

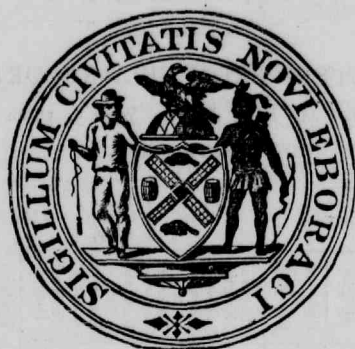
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PROCLAMATION.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, June 9, 1880.

In pursuance of the ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to prevent the Danger of Hydrophobia to any of the Inhabitants of the City of New York," approved April 30, 1877, as amended June 1, 1877, notice is hereby given that said ordinance will be enforced on and after the 21st day of June, 1880.

The Dog Pound at the foot of Sixteenth street, East river, is hereby designated as the place where dogs captured pursuant to said ordinance are to be delivered. The Pound will be open from 8 A. M. to 5 P. M., Sundays excepted.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

The ordinance to prevent the danger of hydrophobia to any of the inhabitants of the City of New York, as amended and passed by the Board of Aldermen, May 29, 1877, is as follows:

AN ORDINANCE to prevent the danger of Hydrophobia to any of the Inhabitants of the City of New York.

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

Section 1. Hereafter it shall not be lawful to permit any dog to go abroad loose or at large in any of the public streets, lanes, alleys, highways, parks or places within the corporate limits of the City of New York, under a penalty of three dollars for each offense, to be recovered against the owner, possessor, or person who knowingly harbored such dog within three days previous to the time of such dog being so found going abroad loose or at large; and the Commissioners of Police are hereby authorized and directed to cause complaint to be made to the Corporation Attorney against the owner or possessor of every dog permitted to go loose or at large within the corporate limits, as aforesaid, for the recovery of the penalties prescribed in this ordinance; such penalties and all license fees, when collected, to be accounted for semi-monthly, and paid to the Comptroller of said city, and upon the requisition of the Mayor, to be applied towards the payment of enforcing the provisions of this ordinance. Nothing in this ordinance shall prevent any dog from going into any such street, lane, alley, highway, park or public place, provided such dog shall be held, by such owner or other person, securely by a cord or chain, to be not more than four feet long, fastened to a collar around the neck of the animal.

Sec. 2. Every owner, possessor, or person who harbors any dog shall take out a permit for each dog, at the Permit Bureau, paying the sum of two dollars (\$2) for the same. All permits, and renewals of the same, shall be dated from the first day of May in each and every year, and shall be for one year from date, and all renewals shall be one dollar (\$1). Said permit shall have the name of the owner and the number of the permit or license on it. Any dog so licensed must have a collar around his neck, with a metal tag attached, having the number of the license on it. And any dog so licensed must, when in the street, be held by such owner, or other person, secured by a cord, rope, or chain, not more than four feet in length; but the owner, at his option, may use, instead of the above, a muzzle, constructed so as to prevent the dog from biting. Any dog that is not so secured, although he is licensed, shall be captured the same as if no license was granted. No dog having a collar and tag, with the number of his license on it, around his neck, that may be in a wagon or other vehicle belonging to his owner, shall be captured. Any person appointed by his Honor the Mayor to capture dogs who shall permit any person to take one or more dogs from him for nothing, or for pay, shall be arrested, and taken before a police justice, and upon the facts being proven, the judge shall impose a fine of not less than \$10, or more than \$50 for each offense. Any person may make a complaint of persons having dogs unlicensed at the police stations, and the officer in command shall entertain the same; and all policemen on patrol duty must report all violations of this ordinance the same as any other violation of a Corporation ordinance. All such reports shall be transmitted to the Corporation Attorney, the same as for other violations of city ordinances, and in addition to the \$3 fine, shall be added all costs of suits for the recovery of the same as for any other violation of the city ordinances. The provisions of this section, except those relating to leading and muzzling dogs, shall not apply to dogs owned by non-residents, in remaining temporarily or in passing through this city, or to dogs brought into this city and entered for exhibition at any dog show or annual exhibition of dogs.

Sec. 3. The Mayor of the City of New York is hereby authorized and empowered to take such measures as he may deem most efficient to carry into effect the provisions of section 1 of this ordinance. All dogs found loose or at large, as aforesaid, shall be seized, captured and delivered by such persons as the Mayor shall designate, at a place to be provided and indicated by him, where such animals, if not within forty-eight hours thereafter claimed and redeemed by the owner or some other person, shall be killed and destroyed in such manner and by such persons as the Mayor shall designate.

Sec. 4. Any owner or other person who may claim such dog shall, before being placed in possession thereof, pay therefor the sum of three dollars. The provisions of this ordinance shall apply only to dogs owned or claimed by residents of this city; and any person who shall knowingly present any such dog, and claim payment for the capture thereof, which shall not be owned or captured within the corporate limits of this city, shall thereby incur a penalty of ten dollars.

Sec. 5. No person shall hinder or molest any person or persons so appointed by the Mayor while engaged in seizing or capturing any such dog as aforesaid, or any other person engaged in the performance of any duty enjoined by the provisions of this ordinance, under a penalty of not less than twenty-five nor more than one hundred dollars for every offense, to be sued for and recovered in the manner now provided by law or ordinance for the recovery of penalties for violations of the ordinances of the Common Council, on the complaint of the person so hindered or molested; the penalty, when recovered, to be accounted for, paid and appropriated, as provided in section one of this ordinance. The Commissioners of Police are hereby authorized and required to cause the persons so engaged in the performance of any of the duties prescribed by this ordinance, to be protected from hindrance or molestation.

Sec. 6. Chapter XLIV. of the Revised Ordinances of 1866, and all other ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance, are hereby repealed.

Sec. 7. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND.

Abstract of the Proceedings of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at the meeting held June 7, 1880.

Present—Hon. Edward Cooper, Mayor (Chairman); Hon. Frederick Smyth, Recorder; Hon. John Kelly, Comptroller; and J. Nelson Tappan, Esq., Chamberlain.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The Comptroller submitted the following reports on petitions for "deeds of confirmation," viz.:

I.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, }
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, May 8, 1880.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

GENTLEMEN—Herewith I present the petition of Robert Ward and William E. Keyes, executors estate of George Keyes, deceased, for confirmatory deeds of three lots of land sold by the Corporation May 21, 1866, designated as lots Nos. 8, 9, and 11 on Plot M of map of said sale.

