshops, 13 stores and warehouses, 17 stables, 44 slaughter-houses, 17 lodging-houses, 8 sunken and vacant lots, 84 yards, courts, and areas, 124 cellars and basements, 232 waste-pipes and drains, 233 privies and water-closets, 15 streets, gutters and sidewalks, 5 dangerous stairways, 9 smoky chimneys, 2 cesspools, and 8 other nuisances.

The number of reports thereon received from the Inspectors was 454.

During the past week 159 complaints were received from citizens and referred to the Sanitary and Assistant Sanitary Inspectors for investigation and report.

Permits were issued to the consignees of 39 vessels to discharge cargoes, on vouchers from the Health Officer of the Port.

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

The Disinfecting Corps have visited 314 premises where contagious diseases were found, and have disinfected and fumigated 247 houses, 247 privy sinks, together with clothing, bedding, etc.

57 cases of contagious disease were removed to the hospital by the Ambulance Corps.

Bureau of Vital Statistics.

The certificates of 531 births, 29 still-births, 169 marriages, and 802 deaths, reported to have taken place in this city, were received by this Bureau during the week ending Saturday, January 28, 1882; this shows an increase of 30 births and a decrease of 22 still-births, 69 marriages, and 15 deaths, when compared with the number received during the preceding week, but when compared with the corresponding week of the year 1881, there was a decrease of 48 births, 18 still-births, and 1 marriage, and an increase of 95 deaths. Compared with the mortality reported during the preceding week, the deaths from measles decreased 5; diphtheria, 23; whooping cough, 4; erysipelas, 1; typhoid fever, 1; malarial fevers, 8; alcoholism, 1; rheumatism and gout, 5; cancer, 3; phthisis pulmonalis, 9; bronchitis, 8; pneumonia, 10; aneurism, 2; meningitis and encephalitis, 2; gastritis, enteritis, and peritonitis, 1; surgical operations, 1; drowning, 2; while the deaths from small-pox increased 4; scarlatina, 13; croup, 13; cerebro-spinal fever, 2; puerperal diseases, 3; inanition, 5; heart diseases, 10; marasmus, tabes-mesenterica, and scrofula, 5; hydrocephalus and tubercular meningitis, 7; convulsions, 3; all diseases of the brain and nervous system, 4; Bright's disease and nephritis, 4; cyanosis and atelectasis, 7; and suicide, 2. The number of deaths from diarrhoeal diseases, apoplexy, cirrhosis and hepatitis, and premature and pretermatural births, was the same in the two successive weeks.

Deaths from the principal Zymotic Diseases, Phthisis Pulmonalis, Pneumonia, Bronchitis, and Children under five years of age, reported during the week and compared with the three preceding weeks.

WEEK ENDING—	Small-Pox.	Measles.	Scarlatina.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Whooping Cough.	Typhoid Fever.	Typhus Fever.	Cerebro-Spinal Fever.	Remittent, Intermittent, Typho-Malarial, Contagious and Simple Continued Fevers.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Phthisis Pulmonalis.	Pneumonia.	Bronchitis.	Diseases of the Nervous System.	Diseases of the Urinary System.	DEATHS OF CHILDREN.		
																	Under 1 year of age.	Under 2 years of age.	Under 5 years of age.
January 7, 1882	12	18	77	55	26	9	..	4	7	10	14	94	82	50	50	44	137	219	344
" 14, "	13	28	68	41	18	9	..	6	1	6	18	99	93	58	66	43	159	236	334
" 21, "	7	41	102	56	19	12	..	6	4	13	7	111	92	50	53	33	159	242	375
" 28, "	11	36	115	33	32	8	..	5	6	5	7	102	82	42	57	36	150	238	387
Total.....	43	123	362	185	95	38	..	21	18	34	46	406	349	200	226	156	605	935	1440

The ages of 150 of the persons who died during the week were reported to be under one year, 238 under two years, 387 under five years, and 54 seventy years and over, which shows that the deaths of children under five years of age was 12 than the number reported during last week, and represent 48.25 per cent. of the total weekly mortality.

Deaths reported from Small-pox, Measles, Scarlatina, Diphtheria, Membranous Croup, Whooping Cough, Typhus, Typhoid, Cerebro-Spinal, and Malarial Fevers, in Institutions, Tenement and other Dwellings, with Average Age, Floor, and Ward where the Death occurred, and the Hour of Death, for the week ending January 28, 1882.

DISEASE.	In Houses containing 3 Families and under.	In Houses containing over 3 Families.	Canal Boats.	Hotels and Boarding-houses.	Institutions.	In Streets, Rivers, etc.	Basement.	FLOOR.								AVERAGE AGE.		
								First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.	Top.	Not Stated.	Years.	Months.	Days.
Small-pox.....	1	4	..	..	5	..	..	2	..	2	1	..	..	..	1	9	..	14
Measles.....	4	27	..	..	5	..	1	6	8	8	7	1	..	..	2	9	..	11
Scarlatina.....	38	67	..	4	6	..	2	27	42	26	11	1	..	..	5	1	..	19
Diphtheria.....	6	24	..	1	2	..	1	3	8	11	6	1	..	..	4	3	..	25
Membranous Croup.	13	19	..	..	..	..	1	5	10	12	4	..	..	..	2	6	..	23
Whooping Cough...	3	5	..	..	..	..	..	2	3	3	..	..	..	..	1	7	..	10
Typhus Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Typhoid Fever.....	1	4	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	1	..	..	..	30	9	..	29
Cerebro-Spinal Fever	2	3	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	3	2	..	..	..	9	10	..	11
Malarial Fevers....	2	3	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	1	1	..	..	..	12	2	..	24

DISEASE.	WARDS.																				TOTAL DEATHS.
	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.	Seventh.	Eighth.	Ninth.	Tenth.	Eleventh.	Twelfth.	Thirteenth.	Fourteenth.	Fifteenth.	Sixteenth.	Seventeenth.	Eighteenth.	Nineteenth.	Twentieth.	
Small-pox.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	7	..	..	11
Measles.....	..	1	..	2	5	7	2	..	1	3	6	..	..	1	..	3	3	1	1	..	36
Scarlatina.....	1	2	..	3	5	12	1	1	6	3	..	3	4	10	7	21	11	7	11	7	115
Diphtheria.....	..	1	1	..	3	..	3	..	1	4	1	5	..	1	6	2	1	3	..	1	33
Membranous Croup..	1	3	2	..	2	4	..	2	2	2	3	2	3	1	..	..	32
Whooping Cough....	1	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	8
Typhus Fever.....
Typhoid Fever.....	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	5
Cerebro-Spinal Fever	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	..	2	..	..	6
Malarial Fevers....	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	1	..	..	..	5

Hours at which Deaths Occurred.

DISEASE.	A. M.												P. M.										TOTAL.
	1 o'clock.	2 o'clock.	3 o'clock.	4 o'clock.	5 o'clock.	6 o'clock.	7 o'clock.	8 o'clock.	9 o'clock.	10 o'clock.	11 o'clock.	12 o'clock.	1 o'clock.	2 o'clock.	3 o'clock.	4 o'clock.	5 o'clock.	6 o'clock.	7 o'clock.	8 o'clock.	9 o'clock.	10 o'clock.	
Small-pox.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	11
Measles.....	1	3	2	1	4	1	..	4	2	..	2	1	..	3	2	3	2	..	1	..	..	..	36
Scarlatina.....	8	6	5	5	6	2	5	3	5	2	6	4	3	7	2	5	4	9	6	3	1	115	
Diphtheria.....	1	2	..	1	2	3	..	..	..	..	2	..	4	..	3	2	2	2	1	2	1	32	
Membranous Croup..	1	3	..	4	1	2	2	..	2	2	1	..	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	33	
Whooping Cough....	..	2	..	..	1	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	8	
Typhus Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Typhoid Fever.....	..	1	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	5	
Cerebro-Spinal Fever	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	6	
Malarial Fevers....	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	5	

Of the total number of deaths reported for the week 145 were in institutions, 448 in tenement-houses, 188 in houses containing three families or less, 12 in hotels and boarding-houses, 5 in rivers, streets, boats, etc.; 11 were on the basement floor, 138 on the first, 211 on the second, 163 on the third, 99 on the fourth, 25 on the fifth, 1 on the sixth. 800 were stated to be residents of New York City, and 2 non-residents; 78 were stated to be single, 156 married, 89 widowed, and the condition of 479 was not stated, these were children who had not attained a marriageable age.

