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Deposits in the Treasury.

Total.....	\$750,164 20
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Bonds and Stock Issued.

Total.	\$485,000 00
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Warrants Registered and Ready for Payment.

Total.....	\$410,764 70
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CLAIMS FILED.

CONTRACTS REGISTERED.

SUITS, ORDERS OF COURT, JUDGMENTS, ETC.

Opening of Proposals.

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,
TUESDAY, July 29, 1879—2 o'clock P. M.

The Board met in pursuance of the following call :

OFFICE OF THE MAYORALTY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT—CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, July 24, 1879.

In pursuance of the authority contained in the 112th section of chapter 335, being an act entitled "An act to reorganize the local government of the City of New York," passed April 30, 1873, and section 1 of chapter 779, being an act entitled "An act in relation to raising money by taxation in the County of New York, for county purposes," passed June 14, 1874; and chapter 304, being an act entitled "An act to consolidate the government of the City and County of New York, and further to regulate the same," passed April 30, 1874; and chapter 303, being an act entitled "An act in relation to the estimates and apportionment for the support of the government of the County of New York," passed April 30, 1874; and chapter 308, being an act entitled "An act in relation to the estimates and apportionment for the support of the government of the City of New York," passed May 1, 1874—a meeting is hereby called of the Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, constituting a Board of Estimate and Apportionment, to be held at the office of the Mayor, on Tuesday, July 29, 1879, at 2 o'clock P. M., for the purposes specified in requisition of the Mayor dated July 23, 1879.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, July 23, 1879.

JOHN WHEELER, Esq., *Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment* :
SIR—The Mayor directs me to request you to call a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, to be held Tuesday, July 29, 1879, at two o'clock P. M., for the purposes stated in the letter of C. F. Chandler, President of the Health Department, which is herewith transmitted.

Yours respectfully,
IAS E MORRISON, Secretary

JAS. E. MORRISON, Secretary
HEALTH DEPARTMENT,
No. 301 MOTT STREET, NEW YORK, July 23, 1879.

Hon. EDWARD COOPER, Mayor, etc. :

SIR—At the meeting of the Board of Health held on the 22d inst., it was
 “Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby respectfully requested to transfer
 the sum of \$15,033.34 from the appropriations made to the Health Department for the years 1871 to 1873, inclusive,
 which are respectively in excess of the amounts required for the purposes and objects thereof, viz.:

Removing night-soil, offal, and dead animals,	1871.....	\$374 27
" "	1872.....	50 00
Health Fund,	1872.....	12,475 28
" "	1873.....	2,133 79

Total..... \$15,933 34

—to an appropriation for Police Department Salaries, 1879, to enable this Board to conform to the provision of section 5, chapter 504, Laws of 1879, in the payment of the salaries of the officers and men of the Police Department of the City of New York, detailed to the service of the Board under said act."

(A true copy.)

C. F. CHANDLER, President.

INDORSED :

Admission of a copy of the within, as served upon us this 24th day of July, 1879.

EDWARD COOPER,
Mayor ;
JOHN KELLY,

JOHN L. MOTT, Comptroller ;
JORDAN L. MOTT,
President of the Board of Aldermen ,
JOHN WHEELER,

Present—All the members, viz.:

Edward Cooper, the Mayor of the City of New York ; John Kelly, the Comptroller of the City of New York ; Jordan L. Mott, the President of the Board of Aldermen ; John Wheeler, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments.

The minutes of the meeting held July 18, 1879, were read and approved.

The Comptroller stated, that as the question had been raised by the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, as to whether the resolutions adopted at the last meeting in the absence of the President of the Board of Aldermen (printed on pages 199 and 203 of the minutes), required the concurrent vote of the Board inasmuch as they added to the Final Estimate for the year 1879, he would move that a vote be again taken on each of said resolutions, in order to remove any doubt upon the subject.

Which was agreed to.

The Comptroller then offered for adoption the following resolution:

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of chapter 493 of the Laws of 1879, and upon the determination of the Comptroller, dated July 16, 1879, the sum of twelve thousand five hundred and sixty-one dollars is hereby appropriated to pay the claim of William H. Ogilvie for the use and occupation of premises Nos. 216 to 226 West Twenty-third street, as an armory by the Eighth Regiment National Guards State of New York, from the 1st day of May, 1876, to the 17th day of February, 1878, the said sum to be added to and included in the Final Estimate made for the year 1879, under the title of "Armories and Drill-rooms, Rent of (under chapter 493, Laws of 1879)."

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote, viz. :
Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman), the Comptroller of the City of New York, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The Comptroller offered for adoption the following resolution :

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of chapter 528 of the Laws of 1879, and upon the determination of the Comptroller, dated July 16, 1879, the sum of eighteen thousand dollars is hereby

appropriated to pay the claim of Robert T. Ford, for the use and occupation of premises on the east side of Broadway, between Forty-fourth and Forty-fifth streets, as an armory by organizations of the National Guard of the State of New York, from May 1, 1876, to January 1, 1878, the said sum to be added to and included in the Final Estimate made for the year 1879, under the title of "Armories and Drill-rooms, Rent of (under chapter 528, Laws of 1879)."

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

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

Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman), the Comptroller of the City of New York, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The Comptroller presented the following communications:

POLICE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, July 22, 1879.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—At a meeting of the Board of Police, held this day, it was

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby requested to transfer the sum of eleven hundred and ninety-nine dollars and eighty-nine cents from the appropriation made to the Police Department for the year 1878, entitled "Police Fund—Salaries," which is in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to the appropriations made to the same Department for the years 1876 and 1877, entitled "Police Fund—Salaries," which are insufficient, viz.:

For the year 1876, the sum of..... \$950 05
For the year 1877, the sum of..... 249 84

Total.....\$1,199 89

—to enable the Department to pay the salary of Patrolman Kerin Finnerty, Fifteenth Precinct, while suspended. The said Finnerty having been dismissed from the Department March 17, 1876 and reinstated by order of the Supreme Court March 17, 1877.

Very respectfully,

WILLIAM H. KIPP, First Deputy Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, July 22, 1879.

To the Honorable the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—At a meeting of the Board of Police held this day, it was

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby requested to transfer the sum of thirteen hundred and ninety 56-100 dollars from the appropriation made to the Police Department for the year 1878, entitled "Police Fund—Salaries," which is in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to the appropriations made to the same Department for the years 1876 and 1877, entitled, "Police Fund—Salaries," which are insufficient, viz.:

For the year 1876, the sum of..... \$950 05
For the year 1877, the sum of..... 440 51

Total.....\$1,390 56

—to enable the Department to pay the salary of Patrolman James Mulvey, First Precinct, while suspended; the said Mulvey having been dismissed from the Department March 17, 1876, and ordered to be reinstated by the Supreme Court, General Term, May 14, 1877.

Very respectfully,

WM. H. KIPP, First Deputy Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, July 22, 1879.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

GENTLEMEN—At a meeting of the Board of Police, held this day, it was

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby requested to transfer the sum of one hundred and fifty-seven 79-100 dollars from the appropriation made to the Police Department for the year 1878, entitled "Police Fund, Salaries," which is in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to the appropriation made to the same Department for the year 1877, entitled "Police Fund, Salaries," which is insufficient to enable the Department to pay the salary of Patrolman John M. Matthews, Ninth Precinct, while suspended, the said Matthews having been dismissed from the Department November 13, 1877, and reinstated by order of the Supreme Court July 11, 1879.

Very respectfully,

WILLIAM H. KIPP, First Deputy Clerk.