The sale was regular, the terms thereof complied with by the purchasers, and the whole amount of the purchase money has been paid into the City Treasury to the credit of the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt. It is alleged that the deed from the Corporation of said lots was not signed by the then Mayor of the city, wherefore a confirmatory deed is prayed for.

Respectfully,

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

Resolved, That the petition of Robert Ward and William E. Keyes, executors estate of George Keyes, deceased, for confirmatory deeds of three lots of land sold by the Corporation at public auction, May 21, 1866, designated as lots Nos. 8, 9, and 11 of Plot M on the map of said sale be granted and referred to the Counsel to the Corporation to prepare such deed or deeds as the facts may warrant and require, and that the Mayor and the Clerk of the Common Council be authorized and directed to execute such deed or deeds, when so prepared and approved by him, and that the Comptroller be authorized to deliver the same, when duly executed and recorded in his office, to said petitioners or their attorney.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted.

II.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, }
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, May 6, 1880.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

GENTLEMEN—Herewith I present the petition of Emily M. Childs for a confirmatory deed of a lot of land on Sixty-eighth street, near Fourth avenue, sold by the Corporation at public auction May 21, 1866, and designated as lot No. 66 of Plot H on the map of said sale.

The said sale was regular, the terms thereof complied with by the purchasers, and the amount of the purchase price has been paid in full into the City Treasury to the credit of the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt. It is alleged that the deed from the Corporation was not signed by the then Mayor of the city.

Respectfully,

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

Resolved, That the petition of Emily M. Childs for a confirmatory deed of a lot of land on Sixty-eighth street, near Fourth avenue, sold by the Corporation at public auction, May 21, 1866, and designated as Lot No. 66 of Plot H, on the map of said sale, be granted, and referred to the Counsel to the Corporation to prepare such deed as the facts may warrant and require, and that the Mayor and Clerk of the Common Council be authorized and directed to execute such deed, when so prepared and approved by him, and that the Comptroller be authorized to deliver the same, when duly executed and recorded in his office, to said petitioner or her attorney.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted.

III.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, }
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, May 6, 1880.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

GENTLEMEN—Herewith I present the petition of Annie R. Whitney for a confirmatory deed of two lots of land on the southerly side of Seventy-ninth street, between Fourth and Lexington avenues, sold by the Corporation, at public auction, May 21, 1866, designated as lots Nos. 13 and 14 of Plot S on the map of said sale. The said sale was regular, the terms thereof were complied with, and the purchase price has been paid in full into the treasury to the credit of the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt. It is alleged that the deed of the property from the Corporation was not signed by the then Mayor of the City as the reason for asking for a confirmatory deed.

Respectfully,

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

Resolved, That the petition of Annie R. Whitney for a confirmatory deed of two lots of land on Seventy-ninth street, as described therein, sold by the Corporation at public auction May 21, 1866, and designated as lots Nos. 13 and 14 of Plot S, on the map of said sale, be granted, and referred to the Counsel to the Corporation, to prepare such a deed as the facts may warrant and require; and that the Mayor and Clerk of the Common Council be authorized and directed to execute such deed, when so prepared and approved by him, and that the Comptroller be authorized and directed to deliver the same, when duly executed and recorded in his office, to said petitioner or her attorney.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted.

The Comptroller, to whom was referred the petition of Edward M. Tyler, in relation to an alleged overpayment for Croton water, between May 1, 1867, and November 1, 1869, submitted the following report, viz.:

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, }
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, June 7, 1880.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

GENTLEMEN—The Comptroller, to whom was referred the petition of Edward M. Tyler to be refunded the amount claimed to have been deposited with the Croton Aqueduct Department in excess (in consequence of non-use) of the value of Croton water used between May 1, 1867, and November 1, 1869, in distillery at Nos. 410 and 412 East Twenty-fourth street, having examined the subject would

REPORT:

That in consequence of the length of time that has elapsed since these payments were made, it would be injudicious for this Board to consider the application of the petitioner in view of the many applications of a like nature for the return of moneys deposited in the Treasury to the credit of the Sinking Fund, and while some of these applications may be meritorious, the Comptroller is of the opinion that it would not be advisable for the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to entertain this claim and others of a like character; but that the parties be left to their remedy in an action at law, when the facts and equities of the case can be established.

Respectfully,

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

The report was accepted and adopted.

A communication was received from A. C. Botsford, in relation to land between One Hundred and Twenty-ninth and One Hundred and Thirtieth streets, and offer of \$3,000 for same; which, on motion, was referred to the Comptroller.

A petition was received from Jacob Scholle and others for a confirmatory deed to certain premises in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, which was, on motion, referred to the Comptroller.

The Comptroller submitted the bill of Williams Brothers, dated April 30, 1880, for posting 400 bills for auction sale of real estate, April 27, 1880, amounting to \$12; whereupon the following resolution was adopted, viz.:

Resolved, That the bill of Williams Brothers for posting bills for auction sale of real estate on April 27, 1880, amounting to twelve dollars (\$12) be approved, and the Comptroller be authorized to pay the same from the appropriation "Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, Expenses of," for the year 1880.

The Comptroller submitted a bill of William Kennelly, dated May 13, 1880, for appraising real estate for leases and sales made April 27, 1880, amounting to \$270; whereupon the following resolution was, on motion, adopted, viz.:

Resolved, That the bill of William Kennelly for appraising real estate for leases and sales made on April 27, 1880, amounting to two hundred and seventy dollars (\$270), be approved, and the Comptroller be authorized to pay the same from the appropriation "Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, Expenses of," for the year 1880.

The Comptroller submitted a bill of P. M. Dowd, dated April 3, 1880, for surveying, plotting, and drawing maps of real estate, sold at public auction April 27, 1880, amounting to \$55; and another bill for resurveying and drawing map of part of said real estate, amounting to \$10; whereupon the following resolution was, on motion, adopted, viz.:

Resolved, That the bills of P. M. Dowd, for surveying, plotting, and drawing maps of city property, sold at public auction April 27, 1880, amounting to the sum of sixty-five dollars (\$65), be approved, and the Comptroller be authorized to pay the same from the appropriation "Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, Expenses of," for the year 1880.