The total number of burial permits issued during the week are as follows, viz.: City deaths, 802; still-births, 29; bodies in transit, 11; of the total burial permits issued for city and still-births 66 were upon certificates received from the Coroners; 531 births; 169 marriages; 29 still-births; 802 deaths; 11 applications for transit permits were recorded, indexed, and tabulated. 89 searches of the registers of births, marriages, and deaths were made, and 7 transcripts of the birth record, 4 of marriage, and 65 of death were issued during the week.

The mean temperature for the week ending Jan. 28, 1882, was 23.8 degrees Fahr., the mean reading of the barometer was 30.078, the mean humidity was 89, saturation being 100, the number of miles traveled by the wind was 1,893, and the total amount of rain-fall was 1.09 inches depth of water, as reported by D. Draper, Ph. D., Director of the New York Meteorological Observatory, Central Park.

The disposition of 706 deaths and still-births, or 84.96 per cent. of the total number reported, was in the following 14 cemeteries: Bayside (Jewish), 16; Calvary (Roman Catholic), 306; City, pauper burial ground (undenominational), 72; Greenwood (undenominational), 55; Lutheran, (undenominational), 127; Cypress Hills (undenominational), 25; Evergreen (undenominational), 42; Woodlawn (undenominational), 27; St. Michael's (Protestant Episcopal), 7; Union (Methodist Protestant), 2; Holy Cross (Roman Catholic), 4; Macphelah, L. I. (Jewish), 9; St. Raymond's (Roman Catholic), 4; Washington (undenominational), 10.

The distribution of deaths (actual mortality) for the week ending Jan. 21, 1882, was in the following wards, viz.: First, 12; Second, 1; Third, 5; Fourth, 15; Fifth, 8; Sixth, 19; Seventh, 33; Eighth, 24; Ninth, 35; Tenth, 36; Eleventh, 36; Twelfth, 73; Thirteenth, 26; Fourteenth, 27; Fifteenth, 12; Sixteenth, 23; Seventeenth, 38; Eighteenth, 31; Nineteenth, 132; Twentieth, 64; Twenty-first, 41; Twenty-second, 62; Twenty-third, 21; Twenty-fourth, 12.

The actual mortality for the week ending Jan. 21, 1882, was 786; this is 93 more than the number that occurred during the corresponding week of the year 1881, and 237.4 more than the average of the corresponding weeks of the past five years, and represents an annual death-rate of 32.36 per 1,000 persons living, the population estimated at 1,263,224.

The annual death-rate per 1,000 persons living, of the estimated or enumerated population, according to the most recent weekly returns of Philadelphia was 27.32; Brooklyn, 25.12; St. Louis, 17.3; Baltimore, 20.98; New Orleans, 23.81; Buffalo, 23; Charleston, 27.04; Dayton, 13.33; Savannah, 32.79; Lowell, 24.48; Worcester, 19.97; Cambridge, 19.72; Fall River, 29.71; Lawrence, 37.16; Lynn, 12.22; Springfield, 15.59. Monthly returns—District of Columbia, 20.44. Foreign cities, weekly returns—London, 23.3; Liverpool, 25.9; Birmingham, 21.2; Manchester, 26.9; Glasgow, 27; Edinburgh, 19.9; Dundee, 20.4; Dublin, 34.9; Belfast, 29; Cork, 28.5; Brussels, 23.9; Antwerp, 22.1; Paris, 27.5; Venice, 26.1; Berlin, 24.9; Trieste, 44.8; Copenhagen, 25.9; Stockholm, 21.4; Christiania, 24.7; Amsterdam, 20.4; Rotterdam, 25.2; The Hague, 28.7; Bombay, 28.4; Geneva (with suburbs), 32.3; Basel, 28.5; Bern, 28.7; Havre, 42.6; Salford, 25.5; St. Petersburg, 39.4; Valencia, 40.2; Malaga, 35.0; Granada, 31.4. Monthly returns—Catania, 35.8; Sydney, 19.9.

By order of the Board.

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

Births * reported during the week ending January 28, 1882.

TOTAL.	COLOR.		SEX.		NATIVITY OF PARENTS.										NAME OF CHILD.	
	White.	Colored.	Male.	Female.	Not stated.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign Father only.	Foreign Mother only.	NATIVITY OF FATHER STATED ONLY.		NATIVITY OF MOTHER STATED ONLY.		Not stated.	Stated.	Not stated.
										Native.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign.			
531	524	7	304	227	..	296	146	61	22	1	..	1	4	..	370	161

Marriages * reported during the week ending January 28, 1882.

TOTAL.	COLOR.		NATIVITY.						CONDITION.					
	White.	Colored.	Foreign.	Native.	Born at Sea.	Not Stated.			First Marriage.	Second Marriage.	Third Marriage.	Fourth Marriage.	Not Stated.	
169	168	1	96	76	73	91	..	1	135	139	18	12	..	16

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

Nativity of those who were Married, and the Parents of the Births and Still-Births, for the week ending January 28, 1882, and those who Died (actual mortality), week ending January 21, 1882.

NATIVITY OF DECEASED.	COUNTRY.	DEATHS.		BIRTHS.		MARRIAGES.		STILL-BIRTHS.	
		Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.	Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.	Nativity of Groom.	Nativity of Bride.	Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.
6	Austria.....	10	10	13	10	6	6	1	1
2	British America.....	8	8	2	2	2	2	..	..
16	England.....	31	26	17	17	4	4	..	..
3	France.....	10	9	3	3	2	2	..	..
73	Germany.....	187	164	182	163	46	37	11	10
127	Ireland.....	250	242	88	84	10	12	4	4
15	Italy.....	35	35	6	4	..	..	..	..
..	Poland.....	1	1	12	11	5	5	..	..
6	Scotland.....	8	8	3	3	2	2	..	..
..	Switzerland.....	2	1	2	3	2	1	..	..
521	United States.....	167	202	168	209	73	91	12	13
2	Unknown or not stated.....	56	53	5	1	..	1	1	1
3	West Indies.....	2	5	1	1	1	..	..	..
10	Other countries.....	19	17	25	21	12	7	..	..

Still-Births reported during the week ending January 28, 1882.

TOTAL.	SEX.			COLOR.		NATIVITY OF						PERIOD OF UTERO-GESTATION.										Unknown or not stated.
	Male.	Female.	Not stated.	White.	Colored.	FATHER.			MOTHER.			MONTH.										
						Native.	Foreign.	Not stated.	Native.	Foreign.	Not stated.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
29	14	15	..	28	1	12	16	1	13	15	1	..	..	..	..	2	4	3	8	12	..

Deaths reported during the week ending January 28, 1882.

TOTAL.	PLACE OF DEATH.														RESIDENCE.			CONDITION.				
	Institutions.	Tenement-houses (four families or more.)	Houses containing three families or less.	Hotels and Boarding-houses.	In Rivers, Streets, Boats, etc.	Not stated.	FLOORS.							New York City.	Outside New York City.	Not stated †	STATED.					
							Basement.	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.				Top.	Not stated.	Single.	Married.	Widowed.	Not stated.†
802	145	448	188	12	5	..	11	138	211	163	99	25	1	..	..	800	2	..	78	156	89	4

BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS.

REPORTED MORTALITY* for the week ending January 28, 1882, together with the ACTUAL MORTALITY for the week ending January 21, 1882.

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

SIR—There were 802 deaths reported to have occurred in this city during the week ending Saturday, January 28, 1882, which is a decrease of 15, as compared with the number reported the preceding week, and 95 more than were reported during the corresponding week of the year 1881. The actual mortality for the week ending January 21, 1882, was 786, which is 237.4 above the average for the corresponding week for the past five years, and represents an annual death-rate of 32.36 per 1,000 persons living, the population estimated at 1,263,224.

