

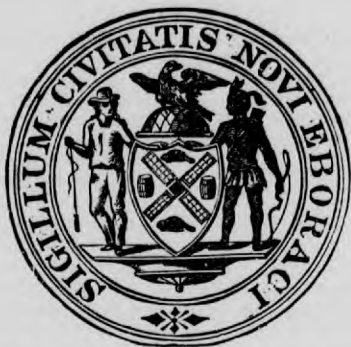
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LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

STATED SESSION.

TUESDAY, June 18, 1878,
12 o'clock, M.

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

PRESENT:

Hon. William R. Roberts, President;

ALDERMEN

William Bennett,
Bernard Biglin,
Thomas Carroll,
Ferdinand Ehrhart,
William H. Gedney,
George Hall,

John W. Jacobus,
Patrick Keenan,
Samuel A. Lewis,
John J. Morris,
Henry C. Perley,
Lewis J. Phillips,

Joseph C. Pinckney,
William Sauer,
Thomas Sheils,
James J. Slevin,
Louis C. Wachner.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

PETITIONS.

By Alderman Keenan—

Petition to light One Hundred and Sixty-third street, One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street and One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from Third to Railroad avenue.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen of New York City:

GENTS—The undersigned respectfully ask that gas-lamps may be put up and lighted on One Hundred and Sixty-third, One Hundred and Sixty-fourth and One Hundred and Sixty-fifth streets, from Third avenue to Railroad avenue.

These streets are well built upon, and the lighting of them would be of great benefit to your petitioners.

Z. Alonzo Carr, 175 feet on One Hundred and Sixty-third street, 150 feet on One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street.

Jos. S. Ives,
Caspar Schulz,
J. Matthes,
A. C. Gallahue,
Valentine Sprague,
Mrs. Schiff,
Edward Henry,
M. Hart,
Fran. Hittorff,
F. W. Hoffmann,
John J. Blauvelt,
George Gayner,
Wm. Morlang,
Isidor Loebke,
Philipp Kleoner,
John Bauer,

Charles L. Georgi,
Wm. Hoeland,
George Hohmann,
Adam Schwarz,
Henry Kalle,
Fred. H. Kiar,
August Molbus,
Burkard Haas,
Andrew Cook,
Friederick Cardes,
Andrew Rice,
Phillip Rice,
D. Lottich,
A. J. Horn,
Louis Folk,
William Roland,
J. H. Williams,
C. F. G. Brandt,
Charles J. Weiss,

George Kempt.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By the same—

Petition to light Concord avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-fifth and One Hundred and Sixty-seventh streets.

MORRISANIA, NEW YORK CITY, June 20, 1877.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—The undersigned, owners of property and residents on Concord avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-fifth and One Hundred and Sixty-seventh streets, respectfully request that you will cause said avenue to be lighted with gas-lamps.

George F. Bristow,
H. B. Hall,
H. A. Lee,
F. H. Nash,
M. J. Lynch,
Ernest Hall.

D. B. Frisbee,
R. J. Wheeler,
A. Brautigam,
George C. Manner,
William B. Avery,
Edwin B. Thomson.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

(G. O. 193.)

By Alderman Waehner—

Whereas, By chapter 411 of the Laws of 1878 power is conferred upon the Common Council of the City of New York to restore Tompkins square as a public park.

Resolved, That the Department of Public Parks be and the same hereby is directed to immediately take and adopt all necessary measures to restore said square as a public park.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Keenan—

Resolved, That John Duggan be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Boltis M. Segee, who has failed to qualify.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resignation of John E. Burke as Commissioner of Deeds.

The President put the question whether the Board would accept said resignation.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Whereupon Alderman Waehner offered the following:

Resolved, That Patrick J. Flemming be and he is hereby appointed Commissioner of Deeds in place of John E. Burke, who has resigned.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative, on a division, viz.:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Bennett, Biglin, Carroll, Gedney, Jacobus, Keenan, Lewis, Morris, Perley, Phillips, Pinckney, Sauer, Sheils, and Wachner—15.

By Alderman Carroll—

Resignation of Philip L. Berlinger, as a Commissioner of Deeds, in favor of F. H. May.