Which were referred to the Comptroller.

The Comptroller offered for adoption the following resolution:

Resolved, That the sum of three thousand two hundred and twenty-six dollars and fifty-seven cents be and the same is hereby appropriated from the Excise Fund to "The Mission of the Immaculate Virgin for the Protection of Homeless and Destitute Children," for the support of 192 children in said institution, committed by Police Justices, under chapter 404 Laws of 1878, from April 30 to June 30, 1879, aggregating 11,293 days, at two dollars per week, being at the rate of about 28 57-100 cents per day for the support of each child; the appropriation being made in accordance with the opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation, dated January 16, 1877.

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

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

Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman), the Comptroller of the City of New York, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The Comptroller offered for adoption the following preamble and resolution:

Whereas, Section 112 of chapter 335 of the Laws of 1873, as amended by section 20 of chapter 757 of the Laws of 1873, provides as follows:

"The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments shall constitute a Board of Estimate and Apportionment, who shall annually, between the first day of August and the first day of November, meet, and by the affirmative vote of all the members, make a provisional estimate of the amounts required to pay the expenses of conducting the public business of the city and county, in each department and branch thereof, and the Board of Education, for the then next ensuing financial year."

"For the purpose of making said provisional estimate, the heads of Departments and the Board of Education shall, at least thirty days before the said provisional estimate is required to be made as herein provided, send to the Board of Apportionment an estimate, in writing, herein called a Departmental Estimate of the amount of expenditures, specifying in detail the objects thereof required in their respective departments, including a statement of each of the salaries of their officers, clerks, employees, and subordinates. The same statement as to salaries and expenditures shall be made by all other officers, persons, and boards having power to fix or authorize them."

"A duplicate of these departmental estimates and statements shall be made at the same time to the Board of Aldermen;" therefore

Resolved, That the Comptroller be requested to notify the heads of all the city departments, and the officers of the City and County of New York to prepare their Departmental Estimate for the year 1880, in conformity to the foregoing provisions of law, and send the same to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment prior to the fifteenth day of September, 1879.

Resolved, That the officers of all institutions which may be entitled by law to allowances of money from the City and County of New York, be also notified by the Comptroller to send in their estimates for the year 1880.

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

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

Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman), the Comptroller of the City of New York, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The Comptroller presented the following communications from the Board of Health:

HEALTH DEPARTMENT, No. 301 MOTT STREET,
NEW YORK, July 23, 1879.

Hon. JOHN KELLY, Comptroller:

SIR—At a meeting of the Board of Health held on the 22d inst., it was

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby respectfully requested to transfer the sum of \$15,033.34, from the appropriations made to the Health Department for the years 1871 to 1873 inclusive, which are respectively in excess of the amounts required for the purposes and objects thereof, viz.:

Removing night-soil, offal, and dead animals:

1871.....\$374 27
1872.....50 00
Health Fund, 1872.....12,475 28
Health Fund, 1873.....2,133 79

Total.....\$15,033 34

—to an appropriation for Police Department Salaries, 1879, to enable this Board to conform to the provisions of section 5, chapter 504, Laws of 1879, in the payment of the salaries of the officers and men of the Police Department of the City of New York, detailed to the service of the Board under said act."

(A true copy.)

C. F. CHANDLER, President.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT, No. 301 MOTT STREET,
NEW YORK, July 23, 1879.

Hon. JOHN KELLY, Comptroller:

SIR—At the meeting of the Board of Health held on the 22d inst., the following preamble and resolution was adopted:

"Whereas, This Board has this day made application to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for the transfer to the Police Department of the unexpended balance of Health Funds for the years 1871 to and including 1873, amounting to the sum of \$15,033.34, for the payment of the salaries of members of the police force detailed and rendering service under the provisions of section 5 of chapter 504, Laws of 1879, entitled, 'An act to amend chapter 908 of the Laws of 1867,' entitled 'An act for the regulation of tenement and lodging houses in the cities of New York and Brooklyn,' passed June 16, 1879; therefore

"Resolved, That requisition be and is hereby respectfully made to and upon the Board of Police of the Police Department of the City of New York, for detail to the service of this Board, under and pursuant to the provisions of said act, from and after August 1, 1879, of suitable officers and men of experience of at least five years in the police force, not exceeding thirty in number, whose aggregate monthly pay shall not exceed \$3,000."

(A true copy.)

Which were referred to the Comptroller.

C. F. CHANDLER, President.

The Chairman presented the following communication:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, July 22, 1879.

Hon. EDWARD COOPER, Mayor and Chairman Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

SIR—To enable this Department to discharge the duties devolving upon it in accordance with the mode of division of accounts determined by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment when making the final estimates, it will be necessary to transfer from the account "Free Floating Baths" of 1879, the sum of seven thousand dollars which will not be needed for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation "Salaries Charged to Free Floating Baths" of 1879, which otherwise will be deficient to meet necessary expenses.

Also, in order to carry out the provisions of chapter 518, Laws 1879, which devolves upon this Department, the making changes and alterations in the map or plan of that portion of the city between One Hundred and Forty-fifth and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth streets, west of the Eighth avenue, the laying out and opening streets, avenues, roads, etc., it will be essential that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment set apart the sum of two thousand dollars therefor. I, therefore, respectfully request the transfer of said sum of \$2,000 from the appropriation "Lamps and Gas" of 1879, which will not be required for the purposes of that account, to an appropriation account to be created for expenses necessary under chapter 518, Laws 1879.

Very respectfully,

ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was referred to the Comptroller.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

JOHN WHEELER, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

At a meeting of the Board of Docks, held July 16, 1879,

Present—Commissioners Dimock and Vanderpoel.

On motion, Commissioner Dimock took the chair.

The minutes of the meetings held June 21, July 9 and 10, 1879, were read and approved.

The following communications were received, read, and

On motion, laid on the table, to await action as stated, to wit:

From New York and Manhattan Beach Railway Company, lessee—To have dredging done at pier at Twenty-third street, East river. Engineer-in-chief directed to examine and report as to what extent dredging is necessary to be done at said premises.

From D. S. Babcock, President Providence and Stonington Steamship Company, occupant of Pier, old 29, North river—Asking that a lease be granted to him for a term of years, of said pier.

From Department of Public Charities and Correction—To have repairs made to bulkhead at Bellevue Hospital. Engineer-in-Chief directed to examine and report as to the repairs required at said premises.

From Scott & Co., lessees—To have repairs made and dredging done at pier at Thirty-fifth street, North river. Engineer-in-Chief directed to examine and report as to the repairs necessary to be made and dredging done at said premises.

The following communications were received, read, and

On motion, placed on file, action being taken where necessary, as stated, to wit:

From Finance Department—Returning the proposal of Dwyer & Lydon, without approval of the sureties to contract awarded to them.

From Edward Cooper, Mayor—Requesting that publications and maps of this Department for the years 1878 and 1879 be forwarded to him. The Secretary reported that all publications of the Department for 1878 and 1879 had been forwarded to the Mayor as requested.

From Old Colony Steamboat Company—Accepting terms of resolution adopted July 9, in reference to the erection of a platform at north side of Pier, old 28, North river.

From Comptroller—Advising his approval of the sureties for the contract awarded to John M. C. Scully, on May 7, 1879.

From Department of Public Charities and Correction—Asking that a stationary pile-driver be loaned for the completion of some work at Blackwell's Island. Secretary directed to advise in reply that this Department has no stationary pile-driver.