Table showing the Reported Mortality for the week ending Jan. 28, 1882, and the Actual Number of Deaths each day, from the Principal Causes, with the Ages of Decedents, for the week ending Jan. 21, 1882.

METEOROLOGY.			Week ending Jan. 28.	Week ending Jan. 21.	ACTUAL NUMBER OF DEATHS EACH DAY DURING THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, JANUARY 21, 1882.										AGE BY YEARS.																			SEX.						
Mean temperature (Fahr.) for the week was.					23.8	31.9																																		
" reading of barometer					30.78	29.95																																		
" humidity for the week was					89	89																																		
Number of miles traveled by the wind was					1,893	917																																		
Total rain-fall, in inches, for the week					1.09	1.23																																		
CAUSES OF DEATH.					Total Deaths reported during the week ending Jan. 28, 1882.	Total Deaths reported during the week ending Jan. 21, 1882.	DATA.							Total Actual Mortality during the week ending Jan. 21, 1882.	Actual number of Deaths for the corresponding week of 1881.	Average number of Deaths in the corresponding week of the past five years.	Annual Death-rate per 1,000, during week (population estimated at 1,263,224).	Under 1 year																			Male.	Female.	COLOR.	
							Jan. 15.	Jan. 16.	Jan. 17.	Jan. 18.	Jan. 19.	Jan. 20.	Jan. 21.				Under 1 year	1 to 2.	2 to 3.	3 to 4.	4 to 5.	Total under 5 years.	5 to 10.	10 to 15.	15 to 20.	20 to 25.	25 to 30.	30 to 35.	35 to 40.	40 to 45.	45 to 50.	50 to 55.	55 to 60.	60 to 65.	65 to 70.	70 and over.				
Total Deaths from all Causes.					802	817	142	118	128	95	88	109	106	786	693	548.1	32.36	160	90	65	37	29	381	47	4	8	33	38	37	29	27	34	39	28	24	16	41	431	355	16
Total Zymotic Diseases.					280	285	51	48	46	33	34	31	32	275	183	129.8	11.32	54	51	30	22	207	39	2	2	3	3	8	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Total Constitutional Diseases.					157	160	25	19	23	18	26	24	25	160	150	127.4	6.59	18	7	2	1	1	207	3	1	5	13	13	13	9	12	16	19	12	8	2	5	88	72	9
Total Local Diseases.					305	306	56	46	47	41	19	47	36	292	298	236.8	12.02	76	29	11	5	5	126	4	1	1	13	11	15	15	12	14	17	15	15	10	24	152	140	4
Total Developmental Diseases.					42	32	7	2	6	3	4	6	9	34	41	39.3	1.49	13	1	1	1	1	15	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Deaths by Violence.					18	34	3	2	6	3	5	1	4	23	15	14.8	1.03	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Small-pox.					11	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	9	7	1.4	1	1	1	4	1	1	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Measles.					36	41	7	7	6	6	3	4	5	38	34	8.2	1.56	7	15	5	3	5	35	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Scarlatina.					115	102	17	13	20	12	16	17	9	104	45	32.6	4.28	7	16	25	21	7	76	24	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Diphtheria.					33	56	12	12	8	6	4	4	2	48	44	24.8	1.97	5	10	10	2	5	32	11	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Membranous Croup.					32	19	1	3	3	4	1	2	4	17	27	15.2	1.76	4	5	2	2	3	16	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Whooping Cough.					8	12	2	1	1	1	2	2	2	11	5	7.2	1.45	5	4	2	1	1	11	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Erysipelas.					3	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	5	9	6.2	1.22	3	1	1	1	1	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Yellow Fever.					1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	5	7	3.8	1.21	1	1	1	1	1	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Typhus Fever.					1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	5	7	3.8	1.21	1	1	1	1	1	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Typhoid Fever.					6	6	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	8	7	6.2	1.22	3	1	1	1	1	8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Cerebro-Spinal Fever.					6	4	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	8	5	6.2	1.22	3	1	1	1	1	8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Remittent, Intermittent, Typho-Malarial, Congestive, and Simple Continued Fevers.					5	13	3	2	2	3	1	1	1	11	6	7.6	1.45	3	1	1	1	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Puerperal Diseases.					10	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	9	12	8.0	1.37	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Diarrhoeal Diseases.					7	7	2	1	1	1	1	1	2	9	8	7.8	1.37	4	1	1	1	1	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Inanition, Want of Breast Milk, etc.					9	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	6	6	3.4	1.25	6	1	1	1	1	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Alcoholism.					2	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	6	6	4.8	1.08	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Rheumatism and Gout.					2	7	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	4	8	4.2	1.06	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Cancer.					17	20	4	1	3	4	3	1	5	21	16	11.4	1.86	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Phthisis Pulmonalis.					102	111	17	12	10	13	19	18	13	108	109	93.4	4.45	3	1	1	1	1	4	2	5	13	13	12	7	11	13	14	4	5	2	2	58	50	7	
Bronchitis.					42	50	9	10	10	4	7	4	4	45	39	29.8	1.85	21	10	2	1	1	33	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Pneumonia.					82	92	14	15	14	12	4	19	13	91	86	66.6	3.75	27	11	5	2	3	48	1	1	1	5	4	4	3	4	1	8	5	1	3	3	54	37	1
Heart Diseases.					35	25	8	2	3	5	2	2	2	24	26	22.0	1.99	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Aneurism.					2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	7	1	1.6	1.04	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1					

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 February 4, 1882.

Barometer.

DATE.		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Mean for the Day.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.	
JANUARY, AND FEBRUARY.		Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.
Sunday,	29	29.628	29.786	30.000	29.803	30.000	12 P. M.	29.608	5 A. M.
Monday,	30	30.058	29.978	29.986	30.007	30.058	7 A. M.	29.968	12 P. M.
Tuesday,	31	29.816	29.400	29.134	29.450	29.968	0 A. M.	29.110	8 P. M.
Wednesday,	1	29.628	29.802	29.886	29.772	29.886	9 P. M.	29.278	0 A. M.
Thursday,	2	29.928	29.906	29.818	29.884	29.968	9 A. M.	29.738	12 P. M.
Friday,	3	29.738	29.862	30.010	29.870	30.022	12 P. M.	29.692	5 A. M.
Saturday,	4	29.974	29.738	29.320	29.677	30.022	0 A. M.	29.282	12 P. M.

Mean for the week..... 29.780 inches.
Maximum " at 7 A. M., January 30..... 30.058 "
Minimum " at 8 P. M., " 31..... 29.110 "
Range "948 "

Thermometers.

DATE. JANUARY AND FEBRUARY.		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.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	
Sunday,	29	35	33	23	23	18	25.3	24.6	36	3 A. M.	36	3 A. M.	17	83.
Monday,	30	16	16	27	25	24	22.3	21.7	28	4 P. M.	28	4 P. M.	16	78.
Tuesday,	31	26	26	28	28	27	27.0	27.0	30	7 P. M.	30	7 P. M.	24	31.
Wednesday,	1	27	27	36	32	32	31.7	30.0	36	2 P. M.	33	3 P. M.	27	90.
Thursday,	2	28	28	40	34	37	35.0	32.0	40	2 P. M.	35	4 P. M.	27	91.
Friday,	3	33	33	34	30	24	30.3	29.0	38	9 A. M.	34	9 A. M.	19	92.
Saturday,	4	15	15	13	13	20	16.0	16.0	22	11 P. M.	22	11 P. M.	13	20.

Dry Bulb. Wet Bulb.
Mean for the week..... 26.8 degrees..... 25.7 degrees
Maximum for the week, at 2 P. M., 2d..... 40. " at 3 A. M., 29th..... 36 "
Minimum " at 2 P. M., 4th..... 13. " at 2 P. M., 13th..... 13 "
Range " " 27. " 23 "

Wind.