Alderman Perley moved to strike out all relating to the appointment of F. H. May.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said resignation.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Whereupon Alderman Carroll offered the following:

Resolved, That Ferdinand H. May be and he hereby is appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in the place and stead of Philip L. Berlinger, resigned.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative, on a division, viz.:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Bennett, Biglin, Carroll, Gedney, Jacobus, Keenan, Lewis, Morris, Perley, Phillips, Pinckney, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, and Wachner—16.

By Alderman Jacobus—

Resolved, That West Eleventh street, from West street to Thirteenth avenue, be paved with Belgian or trap-block pavement, and that at the several intersecting streets and avenues crosswalks be laid where not now laid, and relaid where those now laid are, in the opinion of the Commissioner of Public Works, not in good repair, or are not upon a grade adapted to the grade of the proposed new 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 Public Works.

By Alderman Perley—

Resolved, That the vacant lots in Forty-fourth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues, be fenced in where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

To the Honorable Mayor, Common Council, and Commonalty of the City of New York:

DEAR SIRS—We, the undersigned, residents and real estate owners in West Forty-fourth and Forty-fifth streets, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues, are obliged to complain to your Honorable Board that the several vacant lots in our neighborhood used as a granite stone yard are a great nuisance and a source of annoyance to all people living near by. Our complaint is, viz.:

Roughs and rowdies are continually using the above premises as a place of abode, insulting respectable people who pass by. We also have great annoyance by them because they throw stones, etc., besides several other minor matters too numerous to mention. We, the undersigned, as taxpayers, trust that your Honorable Board will please take action in the above case and see that the said several lots shall be fenced according to law. Hoping that the matter will be attended to at once, we remain,

Yours truly,

N. Y., May 23, 1878.

George P. O'Neil, 532 W. 44th st.
Patrick O'Neil, 534 W. 44th st.
Peter G. O'Neil, 536 W. 44th st.
John Brennan, 555 W. 44th st.
John Hoersch, 528 W. 44th st.
Frank O'Neill, 556 W. 44th st.
Frank O'Neill, 558 W. 44th st.
Terence Donnelly, 544 W. 44th st.
William Kearney, 542 W. 44th st.
Francis Deno, 551 W. 44th st.
Michael Sinnott, 552 W. 44th st.

John Shanly, agent, 505-7-9-11-13 W. 44th st.
William Schaffer, 512 W. 44th st., and 524, 526 W. 43d st.

Lawrence Dolan, 546 W. 44th st.
Bernard Kiernan, 549 W. 44th st.
C. Carey, 506 W. 44th st.
Alex. Donaldson, 540 W. 44th st.
John B. Gorgers, 557 W. 44th st.
Mark Horgan, 559 W. 44th st.
Peter Menninger, 586 Eleventh av. and 44th st.
Mrs. E. Fayolle, 550 W. 44th st.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Slevin—

Resolved, That John Martin 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 Bennett—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William Feldhausen to place a free drinking-hydrant in front of No. 337 Washington street, the same to be a substitute for the watering-trough now there, 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 Jacobus—

Resolved, That William F. Dusenbury 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. 194.)

By Alderman Morris—

Resolved, That lamps be placed and lighted, either upon lamp-posts or suspended from brackets, as follows: Two in Washington square alley, between Fifth avenue and University place; two in Bond street alley, between Bond and Bleecker streets, and one in Union court, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Jacobus—

Whereas, The surface of Ninth avenue, between the southerly line of Sixty-third street and the westerly line of the Boulevard, is from one to three feet below the established grade in consequence of a change in the grade of the avenue made by the Commissioners of the Central Park, in March, 1868, since which time the said portion of Ninth avenue has not been regulated and graded to the new grade; therefore

Resolved, That Ninth avenue, from the southerly line of Sixty-third street to the westerly line of the Boulevard, be regulated and graded to the established grade, and that curb and gutter stones be set or reset, and the sidewalks flagged or flagging relaid where not already done, or not on the established grade, 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 Waehner—

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Park Department be and they are hereby requested to communicate to this Board at an early day such plans as they should adopt relative to restoring Tompkins square as a public park, pursuant to the act of 1878, in the event of being directed by the Common Council to so restore said square.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

PETITIONS RESUMED.

By the President—

Petition of Eugene Beebe, asking the Common Council to tender a public reception to James Gordon Bennett on the occasion of his arrival in this city.