From Engineer-in-Chief—

1. Report in reference to spring fender piles required to be replaced at Pier, new 1, North river. Action of the Commissioners on the 11th instant, in ordering the Engineer-in-Chief to replace said fender piles, in accordance with his report, approved.

2. Report as to work performed during week ending July 12, 1879.

3. Report, stating that to make the repairs necessary to Pier at Seventy-ninth street, North river, would cost about \$120. Application of Thomas Fitzpatrick, lessee, to have said repairs made, taken from the table and placed on file, and the Engineer-in-Chief directed to do the work in accordance with his report.

4. Report, stating that the repairs necessary to be made at the end of pier at Twenty-third street, East river, would cost about \$100. Communication from the Police Department in reference to said repairs taken from the table and placed on file, and the Engineer-in-Chief directed to repair said premises in accordance with his report.

5. Report, stating to make a depth of ten feet at mean low water, between Piers 56 and 57, East river, will require the removal of about 6,400 cubic yards of mud. Secretary directed to notify W. H. Wood, lessee of said premises, that in accordance with the notice read at the public sale held March 13, 1879, under which the lease of said premises was purchased by him, the necessary dredging at said premises must be performed by him at his own cost and expense. Application of W. H. Wood, to have said dredging done, taken from the table and placed on file.

6. Report, stating that to make a depth of ten feet at mean low water at bulkhead at Twentieth street, East river, would require the excavation of about 1,000 cubic yards of mud. Engineer-in-Chief directed to make requisition for necessary dredge, scows, and labor to excavate and remove from said premises about 1,000 cubic yards of mud, in accordance with his report. Application of D. T. Aitkins, lessee of said premises, to have dredging done thereat, taken from the table and placed on file.

From Joseph H. Tooker, Superintendent Plymouth Rock—To erect sign on Pier, new 1, North river. Application denied.

The Auditing Committee presented an audit of fourteen bills or claims, amounting in the aggregate to the sum of \$3,194.42, and being read, was

On motion, accepted and adopted, and the Secretary directed to forward the said bills, together with proper requisitions to the Finance Department for payment.

A communication was received from the Old Dominion Steamship Co., suggesting that certain alterations be made in the shed on Pier, new 43, North river, to be occupied by them, and a report being received from the Engineer-in-Chief, stating that the alterations required, together with the placing of about fifty oak fender piles would cost about \$300.

On motion, the Engineer-in-Chief was directed to make the alterations and repairs to said premises, in accordance with his report.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby granted to the Old Dominion Steamship Co., temporary occupants of Pier, new 43, North river, to extend their offices on the northerly side of the pier about twenty feet, and to remove the partitions, wash basins, etc., between the two offices on the southerly side, so as to make one long room, provided that said alterations shall be made by said Company at their own cost and expense, and under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department, and the partitions, basins, etc., replaced, if this Department shall require it, in the same condition as they are at present.

A communication was received from Edward Cooper, Mayor, transmitting a copy of resolution No. 601 of the Board of Aldermen, in reference to granting to the East River Coal Co. the right to place and keep a platform and tramway, from the bulkhead, opposite Nos. 23, 24 and 25 East street, to said buildings, and requesting that the Department examine into the same and report to him on the 18th inst., and, being read, was

On motion, laid on the table, and the Engineer-in-Chief directed to examine and report as to whether any objection exists to the placing on the premises of the aforesaid platform and tramway.

On motion, the application of Peter McDonnell, to erect platform on pier at Thirty-ninth street, North river, was taken from the table and placed on file, and the applicant notified that this Department has no objection to his placing and retaining, under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department, on the south side of pier at Thirty-ninth street, North river, a platform sixty feet long and seven feet wide, the consent of the lessee of said premises, and also of the Harbor Master of the district, having been filed in this office, but the Department reserves the right to cause the removal of said platform at any time it may so elect.

On motion, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the Engineer-in-Chief be and hereby is directed to proceed with the construction of sufficient concrete base blocks for the bulkhead or river wall at the foot of Beach street, North river, and also that he be and hereby is directed to proceed with the construction of about 175 feet of said bulkhead wall, extending from about 20 feet south of the southerly line of Pier, new 26, North river, northerly to about the middle of the slip between Piers, new 26 and old 28, North river, upon the same plan as that of the Chambers street section of the bulkhead or river wall, and of a pier to be known as Pier, new 26, North river, and that all the work hereby ordered be performed otherwise than by contract, as required by subdivision 5 of section 6 of chapter 574, Laws of 1871, and that it be done by the force of the Department by day's work, except so much of the labor as is now or may hereafter be contracted for, and that all the material and dredging necessary therefor, not heretofore contracted for, or which may not hereafter be contracted for, be purchased by the Treasurer otherwise than by contract.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the Engineer-in-Chief be and hereby is directed to repair and maintain in good order the fenders, fender piles, back logs, etc., at Pier, new 1, North river; and also to repair and maintain in good order the approaches to said Pier, and to report from time to time the cost of such repairs, together with such information as he can obtain as to cause rendering the repairs, etc., necessary. It being understood that the cost of any special repairs made in conformity with this resolution shall not exceed the sum of \$250.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to the Old Dominion Steamship Company to use and occupy Pier, new 43, North river, during the pleasure of the Board, subject to the rent stipulated for by resolution, August 14, 1878, and until Pier new 26, North river, now in course of construction, shall be finished, and that said Pier 43 be and is hereby appropriated to the sole use of the special kind of commerce as carried on by the said company.

An application was received from the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, for permission to fill in south side of Pier 16, North river, and, being read, was,

On motion, laid on the table.

On motion, Commissioner Dimock was authorized and empowered to sign the contract, for furnishing small cobble and rip-rap stone, awarded to John M. C. Scully on May 7, 1879, as acting President of the Board.

On motion, it was

Resolved, that the Old Dominion Steamship Company be and is hereby permitted to use and occupy temporarily for their steamers such portions of Pier, old 37, North river, as may not be required by this Department in its work of constructing Pier, new 26, and the outer 380 feet of Pier, new 26, from the completion of the same, said company paying for the use thereof such rent as shall hereafter be determined upon by this Department.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

EUGENE T. LYNCH, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

[BOARD OF EXAMINERS.]

At a meeting of the Board of Examiners, held pursuant to the call of the Superintendent of Buildings, at the office of the Department of Buildings, No. 2 Fourth avenue, on Tuesday, the 22d day of July, 1879, at 3 o'clock P. M.

There being present thereat—Superintendent Henry J. Dudley, Edwin Dobbs, John Banta, Henry Dudley, and James M. McLean.

Superintendent Henry J. Dudley presiding.

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting having, upon motion, been dispensed with, the Chairman submitted for the action of the Board the hereinafter named petitions and applications, to wit:

Petition of David Jardine, architect, for and on behalf of Adolph Bernheimer, owner, for permission in the erection of a four-story brown-stone front and brick dwelling, 27 feet 6 inches by 67 feet, on north side of East Fifty-seventh street, 172 feet 5 inches east of Fifth avenue, known as No. 7 East Fifty-seventh street, to be allowed to so far vary the provisions of the Building Law, as will permit the use of the westerly party wall of the adjoining building No. 9 East Fifty-seventh street, by lining up the same from first tier of beams, by eight inches of brickwork laid in cement mortar, and secured to old wall by heavy hook and wedge anchors, the cellar wall to be lined up with 12 inches of brickwork, laid and secured in same manner. The building to be constructed in conformity with New Building Plans and Specifications No. 567, filed relative thereto July 7, 1879. Which petition was, upon motion, granted.