DATE. JANUARY AND FEBRUARY.		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,	29	WNW	NW	NW	89	163	137	389	1/2	23	1/4	23	2 P. M.
Monday,	30	W	W	W	97	86	98	281	1/2	1 1/2	1/4	4	4 P. M.
Tuesday,	31	WSW	ENE	NNE	61	44	139	244	0	4	2 1/2	16 1/4	6.50 P. M.
Wednesday,	1	NW	WNW	WSW	137	76	87	300	2	1/2	2 1/2	3 1/2	0.20 A. M.
Thursday,	2	WSW	W	WSW	112	55	79	246	1/4	3/4	3/4	2 1/4	3 P. M.
Friday,	3	W	NW	NNW	86	116	95	297	1/4	1 1/4	1/4	15	11.50 A. M.
Saturday,	4	NNE	NNE	NNE	67	61	122	250	0	3	9	10 1/4	8 P. M.

Distance traveled during the week..... 2,007 miles.
Maximum force " " 23 pounds.

DATE. JANUARY AND FEBRUARY.	Hygrometer.						Clouds.			Rain and Snow.				
	FORCE OF VAPOR.			RELATIVE HUMID- ITY.			CLEAR, O. OVERCAST, 10.			DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES				
	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration.	Amount of Water.	Depth of Snow.
Sunday,	29	.162	.123	.098	80	100	5 Cir. Cu.	3 Cir.	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Monday,	30	.090	.112	.129	100	76	0	0	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Tuesday,	31	.141	.153	.147	100	100	10	10	10	9 A. M.	12 P. M.	15.00	.79	.....
Wednesday,	1	.147	.129	.162	100	61	0	1 Cu.	0	0 A. M.	3 A. M.	3.00	.02	.....
Thursday,	2	.153	.118	.157	100	47	3 Cir.	1 Cir.	5 Cir. Cu.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Friday,	3	.188	.121	.129	100	61	0	1 Cir.	4 Cir. Cu.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Saturday,	4	.086	.078	.108	100	100	10	10	10	11 A. M.	12 P. M.	13.00	.44	8"

Total amount of water for the week..... 1.25 inches.

DANIEL DRAPER, PH. D., Director.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 6th day of February, 1882.
Present—Commissioners French, Nichols, Mason, and Matthews.
Report of Superintendent on character of Terrace Garden, East Fifty-eighth street, was ordered to be forwarded to the Mayor.
Report of the Court of Sessions, County of Essex, adjudging Oliver Jackson to be an habitual criminal, was referred to the Superintendent to keep record.

Death Reported.

Doorman Stephen J. Coffin, Fourth Precinct, at 12:30 A. M., 4th instant.
Application of Patrolman George A. Whitney, Fourteenth Precinct, for permission to employ counsel, was granted.
Communications from the Mayor, asking information as to character of Lyric Hall, 723 Sixth avenue, and "Old House at Home," No. 105 Bowery, were referred to the Superintendent for report.
Communication from the Fire Department, asking permission to attach meter to pipes for supplying gas to temporary quarters of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 16, in rear of Thirty-first Precinct Station-house, was granted.

Resignations Accepted.

Patrolman Andrew Doyle, Fourteenth Precinct.
" William Byrne, Twentieth Precinct.
Resolved, That the Superintendent be directed to notify the members of the force to report all violations of section 6, chapter 742, Laws of 1871, relative to throwing or piling snow or ice upon or around fire-hydrants, and to within ten feet of the same.
Resolved, That the following transfers and detail be and are hereby ordered:
Sergeant Francis Fitzgerald, from Thirty-third Precinct to Twelfth Precinct.
Patrolman James Tyrell, from First Precinct to Twenty-seventh Precinct.
Patrolman Peter O'Neil, Eighth Precinct, detail at Clinton Market.
Resolved, That the Treasurer of the Police Department pay over to the Trustees of the Police Pension Fund the sum of \$8,443.37, for fines imposed and receipts for the month of January, 1882, in pursuance of section 3, chapter 389, Laws of 1878—fines, \$544.37; receipts, \$7,899.
Resolved, That the Treasurer be directed to pay over to the City Chamberlain the sum of \$10.98, being surplus moneys remaining to the credit of the Bureau of Clothing and Equipment, for the month of January, 1882, per account rendered by Isaac L. Moe.
Resolved, That the Treasurer be directed to pay over to the City Chamberlain the sum of \$11, received from Captain John Sanders, Thirty-fourth Precinct, for sale of manure for year 1881.
Resolved, That the Treasurer be and is hereby directed to pay over to the City Chamberlain the sum of \$15.30, amount received from F. W. Devoe & Co. for oil barrels and cases returned by this Department in 1881.

Retired Officers.

Sergeant George Armstrong, Twelfth Precinct, \$600 per year.
" John Beeching, Twenty-fifth Precinct, \$600 per year.

Mask Ball Permits Granted.

Original Hound Guards, at No. 291 Bowery, February 5.
Koltos Post No. 32, G. A. R., at No. 291 Bowery, February 8.
Schmidt's Dancing Academy, at No. 291 Bowery, February 9.
Gesang Verein Alpina, at No. 291 Bowery, February 11.
Gesang Verein Allemania Mannerchor, at No. 291 Bowery, February 11.
N. Y. Saengerbund, at No. 291 Bowery, February 13.
Freischutz Pleasure Club, at No. 291 Bowery, February 14.
Caspar Club, at No. 291 Bowery, February 16.
Arion Quartette Club, at No. 291 Bowery, February 20.
Gesang Verein Oestereich, at No. 291 Bowery, February 21.
Konigers Olga F. V., at No. 291 Bowery, February 22.
Radischer Mannerchor, at No. 291 Bowery, February 25.
Mozart Verein, at No. 291 Bowery, February 27.
Caelia F. V. No. 1, at No. 291 Bowery, February 28.
New York Backer Club, at No. 28 Avenue A, February 18.
Manhattan Pleasure Club, at No. 28 Avenue A, February 13.
New York Singing Academie, at No. 66 East Fourth street, February 21.
Charter Oak Association, at No. 210 East Fifth street, February 13.
Gartners F. K. U. Verein, at No. 829 Ninth avenue, February 15.
Columbia Yacht Club, at Lyric Hall, February 9.
Golding Brothers, at Lyric Hall, February 10.
Verein Freundschaft, Terrace Garden, March 11.
Adjourned.

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Francis Hart & Co. to place and keep a storm-door, six feet wide, and within the stoop-line, at the entrance to premises, No. 63 Murray street, corner of College place, the work be done at their own expense; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.
Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 24, 1882.
Approved by the Mayor, January 30, 1882.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Tefft, Weller & Co. to place and keep a small shipping office, within the stoop-line, on the south side of Worth street, east of Broadway, said office to be four (4) feet six (6) inches wide, and not to project more than four (4) feet six (6) inches beyond house line, the work done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 24, 1882.
Approved by the Mayor, January 30, 1882.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John B. Podesta to retain the stand now within the stoop-line, in front of premises at the southeast corner of Thirteenth street and Sixth avenue; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.
Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 24, 1882.
Approved by the Mayor, January 30, 1882.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Abraham Cereghino to retain the stand now within the stoop-line in front of premises in Twenty-eighth street, at the northeast corner of Fourth avenue; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.
Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 24, 1882.
Approved by the Mayor, January 31, 1882.

Resolved, That Brook avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, be regulated and graded from the line of the New York and Harlem Railroad to a point four hundred and eighty-seven feet southerly from One Hundred and Thirty-second street; and that an approach be graded to connect with said Brook avenue in Railroad avenue, extending from the easterly line of Brook avenue to a point seventy-five feet northerly thereof; in One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, extending from the eastern line of Brook avenue to a point seventy-five feet easterly thereof; in One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, extending from the eastern line of Brook avenue to a point fifty feet easterly thereof; in One Hundred and Sixty-third street, extending from the eastern line of Brook avenue to the western curb-line of Washington avenue, and from the western line of Brook avenue to the track of the Port Morris Branch of the New York and Harlem Railroad; in Washington avenue, extending from the eastern line of Brook avenue to the northerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-third street, and from the westerly line of Brook avenue to the track of the Port Morris Branch of the New York and Harlem Railroad; in Elton avenue, from the western line of Brook avenue to the track of the Port Morris Branch of the New York and Harlem Railroad; in Union lane, from the eastern line of Brook avenue to a point one hundred feet easterly thereof; and that said Brook avenue be carried over One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street by means of a wooden bridge thirty feet in width; and that a bridge be constructed to carry said Brook avenue over the Port Morris Branch of the New York and Harlem Railroad; all the work to be done under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks; and that the accompanying ordinance thereof be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 24, 1882.
Approved by the Mayor, January 31, 1882.