Which was referred to the Committee on Arts and Sciences.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

By Alderman Carroll—

Resolved, That Fifty-third street, between Broadway and Seventh avenue, be paved with Belgian or trap-block pavement, and that at the several intersecting streets and avenues crosswalks be laid where not now laid, and relaid where those now laid are, in the opinion of the Commissioner of Public Works, not in good repair, or are not upon a grade adapted to the grade of the proposed new 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 Public Works.

By Alderman Keenan—

Resolved, That Joseph H. Stitch 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 Perley—

Resolved, That Francis J. Burke of No. 577 Second avenue, 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 Charles G. Koss 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 Carroll—

Resolved, That Isaac Schreiber be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York; his term of office expires June 20, 1878.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Sauer—

Resolved, That George Henshaw Ely, of No. 15 Abingdon square, 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 Bennett—

Resolved, That Charles M. Roth be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Edward D. Parker, who has failed to qualify.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Perley—

Resolved, That Seventieth street, crossing Fourth avenue, be paved with Belgian pavement.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

The undersigned, owners and occupants of property on Seventieth street, between Third and Fifth avenues, would respectfully call your attention to the impassable condition of the street crossing Fourth avenue, in wet weather, and ask you to cause the Belgian pavement to be continued across Fourth avenue.

Stevenson Towle, 132 East 70th st.

David Babcock, 120 East 70th st.

Meyer Whitehead, 122 East 70th st.

V. H. Rothschild, 124 East 70th st.

E. B. Benjamin, 116 East 70th st.

M. P. Breslin, 114 East 70th st.

S. P. Patterson, 112 East 70th st.

Isaac Blum, 110 East 70th st.

M. Strasburger, 108 East 70th st.

J. Holzinger, 118 East 70th st.

Marcus Otterbourg, 128 East 70th st.

J. Metz, 130 East 70th st.

Henry Zeimer, 134 East 70th st.

Wm. S. Thorn, 136 East 70th st.

G. Rosenberg, 129 East 70th st.

P. S. Halsted, 131 East 70th st.

Frank Seaman Martin, 123 East 70th st.

Geo. M. Simonson, 119 East 70th st.

Mrs. T. H. Gilliss, 115 East 70th st.

Michael Kane, 126 East 70th st.

Martin Loeb, 111 East 70th st.

N. Necarsulmer, 109 East 70th st.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Carroll—

Resolved, That John F. Carroll be and is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, his present term expiring June 20, 1878.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Sheils—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Andrews & Co. to construct a tramway from bulkhead on South street to premises on South street, between Corlears and Jackson streets, for the purpose of conveying stone, the work to be done at their own expense; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Jacobus—

Whereas, Under an ordinance of the Common Council, passed May 11, 1850, the Croton Aqueduct Board and its successor, the Department of Public Works, have for the past 28 years exercised the undisputed authority of granting licenses for sprinkling the public streets of this city; and

Whereas, The Commissioner of Public Works has, in accordance with said ordinance, issued about fifty licenses to different persons to sprinkle streets in various and separate districts for the season of 1878; and

Whereas, The persons to whom said licenses have been issued have incurred considerable expense in procuring the sprinkling apparatus required by the ordinance and by the directions of the Commissioner of Public Works, and in making other necessary outlays to enable them to perform the work of street sprinkling for the whole season of 1878, depending on the good faith of the city to protect them in the exercise of the privileges granted in said licenses; and

Whereas, The said persons have already paid into the City Treasury a large sum for such privileges, and the city derives a considerable revenue therefrom; and

Whereas, According to the terms of said licenses the city has undertaken to protect the said persons in the exclusive privilege of sprinkling the streets therein designated, so long as they comply with the requirements and conditions of the same; therefore

Resolved, That this Board consider it inexpedient to make any change or amendment to the ordinance relative to street sprinkling during the term or terms for which the existing licenses have been issued.

Which was referred to the Committee on Law Department.

Alderman Perley moved to take from on file a petition of William H. Bertholf, to be paid for services as a Census Enumerator.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Alderman Perley then moved that the petition and accompanying papers 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.

MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT—CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, June 18, 1878.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—I herewith transmit an account of the expenses and receipts of the Mayor's office during the three months ending March 31, 1878, together with a statement in detail of the amounts paid and agreed to be paid for salaries to clerks and subordinates in said office, and the general nature of their duties, during the same period.

Very respectfully,

SMITH ELY, JR., Mayor.