The Comptroller submitted the petition of James Sullivan for compromise of claim of the city for rents due on leases of Fulton Market cellars, together with the opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation on the subject; whereupon the following resolution was, on motion, adopted, viz.:

Resolved, That the petition of James Sullivan for compromise of claim of the city for rents due on leases, Fulton Market, be referred to the Comptroller, with power to make such settlement as he may deem best, under the advice of the Counsel to the Corporation, in the interest of the city.

The Comptroller submitted the following communication from the Superintendent of Repairs and Supplies, in relation to the present condition of the Fulton Market building, which was accepted and ordered printed in the minutes, viz.:

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
BUREAU OF REPAIRS AND SUPPLIES,
SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, CITY HALL, ROOM 18,
NEW YORK, June 4, 1880.

Hon. JOHN KELLY, Comptroller:

SIR—In answer to your inquiries, a day or two ago, in relation to the present condition of the Fulton Market building, I would respectfully state, that I have recently made a careful examination of the premises; and in my judgment, there are portions of the building so far decayed and rotten, as to render it dangerous in its present condition; and if the market be allowed to stand, some radical repairs are indispensable for its safety. Many of the foundations on which stand the columns and posts which support the roof and the whole superstructure, have sunk, and consequently, the columns and posts are out of plumb, and are only held in their places by the timbers and frame-work of the roof which, in some places, are so weak, rotten and decayed, that there is no telling at what moment the whole structure may give way with fatal results.

The cost of putting the present structure in a safe and proper condition would be considerable, in fact, it would almost involve an entire new building, as the greater portion of the present structure would have to be replaced with new materials, and even then it could only be regarded as a temporary measure.

Yours very respectfully,
THOMAS KEECH, Superintendent of Repairs and Supplies.

The Comptroller submitted the following report of Messrs. Paines & Co., of London, in relation to the will of Charles Miller Case, which was accepted and ordered printed in the minutes, viz.:

47 GRESHAM HOUSE, LONDON, E. C.,
May 11, 1880.

DEAR SIR:

Re C. M. CASE, deceased.

We now beg to report that the Vice-Chancellor, Sir Charles Hall, has made an order in this case directing that the property of the testator be applied in paying an annuity of £60, as directed by his will, to his daughter, Miss Charlotte Louise Case.

As the interest upon the Portuguese bonds which the testator died possessed of, and upon the small sum in court, will not be sufficient to make up this annuity, a portion of the corpus of the estate will have to be sold in each year to make up that sum, and in this way, should Miss Case live long enough, she will gradually exhaust the whole of the fund. If, however, she dies before the whole of the corpus is so exhausted, the balance will be payable to the Treasurer, for the time being, of the City of New York, and this the order of the Vice-Chancellor Hall has provided for.

There will be no fund out of which our costs can be paid, unless, which we fear is improbable, Miss Case's early demise should entitle the Treasurer of the City of New York to receive any money.

Yours truly,

PAINES & CO.

JOHN KELLY, Esq., Comptroller, Finance Department, New York, U. S. A.

The Mayor stated that this meeting had been called to consider any applications that may be made for leasing real estate for the purposes of the Corporation, and that the judges and officers, for whom rooms are to be provided, had been notified to be present.

A certified copy of chapter 461 of the Laws of 1880 was presented and ordered to be entered in the minutes.

CHAPTER 461.

AN ACT to regulate the leasing of Real Estate by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York.

Passed May 27, 1880. Three-fifths being present.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows: Section 1. All applications to lease any real estate for the purposes of the mayor, aldermen and commonality of the city of New York must hereafter be presented to and passed upon by the commissioners of the sinking fund of said city.

Sec. 2. It shall be the duty of the comptroller of the city after due inquiry to be made by him, to present to the said commissioners a statement in writing of the facts relating to any real estate proposed to be leased, the purposes for which such lease is required by the city, with his opinion and the reasons therefor, as to the fair and reasonable rent of said premises.

The said commissioners, upon such report, and upon such further inquiry as they in their discretion may make, may authorize a lease of such premises as shall be specified in their resolution, at the rent therein set forth, for a period not exceeding five years; but such lease shall not be authorized except at a fair and reasonable rent, and unless the commissioners are satisfied, and shall so express that it would be for the interest of the city that a lease of the premises for the purposes specified should be made. Without the consent of the said commissioners the premises leased shall not be used during the period of the lease for purposes other than specified in said resolution. If the city shall, prior to the making of the lease, have entered upon the possession of the property, the lease may be made to commence as of the date when the occupation commenced.

Sec. 3. The comptroller of the city shall enter into, on behalf of the mayor, aldermen, and commonality of the city, any lease authorized by the commissioners of the sinking fund, as in the preceding section specified.

Sec. 4. All laws inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

Sec. 5. This act shall take effect immediately.

Hon. G. P. Haws, Judge of the Marine Court, and John Savage, Esq., Clerk; Allan Campbell, Esq., Commissioner Department of Public Works; John A. Dinkel, Esq., Judge Fourth District Civil Court; Nelson K. Wheeler, Esq., Judge Sixth District Police Court; James R. Angel, Esq., Judge Tenth District Civil Court; Thomas B. Astor, Esq., Chairman Board of Assessors; E. D. Gale, Esq., Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes; and W. P. Sherman and John W. Barrow, Esqrs., Commissioners of Accounts, appeared before the Commissioners and stated their views in relation to the accommodations required for their respective courts and offices.

The matter of leasing the premises No. 31 Chambers street for the occupation of the Department of Public Works, in case the rooms in the City Hall, now occupied by that Department, should be assigned to the Marine Court and other city officers, was referred to the Comptroller, to inquire, as provided in the second section of the act, to report to the Commissioners.

The Commissioner of Public Works was requested to ascertain the terms on which the building could be leased, on condition that the owners make the necessary alterations and put in the necessary apparatus and fixtures.