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, February 4, 1882.
 THOMAS S. BRENNAN,
 JACOB HESS,
 HENRY H. PORTER,
 Commissioners of the Department of
 Public Charities and Correction

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title to that certain street or avenue, known as Sedgwick avenue, although not yet named by proper authority, and (laid out as a street of the first class), from Boston avenue to Van Cortlandt avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a special term of said court, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Wednesday, the 1st day of March, 1882, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter. The extent and nature of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon, and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Sedgwick avenue, although not yet named by proper authority, from Boston avenue to Van Cortlandt avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, being the following described pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point being the western extremity or point of tangency of the curve uniting the western line of Sedgwick avenue with the southern line of Boston avenue, distant 2,415 16-100 feet easterly from the eastern line of Tenth avenue produced, measured on a line at right angles to the same, and from a point 20,931 9-100 feet northerly from the southeastern corner of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and Tenth avenue. 1. Thence northerly for 80 feet on a line whose direction is 31° 34' 04" west of that of the eastern line of Tenth avenue. 2. Thence northerly, on the arc of a circle of 350 feet radius whose centre lies on the prolongation of the north of the last previously described course, for 352 87-100 feet to a point of tangency. 3. Thence on a tangent, northerly, for 245 3-10 feet to a point of curve. 4. Thence to the left on the arc of a circle of 540 feet radius, for 228 3-10 feet to a point of tangency. 5. Thence northerly on a tangent for 414 34-100 feet to a point of curve. 6. Thence to the right on the arc of a circle of 450 feet radius, for 377 5-100 feet to a point of compound curve. 7. Thence to the right, on the arc of a circle of 3,380 feet radius, for 496 54-100 feet to a point of compound curve. 8. Thence to the right, on the arc of a circle of 235 feet radius, for 284 31-100 feet to a point of reverse curve. 9. Thence to the left, on the arc of a circle of 232 feet radius, for 166 31-100 feet to a point of compound curve. 10. Thence to the left, on the arc of a circle of 20 feet radius, for 37 1-100 feet to a point of tangency. 11. Thence on a tangent (the western line of Van Cortlandt avenue) southeasterly for 159 31-100 feet to a point of curve. 12. Thence northerly, on the arc of a circle which is tangent to the preceding course and whose radius is 65 75-100 feet, for 81 89-100 feet to a point of reverse curve. 13. Thence to the right, on the arc of a circle of 312 feet radius, for 223 65-100 feet to a point of reverse curve. 14. Thence to the left, on the arc of a circle of 155 feet radius, for 187 52-100 feet to a point of compound curve. 15. Thence to the left, on the arc of a circle of 3,300 feet radius, for 484 78-100 feet to a point of compound curve. 16. Thence to the left, on the arc of a circle of 380 feet radius, for 311 5-100 feet to a point of tangency. 17. Thence on a tangent southerly for 414 34-100 feet to a point of curve. 18. Thence to the right, on the arc of a circle of 620 feet radius, for 262 12-100 feet to a point of tangency. 19. Thence on a tangent southeasterly for 164 18-100 feet to a point of curve. 20. Thence to the left, on the arc of a circle of 44 73-100 feet radius, for 91 22-100 feet. 21. Thence southerly for 80 feet on the prolongation southerly, at the eastern extremity of the preceding course, of the radius of said course. 22. Thence southeasterly, on the arc of a circle of 300 feet radius, whose centre lies on the prolongation southerly of the preceding course, for 204 64-100 feet. 23. Thence southeasterly, on a line forming an angle of 106° 50' 28.5" with the radius of the preceding course passing through the western extremity of said course, for 249 16-100 feet to the point of beginning.

Said pieces or parcels of land are shown on a map or maps made by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, under authority of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and chapter 436 of the Laws of 1876, filed in the Department of Public Parks, in 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.

Dated New York, February 1, 1882.
 WILLIAM C. WHITNEY,
 Counsel to the Corporation,
 Tryon Row, New York.

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 Twentieth street, from Eighth avenue to Ninth avenue in the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a special term of said court, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 28th day of February, 1882, at the opening of the court on that day or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter. The extent and nature of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of One Hundred and Twentieth street, from Eighth avenue to Ninth avenue in the City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Ninth avenue, distant four hundred and sixty-three feet and eight inches (463' 8") southerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-second street, thence easterly and parallel with said street three hundred and fifty (350) feet to the westerly line of New avenue; thence southerly and along said avenue sixty (60) feet; thence westerly three hundred and fifty (350) feet to the easterly line of Ninth avenue; thence northerly along said avenue sixty (60) feet to the point or place of beginning.

And also that certain lot, piece or parcel of land bounded and described as follows: beginning at a point in the easterly line of New avenue distant four hundred and sixty-three feet, eight inches (463' 8") southerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-second street; thence easterly and parallel with said street, three hundred and seventy (370) feet to the westerly line of Eighth avenue; thence southerly and along said avenue sixty (60) feet; thence westerly three hundred and seventy (370) feet to the easterly line of New avenue; thence northerly along said avenue sixty (60) feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be sixty (60) feet wide between the lines of Eighth and Ninth avenues.
 Dated New York, February 1st, 1882.
 WILLIAM C. WHITNEY,
 Counsel to the Corporation,
 Tryon Row.

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 Lexington avenue, from Ninety-seventh street to Ninety-eighth street, and from what was formerly the northerly line of Ninety-ninth street as it was laid down on the Map of the Commissioners appointed under and by virtue of chapter 15 of the Laws of 1807, to the southerly line of One Hundred and Second street, in the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a special term of said court, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 28th day of February, 1882, at the opening of the court on that day or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter. The extent and nature of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of Lexington avenue from Ninety-seventh street to Ninety-eighth street, and from what was formerly the northerly line of Ninety-ninth street to the southerly line of One Hundred and Second street, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the northerly line of Ninety-seventh street distant (400) four hundred and twenty feet westerly from the westerly line of Third avenue; thence northerly and parallel with said avenue two hundred and one foot ten inches (201' 10") to the southerly line of Ninety-eighth street; thence westerly and along said street seventy-five (75' 0") feet; thence southerly two hundred and one foot ten inches (201' 10") to the northerly line of Ninety-seventh street; thence easterly and along said line seventy-five (75' 0") feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point on the southerly line of One Hundredth street distant four hundred and twenty (420' 0") feet westerly from the westerly line of Third avenue; thence southerly and parallel with said avenue two hundred and one foot ten inches (201' 10"); thence westerly and parallel with One Hundredth street seventy-five (75' 0") feet; thence northerly two hundred and one foot ten inches (201' 10") to the southerly line of One Hundredth street; thence easterly and along said line seventy-five (75' 0") feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point on the northerly line of One Hundredth street distant four hundred and twenty (420' 0") feet westerly from the westerly line of Third avenue; thence northerly and parallel with said avenue two hundred and one foot ten inches (201' 10") to the southerly line of One Hundredth street; thence westerly and along said line seventy-five (75' 0") feet; thence southerly two hundred and one foot ten inches (201' 10") to the northerly line of One Hundredth street; thence easterly seventy-five (75' 0") feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point on the northerly line of One Hundred and First street distant four hundred and twenty (420' 0") feet westerly from the westerly line of Third avenue; thence northerly and parallel with said avenue two hundred and one foot ten inches (201' 10") to the southerly line of One Hundred and First street; thence westerly and along said line seventy-five (75' 0") feet; thence southerly two hundred and one foot ten inches (201' 10") to the northerly line of One Hundred and First street; thence easterly seventy-five (75' 0") feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said avenue to be seventy-five feet wide between the lines of Ninety-seventh and Ninety-eighth streets, and between the northerly line of Ninety-ninth street (closed) produced and One Hundred and Second street.