Petition of C. F. Ridder, Jr., architect, on behalf of J. F. Rottman, owner, for permission in the erection of a four-story brick building, on lots Nos. 630, 632, 634 and 636 Eleventh avenue, between Forty-sixth and Forty-seventh streets, to be used and occupied as a brewery, and to be eighty feet front, one hundred feet in width on rear, one hundred feet in depth, and fifty-four feet in height, to be allowed to build up the centre wall of the building to the third tier of beams only, in conformity with New Building Plan and Specification No. 446, filed relative thereto May 27, 1879. Which petition was, upon motion, granted.

Petition of D. H. Stevens, owner and builder, for permission in the erection of five three-story stone front and brick buildings (for occupation by one family each), on premises southwest corner of One Hundred and Fourth street and Fourth avenue, each 16 x 42 feet, and to be 40 feet in height (and to have extensions 11 x 16 feet, one story in height), to be allowed to so far vary the provisions of the Building Law, as will permit him to build the gable-end (bearing) wall on line of Fourth avenue, but 12 inches in thickness, and the party walls of the said buildings but 8 inches in thickness, in conformity with New Building Plans and Specifications No. 564, filed relative thereto July 7, 1879.

Which petition was, upon motion, granted, upon the condition that the two upper stories only, of each alternate wall (of said buildings), be allowed to be constructed 8 inches thick, and the remainder or balance of the walls to be constructed 12 inches thick throughout.

Petition of Stephen D. Hatch, architect, for and on behalf of William L. Strong, owner, for permission in the proposed alteration and extension of the four-story brick, 20 x 58 feet, dwelling-house No. 25 West Thirtieth street, to be allowed to so far vary the provisions of the Building Law, as will permit the building of a brick extension 17 x 35 feet, two-stories and basement in height (31 feet above curb level), thereto, with walls of first and second stories but 8 inches in thickness, with brick cross-walls of eight (8) inches in thickness, in conformity with Alteration Plans and Specifications No. 855, filed July 9, 1879, relative thereto. Which petition was, upon motion, granted, upon condition that the easterly wall of same shall be constructed 12 inches thick above the basement floor, and 16 inches below basement floor.

Petition of Stephen D. Hatch, architect, on behalf of J. M. Fiske and T. C. Eastman, owners, for permission in the erection of two brown-stone front, five-story brick dwelling-houses, on the south side of Seventieth street, 205 feet east of Fifth avenue (one of which will be 17 feet 3 inches by 65 feet, and one 22 feet by 65 feet, both 65 feet in height), to be allowed to so far vary the provisions of the Building Law, as will permit the use of the wall of the adjoining building, in conformity with New Building Plans and Specifications relative thereto, No. 529, filed June 22, 1879. Which petition was, upon motion, granted.

Petition of D. Jardine, architect, on behalf of F. Mayer, owner, for permission to erect a number of servants' sleeping rooms, above the present line of the roof of the Flat building on the northeast corner of Forty-first street and Broadway, in accordance and conformity with Alteration Plans and Specifications relative thereto, No. 842, filed July 3, 1879; the said rooms to be covered with slate and metal on front, and metal on roof and rear. Which petition was, upon motion, denied.

Special application of Nathaniel K. Randall, on behalf of the Old Colony Steamboat Co., for permission to erect a frame addition, 53 x 55, 18 feet in height, to the wooden shed already erected on northerly side of Pier No. 28, North river, such addition to be built in conformity with Special Application No. 461, filed July 18, 1879, relative thereto. Which application was granted, upon the condition that the structure be covered with metal.

Application of W. F. Shaffer, owner, for permission to build a two-story brick extension, 8 x 12, 24 feet 6 inches in height, to the five-story brick and brown-stone front building known as No. 45 West Fifty-first street, in conformity with Alteration Plans and Specifications No. 847, filed July 7, 1879. Application, upon motion, granted.

Application of Matthew Rock, owner, for permission to alter the four-story stone front and brick building No. 224 Fifth avenue, by the erection of a two-story brick extension thereto, 9 feet 2 inches by 13 feet 2 inches, on rear thereof, same to be 23 feet in height, from yard level, and to be built in conformity with Alteration Plans and Specifications No. 849, filed July 7, 1879. Which application was, upon motion, granted.

Petition of E. P. Briggs, for permission in the proposed alteration of the three four-story brick dwelling houses Nos. 83, 85, and 87 West Eighth street, to be allowed to modify the Alteration Plans

and Specifications No. 725, relative thereto, so as to permit him to build three additional feet of brick walls, eight inches in thickness, on the fourth story of said buildings (making the height, with such addition, less than 50 feet), said alterations otherwise to be made in conformity with Alteration Plans and Specifications No. 725, filed June 5, 1879. Which petition was, upon motion, granted.

Amended application of J. J. Astor, for permission in the erection of the five-story brick and iron store on premises No. 484 Broadway, to be allowed to use the southerly wall of the building No. 486 Broadway, by lining up the same with twelve inches of brickwork laid and anchored in the best manner, and to have a brick foundation wall 36 inches thick, all in conformity with New Building Plans and Specifications No. 114, filed relative thereto March 4, 1879, and as amended and filed July 17, 1879. Which petition was, upon motion, granted, upon the condition that the beams be laid so as to rest upon the old wall.

Petition of Charles Reckie, architect, on behalf of John McDermott, owner, for permission in the erection of six four-story brick (and brown-stone front) dwelling houses on southwest corner of Seventy-second street and Avenue A, each to be 16 feet 8 inches by 48 feet, 45 feet in height, to be allowed to so far modify and vary the provisions of the Building Law (and the plan submitted) as will permit the flank or bearing wall on line of Avenue A to be built but twelve (12) inches in thickness, instead of sixteen (16) inches, as provided in the Plans and Specifications No. 553, filed relative thereto June 30, 1879, the buildings in all other respects to be erected in conformity with said plans and specifications. Which petition was, upon motion, laid over.

Special application of Eli F. Macgowan, Superintendent of the East River Ferry Co., for permission to erect a frame shed, 25 feet by 35 feet, 14 feet in height (to be used as a smoking-room for ferry passengers), on premises at foot of East Thirty-fourth street, north side, to be built in conformity with special application therefor, No. 460, filed July 17, 1879. Which application was, upon motion, granted, upon condition that the outside of structure be covered with metal.

Petition of J. H. Valentine, architect, on behalf of Joseph Murray, owner, for permission in the erection of the ten (10) three-story and basement brick dwelling-houses, on premises northwest corner of One Hundred and Eleventh street and Fourth avenue, each 15 feet 3 inches by 42 feet, and 40 feet in height, to be allowed to line up with 8 inches of brickwork (and use) the easterly wall of the building already erected on the north side of One Hundred and Eleventh street, 155 feet west of Fourth avenue. The said wall is of brick, 12 inches in thickness, and the brick lining will be laid in cement mortar, and have iron holdfasts every 30 inches, all to be constructed in conformity with New Building Plans and Specifications No. 266, filed relative thereto April 16, 1879, as amended and passed by Board of Examiners, April 29, 1879, and with this second application filed July 18, 1879. Which petition was, upon motion, granted.

Petition of J. H. Valentine, architect, for and on behalf of Joseph Murray, owner, for permission in the erection of a three-story and basement brick dwelling-house on the south side of One Hundred and Twelfth street, 85 feet 4 inches east of Fourth avenue (to be 17 feet 2 inches by 42 feet, and to be 40 feet in height), to be allowed to so far vary the provisions of the Building Law as will permit the use as a party-wall of the westerly wall of the building on south side of One Hundred and Twelfth street, 102 feet east of Fourth avenue, by lining up the same with 8 inches of brick, laid in cement mortar, with iron holdfasts every 30 inches (the wall to be lined up being 12 inches in thickness), the building in all other respects to be erected in conformity with New Building Plans and Specifications No. 422, filed relative thereto May 22, 1879. Which petition was, upon motion, granted.