The matter of leasing the premises now occupied by the Fourth District Civil Court, or other suitable premises in lieu of them, was also referred to the Comptroller.

The Commissioners then adjourned to meet at the call of the Chairman.

W. H. DIKEMAN, Secretary.

APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That Weeks W. Culver be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Weeks W. Culver, whose term of office expires May 31, 1880.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 25, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, June 1, 1880.

Resolved, That George B. Patterson be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of John S. Giles, who has resigned.

Resignation accepted and resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 25, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, June 1, 1880.

Resolved, That James P. Niemann be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Francis J. Twomey, resigned.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 25, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, June 1, 1880.

Resolved, That George Burnham, Jr., be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of George Burnham, Jr., whose term of office expires May 29, 1880.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 25, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, June 1, 1880.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY

OF THE

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK.

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

ABSTRACT OF REGISTERS FROM SELF-RECORDING INSTRUMENTS

For the Week Ending June 5, 1880.

Barometer.

DATE. MAY AND JUNE.		7 A. M.		2 P. M.		9 P. M.		Mean for the Day.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.			
		Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.		Reduced to Freezing.	Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.	Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.
Sunday,	30	30.086	30.000	29.970	29.864	29.874	29.771	29.878	30.150	30.064	0 A. M.	29.824	29.721	12 P. M.
Monday,	31	29.874	29.768	29.935	29.809	29.976	29.854	29.810	30.012	29.898	12 P. M.	29.806	29.700	3 A. M.
Tuesday,	1	30.010	29.899	30.026	29.877	30.042	29.941	29.906	30.042	29.941	9 P. M.	30.006	29.938	12 P. M.
Wednesday,	2	30.004	29.949	30.002	29.917	30.044	29.968	29.945	30.044	29.968	9 P. M.	30.002	29.917	2 P. M.
Thursday,	3	30.100	30.018	30.152	30.043	30.154	30.064	30.041	30.160	30.075	12 P. M.	30.034	29.963	0 A. M.
Friday,	4	30.222	30.137	30.220	30.109	30.248	30.147	30.131	30.248	29.147	9 P. M.	30.160	30.075	0 A. M.
Saturday,	5	30.286	30.185	30.224	30.107	30.178	30.080	30.124	30.286	30.185	7 A. M.	30.150	30.055	12 P. M.

Mean for the week..... 29.976 inches.

Maximum " at 9 P. M., June 4..... 30.147 "

Minimum " at 3 A. M., May 31..... 29.700 "

Range "447 "

Thermometers.

DATE. MAY AND JUNE.		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.	Time.	Wet Bulb.	Time.	Dry Bulb.	Time.	Wet Bulb.	Time.	
Sunday,	30	61	60	68	64	67	64	65.3	62.7	69	3 P. M.	65	6 P. M.	59	4 A. M.	58	0 A. M.	93
Monday,	31	68	63	76	66	74	67	72.7	65.3	79	6 P. M.	68	6 P. M.	65	5 A. M.	63	5 A. M.	132
Tuesday,	1	70	65	84	72	66	58	73.3	65.0	84	2 P. M.	72	2 P. M.	55	12 P. M.	55	12 P. M.	138
Wednesday,	2	49	49	60	56	57	56	55.3	53.6	61	4 P. M.	57	4 P. M.	48	6 A. M.	48	6 A. M.	112
Thursday,	3	59	55	69	59	62	58	63.3	57.3	70	3 P. M.	60	3 P. M.	53	5 A. M.	53	5 A. M.	126
Friday,	4	60	56	70	59	66	59	65.3	58.0	72	3 P. M.	60	7 P. M.	54	4 A. M.	54	4 A. M.	128
Saturday,	5	66	59	72	62	65	61	67.6	60.6	72	2 P. M.	62	2 P. M.	61	5 A. M.	57	5 A. M.	123

Mean for the week..... 66.1 degrees..... 60.3 degrees.

Maximum for the week, at 2 P. M., 1st..... 84. " at 2 P. M., 1st..... 72. "

Minimum " " at 6 A. M., 2d..... 48. " at 6 A. M., 2d..... 48. "

Range " " 36 " 24. "

Wind.

DATE.	MAY AND JUNE.	DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.				FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.				
		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Distance for the Day.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Max.	Time.
Sunday,	30	ESE	SSE	S	38	51	46	135	0	¼	¼	¼	9.30 A. M.
Monday,	31	W	W	WSW	80	79	50	209	¼	¼	0	1	10 A. M.
Tuesday,	1	SW	W	NNE	66	39	70	175	¼	¼	1	5	3.15 P. M.
Wednesday,	2	NNW	E	ENE	114	69	17	200	1½	¼	0	4½	1 A. M.
Thursday,	3	NNW	SSE	S	28	28	59	115	¼	0	¼	¼	4.10 P. M.
Friday,	4	NW	SSW	SSE	41	28	18	87	0	¼	0	¼	9.15 A. M.
Saturday,	5	SE	SE	SSE	27	61	85	163	0	¼	¼	2½	2.30 P. M.

Distance traveled during the week..... 1,084 miles.

Maximum force " " 5 pounds.

DATE.	Hygrometer.						Clouds.			Rain and Snow.					
	FORCE OF VAPOR.			RELATIVE HUMIDITY.			CLEAR, 0. OVERCAST, 10.			DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES.					
	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration. H. M.	Amount of Water.	Depth of Snow.	
Sunday,	30	.505	.543	.556	94	79	84	10	8 Cu.	10	2.40 A. M.	10 A. M.	7.20	.20	
Monday,	31	.509	.505	.568	74	56	68	5 Cu.	6 Cu.	0	0 A. M.	5 A. M.	5.00	.23	..
Tuesday,	1	.550	.623	.376	75	53	59	3 Cir.	9 Cu.	9 Cu.	3.15 P. M.	4 P. M.	0.45	.30	..
Wednesday,	2	.348	.396	.436	100	77	94	10	8 Cu.	6 Cir. Cu.	0.30 A. M.	9 A. M.	8.30	.33	..
Thursday,	3	.380	.367	.429	76	52	77	0	2 Cir. Cu.	0	.....	.....	.....	..	..
Friday,	4	.396	.354	.407	77	48	64	0	1 Cu.	0	.....	.....	.....	..	..
Saturday,	5	.407	.422	.483	64	54	78	6 Cir. Cu.	8 Cir. Cu.	10	.....	.....	.....	..	..