Dated New York, February 1, 1882.
 WILLIAM C. WHITNEY,
 Counsel to the Corporation,
 Tryon Row, New York.

In the matter of the application of Edward Cooper, Mayor of the City of New York; John Kelly, Comptroller of said city; John J. Morris, John W. Jacobus and Bernard Goodwin, Aldermen of said city, in the Aldermanic District consisting of the Eighth, Ninth, Fifteenth, and Sixteenth Wards of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, under and pursuant to the provisions of an act of the Legislature of the State of New York, entitled "An Act to provide for the Establishment and Maintenance of a Public Market Place for Farmers and Market Gardeners in the City of New York, for the acquisition of Lands for this purpose, and for the Regulation and Management of the same," passed May 7, 1881, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purposes prescribed in said act.

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 lots, and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—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, to present their objections, in writing, duly verified, to E. P. Fairchild, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 221 Broadway, Room 23, in the said city, on or before the 28th day of January, 1882, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties objecting within ten week days next after the said 28th day of January, 1882, and for that purpose will be at attendance at our office on each of said ten days, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Second.—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 till the 31st day of January, 1882.

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of New York, included within the following boundaries, viz.: Commencing at the junction of the easterly side of Eleventh avenue and the southerly side of West Sixteenth street; thence easterly along the southerly side of West Sixteenth street to the westerly side of Eighth avenue; thence southerly along the westerly side of Eighth avenue to the northerly side of West Twelfth street (formerly Troy street); thence westerly along the northerly side of West Twelfth street to the westerly side of Hudson street; thence southerly along the westerly side of Hudson street to the northerly side of West Eleventh street; thence westerly along the northerly side of West Eleventh street to the easterly side of Thirteenth avenue; thence northerly along the easterly side of Thirteenth avenue to the easterly side of Eleventh avenue; thence northerly along the easterly side of Eleventh avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Excepting from all the lands and premises above described so much thereof as is included within the areas of streets and avenues now opened and proposed to be opened by this proceeding. And also excepting from said land and premises all those certain lots, pieces and parcels of land belonging to the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, and situate on the easterly side of Thirteenth avenue, and between the northerly side of Bloomfield street and the southerly side of Twelfth street, commonly known as Little Twelfth street.

Fourth.—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 February, 1882, at the opening of court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, December 10, 1881.
 B. P. FAIRCHILD,
 WILLIAM H. WICKHAM,
 N. NAUGHTON,
 Commissioners.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
 300 MULBERRY STREET,
 NEW YORK, February 6, 1882.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A Fire Pump, formerly used on the Police Steamboat Seneca, the property of this Department, will be sold at public auction, by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, at the foot of East Seventeenth street, East river, on Friday, February 17, 1882, at ten o'clock A. M. By order of the Board.

S. C. HAWLEY,
 Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
 PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,
 No. 300 MULBERRY STREET (Room No. 39),
 NEW YORK, January 16, 1882.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York, 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 39, for the following property now in his custody without claimants, boats, rope, revolvers, tea, coffee, cheese, robes, blankets, iron, lot of clothing (male and female), bags and contents, watches, jewelry, case of herring; and small amount of cash taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

C. A. ST. JOHN,
 Property Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
 NOS. 117 AND 119 DUANE STREET,
 NEW YORK, February 2, 1882.

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 151.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR REMOVING ALL OF PIER, NEW 37, AT THE FOOT OF CHARLTON STREET, N. R., EXCEPTING THE CRIB WORK BELOW MEAN LOW WATER MARK, AND FOR REMOVING ALL THE SHEDS AND BUILDINGS ON SAID PIER, WESTERLY OF THE NEW BULKHEAD WALL, AND FOR PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING A NEW WOODEN PIER ON THE SITE OF SAID PIER, TO BE KNOWN AS PIER, NEW 37, N. R.

ESTIMATES FOR REMOVING ALL OF PIER, NEW 37, at the foot of Charlton street, North river, excepting the crib work below mean low water mark, and for removing all the sheds and buildings on said pier, westerly of the new bulkhead wall, and for preparing for and building a new wooden pier on the site of said pier, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

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at which time and place the bids will be publicly opened by the head of said Department. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

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

The bidder to whom the award is made shall give security for the faithful performance of the contract, in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance, in the sum of eighteen thousand dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the nature, quantities, and extent of the work, is as follows:

	Feet B. M., measured in the work.
1. Yellow Pine Timber (untreated) 3" plank.....	15,330
" " " 4" x 10".....	1,300
" " " 5" x 10".....	31,354
" " " 5" plank.....	5,300
" " " 5" x 12".....	35,010
" " " 6" x 8".....	210
" " " 8" plank.....	6,187
" " " 10" x 10".....	140,067
" " " 12" x 12".....	19,686
Total.....	255,070
2. Yellow Pine Timber (treated for its preservation)..... 3" x 4".....	8,009
Yellow Pine Timber (treated for its preservation)..... 4" plank.....	108,624
Yellow Pine Timber (treated for its preservation)..... 4" x 10".....	10,708
Yellow Pine Timber (treated for its preservation)..... 6" x 12".....	10,656
Yellow Pine Timber (treated for its preservation)..... 12" x 12".....	181,680
Total.....	319,677
3. White Oak Timber (untreated)..... 8" x 12".....	128
" " " 12" x 12".....	768
Total.....	896
4. White Oak Timber (treated for its preservation)..... 8" x 12".....	13,664
White Oak Timber (treated for its preservation)..... 6" x 12".....	300
Total.....	13,964
5. North Carolina Yellow Pine 3" plank, 108,570 feet B. M., measured in the work.	
NOTE.—The above quantities of timber are exclusive of extra lengths required for scarfs, laps, etc., and of waste.	
6. Locust treenails, about.....	2,800
7. Yellow Pine, White Pine, or Cypress piles.....	791
It is expected that the vertical piles will be from 70 to 85 feet in length, and the bracing piles from 78 to 95 feet in length, but all of them must be of sufficient length to comply with the specifications for the work, as set forth in the approved form of contract. Piles that are required to be longer than 75 feet may be spliced as provided for in the specifications.)	
8. 2", 1 1/2", 1 1/4", 1", 3/4", and 3/8" wrought iron screw bolts and wrought iron round washers, about.....	23,089 pounds.
9. 3/8" x 26", 3/8" x 22", 3/8" x 18", 3/8" x 16", 3/8" x 14", 3/8" x 12", 3/8" x 10", 3/8" x 8", 7-16" x 10", 1/2" x 8", square, and 3/4" x 12", 3/4" x 8", 3/4" x 6", round, wrought iron spike-pointed bolts, and 7" cut spikes, about.....	40,813 pounds.

- Boiler plate armatures, wrought iron corner bands, column and pile shoes, about..... 8,324 pounds.
- Cast-iron mooring posts, about..... 18,000 pounds.
- Cast-iron washers for 1 1/4", 1", 3/4", and 3/8" screw-bolts, about..... 15,054 "
- Labor of framing and carpentry, including all moving of timber, jointing, planing, bolting, spiking, painting, oiling or tarring, and furnishing the materials for painting, oiling or tarring, and the wedges for the treenails, etc., and labor of every description, for that part of the pier where the bays are 12' 6" span, 4,550 square feet; and for the remainder of the pier 36,785 square feet.

N. B.—As the above mentioned quantities, though stated with as much accuracy as is possible, *in advance*, are approximate only, bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become part of every estimate received:

1st. Bidders must satisfy themselves by personal examination of the location of the proposed work, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the foregoing Engineer's estimate, and shall not, at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the above statement of quantities, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.

2d. Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Department of Docks, and in substantial accordance with the specifications of the contract and the plans therein referred to. No extra compensation, beyond the amount payable for the work before mentioned, which shall be actually performed at the price therefor to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and the entire work is to be fully completed on or before the 1st day of July, 1882, or within as many days thereafter as the site of the new pier may have been occupied, after the day of the execution of the contract, by the Department of Docks for the purpose of dredging on the site of said new pier; and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the work, or any part thereof, may be uncompleted after the time fixed for the completion thereof has expired, Sundays and holidays not to be excepted, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at fifty dollars per day.