Petition of Cornelius O'Reilly, for permission in the proposed alteration and extension to the two-story brick building Nos. 48 and 50 East Forty-third street, to be allowed to so far vary the provisions of the Building Law, as will permit him to build a two-story brick extension 29 feet by 17 feet, and 24 feet in height, with walls twelve inches in thickness on first story, and of eight inches in thickness on second story, in conformity with the Alteration Plans and Specifications No. 854, filed relative thereto July 8, 1879. Which petition was, upon motion, granted.

Petition of Edward E. Raht, architect, on behalf of A. D. Juilliard, owner, for permission in the erection of a four-story stone front and brick dwelling house No. 16 West Fifty-seventh street, 25 feet by 83 feet 7 inches, and 63 feet 9 inches in height, to be allowed to so far vary the provisions of the Building Law, as to permit the use of the easterly wall of the adjoining house, No. 18 West Fifty-seventh street, as a party wall, by lining up the same in cellar with a 12-inch brick wall resting on a stone course ten inches high, laid on solid rock foundation, in cement mortar, and by lining up the upper stories with eight inches of brick work, laid in cement mortar, and tied to the existing wall with wrought iron anchors, properly locked or driven in to the joints, not more than 24 inches apart in any direction, in conformity with the New Building Plans and Specifications No. 597, relative thereto, filed July 18, 1879. Which petition was, upon motion, granted.

Petition of Christian Ehmann, builder, on behalf of William Wolfarth, owner, for permission, in the erection of two four-story brick tenement buildings on the southeast corner of Courtland avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, each to be 24 feet 3 inches x 50 feet, and 49 feet in height, to be allowed to so far vary from the provisions of the Building Law as will permit him to build the bearing-wall on the line of the street but 12 inches in thickness (instead of 16 inches), in conformity with the New Building Plans and Specifications No. 604, filed relative thereto July 19, 1879. Which petition was, upon motion, granted.

Application of Edward E. Raht, architect, for and on behalf of A. B. Stone, owner, for permission to alter and extend the four-story brick dwelling house No. 13 East Thirty-sixth street, by the addition of a one-story and basement extension to the rear thereof, to be 10 feet 4 inches x 9 feet, and 20 feet in height, in conformity with Alteration Plans and Specifications No. 890, filed relative thereto July 18, 1879. Which petition was, upon motion, granted.

Petition of Walter W. Adams, on behalf of Daniel Hennessy, owner, for permission in the erection of five three-story and basement brick and brown-stone front dwellings on south side of Seventy-third street, 100 feet west of Lexington avenue, 15 feet x 64 feet, and 50 feet in height, to be allowed to vary the provisions of the Building Law so far as to permit the westerly wall of the most westerly building to be built but eight inches in thickness, instead of twelve inches as required, and conditioned in the application therefor, filed and approved July 14, 1879, numbered 507 of New Building Plans and Specifications. Which petition was, upon motion, granted, upon condition that the said adjoining wall is 12 inches thick, and that the new wall be anchored to the old wall with iron holdfasts at intervals of not less than 30 inches apart.

Petition of John B. Davis, builder, on behalf of Ann E. Davis, owner, for permission, in the erection of fourteen three-story and basement brick and brown-stone front dwellings, on west side of Lexington avenue, running from One Hundred and Fourth to One Hundred and Fifth streets (two of said buildings to be erected on south side of One Hundred and Fourth street), each to be 16 feet 8 inches by 40 feet, and 50 feet in height, to be allowed to so far vary the provisions of the Building Law as will permit the bearing walls of the two corner houses to be constructed (on line of streets) but 12 inches in thickness, and also permit, in the erection of the westernmost building on One Hundred and Fourth street, the use of the wall of the building adjoining as a party wall, by lining up the same with eight inches of brickwork started on a proper foundation, laid in cement mortar, close joints, and well anchored with iron holdfasts not more than two feet apart, alternated, in conformity with New Building Plans and Specifications No. 582, filed July 10, 1879. So much of said petition as relates to the use of wall of adjoining building as a party wall was, upon motion, denied; and so much thereof as relates to the bearing wall was, on motion, granted.

Petition of H. R. Marshall, architect, for and on behalf of Dr. George E. Belcher, for permission, in the alteration and extension of the four-story brick dwelling house on southwest corner of Madison avenue and Fifty-fourth street, to be allowed to so far vary the provisions of the Building Law as to permit the extension to said building to be built in conformity with Alteration Plans and Specifications No. 878, filed relative thereto July 15, 1879. Which petition was, upon motion, granted.

Petition of Hugo Kafka, architect, for and on behalf of Francis Ehrmann, owner, for permission in the erection of a four-story brick store and dwelling on southeast corner of Sixty-first street and Fourth avenue, to be 21 feet by 83 feet, and 67 feet 9 inches in height, to be allowed to so far vary the provisions of the Building Law, as will permit the party wall thereof, from line of the fourth-story floor beams, to top, to be built but 12 inches in thickness, and also to permit the bearing wall of the same on line of Fourth avenue, from curb-line to roof cornice, to be built only 16 inches in thickness, in all other respects the building to be constructed in conformity with New Building Plans and Specifications No. 598, filed relative thereto, July 18, 1879. So much of the foregoing petition as relates to proposed thickness of party wall was, upon motion, denied, and so much of said petition as relates to the thickness of bearing wall was, upon motion, granted.

Petition of Michael McEvoy, for permission in the proposed alteration and enlargement of the four-story brick building No. 4 Union square, to be allowed to so far deviate or vary from the provisions of the Building Law, as will permit the proposed extension thereto to be built with walls of brick, above the line of the foundation walls, only eight inches in thickness, in conformity with Alteration Plans and Specifications No. 889, filed relative thereto, July 17, 1879 (such extension to be built on rear of No. 6 Union square). Which petition was, upon motion, granted.

There being no further business before the Board, the minutes of the meeting were read and upon motion, approved, as recorded, and upon further motion, the Board adjourned, subject to the call of the Superintendent of Buildings.

SAMUEL T. WEBSTER, Clerk to Board of Examiners.

New York, July 22, 1879.

APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Connolly to lay curb and gutter in front of his premises, No. 26 East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Department of Public Parks; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 7, 1879.

Approved by the Mayor, July 21, 1879.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY

OF THE

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK.Latitude 40° 45' 58" N. Longitude 73° 57' 58" W. Height of Instruments above the Ground,
53 feet; above the Sea, 97 feet.

ABSTRACT OF REGISTERS FROM SELF-RECORDING INSTRUMENTS

For the Week Ending July 26, 1879.

Barometer.

DATE. JULY.	7 A.M.		2 P.M.		9 P.M.		Mean for the Day.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.	
	Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.		Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.
Sunday, 20	30.290	30.185	30.324	30.197	30.302	30.194	30.192	30.304	30.199	30.238	30.130
Monday, 21	30.298	30.196	30.232	30.107	30.152	30.041	30.115	30.304	30.199	30.134	30.028
Tuesday, 22	30.106	29.997	30.010	29.859	29.934	29.801	29.886	30.134	30.028	29.926	29.801
Wednesday, 23	29.827	29.710	29.792	29.649	29.790	29.649	29.669	29.926	29.801	29.774	29.628
Thursday, 24	29.848	29.729	29.938	29.800	30.004	29.882	29.804	30.010	29.899	29.788	29.650
Friday, 25	30.052	29.941	30.034	29.907	29.982	29.887	29.912	30.052	29.943	29.920	29.822
Saturday, 26	29.894	29.799	29.860	29.759	29.726	29.611	29.723	29.920	29.822	29.720	29.605

Mean for the week..... 29.900 inches.