Total amount of water for the week..... 1.14 inch.

DANIEL DRAPER, Director.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS,
OFFICE, No. 2 FOURTH AVENUE,
NEW YORK, June 7, 1880.

The following comprises the operations of the Department of Buildings for the week ending June 5, 1880.

HENRY J. DUDLEY,
Sup't of Buildings.
EDWARD G. DUMAHAUT,
Chief Clerk.

BUREAU OF INSPECTION OF BUILDINGS.

New Buildings.

No. of plans and specifications filed, etc.	28
No. of buildings embraced in same.	48
Classified as follows:	
First-class dwellings.	12
Second-class dwellings.	2
French flats.	8
Tenement-houses.	10
Hotels and boarding-houses.	1
First-class stores.	1
Second-class stores.	2
Third-class stores.	2
Office buildings.	2
Manufactories and workshops.	2
School-houses.	1
Churches.	1
Public buildings.	1
Stables.	4
Frame buildings (in upper districts).	3
Total.	48
Plans passed upon, including those previously filed.	32
Approved.	20
Amended and approved.	4
Disapproved.	1
Pending.	7
Total.	32

Altered Buildings.

No. of plans and specifications filed.	21
No. of buildings embraced in same.	23
Classified as follows:	
First-class dwellings.	7
Second-class dwellings.	1
French flats.	1
Tenement houses.	4
Hotels and boarding-houses.	2
First-class stores.	1
Second-class stores.	1
Third-class stores.	1
Office buildings.	1
Manufactories and workshops.	1
School-houses.	1
Churches.	1
Public buildings.	1
Stables.	1
Frame buildings.	5
Total.	23
Buildings examined and plans relating thereto passed upon, including those previously filed.	33
Approved.	15
Amended and approved.	7
Disapproved.	5
Pending.	6
Total.	33

Special Applications.

Number filed and examinations made.	15
Approved.	11
Disapproved.	3
Pending.	1
Total.	15

Building operations for the month of May, 1880, as reported by the District Inspectors:

New buildings commenced.	191
New buildings completed (including those previously commenced).	179
Alterations commenced.	165
Alterations completed (including those previously commenced).	171
New buildings in progress.	1050
Alterations in progress.	160

Respectfully submitted,
ROBERT MCGINNIS,
Chief of Bureau.

JOHN J. TINDALE,
Plan Clerk.

BUREAU OF VIOLATIONS AND APPLICATIONS.

Operations for the week ending June 5, 1880:	
Complaints received from outside sources.	10
Violations of the law reported.	9
“ “ removed.	17
Unsafe buildings reported.	17
“ “ made safe.	12
“ “ taken down.	1
Surveys held on unsafe buildings.	1
Violation cases sent to the Attorney for prosecution.	4
Unsafe building cases sent to the Attorney for prosecution.	18
Violation notices served.	129
Unsafe building notices served.	129
Operations for the month of May, 1880:	
Complaints received from outside sources.	128
Violations of the law reported.	61
“ “ removed.	44
Unsafe buildings reported.	99
“ “ made safe.	55
“ “ taken down.	13

Surveys held on unsafe buildings.	4
Violation cases sent to the Attorney for prosecution.	23
Unsafe building cases sent to the Attorney for prosecution.	10
Violation notices served.	182
Unsafe building notices served.	353

Respectfully submitted,
ANDREW OWENS,
Chief of Bureau.

WM. H. CLASS,
Clerk.

BUREAU OF FIRE-ESCAPES AND IRON WORK.

Operations for the week ending, June 5, 1880:	
Buildings reported for additional means of escape in case of fire.	4
Buildings reported for trap-doors and railings to hoistways.	1
Buildings reported for iron shutters not so constructed that they can be closed and opened from the outside.	24
Buildings provided with additional means of escape in case of fire.	7
Buildings provided with trap-doors and railings to hoistways.	1
Buildings on which iron shutters have been so constructed that they can be closed and opened from the outside.	105
Arch girders tested (approved).	10
“ (not approved).	1
Iron beams tested (approved).	5
“ (not approved).	1
Iron lintels tested (approved).	1
“ (not approved).	1
Notices for fire-escapes, trap-doors, iron shutters, etc., served.	163
Cases sent to the Attorney for prosecution.	1
Operations for the month of May, 1880:	
Buildings reported for additional means of escape in case of fire.	56
Buildings reported for trap-doors and railings to hoistways.	3
Buildings reported for iron shutters not so constructed that they can be closed and opened from the outside.	230
Buildings provided with additional means of escape in case of fire.	50
Buildings provided with trap-doors and railings to hoistways.	6
Buildings on which iron shutters have been so constructed that they can be closed and opened from the outside.	223
Buildings exempted from the provisions of the law requiring iron shutters, by the Board of Examiners.	1
Arch girders tested (approved).	26
“ (not approved).	1
Iron beams tested (approved).	73
“ (not approved).	1
Iron lintels tested (approved).	20
“ (not approved).	1
Notices for fire-escapes, trap-doors, iron shutters, etc., served.	576
Cases sent to the Attorney for prosecution.	3

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

JAMES H. ERB,
Clerk.

1880.
Jan. 3—To F. Meyer, rent "Westchester" office of Department, for May, 1880. \$8 00
HENRY J. DUDLEY,
Superintendent of Buildings.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.

No. 6 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.
EDWARD COOPER, Mayor; JAMES E. MORRISON, Secretary; John Tracey, Chief Clerk.

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
JOHN TYLER KELLY, First Marshal.

Permit and License Bureau Office.

No. 1 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
DANIEL S. HART, Registrar.

Sealers and Inspectors of Weights and Measures.
No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
WILLIAM EYERS, Sealer First District; ELIJAH W. ROE, Sealer Second District; JOHN MURRAY, Inspector First District; JOSEPH SHANNON, Inspector Second District.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.

No. 8 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN J. MORRIS, President Board of Aldermen.
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

Commissioner's Office.

No. 19 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioner; FREDERICK HAMLIN, Deputy Commissioner.