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

Bidders will state in their estimates a price for the whole of the work to be done, in conformity with the approved form of agreement and the specifications therein set forth, by which price the bids will be tested. This price is to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder.

Bidders will distinctly write out, both in words and in figures, the amount of their estimates for doing this work.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at this office with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days from the date of the service of a notice to that effect; and in case of failure or neglect so to do, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and the contract will be re-advertised and relet, and so on until it be accepted and executed.

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

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

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

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

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

The right to decline all the estimates is reserved, if deemed for the interest of the Corporation.

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the Department, a copy of which, together with the form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department.

JOHN R. VOORHIS,
 JACOB VANDERPOEL,
 WILLIAM LAIMBEER,
 Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT—OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,
No. 301 MOTT STREET,
NEW YORK, February 4, 1882.

**PROPOSALS FOR THE ERECTION OF
A HOSPITAL FOR CONTAGIOUS
DISEASES ON NORTH BROTHERS'
ISLAND, CITY AND COUNTY OF
NEW YORK.**

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS herein required, will be received by the Commissioners of the Health Department, at their office, No. 301 Mott street, until 2 o'clock P. M. of the 21st day of February, 1882, at which time they will be publicly opened and read by said Commissioners, for the erection of a Hospital for Contagious Diseases on North Brothers' Island, City and County of New York.

The proposals must be addressed to the Board of Health of the City of New York, and must be indorsed "Proposals for the erection of a Hospital for contagious diseases on North Brothers' Island, City and County of New York," and must contain the name and address of the parties making the same.

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

Bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become part of every estimate received:

1st. Bidders must satisfy themselves by personal examination of the location of the proposed work, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the estimate, and shall not, at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the statement of quantities, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.

2d. Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Health Department, and in substantial accordance with the specifications of the contract and the plans therein referred to. No extra compensation beyond the amount payable for both classes of work before mentioned, which shall be actually performed, at the prices therefor to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price for the whole of the work to be done, in conformity with the approved form of contract and the specifications therein set forth, by which price the bids will be tested. This price is to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder.

Bidders will distinctly write out, both in words and in figures, the amount of their estimates for doing this work.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at this office with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days from the date of the service of a notice to that effect; and in case of failure or neglect to do so, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet, and so on until it be accepted and executed.

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

Each 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 or persons making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation of the City of New York any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled on its completion, and that which said Corporation or the Health Department may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work to be done by which the bids are tested; the consent above mentioned, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York, after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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

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

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the Department, a copy of which, together with the form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department.

The Department reserves the right to reject any or all proposals not deemed beneficial to or for the public interest.

Plans may be examined and specifications and blank proposals obtained by application to the Secretary of the Board, at his office, 301 Mott street, New York, on and after February 6, 1882.

CHARLES F. CHANDLER,
WOLSEY JOHNSON,
WILLIAM M. SMITH,
STEPHEN B. FRENCH,
Commissioners.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS 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 Wednesday, the 15th day of February, 1882, and until 5 o'clock A. M. on said day, for the Furniture for Grammar School No. 72, on Lexington avenue, corner of One Hundred and Sixth street.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blanks for proposals, and all necessary information may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, and Engineer, No. 146 Grand, corner of Elm street, 3d floor.

Sealed Proposals will also be received at the time and place before named, for the Steam Heating Apparatus for said school.

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

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

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

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

ANDREW L. SOULARD,
G. W. DEBEVOISE,
DAVID H. KNAPP,
CHARLES CRARY,
JOHN WHALEN,
Board of School Trustees, Twelfth Ward.

Dated New York, February 1, 1882.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

By order of

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

CARL JUSSEN,
Secretary.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

**CORPORATION SALE AT PUBLIC
AUCTION.**

ALL THE RIGHT, TITLE, AND INTEREST OF the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, in and to certain lots, pieces, or parcels of land, situate in the Twelfth Ward of said city, will be sold at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the office of the Comptroller, on Friday, March 10, 1882, at 11 o'clock A. M., as follows, to wit:

Twenty-four lots of land in block No. 302 of the map of the Twelfth Ward, now on file in the office of the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments of the said City of New York, bounded by the Second and Third avenues and Ninety-ninth and Ninety-tenth streets, designated by the Ward numbers respectively, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 20, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, and 42, the said land being situated in what was formerly known or called marsh or lowland, through some portion of which the tide had once ebbed and flowed.

TERMS OF SALE.

The amount bid, and the auctioneer's fees, to be paid at the time of the sale, and the expense attending the preparation of the deeds, etc., to be paid also by the purchaser.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, February 7, 1882.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
January 18, 1882.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 4 OF CHAPTER 33 of the Laws of 1881, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to property-owners that the following lists of assessments for local improvements in said city were confirmed by the "Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments" on the 7th day of January, 1882, and, on the same date, were entered in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," viz.:

122d street, regulating, grading, etc., from 10th avenue to Riverside Drive.
13th avenue, regulating, grading, etc., from 11th to 16th street.
31st street, regulating, grading, etc., sidewalks, between 1st avenue and East river.
Water street, curb, gutter, and flagging, between Corlears and East streets.
81st street, flagging both sides, between 8th and 9th avenues.
9th avenue, flagging, between 71st and 72d streets.
45th street, fencing vacant lots, north side, between 9th and 10th avenues.
47th street, fencing vacant lots, southeast corner 9th avenue.
58th street, fencing vacant lots, north side, between 6th and 7th avenues.
59th street, fencing vacant lots, south side, between 6th and 7th avenues.
78th street, fencing vacant lots, north side, between 4th and Madison avenues, and 4th avenue, between 78th and 79th streets.
81st and 82d streets and Madison and 5th avenues, fencing block.
85th and 86th streets and Madison and 5th avenues, fencing block.
50th street, paving, between 10th and 11th avenues.
63d street, paving, between 8th and 10th avenues.
69th street, paving, between 1st and 3d avenues.
80th street, paving, between 2d avenue and Avenue A.
81st street, paving, between 1st and 2d avenues.
11th street, paving, between 2d and 3d avenues.
126th street, paving, between 7th and St. Nicholas avenues.
127th street, paving, between 2d and 3d avenues.
Lexington avenue, paving, between 94th and 95th streets.
Houston street, sewer extension, etc.
43d street, sewer, between 2d and 3d avenues.
134th street, sewer, from 410 feet east of Willis avenue, etc.
Lexington avenue, sewer, from 69th to 70th street.
Water street, sewer, between Decker and Roosevelt streets.
Front street, sewer, between Beekman and Fulton streets.
80th street, sewer, between 10th avenue and Boulevard.
81st street, sewer, between 10th avenue and summit east of 10th avenue.
82d street, sewer, between 1st avenue and Avenue B, etc.

82d street, sewer, between branch curve Avenue A. 102d street, sewer, between 3d and Lexington avenues.
113th street sewer, between 7th and 8th avenues.
118th street sewer, between 6th and 7th avenues.
119th street sewer, between 6th and 7th avenues.
123d street sewer, between 4th and Madison avenues.
Lexington avenue sewer, between 38th and 39th streets.
Lexington avenue sewer, between 77th and 78th streets.
Lexington avenue sewer, between 106th and 108th streets.
Lexington avenue sewer, between 110th and 115th streets.
Lexington avenue sewer, between 126th and 127th streets.
Avenue B sewer, between 16th and 17th streets.
2d avenue, east side, sewer, between 61st and 62d streets, and west side, between 61st and 62d streets.

Section 5 of the said act provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said record of titles of assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect, and receive legal interest thereon, at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment." The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," from 9 A. M. until 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before March 20, 1882, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the record of titles of assessments in said Bureau.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

RELATING TO THE PAYMENT OF UNPAID TAXES, ASSESSMENTS, AND CROTON WATER RENTS.

THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK hereby gives notice to owners of real and personal estate in this city, that all unpaid taxes, assessments, and Croton water rents may now be paid with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, as provided by chapter 33 of the Laws of 1881, which is as follows:

CHAPTER 33.