Statement of Expenses of the Mayor's Office During the Three Months Ending March 31, 1878.

For salaries.....	\$7,162 49
Contingent expenses.....	534 89

Total expenses.....	\$7,697 38
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Statement of Receipts of the Mayor's Office During the Three Months Ending March 31, 1878.

Received for license fees and fines during the month of January, 1878.....	\$2,005 25
" " " " " February, 1878.....	5,026 75
" " " " " March, 1878.....	1,376 25
	\$8,408 25

Statement in Detail of the Amounts Paid for Salaries of Clerks and Subordinates in the Mayor's Office for the Three Months Ending March 31, 1878.

	Amount Paid.	Annual Salary.
George B. Vanderpoel, Secretary.....	\$1,200 00	\$4,800 00
John Hardy, Chief Clerk.....	750 00	3,000 00
Charles F. Wood, Clerk, January 1 to February 21.....	437 50	3,000 00
John J. Halloran, Messenger, January 1 to March 1.....	200 00	1,200 00
John J. Halloran, Messenger, March 1 to March 31.....	125 00	1,500 00
John Tyler Kelly, First Marshal.....	625 00	2,500 00
Herman Schroeter, Second Marshal.....	375 00	1,500 00
Lloyd Milnor, Clerk.....	250 00	1,000 00
Thomas E. Barrett, Clerk.....	200 00	800 00

Which was ordered on file.

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, June 15, 1878.

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, 1878, 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.....	\$1,250 00	\$413 50
Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council.....	250 00	27 04
Salaries—Common Council.....	106,000 00	45,342 74

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board a communication from the Department of Taxes and Assessments, in answer to resolution of inquiry relating to the property taken for the Brooklyn Bridge, and amount of taxes annually lost to the city thereby.

Alderman Pinckney moved that 500 copies of the report be printed in document form.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

(For which see document No.)

REPORTS.

(G. O. 195.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of laying a twelve-inch main in Elizabeth and Chrystie 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 the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized, pursuant to chapter 477, Laws of 1875, to lay large water-mains, not less than twelve inches diameter, in Elizabeth street, south of Bleecker street, and in Chrystie street, south of Houston street, and to place the necessary large hydrants on the large mains and intersecting mains.

THOMAS SHEILS,	} Committee on Public Works.
THOS. CARROLL,	
J. C. PINCKNEY,	
B. BIGLIN,	

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 196.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of lighting Sixty-third street, from First avenue to the East river, 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 gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street-lamps lighted in Sixty-third street, from First avenue to the East river, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

THOMAS SHEILS,	} Committee on Public Works.
THOS. CARROLL,	
J. C. PINCKNEY,	
B. BIGLIN,	

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 197.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of flagging Fifty-ninth street, between Madison and Fifth 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 the north side of Fifty-ninth street, between Madison and Fifth (5th) avenues, be 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.

THOMAS SHEILS,	} Committee on Public Works.
THOS. CARROLL,	
J. C. PINCKNEY,	
B. BIGLIN,	

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 198.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of laying Croton pipes in One Hundred and Eighth street, between Boulevard and Riverside drive, 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 One Hundred and Eighth street, from the Boulevard to the Riverside drive, as provided in chapter 477, Laws of 1875.

THOMAS SHEILS,	} Committee on Public Works.
THOS. CARROLL,	
J. C. PINCKNEY,	
B. BIGLIN,	

Which was laid over.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Alderman Pinckney called up G. O. 4, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That a boulevard lamp be placed on the lamp-post in front of No. 324 East Twenty-fourth street, in lieu of the old lantern now there, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was ordered on file.

Alderman Pinckney called up G. O. 151, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Henry Busch to keep a coal-box, 4 x 2½, in front of his premises, No. 53 Rutgers street, inside of stoop line, the work to be done at his own expense; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Which was ordered on file.

Alderman Pinckney called up G. O. 146, being a message from His Honor the Mayor, transmitting to the Commissioner of Public Works various resolutions of the Common Council.

Which was ordered on file.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

By Alderman Jacobus—

Resolved, That John E. Ellison be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, in place of Thomas McCarthy, who has failed to qualify.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS RESUMED.

Alderman Sauer called up G. O. 166, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street-lamps lighted in Mechanic street, between Main and Walker streets, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative, on a division, viz.:

Affirmative—The President, Alderman Bennett, Biglin, Carroll, Ehrhart, Gedney, Jacobus, Keenan, Lewis, Morris, Perley, Phillips, Pinckney, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, Waehner—17.