Maximum " at 12 P. M., July 20..... 30.199 "

Minimum " at 12 P. M., July 26..... 29.605 "

Range "594 "

Thermometers.

DATE. JULY.	7 A.M.		2 P.M.		9 P.M.		MEAN.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.		MAX- IMUM.
	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.		Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	
Sunday, 20	67	64	75	66	68	64	70.0	64.7	77	4 P. M.	68	4 P. M.
Monday, 21	66	64	75	66	70	64	70.3	64.6	77	4 P. M.	66	2 P. M.
Tuesday, 22	69	64	85	71	78	69	77.3	68.0	88	4 P. M.	71	4 P. M.
Wednesday, 23	72	68	82	70	81	71	78.3	69.6	83	5 P. M.	71	9 P. M.
Thursday, 24	73	68	80	68	74	68	75.7	68.0	83	5 P. M.	70	5 P. M.
Friday, 25	70	64	76	66	64	64	70.0	64.7	77	1 P. M.	66	1 P. M.
Saturday, 26	64	63	66	65	72	67	67.3	65.0	72	12 P. M.	67	12 P. M.

Mean for the week..... Dry Bulb. 72.7 degrees. Wet Bulb. 66.4 degrees.

Maximum for the week, at 4 P. M., 22d..... 88. " at 4 P. M., 22d..... 71. "

Minimum " " at 5 A. M., 20th..... 61. " at 5 A. M., 20th..... 61. "

Range " " 27. " 10. "

Wind.

DATE. JULY.	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.
Sunday, 20	ENE	SE	SE	11	34	56	101	0	1/2	1/2	1 3/4
Monday, 21	SSW	SE	SSE	25	48	61	134	0	3/4	3/4	2 3/4
Tuesday, 22	SSW	SE	SSE	78	50	39	167	1/4	1/4	1/2	1 1/2
Wednesday, 23	SSE	WSW	WSW	38	33	25	96	1/4	1/2	0	1
Thursday, 24	N	E	SE	25	46	37	108	2	1/2	0	2
Friday, 25	ENE	SE	E	39	75	58	172	1 1/4	1/2	3/4	4
Saturday, 26	E	ESE	SW	105	70	46	221	2	1/2	1 3/4	5

Distance traveled during the week..... 999 miles.

Maximum force " " 5 pounds.

DATE. JULY.	Hygrometer.			Clouds.			Rain and Snow.			
	FORCE OF VAPOR.			CLEAR, O. OVERCAST, 10.			DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES.			
	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration. H. M.	Amount of Water. Depth of Snow.
Sunday, 20	.556	.519	.543	84	60	79	4 Cu.	7 Cir. Cu.	0
Monday, 21	.569	.519	.516	89	60	70	0	6 Cu.	6 Cir.
Tuesday, 22	.529	.570	.588	75	47	61	7 Cu.	3 Cir.	10
Wednesday, 23	.631	.572	.624	80	52	59	Hazy. 10	9 Cu.	7 Cu.
Thursday, 24	.618	.524	.604	76	51	72	8 Cu.	5 Cu.	0	3:30 A. M. 4:30 A. M. 1 00 .01 ..
Friday, 25	.516	.505	.596	70	56	100	0	8 Cu. S.	10	5:30 P. M. 12 P. M. 6 30 .84 ..
Saturday, 26	.516	.604	.595	94	95	76	10	10	10	3 A. M. 4:30 P. M. 9:30 A. M. 12 P. M. 6 30 .25 ..

Total amount of water for the week..... 1.88 inches.

DANIEL DRAPER, Director.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.

No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
EDWARD COOPER, Mayor; JAMES E. MORRISON,
Secretary

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

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

Fertile 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.
JORDAN L. MOTT, President; Board of Aldermen.
JACOB M. PATTERSON, JR., Clerk Common Council.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.

No. 19 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioner; FREDERICK H. HAM-
LIN, 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. 11 1/2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Bureau of Street Improvements.

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

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

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

Bureau of Water Purveyor.

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

Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park

JOHN F. SLOPER, City Hall.

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 Cortlandt 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 CORREC-
TION.

Central Office.

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

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; EDWARD P. BARKER,
Secretary.

Civil and Topographical Office.

Arsenal, 64th street and 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
JOHN WHEELER, President; ALBERT STORER, Secre-
tary.

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.

SEALERS OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

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

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.COMMISSION FOR THE COMPLETION OF THE
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE.No. 28 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
WILLIS BLACKSTONE, President; ISAAC EVANS, Secre-
tary.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

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

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

No. 27 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WM. PITT SHEARMAN, ROBERT F. HATFIELD.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Nos. 7 and New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HUBERT O. THOMPSON, County Clerk; J. HENRY
FORD, Deputy County Clerk.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

Second floor, Brown-stone building, City Hall Park,
9 A. M. to 4 P. M.BENJAMIN K. PHELPS, District Attorney; MOSES P.
CLARK, Chief Clerk.

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

And Bureau of Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.
No. 2 City Hall, 8 A. M. to 6 P. M.; Saturdays, 8 A. M.
to 5 P. M.THOMAS COSTIGAN, Supervisor; R. P. H. ABELL, Book-
keeper.

CORONERS' OFFICE.

No. 40 East Houston street.
HENRY WOLTMAN, MORITZ ELLINGER, RICHARD
CROKER, and RICHARD FLANAGAN, Coroners.

RAPID TRANSIT COMMISSIONERS.

HENRY F. SPAULDING, 15 Nassau street.
BENJAMIN G. ARNOLD, 125 Front street.
HENRY G. STEBBINS, 48 Exchange place.LEWIS G. MORRIS, 25 Pine street.
SAMUEL R. FULLEY, Prospect avenue and 165th street.

SUPREME COURT.

Second floor, New County Court-house, 10 1/2 A. M. to 3 P. M.
General Term, Room No. 9.

Special Term, Room No. 10.

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 ex-
amination by all persons interested, viz:No. 1. Regulating, grading, curb, gutter, and flagging
in Ninety-ninth (99th) street, between Eighth and Eleventh
avenues.No. 2. Regulating and grading in One Hundred and
Ninth street, from Third (3d) to Fifth (5th) avenue.No. 3. Paving Eighty-first street, between Fourth and
Fifth avenues, with Belgian pavement.No. 4. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded by Sixty-
ninth and Seventieth streets and Lexington and Fourth
avenues.No. 5. Flagging full width west side of First avenue,
between Fifty-ninth and Sixtieth streets.No. 6. Flagging full width east side of Madison avenue,
between Eightieth and Eighty-first streets.No. 7. Flagging full width on north side of Fifty-first
street, between Broadway and Eighth avenue.No. 8. Fencing vacant lots on east side of Madison
avenue, between Eightieth and Eighty-first streets, and in
Eightieth street, between Madison and Fourth avenues.No. 9. Fencing vacant lots on east side of Sixth avenue,
between One Hundred and Twenty-fourth and One Hun-
dred and Twenty-fifth streets.No. 10. Fencing vacant lots on southwest corner of
Seventy-fourth street and Fourth avenue.No. 11. Fencing vacant lots in Forty-fourth street,
between the Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

No. 12. Flagging full width in Sixtieth

o awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful

performance, and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the corporation may be obliged to pay 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, and stated in the proposals, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise; that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith, and with an intention to execute the bond required by section 27, article 2, chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of 1859, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety.

The adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties offered to be determined by the Comptroller.

The contract for the work, if awarded at all, will be awarded to the lowest bidder, whose proposal, considering the price, quality, and durability of the pavement which he offers to lay will, in the opinion of the Department, be most advantageous to the city.

But the Department reserves the right to reject all the bids received in response to this advertisement if it shall deem it for the interest of the city so to do, and to re-advertise until a satisfactory proposal shall be received. But the contract, when awarded, will be awarded to the lowest bidder, with adequate security, for the particular kind of pavement which shall be adopted by the Department.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at this office with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract, within forty-eight hours after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or estimate; and in case of neglect or refusal so to do, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the corporation.

The work to be done is the grading and paving of such portions of the walks and foot-paths in said park as the Commissioners of said Department shall designate on the map and ground, and is estimated to amount to about 41,000 square feet.

This estimate is only approximate, and not to be held as entitling the contractor to any claim for damages, should the actual amount of work be greater or less. He understands that he contracts with reference to the actual amount of space to be paved or repaved, so designated on the map or plan of the park and on the ground. Each bidder must furnish with his bid or estimate full and complete specifications for the work, showing the mode of making and laying the pavement he proposes to lay. A copy of the specifications, furnished by the bidder to whom the contract may be awarded, will be annexed to and form part of the contract.

Bidders will state in writing and also in figures, a price per square foot for laying the pavement. This price is to cover the furnishing of all the necessary materials, tools, and labor, the removal of old walks (where there are any), the excavation and grading of the bed for the pavement, and the full and entire performance of the whole work set forth in the contract and specifications. The time allowed to complete the whole work will be ninety days, and attention is called to the claim of the contract, by which the damages for delay beyond that time are fixed and liquidated at \$100 per day.

The amount in which security is required for the performance of the contract, is five thousand dollars.

The form of the contract which the successful bidder will be required to execute and with reference to which all bids must be made, can be seen at the office of the Department. Further information as to the nature and amount of the work, the forms of proposals, etc., if required, can be obtained at the same office.

JAMES F. WENMAN,
W. C. WETMORE,
SAMUEL CONOVER,
S. E. LANE,
Commissioners D. P. P.

F. P. BARKER,
Secretary D. P. P.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
30 UNION SQUARE (EAST),
NEW YORK, July 16, 1879.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A MAP or plan for laying out the portion of the Twenty-fourth Ward known as the "West Farms District," will be on exhibition at the Arsenal, Central Park, for two weeks from date, for the purpose of allowing persons interested to examine the same before it is finally acted upon by the Department of Public Parks.

By order of the Department of Public Parks,
JAS. F. WENMAN,
President D. P. P.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

CENTRAL DEPARTMENT OF THE MUNICIPAL POLICE,
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, ROOM 39,
NEW YORK, July 7, 1879.

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: Eighteen revolvers, two gold watches, three silver watches, two pair gold spectacles, bank-books, two gold pencils, lot of shoes, six boxes tin, locket, boats, iron, coffee, liquor, tea, etc., also several amounts of money found and taken from prisoners.

C. A. ST. JOHN,
Property Clerk.

THE CITY RECORD.

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

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Parks, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening, as a first-class street, of that certain continuous street or avenue known as Webster avenue, although not yet named by proper authority, extending from the eastern line of the New York and Harlem Railroad, at One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, to the northern line of One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, in the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES OF THE State of New York, in such case made and provided, the Department of Public Parks for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, hereby gives notice that the Counsel to the Corporation of said city will apply to the Supreme Court in the First Judicial District of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on Friday, the 22d day of August, A. D. 1879, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon, and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening, as a first-class street, of that certain continuous street or avenue known as Webster avenue,

although not yet named by proper authority, extending from the eastern line of the New York and Harlem Railroad at One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, to the northern line of One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street in the City of New York. Being all of that piece or parcel of land shown on a map dated "New York, December 30, 1876," and signed, "J. James R. Croes, Civil and Topographical Engineer, Department of Public Parks," filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks in the Department of Public Parks, the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, and more particularly bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point (the intersection of the eastern line of Brook avenue with the eastern line of the New York and Harlem Railroad), distant 8,201 12-100 feet easterly from the eastern line of Tenth avenue, measured on a line at right angles to the same from a point 3,103 9-100 feet northerly from the southeastern corner of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and Tenth avenue; thence northerly on a line whose direction is 25° 36' 49" northwest of that of the eastern line of Tenth avenue, for 85 feet; thence deflecting 10° 58' 42.5" to the right, northerly, for 388 88-100 feet; thence deflecting 8° 44' 37.5" to the right, northerly, for 3,048 79-100 feet; thence deflecting 3° 37' 26" to the right, northerly, for 654 95-100 feet to a point in One Hundred and Seventy-first street; thence deflecting 7° 06' 51" to the left, northerly, for 587 48-100 feet; thence deflecting 3° 24' 27" to the right, northerly, for 3,632 84-100 feet to a point in One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street; thence deflecting 2° 54' 49" to the right, northerly, for 3,080 19-100 feet to the northern side of One Hundred and eighty-fourth street; thence deflecting 90° 18' 45" to the left, westerly, for 100 feet; thence deflecting 89° 41' 15" to the left, southerly, for 3,082 19-100 feet; thence deflecting 2° 54' 49" to the left, southerly, for 3,638 30-100 feet; thence deflecting 3° 24' 27" to the left, southerly, for 584 24-100 feet; thence deflecting 7° 06' 51" to the right, southerly, for 651 89-100 feet; thence deflecting 3° 37' 26" to the left, southerly, for 3,550 88-100 feet; thence deflecting 90° to the left, easterly, for 115 2-100 feet; thence deflecting 70° 16' 40" to the right, southerly, 86 7-100 feet; thence northerly along the northwestern limit of Brook avenue, as the same was opened by proceeding confirmed April 1, 1876, for 124 5-100 feet to the place of beginning.

WM. C. WHITNEY,
Counsel to the Corporation.

Dated New York, July 31, 1879.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Docks, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of Pier 44 (old number), North river, in the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of costs, charges, and expenses of the Commissioners in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation at a Special Term of the Supreme Court, to be held at Chambers, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, August 1, 1879, at 10 o'clock A. M., or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard.

Dated July 10, 1879.
WM. C. WHITNEY,
Counsel to the Corporation.

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, the Department of Public Parks, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, hereby gives notice that the Counsel to the Corporation will apply to the Supreme Court of the First Judicial District of the State of New York, on Monday, August 5, 1879, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of two Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above proceedings, in the place and stead of John Brown, deceased, and of Joel A. Pithan.

New York, July 3, 1879.
WM. C. WHITNEY,
Counsel to the Corporation.

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

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

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 Charles Price, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 82 Nassau street, Room No. 24, in the said city, on or before the 2d day of August, 1879; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 2d day of August; and, for that purpose, will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at one o'clock P. M. That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, and other documents which were used by us in making our report have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Parks, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 14th day of August, 1879.

That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid, are as follows: All those lots, pieces, or parcels of land lying and being on Eighty-first street, between the Boulevard and the new avenue, and between the Twelfth avenue and the Hudson river, and extending on either side of Eighty-first street, as aforesaid, one-half the distance to the next street thereto in the City of New York.