Bureau of Water Register.

No. 10 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN H. CHAMBERS, Register.

Bureau of Incumbrances.

No. 13 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL, Superintendent.

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

No. 21 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
STEPHEN MCCORMICK, Superintendent.

Bureau of Streets.

No. 19 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES J. MOONEY, Superintendent.

Bureau of Sewers.

No. 21 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
STEVENSON TOWLE, Engineer-in-Charge.

Bureau of Chief Engineer.

No. 11½ City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE W. BIRDSALL, Chief Engineer.

Bureau of Street Improvements.

No. 11 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE A. JEREMIAH, Superintendent.

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

No. 18 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS KEECH, Superintendent.

Bureau of Water Surveyor.

No. 4 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
DANIEL O'REILLY, Water Surveyor.

Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.

JOHN F. SLOPER, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

Nos. 19 and 20 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN KELLY, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STOKES, Deputy Comptroller.

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

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

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

Auditing Bureau.

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

Bureau of Arrears.

No. 5 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ARTEMAS CADY, Clerk of Arrears.

Bureau for the Collection of Assessments.

No. 16 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EDWARD GILON, Collector.

Bureau of City Revenue.

No. 6 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EDWARD F. FITZPATRICK, Collector of City Revenue.

Bureau of Markets.

No. 6 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOSHUA M. VARIAN, Superintendent of Markets.

LAW DEPARTMENT

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation

Staats Zeitung Building, third floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM C. WHITNEY, Counsel to the Corporation
ANDREW T. CAMPBELL, Chief Clerk.

Office of the Public Administrator.

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

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM A. BOVD, Corporation Attorney.

Attorney to Department of Buildings' Office.

Corner Cortlandt and Church streets.
JOHN A. FOLEY, Attorney.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
STEPHEN B. FRENCH, President; SETH C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.

Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
TOWNSEND COX, President; JOSHUA PHILLIPS, Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Headquarters.

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

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

No. 36 Union square, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES F. WENMAN, President; EDWARD P. BARKER, Secretary.

Civil and Topographical Office.

Arsenal, 64th street a d 5th avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.
Fordham 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS

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

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

No. 2 Fourth avenue, 8:30 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HENRY J. DUDLEY, Superintendent.

BOARD OF EXCISE.

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

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Nos. 3 and 4 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
PRTER BOWE, Sheriff; JOEL O. STEVENS, Under Sheriff

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

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

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

No. 27 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WM. PITT SHEARMAN, JOHN W. BARROW,

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM A. BUTLER, County Clerk; J. HENRY FORD, Deputy County Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS,
OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, No. 2 FOURTH AVENUE,
NEW YORK, December, 1879.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS AND BUILDERS.

FOR THE PROTECTION OF THEIR INTERESTS property owners and builders are requested to refuse admission into their buildings to any officer of this Department who does not show his proper badge of office on demand.

All badges issued from this office are shield shaped, with the title of the officer, the name of this Department, and the number engraved thereon, and are numbered from 1 to 50. The following badges are lost or stolen: Inspectors, badges Nos. 4, 8, 9, 11, 12, 21, 22, 23, 36, 38, 39, 42, 43, 45, 46, 48, 49, and 50. Fire Escape Examiners, badges Nos. 3 and 8, and Messenger's badge No. 7. All parties professing to be officers of this Department not provided with badges of the above description, or who attempt to use badges of the above named missing numbers, or an oval shaped badge, formerly used in the Department, are impostors, and the public are cautioned against recognizing such persons, and are requested to report the same to this office in any case that may come to their notice.

HENRY J. DUDLEY,
Superintendent of Buildings.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
BUREAU OF WATER REGISTER, ROOM 10 CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, April 28, 1880.

CROTON WATER RATES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, ACCORDING to law, Croton water rates for the current year will be due and payable at this office on and after May 1, 1880.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Commissioner of Public Works.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, ROOM NO. 39,
NEW YORK, June 3, 1880.

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, iron, lead, male and female clothing, dresses, trunks, bags, etc., tea, coffee, flour, watches, blankets; also small amount of cash taken from prisoners and found by patrolmen of this Department.

C. A. ST. JOHN,
Property Clerk.

THE CITY RECORD

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

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the School Trustees of the Nineteenth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Thursday, the 17th day of June, 1880, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on said day, for the carpenter's work and materials for a new school house on the north side of East Forty-sixth street, one hundred and thirty-five feet east of Third avenue.

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

Proposals must be indorsed "Proposal for Carpenter Work."

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.

No substitution by the accepted contractor will be permitted without first obtaining, in writing, permission from the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education.

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

EUGENE H. POMEROY,
M. THALMESSINGER,
JOHN C. DONNELLY,
RICHARD KELLY,
CHARLES L. HOLT,
Board of School Trustees, Nineteenth Ward.
Dated New York, June 3, 1880.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the School Trustees of the Thirteenth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Tuesday, the 15th day of June, 1880, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on said day, for the erection of new school-house on the east side of Norfolk street, between Delancey and Livingston streets, on lots Nos. 102, 104 and 106.

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

Proposals will be received only for the entire work and materials required for the erection of the building, and must be indorsed "Proposal for the Erection of a School-house on Norfolk street, in the Thirteenth Ward;" all the work is to be performed under one contract.

The work is to be completed by the 1st day of June, 1881, under a forfeiture of seventy-five dollars per day, for each and every day that the work remains unfinished after the said 1st day of June, 1881.

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.

No substitution by the accepted contractor will be permitted without first obtaining, in writing, permission from the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education:
GEORGE W. R. LYLEA,
FREDERICK GERMANN,
FREDERICK HOLSTEN,
EDWARD MCCUE,
FRANCIS COAN,
Board of School Trustees, Thirteenth Ward.
Dated New York, June 1, 1880.

JURORS. NOTICE IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, June 8, 1880.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street and Harlem river—Unknown man; aged about 40 years; 5 feet 6 inches high. Had on check alpaca coat, blue flannel vest and pants, white shirt, white knit undershirt, white cotton flannel drawers, gray socks, slippers.

Unknown man, from Pier 14 North river; 5 feet 8 inches high. Had on blue flannel shirt, dark pants, white socks, brogan shoes. Body about four months in water.