Alderman Sauer called up G. O. 188, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That Croton-mains be laid in Seventy-third street, 190 feet east of Third avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, as provided in section 2, chapter 477, Laws of 1875.

Which was again laid over.

Alderman Sauer called up G. O. 47, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That a crosswalk be laid across Fordham avenue, near Eleventh street, Central Morisania, under the direction of the Department of Public Parks; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative, on a division, viz.:

Affirmative—The President, Alderman Bennett, Biglin, Carroll, Ehrhart, Gedney, Hall, Jacobus, Keenan, Lewis, Morris, Perley, Phillips, Pinckney, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, and Waehner—18.

Alderman Carroll called up G. O. 164, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the sidewalks on both sides of Eighty-fourth street, between Third and Fourth avenues, be flagged full width, where not already done, and that crosswalks be laid at the intersections of said street and Lexington avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative, on a division, viz.:

Affirmative—The President, Alderman Bennett, Biglin, Carroll, Ehrhart, Gedney, Hall, Jacobus, Keenan, Lewis, Morris, Perley, Phillips, Pinckney, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, and Waehner—18.

Alderman Carroll called up G. O. 169, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That One Hundred and Twentieth street, between Second and Third avenues, be paved with Belgian or trap-block pavement, and that at the several intersecting streets and avenues crosswalks be laid where not now laid, and relaid where those now laid are, in the opinion of the Commissioner of Public Works, not in good repair, or are not upon a grade adapted to the grade of the proposed new pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Alderman Wachner moved to lay the resolution over for the present. The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion. Which was decided in the negative. The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the negative on a division, viz.: Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Biglin, Carroll, Ehrhart, Gedney, Hall, Jacobus, Keenan, Lewis, Morris, Perley, Pinckney, Sauer, Sheils, and Slevin—15. Negative—Aldermen Bennett, Phillips, and Wachner—3. On motion of Alderman Carroll, the above vote was reconsidered, and the paper again laid over.

Alderman Morris called up G. O. 160, being a resolution, as follows: Resolved, That Croton water-pipes be laid in Forty-seventh street, from Madison avenue 135 feet east, as provided in section 2, chapter 477, Laws of 1875. The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the negative, on a division, viz.: Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Bennett, Biglin, Carroll, Ehrhart, Gedney, Hall, Jacobus, Lewis, Morris, Perley, Phillips, Pinckney, Sheils, and Wachner—15. Negative—Aldermen Keenan, Sauer, and Slevin—3.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Morris 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 negative, on a division, called by Alderman Pinckney, viz.: Affirmative—Aldermen Carroll, Morris, Sauer, and Sheils—4. Negative—Aldermen Biglin, Ehrhart, Gedney, Hall, Jacobus, Keenan, Lewis, Perley, Phillips, Pinckney, Slevin, and Wachner—12. Alderman Sauer moved a reconsideration of the vote by which G. O. 160 was lost. The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion. Which was decided in the affirmative. Alderman Wachner asked unanimous consent to move the adoption of G. O. 160. Which having been refused, Alderman Sauer 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, on a division called by Alderman Pinckney, viz.: Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Bennett, Biglin, Carroll, Gedney, Hall, Jacobus, Keenan, Morris, Sauer, Sheils, and Slevin—12. Negative—Aldermen Ehrhart, Lewis, Perley, Phillips, Pinckney, and Wachner—6. And the President announced that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday, June 25, at 12 o'clock, M.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

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

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.
Nos. 19 and 20 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN KELLY, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.
Auditing Bureau.
No. 19 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
DANIEL JACKSON, Auditor of Accounts.
Bureau of Arrears.
No. 5 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ARTEMAS CADDY, Clerk of Arrears.
Bureau for the Collection of Assessments.
No. 16 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EDWARD GILON, Collector.
Bureau of City Revenue.
No. 6 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EDWARD F. FITZPATRICK, Collector of City Revenue.
Bureau of Markets.
No. 6 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOSHUA M. VARIAN, Superintendent of Markets.
Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.
First floor, Brown-stone building, City Hall Park.
MARTIN T. MCMAHON, Receiver of Taxes; ALFRED VREDENBURG, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.
Bureau of the City Chamberlain.
No. 18 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
J. NELSON TAPPAN, City Chamberlain.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

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

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

Office of the Corporation Attorney.
No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM A. BOYD, Corporation Attorney.