That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the Court House, in the City of New York, on the 20th day of August, 1879, at 10 o'clock A. M., on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, June 30, 1879.
CHARLES PRICE,
JOSEPH MEEKS,
LOUIS MESIER,
Commissioners.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Docks, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of Pier Forty-four (44), old number, North river, in the City of New York.

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

That we have completed our report and estimate, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands, land under water, water rights, terms,

easements or privileges affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, may present their objections in writing, duly verified, to James Matthews, Esq., our chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 13 Cortlandt street (Room No. 76), in said city, on or before the 31st day of July, 1879; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 31st day of July, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at one o'clock P. M. That our said report and estimate, together with a transcript of the testimony taken before us upon the hearing, and used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Parks, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 14th day of August, 1879.

That the metes and bounds of the lands, land under water, water rights, terms, easements or privileges affected by our said report, are as follows: Beginning at a point about two hundred and sixty-eight feet northerly from the northeast corner of Spring and West streets, and seventy feet west of the east side of West street, said point lying on the city boundary line of 1807, on the south side of Pier 44, as existing in 1846; thence westerly, along the southerly side of Pier 44, as existing in 1846, and continued westerly out to the new pier line as established in 1871, a total distance of seven hundred and seventy feet; thence northerly, along said pier line forty feet; thence easterly four hundred and ten feet, parallel with the south side of said Pier 44; thence northerly about ten feet; thence easterly, along the northerly side of said Pier 44 three hundred and fifty feet, to the old city boundary line; thence southerly, along said line, forty-six feet and ten inches, to the point of beginning.

That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof to be held in the Court-house in the City of New York, on the 27th day of August, 1879, at 10 o'clock A. M., on that day; and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, June 28, 1879.
JAMES MATTHEWS,
WILLIAM H. WICKHAM,
LOUIS FITZGERALD,
Commissioners.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE COMMISSION.

NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, ROOM 28,
NEW YORK, July 28, 1879.

PROPOSALS FOR ELEVATOR.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR ERECTING AN ELEVATOR in the New County Court-house will be received by the Commissioners for the Completion of the New County Court-house, at the above address, until Saturday, August 2, 1879, at 10 o'clock A. M., when the same will be publicly opened and read.

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate, in addition to stating the same in figures. Each proposal must 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 sureties in the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars 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 any higher bidder, to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting.

The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals if, in their judgment, the same may be for the interest of the city.

The sealed envelope, containing the estimate or proposal, will be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and also the words "Proposal for Elevator."

Forms of proposals may be obtained, and the plans, specifications, and terms of contract, as approved by the Counsel to the Corporation, may be seen at the office of the architect, Mr. Leopold Eidlitz, 128 Broadway.

WYLLIS BLACKSTONE,
JOHN P. CUMMING,
THOMAS B. TAPPEN,
FRANCIS BLESSING,
Commissioners for the Completion of the
New County Court-house.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
FIRST FLOOR (NEW WING), NEW COUNTY-HOUSE,
CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, July 23, 1879.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED AND ENTERED JULY 18, 1879.

9th avenue, regulating, grading, setting curb, gutters, stones, and flagging, from 72d to 81st street.
Concord avenue, regulating and grading, from Home street to Westchester avenue.

155th street, regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, and superstructure, from 9th avenue to Hudson river.
124th street, E. B., regulating, grading, setting and resetting curb, flagging and reflagging, and paving, from Avenue A to 6th avenue.

11th avenue, sewer, between 66th and 76th streets, with branches in 67th, 68th, 69th, 71st, 72d, and 73d streets, with connection of present sewer in 70th street.

119th street, sewer, between 5th avenue and summit west of 5th avenue.

Greenwich avenue, sewer, between 13th street and 8th avenue, and sewer in Bank street, between Waverley place and Greenwich avenue, from end of present sewer to near Greenwich avenue.

53d street, paving, from 7th avenue to Broadway.
Lexington avenue, paving, from 85th to 86th street.
1st street, basin on the northwest corner of Extra place.
Bloomfield street, basins on the northwest corners of Bloomfield street and 10th avenue and Little West 12th street and 10th avenue.

54th street, basins on the southwest corner of 54th street and Avenue A, and on the northwest corner of 55th street and Avenue A.

59th street, flagging sidewalk (north side), between Madison and 5th avenues.

7th avenue, tree planting, from 110th to 154th street.

6th avenue, tree planting, from 110th to 145th street.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before September 22, 1879, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of entry.

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

EDWARD GILON,
Collector of Assessments.

INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

THE INTEREST ON THE BONDS AND STOCKS of the City of New York, due August 1, 1879, will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office in the New County Court-house.

The transfer books will be closed from July 16 to August 1, 1879.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
July 14, 1879.

WILLIAM KENNELLY & HUGH N. CAMP,
Auctioneers.

CORPORATION SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY virtue of the powers vested in the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the City of New York, they will offer for sale, at public auction, on Thursday, April 24, 1879, at noon, at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway, in the City of New York, the following real estate belonging to the Corporation of the City of New York, viz:

Lots Nos. 13, 14, 15, Harlem market property, south side 121st street, near Third avenue.

West side 3d avenue, between 67th and 68th streets, lots Nos. 1 to 7.

South side 68th street, between 3d and Lexington avenues, lots Nos. 10 to 16.

East side Lexington avenue, between 67th and 68th streets, lots Nos. 22 to 25.

North side 67th street, between Lexington and 3d avenues, lots Nos. 26 to 33.

Lithographic maps of the above real estate may be obtained at the Comptroller's office at the New County Court-house, on and after April 15, 1879.

Full warrantee deeds will be given to all purchasers.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,
March 24, 1879.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

The sale of the above premises is adjourned to Thursday, September 25, 1879, at the same hour and place.

NEW YORK—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,
July 10, 1879.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
No. 16 NEW COUNTY-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, June 10, 1879.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED AND ENTERED JUNE 5, 1879.

1st avenue, sewer, between 92d and 110th streets, and 2d avenue, sewer, between 95th and 103rd streets, with branches in 93d, 96th, 97th, 99th, 100th, 101st, 102d, 103d, 104th, 105th, 107th, and 108th streets.

4th avenue, regulating and grading, between 116th and 124th streets.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before August 9, 1879, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of entry.

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

EDWARD GILON,
Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
FIRST FLOOR (NEW WING), NEW COUNTY-HOUSE,
CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, June 6, 1879.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED MAY 15, ENTERED MAY 20, 1879.

Inwood street opening, from the westerly line of Kingsbridge road to the Hudson river.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before August 5, 1879, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of entry.

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

EDWARD GILON,
Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
No. 16 NEW COUNTY-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, June 2, 1879.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED AND ENTERED MAY 29, 1879.

76th street, paving, from 8th avenue to Riverside Park.
10th avenue, sewer, between 77th and 81st streets, with branches in 77th, 78th, 79th, and 80th streets.

57th street, sewer extension at East river.

70th street, basin, northeast corner 5th avenue.

68th street, paving intersections of 4th avenue.

Fordham avenue, crosswalk near 11th street (24th ward).

All payments made on the above assessments on or before August 1st, 1879, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of entry.

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

EDWARD GILON,
Collector of Assessments.

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 1879, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

Grantors, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and

Sheriffs' sales, in 61 volumes, full bound, price, \$100 00

The same, in 25 volumes, half bound, price, 50 00

Complete sets, folded, ready for binding, price, 15 00

Records of Judgments, 25 volumes, bound, price, 10 00

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

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.