Unknown man, from Pier 1 North river; aged about 40 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; brown hair and moustache. Had on brown coat, dark pants, white knit undershirt, gaiters.

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Ellen Flanagan; aged 50 years; 4 feet 6 inches high; black hair and eyes. Had on when admitted, brown calico dress, red woolen hood. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

At Branch Lunatic Asylum, Hart's Island—Bridget Gaffney; aged 32 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; blue eyes; light brown hair. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

By order,
G. F. BRITTON,
Assistant Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, June 3, 1880.

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

At Work-house, Blackwell's Island—William Bassford; aged 57 years. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—David Gilbert; aged 45 years; 5 feet 10 inches high; light hair; blue eyes. Had on when admitted, brown coat, gray pants, gaiters. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

At N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—William Fay; aged 35 years; 5 feet 8½ inches high; brown eyes; dark hair. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

Charles Johnson; aged 38 years; 5 feet 4½ inches high; gray eyes; brown hair. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

At Branch Lunatic Asylum, Hart's Island—Maria Jones—aged 61 years; 3 feet 8 inches high; gray eyes and hair. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

By Order,
G. F. BRITTON,
Assistant Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, May 29, 1880.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from Pier 2, East river—Aged about 35 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; brown hair. Had on black overcoat, black diagonal frock coat, black pants, brown shirt, gray undershirt and drawers, gray knit socks, boots. Body about two months in water.

Unknown man, from Spuyten Duyvil Creek, 5 feet 7 inches high. Had on blue flannel shirt, red flannel drawers, gray knit undershirt, dark striped pants, blue ribbed socks, brogan shoes. Body about six months in water.

Unknown man, from off Governor's Island; 5 feet 9 inches high. Had on black overcoat, black ribbed coat and vest, dark pants, white shirt, white knit undershirt, white socks, gaiters. Body about six months in water.

At Randall's Island Hospital—George Fisher; aged 63 years. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

At Hart's Island Hospital—Kate Forbes; aged 58 years; 5 feet high; dark hair, blue eyes. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

By Order,
G. F. BRITTON,
Ass't. Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, May 25, 1880.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from foot of Stanton street—Unknown man, aged about 35 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; dark brown hair, moustache and beard; hazel eyes. Had on dark check suit, white shirt, white knit undershirt, gaiters.

Unknown man, from off Battery, aged about 45 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; body very much decomposed. Had on black cardigan jacket, black ribbed vest, dark striped pants, plaid woolen shirt, white shirt, blue socks, gaiters.

Unknown man, from Pier 36, East river, aged about 40 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; black hair. Had on dark cloth vest, dark corded pants, blue check shirt, white cotton flannel drawers, boots.

Unknown man, from Roosevelt Hospital, aged about 55 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; sandy hair, whiskers and moustache. Had on pepper and salt frock coat, plaid pants, dark vest, white shirt, with I. L. marked in red thread, white flannel undershirt, black felt hat.

Unknown woman, from Chambers Street Hospital, aged about 35 years; 5 feet 2 inches high; brown hair; blue eyes; no teeth.

Unknown man from Arnold's Point, East river, 5 feet 8 inches high. Had on blue woolen socks, white ribbed drawers, gaiters. Body about 6 months in water.

Unknown man from Pier 27, East river—5 feet 7 inches high. Had on black diagonal pants, red flannel drawers, gray socks, boots. Body about 6 months in water.

By order,
G. F. BRITTON,
Assistant Secretary.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS OF the Board of Aldermen will meet every Monday at two o'clock P. M., at Room No. 8 City Hall.

HENRY C. PERLEY,
THOMAS SHELLS,
JOHN MCCLAVE,
HENRY HOFFEN,
BERNARD KENNEY,
Committee on Public Works.

SUPREME COURT.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of the costs, charges, and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chamber thereof, in the County Court-house at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the eighteenth day of June, 1880, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

RICHARD CROKER,
CHARLES H. HASWELL,
BERNARD SMYTH,
Commissioners.

Dated New York, June 5, 1880.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of Sixty-seventh street, from Third avenue to the East river, in the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH CASES made and provided, the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, hereby give notice that the Counsel to the Corporation will apply to the Supreme Court in the First Judicial District of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the Chambers of said court, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 25th day of June, A. D. 1880, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of a Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in the above proceeding, in the place and stead of George H. Swords, deceased.

New York, May 29, 1880.
WM. 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 Eighth street, from the easterly line of Fifth avenue to the Harlem river.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH CASES made and provided, the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, hereby give notice that the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York will apply to the Supreme Court in the First Judicial District of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the Chambers of said court, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 25th day of June, A. D. 1880, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of a Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in the above proceeding, in the place and stead of George H. Swords, deceased.

Dated New York, May 29, 1880.
WM. 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 Sixty-seventh street, from Third avenue to the East river, in the City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses, lots, and improved or 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, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to William Cruikshank, our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 261 Broadway, Room No. 23, in said city, on or before the 28th day of June, 1880; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week days next after said 28th day of June, 1880, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our office on each of said ten days, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

Second—That the abstract of said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 8th day of July, 1880.

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 a point on the easterly line of Third avenue, distant one hundred feet and five inches southerly from the southerly line of Sixty-eighth street, thence easterly and parallel to Sixty-eighth street and always one hundred feet and five inches southerly of the southerly line thereof to the bulkhead line of East river, thence southerly along said bulkhead line to a point which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to Sixty-sixth street, and one hundred feet and five inches northerly of the northerly line thereof, thence westerly and parallel to Sixty-sixth street, and always one hundred feet and five inches northerly of the northerly line thereof to the easterly line of Third avenue, thence northerly along the easterly line of Third avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Excepting, however, 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.

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 at the New Court-house in the City of New York, on the 13th day of July, 1880, at the opening of the 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 said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, May 19, 1880.
WILLIAM CRUIKSHANK,
GUNNING S. BEDFORD,
GEORGE H. SWORDS,
Commissioners.

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 acquiring title for the use of the public to lands included within the lines of One Hundred and Fifty-third street, from the easterly line of the New Avenue, lying between Eighth and Ninth avenues to the Harlem river.