Attorney to Department of Buildings Office.
Corner Cortland and Church streets.
JOHN A. FOLEY, Attorney.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

No. 36 Union square, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES F. WENMAN, President; WILLIAM IRWIN, Secretary.
Civil and Topographical Office.
Arsenal, 64th street and 5th avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
JAMES R. CROES, Engineer.
Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.
Fordham, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

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

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

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

BOARD OF EXCISE.

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

SEALERS OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

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

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

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

JURORS.

NOTICE IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, June 1, 1877.
APPLICATIONS FOR EXEMPTIONS WILL BE heard here, from 9 to 4 daily, from all persons hitherto liable or recently serving who have become exempt, and all needed information will be given.

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

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

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

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

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

THE CITY RECORD.

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

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

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

MONDAY, 18th JULY, 1878, at which time and place the bids will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read. The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids. Any bidder for this contract must be known to be a skilled dock or bridge builder, well prepared for the business, and shall give security for the faithful performance of his contract, in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance, in the sum of ten thousand dollars.

	B. M., Measured in the Work.
1. Yellow pine timber, 3-inch plank.....	84,600 feet.
" " 4 x 10 inch plank.....	33,600 "
" " 5-inch plank.....	260,000 "
" " 5 x 5 inch.....	2,142 "
" " 5 x 6 ".....	3,845 "
" " 6 x 10 ".....	4,620 "
" " 8 x 8 ".....	3,800 "
" " 8 x 12 ".....	10,728 "
" " 10 x 10 ".....	140,720 "
" " 10 x 12 ".....	24,197 "
" " 12 x 12 ".....	200,286 "
Total.....	767,948 "
2. White oak timber, 12 x 12 inch.....	924 "
" " 12 x 8 ".....	9,984 "
" " 12 x 5 ".....	6,020 "
" " 12 x 6 ".....	300 "
Total.....	17,228 "

- Spruce timber, 3 x 4 inch..... 2,000 "
- 4, 2, 1½, 1¼, and 1 inch wrought iron screw bolts and wrought iron round washers, about 7,876 pounds.
- 1 and ¾ inch wrought iron screw bolts and wrought iron square washers to be furnished by the Department of Docks, about..... 25,150 pounds.
- 22 x ¾ inch, 18 x ¾ inch, 16 x ¾ inch, 12 x ¾ inch, 10 x ¾ inch, 8 x ¾ inch, 6 x ¾ inch, and 4 x ¾ inch round wrought iron, spike-pointed bolts, about..... 40,000 "
- Wrought iron spike bolts and cut spikes for sewer box, about..... 4,800 "
- Cast-iron mooring posts, about..... 3,600 "
- Cast-iron washers for 1½ inch and 1 x 49 inch screw bolts, about..... 3,876 "
- Cast-iron washers for 1 inch bolts, to be furnished by the Department of Docks, about..... 9,000 "
- Boiler plate armatures, about..... 3,220 "
- Boiler plate armatures to be furnished by the Department of Docks, about..... 3,430 "
- 41 piles to be spliced, and the points to be furnished by contractors.
- 813 piles furnished by the Department of Docks to be driven.
- 48 columns 20 x 20 inches, in section, 84 feet or more in length, to be driven.
- Labor of framing and carpentry, including all moving of timber, jointing, planing, bolting, spiking, painting, oiling or tarring, and furnishing the materials for painting, oiling or tarring, and the treenails and wedges for the columns, etc., and labor of every description. For that part of the pier where the bays are 12 feet 6 inches span, 4,875 square feet, and for the remainder of the pier, 38,588 square feet.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Should the lowest bidder or bidders neglect or refuse to accept to contract within forty-eight (48) hours after written notice that the same has been awarded to him or their bid or proposal, or if, after acceptance, he or they should refuse or neglect to execute the contract and give the proper security for forty-eight hours after notice that the same is ready for execution, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and the contract will be readvertised and relet, and so on until it be accepted and executed.