AN ACT relative to the collection of taxes and assessments, and of arrears of taxes and assessments, and Croton water rents, in the City of New York.

(Passed March 16, 1881; three-fifths being present.)

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

Section 1. If any taxes of any year shall remain unpaid on the first day of November, after the assessment-rolls and the warrants to collect such taxes have been delivered to the Receiver of Taxes in the City of New York, it shall be the duty of said Receiver to give public notice, by advertisement for at least ten days in two of the daily newspapers, and in the CITY RECORD, printed and published in said city, respectively, that unless the same shall be paid to him at his office on or before the first day of December, in any such year, he will immediately thereafter proceed to collect such unpaid taxes, as provided in the following section of this act:

Section 2. If any such tax shall remain unpaid on the said first day of December, it shall be the duty of the said Receiver of Taxes in said city to charge, receive, and collect upon such tax so remaining unpaid on that day, in addition to the amount of such tax, one per centum on the amount thereof; and to charge, receive, and collect upon such tax so remaining unpaid on the first day of January thereafter, interest upon the amount thereof at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the day on which said assessment-rolls and warrants shall have been delivered to the said Receiver of Taxes to the date of payment.

The same rate of interest shall be so charged and collected upon any tax levied in the year eighteen hundred and eighty, remaining unpaid at the date of the passage of this act.

Section 3. All existing provisions of law which impose a charge and require the collection of interest at the rate of twelve per centum per annum upon arrears of taxes on real and personal estate within the City of New York, upon arrears of assessments for local improvements and street openings in said city, and upon arrears of Croton water rents of said city, are hereby repealed; and in lieu of such charge of interest at the rate of twelve per centum per annum, there shall be charged and collected by the officer authorized to collect and receive any such arrears of taxes and assessments and Croton water rents, interest upon the amount thereof at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated for the same period as interest at the rate of twelve per centum per annum is now required by law to be calculated thereon. This provision shall apply to taxes, assessments, or Croton water rents remaining unpaid and due, for the non-payment of which the lands and tenements liable therefor shall be hereafter sold at public auction as now provided by law; provided, however, that nothing in this act shall be construed to affect the rights of purchasers at sales for taxes, assessments, or Croton water rents, heretofore made, or to authorize the redemption of lands and tenements from sales heretofore made for any lesser sums than the sums collectible for such redemption under the provisions of existing laws.

Section 4. It shall be the duty of the Comptroller of the City of New York to give public notice by advertisement, for at least ten days, in the CITY RECORD, printed and published in said city, immediately after the confirmation of any assessment for a local improvement or street opening in said city, that the same has been confirmed specifying the title of such assessment and the date of its confirmation by the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments in proceedings for local improvements, and by the Supreme Court in proceedings for street openings, and also the date of entry in the record of titles of assessments kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Croton Water Rents, notifying all persons, owners of property affected by any such assessment, that, unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of entry of any such assessment, interest shall thereafter be collected thereon as provided in the following section of this act, and all provisions of law or ordinance requiring any other or different notice of assessments and interest thereon are hereby repealed.

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

Section 6. This act shall take effect immediately.
ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 18, 1881.

ORDER OF THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, CONSOLIDATING CERTAIN BUREAUX IN THE FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

SECTION 3 OF CHAPTER 521 OF THE LAWS OF 1880, requires that heads of departments shall reduce the aggregate expenses of their respective departments by a reduction of salaries, and confers upon them authority to consolidate bureaux and offices for that purpose, as follows, to wit:

"In making the reduction herein required, every head of department may abolish and consolidate offices and bureaux, and discharge subordinates in the same department."

The Comptroller of the City of New York, in pursuance of the duty imposed and the authority thus conferred upon him, hereby orders and directs that the following Bureaux in the Finance Department shall be consolidated, the consolidation thereof to take effect on the first day of January, 1882, viz.:

First—"The Bureau for the Collection of Assessments," and "The Bureau for the Collection of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," shall be consolidated as one bureau, and on and after January 1, 1882, shall be known as "The Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," and possess all the power conferred and perform all the duties imposed by law and ordinance upon both of said bureaux and the officers thereof, the chief officer of which consolidated bureau shall be called "Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears."

Second—"The Bureau for the Collection of the Revenue accruing from rents, and interest on bonds and mortgages, revenue arising from the use or sale of property belonging to or managed by the city," and "The Bureau of Markets," shall be consolidated as one bureau, and on and after January 1, 1882, shall be known as "The Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets," and possess all the powers conferred and perform all the duties imposed by law and ordinance upon both said bureaux, and the officers thereof; the chief officer of which said consolidated bureau shall be called "Collector of City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets."

CITY OF NEW YORK, FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, Dec. 31, 1880.
ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

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

Grants, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents and Sheriff's sales, in 61 volumes, full bound, price, \$100 00
The same, in 25 volumes, half bound, 50 00
Complete sets, folded, ready for binding, 15 00
Records of Judgments, 25 volumes, bound, 10 00
Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Angell, Comptroller's Office, New County Court-house."

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, January 22, 1880.

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

THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK hereby gives notice to owners of real estate in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, that pursuant to an act of the Legislature of the State of New York, entitled "An act to provide for the adjustment and payment of unpaid taxes due the county of Westchester by the towns of West Farms, Morrisania, and Kingsbridge," lately annexed to the city and county of New York, passed May 22, 1878, the unpaid taxes of said town have been adjusted and the amount determined as provided in said act, and that the accounts, including sales for taxes levied prior to the year 1874, by the Treasurer of the County of Westchester, and bid in on account of said towns, and also the unpaid taxes of the year 1873, known as Rejected Taxes, have been filed for collection in the Bureau of Arrears in the Finance Department of the City of New York.

Payments for the redemption of lands so sold for taxes by the Treasurer of the County of Westchester, and bid in on account of said towns, and payments also of said Rejected Taxes of the year 1873, must be made hereafter to the Clerk of Arrears of the City of New York.

N. B.—Interest at the rate of twelve per cent. per annum is due and payable on the amount of said sales for taxes and said rejected taxes.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,
No. 32 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, January 9, 1882.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE books of Annual Record of the assessed valuation of Real and Personal Estate of the City and County of New York for the year 1882, will be opened for inspection and revision, on and after Monday, January 9, 1882, and will remain open until the 30th day of April, 1882, inclusive, for the correction of errors and the equalization of the assessments of the aforesaid real and personal estate.

All persons believing themselves aggrieved must make application to the Commissioners during the period above mentioned, in order to obtain the relief provided by law. By order of the Board.

ALBERT STORER,
Secretary.

ASSESSMENT COMMISSION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT A MEETING of the Commissioners under the act, chapter 550 of the Laws of 1880, entitled "An act relating to certain assessments for local improvements in the City of New York," passed June 9, 1880, will be held at their office, No. 27 Chambers street, on Tuesday, February 7, 1882, at 2½ o'clock P. M.

EDWARD COOPER,
JOHN KELLY,
ALLAN CAMPBELL,
GEORGE H. ANDREWS,
DANIEL LORD, JR.,
Commissioners under the Act.

JAMES J. MARTIN,
Clerk.

THE COMMISSIONERS APPOINTED BY CHAPTER 550 of the Laws of 1880, to revise, vacate, or modify assessments for local improvements in the City of New York, give notice to all persons affected thereby that the notices required by the said act must be filed with the Comptroller of said city and a duplicate thereof with the Counsel to the Corporation, as follows:

As to all assessments confirmed subsequent to June 9, 1880, for local improvements theretofore completed, and as to any assessment for local improvements known as Morningside avenues, notices must be filed within two months after the dates upon which such assessments may be respectively confirmed.

The notice must specify the particular assessment complained of, the date of the confirmation of the same, the property affected thereby, and in a brief and concise manner the objections thereto, showing, or tending to show, that the assessment was unfair or unjust in respect to said real estate.

Dated, No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET, May 18, 1881.

EDWARD COOPER,
JOHN KELLY,
ALLAN CAMPBELL,
GEORGE H. ANDREWS,
DANIEL LORD, JR.,
Commissioners under the Act.

JAMES J. MARTIN,
Clerk.