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 or unimproved lands, affected thereby; and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

I.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to the undersigned Commissioners, at our office, No. 82 Nassau street, Room No. 22, in the said city, on or before the 23d day of June, 1880; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 23d day of June, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 1 o'clock P. M.

II.—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 6th day of July, 1880.

III.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid, are as follows, to wit: All those certain lots, pieces, or parcels of land contained, lying and being within the following bounds or limits, that is to say: beginning at a point on the easterly line or side of the New Avenue, lying between the Eighth and Ninth avenues, distant one hundred and one foot and eleven and one-eighth inches northerly from the point formed by the intersection of said easterly side of said New Avenue with the northerly line or side of One Hundred and Fifty-third street, as the same is laid out and to be opened by this proceeding; and running thence easterly and parallel with said One Hundred and Fifty-third street, to the bulkhead line on the Harlem river; thence southerly along said bulkhead line to a point where the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Fifty-second and said One Hundred and Fifty-third streets, if produced, would intersect said bulkhead line; thence westerly and parallel with said One Hundred and Fifty-third street to the easterly line or side of said New Avenue, and thence northerly along the easterly line or side of said New Avenue two hundred and sixty-three feet and five-eighths of an inch to the point or place of beginning.

IV.—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, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 20th day of July, at the opening of the 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, May 17, 1880.
WILLIAM C. TRAPHAGEN,
WILLIAM A. SEAVER,
HENDERSON MOORE,
Commissioners.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
FIRST FLOOR, ROOM NO. 1, NEW COURT-HOUSE,
CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, June 4, 1880.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED APRIL 16, ENTERED APRIL 24, 1880.

Opening of—

156th street, from the westerly line of Kingsbridge road to the easterly line of 11th avenue.

157th street, from the westerly line of the Road or Public Drive near the Harlem river to the easterly line of 11th avenue.

158th street, from the westerly line of Kingsbridge road to the Hudson river.

159th street, from the westerly line of the Road or Public Drive near the Harlem river to the easterly line of 11th avenue.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before August 3, 1880, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of entry. The Collector's office is open daily, from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M., for the collection of money, and until 4 P. M. for general information.

EDWARD GILON,
Collector of Assessments.

ARREARS OF TAXES.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW York hereby gives notice to owners of Real Estate in said city, that, as provided by chapter 123 of the Laws of 1880, they may now pay any arrears of taxes and Croton water rents levied prior to the year 1877, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum. If, however, such taxes and Croton water rents are not paid before the first day of October next, the property on which they are due will be sold for taxes immediately thereafter, with the addition of accrued interest thereon at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum from the respective dates on which they were levied.

Lists for such tax sale are now being prepared by the Clerk of Arrears.

The time of payment of taxes for the years 1877, 1878, and 1879, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, is extended to the first day of April, 1881, and if not paid before that date, interest will be payable at the rate of twelve per cent. per annum.

The Act, chapter 123, Laws of 1880, containing these provisions of law, is published below.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, June 4, 1880.

CHAPTER 123.

AN ACT in relation to arrears of taxes in the City of New York, and to provide for the reissuing of revenue bonds in anticipation of such taxes.

Passed April 15, 1880; three-fifths being present.

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

Section 1. At any time after the passage of this act, and before the first day of October, eighteen hundred and eighty, any person may pay to the Comptroller of the City of New York the amount of any tax upon real property belonging to such person, heretofore laid or imposed and now remaining unpaid, together with interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the time that such tax was imposed to the time of such payment, provided, also, that the time when such payment may be made on the amount of any such tax laid or imposed

in the years eighteen hundred and seventy-seven, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, and eighteen hundred and seventy-nine shall extend to the first day of April, eighteen hundred and eighty-one. The comptroller shall make and deliver to the person making any such payment a receipt therefor, and shall forthwith cancel the record of any such tax on the books of the finance department; and upon such payment being made such tax shall cease to be a lien upon the property and shall be deemed fully paid, satisfied and discharged, and there shall be no right to any further interest or penalty by reason of such tax not having been paid within the time heretofore required by law, or by reason of any statute passed requiring the payment heretofore of any penalty or interest over seven per centum per annum upon any unpaid tax.

Sec. 2. Any revenue bond heretofore issued in anticipation of the taxes in the first section specified which may fall due and become payable before said taxes are collected, may be reissued by the comptroller of said city, in whole or in part, for such period as he may determine, not exceeding one year.

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

WILLIAM KENNELLY, AUCTIONEER.

CORPORATION SALE OF THE MARION STREET
BELL TOWER.

THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW York will sell at public auction, on Thursday, May 27, 1880, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the New County Court-house, the Marion Street Bell Tower.

TERMS OF SALE.

Cash to be paid to the Collector of the City Revenue at the time and place of sale. The successful bidder to remove the Bell Tower within twenty days from the date of sale, and to leave the premises on which it stands free from all material of the building.

The ground on which the tower stands to be smoothly and evenly graded.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, May 17, 1880.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, June 3, 1880, at the same hour and place.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, May 27, 1880.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, June 10, 1880, at the same hour and place.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, June 3, 1880.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
FIRST FLOOR, ROOM NO. 1, NEW COURT-HOUSE,
CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, May 18, 1880.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED MAY 11, ENTERED MAY 18, 1880.

88th street opening, from 8th avenue to New road, and from 12th avenue to the Hudson river.

91st street opening, from 8th avenue to New road, and from 12th avenue to the Hudson river.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before July 17, 1880, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of entry.

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

EDWARD GILON,
Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
FIRST FLOOR, ROOM NO. 1, NEW COURT-HOUSE,
CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, May 1, 1880.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED APRIL 28, ENTERED APRIL 30, 1880.

81st street opening, from the Boulevard to New avenue (Riverside drive), and from 12th avenue to Hudson river.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before June 29, 1880, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of entry.

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

EDWARD GILON,
Collector of Assessments.

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

NOTICE TO OWNERS OF REAL ESTATE IN THE TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARD 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 tax and said rejected taxes.

JOHN KELLY,
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.

Grantors, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents and Sheriff's sales, in 61 volumes, full bound, price, \$100 00. The same, in 25 volumes, half bound,