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

Each proposal shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the bid, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 6 of chapter 574, Laws of 1871, and by section 27 of chapter VIII. of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York, after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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

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

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

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

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

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

C. A. ST. JOHN,
Property Clerk.

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

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

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 and 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, June 4, 1878.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR DOING THE WORK and furnishing the materials required in the proposed alteration and repairing of the buildings located at Nos. 191 and 193 Fulton street, will be received as above until 10 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, the 19th instant, when they will be publicly opened and read.

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

Plans and specifications and the form of contract to be entered into by the successful bidder may be seen, and blank proposals will be furnished, on application at these Headquarters.

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

Proposals must be addressed on the envelope to the Board of Commissioners, with the indorsement, "Proposal for Alterations and Repairs," and the name of the bidder. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted, if deemed to be for the interests of the city.

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

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

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

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

No proposals will be received or considered after the time named.
Two responsible sureties will be required with each proposal, who must each justify thereon prior to its presentation, in not less than one-half the amount thereof. Blank proposals and further information will be furnished upon application at these Headquarters, where the form of contract to be entered into may also be seen.

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

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

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

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

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS
Department with the following articles, to wit:
240,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as good sweet Timothy.

45,000 pounds good clean Rye Straw,
1,800 bags clean white Oats, 80 pounds to the bag,
1,200 bags fine Feed, 60 pounds to the bag,
will be received at these Headquarters until 9 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, the 3d proximo, when they will be publicly opened and read.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, June 17, 1878.

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

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

By Order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

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

PROPOSALS FOR 3,000 BARRELS OF FLOUR.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

PROPOSALS FOR DRY GOODS, GROceries, Etc.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, June 12, 1878.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from off Blackwell's Island—Unknown man, body in an advanced state of decomposition; 5 feet 8 inches high. Had on black coat and pants, brown vest, brown and white mixed shirt, white shirt, boots.

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Myles Chrystie; aged 44 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; gray hair; brown eyes. Had on when admitted, gray coat, dark pants, black vest, white drawers and undershirt, black felt hat, gaiters. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Catherine Cassidy; admitted March 25, 1870; aged 50 years. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

At New York City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—William Walsh; aged 55 years; 5 feet 5½ inches high; gray hair; brown eyes. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By Order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, June 11, 1878.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from Pier 3 North river—Unknown man; aged about 20 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; dark brown hair. Had on black diagonal pants, green plaid shirt, white knit undershirt, blue cotton socks. Unknown man from Pier 46 North river—aged about 40 years; 5 feet 3 inches high; light brown hair; brown moustache. Had on dark mixed frock coat, black vest, dark ribbed pants, white shirt, white flannel undershirt, ribbed socks; 3 steel keys, 1 brass key, 2 buttons, 60 cents found on his person.

By Order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, June 10, 1878.

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

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Catherine Moore; aged 70 years; 4 feet 10½ inches high; blue eyes; gray hair. Nothing known of her friend or relatives.
At Hart's Island Hospital—Kate Dewey; aged 40 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; blue eyes; dark hair. Had on when admitted, dress, skirt, shoes. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

By Order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, June 15, 1878.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from 25 Greenwich street—Unknown man; aged about 30 years; 5 feet 9 inches high; light hair and moustache. Had on black coat, vest, and pants, white shirt, white knit undershirt and drawers, white cotton socks, gaiters.

Unknown man, from foot of Eighty-sixth street, East river—Body in an advanced state of decomposition. Had on black chevrot pants, boots.

By Order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging in Tenth avenue, from Eighty-second to Ninety-third street.

No. 2. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones and flagging Ninety-ninth street, from Eighth to Eleventh avenue.

No. 3. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones and flagging One Hundred and Fifty-second street, from the Boulevard to the Hudson river.

No. 4. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones and flagging Eighty-fifth street, from Avenue A to Avenue B.

No. 5. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging Tenth avenue, between Eighty-first and Eighty-second streets.

No. 6. Paving One Hundred and Third street, from Lexington to Fourth avenue, and Lexington avenue, from One Hundred and Third to One Hundred and Fourth street, with Belgian pavement.

No. 7. Laying crosswalks at the northerly and southerly intersections of Lexington avenue and One Hundred and Seventeenth street.

No. 8. Sewer and its appurtenances in One Hundred and Forty-third street, from a point 75 feet west of Third avenue to said avenue, and in Third avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-third to One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, in the Twenty-third Ward.

No. 9. Receiving-basin on the northeast corner of Fifty-ninth street and Madison avenue.

No. 10. Receiving-basin on the northwest corner of Seventy-fourth street and Avenue A.

No. 11. Sewer in Fifty-first street, between First and Second avenues.

No. 12. Receiving-basin on the northwest corner of Fourth street and Sixth avenue.

No. 13. Flagging sidewalks on the north side of Fifty-eighth street, between Lexington and Fourth avenues.

No. 14. Fencing vacant lots on the northeast corner of Madison avenue and Fifty-sixth street.

No. 15. Fencing vacant lots on the northeast corner of Eighty-third street and Second avenue.

No. 16. Fencing vacant lots on south side of Fifty-seventh street, between Second and Third avenues.

No. 17. Laying crosswalks at each of the intersections of Lexington avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-ninth and One Hundred and Thirtieth streets.

No. 18. Setting curb and gutter stones and flagging Sixty-third street, from the First avenue to the East river. The limits embraced by such assessment include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land, situated on—

No. 1. Both sides of Tenth avenue, between Eighty-second and Ninety-third streets, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 2. Both sides of Ninety-ninth street, from Eighth to Eleventh avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersection of Tenth avenue.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-second street, from the Boulevard to the Hudson river.

No. 4. Both sides of Eighty-fifth street, from Avenue A to Avenue B.

No. 5. Both sides of Tenth avenue, between Eighty-first and Eighty-second streets, and to the extent of half the block at the northerly intersection of Eighty-first street and the southerly intersection of Eighty-second street.

No. 6. Both sides of Lexington avenue, between One Hundred and Third and One Hundred and Fourth streets, and both sides of One Hundred and Third street, between Lexington and Fourth avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersections of One Hundred and Third and One Hundred and Fourth streets and Lexington avenue, and the intersection of One Hundred and Third street and Fourth avenue.

No. 7. To the extent of half the block on each side of the intersection of One Hundred and Seventeenth street and Lexington avenue.

No. 8. Both sides of Third avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-third to One Hundred and Forty-sixth street.

No. 9. East side of Madison avenue, between Fifty-ninth and Sixtieth streets.

No. 10. Block bounded by Seventy-fourth and Seventy-fifth streets, and Avenue A and First avenue.

No. 11. Both sides of Fifty-first street, between First and Second avenues.

No. 12. North side of Fourth street, between Sixth avenue and Barrow street.

No. 13. North side of Fifty-eighth street, between Lexington and Fourth avenues.

No. 14. North side of Fifty-sixth street, extending easterly 75 feet from the northeast corner of Madison avenue, and the east side of Madison avenue, extending 100 feet 5 inches north of Fifty-sixth street.

No. 15. North side of Eighty-third street, between First and Second avenues.

No. 16. South side of Fifty-seventh street, between Second and Third avenues.

No. 17. To the extent of half the block on either side of the intersections of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth and One Hundred and Thirtieth streets and Lexington avenue.

No. 18. Both sides of Sixty-third street, from First avenue to the East river.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 114 White street, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

The above described lists will be transmitted as provided by law to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 20th day of June ensuing.

THOMAS B. ASTEN,
JOHN MULLALLY,
EDWARD NORTH,
JOHN R. MUMFORD.
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 114 WHITE STREET (CORNER CENTRE),
NEW YORK, May 20, 1878.

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

No. 1—Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones and flagging Seventy-ninth street, from Third avenue to the East river..... \$45,240 25

No. 2—Setting curb and gutter stones and flagging four feet wide in Fourth avenue, from Seventy-first to Seventy-ninth street..... 2,580 23

No. 3—Sewers in the Boulevard, between Seventy-seventh and Ninety-second streets..... 222,720 83

WM. H. JASPER,
Secretary.

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

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

WILLIAM KENNELLY, AUCTIONEER.

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

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

TERMS OF SALE.

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

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

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

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

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

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

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, May 31, 1878.

JOHN KELLY,

Comptroller.

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

JOHN KELLY,

Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, June 14, 1878.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS

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

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

JOHN KELLY,

Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, February 6, 1877.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED AND ENTERED MAY 4, 1878.

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

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

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

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

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

10th avenue, sewer, between 57th and 58th streets.

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

127th street, sewer, between 6th avenue and summit west of 7th avenue.

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

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

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

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

Grand street, basin, southwest corner Ridge street.

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

127th street, basin, southwest corner Lexington avenue.

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

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