

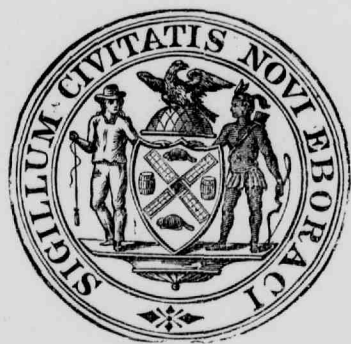
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APPROVED PAPERS.

Ordinances, resolutions, etc., approved by the Mayor during the week ending May 7, 1881.

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to Murphy Brothers to erect and retain storm-door within the stoop-line on the Madison street front of their premises, southwest corner of Oliver and Madison streets, the work to be done at their own expense, and said permission to continue during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 19, 1881.
Approved by the Mayor, May 2, 1881.

Resolved, That George M. Cushing be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.
Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 19, 1881.
Approved by the Mayor, May 2, 1881.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Edward Livingston to construct a vault under the pavement in front of Nos. 58, 60 and 62 Crosby street, extending a distance of eight feet and six inches (8 ft. 6 in.) beyond the curb-stone; the work to be done at his own expense and under the direction and to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 26, 1881.
Approved by the Mayor, May 2, 1881.

Resolved, That a crosswalk be laid across Alexander avenue at each of the intersections of One Hundred and Thirty-third, One Hundred and Thirty-fourth, One Hundred and Thirty-fifth, One Hundred and Thirty-sixth, One Hundred and Thirty-seventh, and One Hundred and Thirty-eighth streets, and across each of the above mentioned streets at each intersection with Alexander avenue, under the direction of the Commissioners of Public Parks; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 19, 1881.
Approved by the Mayor, May 3, 1881.

Resolved, That the United States Illuminating Company of New York is hereby authorized and empowered to lay tubes, wires, conductors, and insulators, and to erect lamp-posts in the streets, avenues, parks, and public places in this city, for the purpose of conveying, using, and supplying electricity or electrical currents for purposes of illumination, all excavations in streets, removals, and replacements of pavements or sidewalks to be done under and according to the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, and under such further conditions as to security against damage to sewers, water-pipes, gas-pipes, or other pipes, as may be prescribed by his Honor the Mayor, the Comptroller, and the Commissioner of Public Works, who are now by law authorized to make provision for lighting the streets of the city.

Whenever at any time any permit shall be granted to open the streets, pavements, or sidewalks, for the purpose of laying the tubes, wires, conductors, and insulators of the company, a sum equal to one cent per lineal foot of streets occupied under such permit shall be paid to the city.

Nothing herein contained shall be deemed to authorize the laying of any mains or pipes for conveying gas nor the erection of any lamps or lamp-posts to be used for illuminating by gas.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 12, 1881.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, April 19, 1881, with his objections thereto.

In Board of Aldermen, May 3, 1881, taken up and considered, as provided in section 13, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Resolved, That the Brush Electric Illuminating Company of New York is hereby authorized and empowered to lay, erect, and construct suitable wires or other conductors, with the necessary poles, pipes, or other fixtures, in, on, over, and under the streets, avenues, public parks, and places of the City of New York, for conducting and distributing electricity, and to the full extent that could, with the consent of the municipal authorities of the City of New York, be given to any gas-light company, under or by reason of, or in pursuance of, an application made by any of the corporations especially referred to in chapter 512 of the general statutes of New York for the year 1879. All excavations in street, removals and replacements of pavements or sidewalks, to be done under and according to the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works and under such further conditions as to security against damage to sewers, water-pipes, gas-pipes, or other pipes, as may be prescribed by his Honor the Mayor, Comptroller, and Commissioner of Public Works, who are now by law authorized to make provision for lighting the streets of the city.

Whenever at any time any permit shall be granted to open the streets, pavement, or sidewalks, for the purpose of laying the tubes, wires, conductors, or insulators of the company, a sum equal to one cent per lineal foot of streets occupied under such permit shall be paid to the city.

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Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Lewis Gort to erect a flag-pole at No. 35 Avenue A, 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.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Giovanni Mauro to place and retain a barber's pole in front of No. 154 Spring street, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Charles Hackett to place and keep a barber's pole on the sidewalk in front of No. 690 Third avenue, such pole not to exceed ten inches in diameter nor twelve feet in height; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 12, 1881.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, April 19, 1881, with his objections thereto.

In Board of Aldermen, May 3, 1881, taken up and considered, as provided in section 13, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, two-thirds of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Resolved, That a free iron drinking-fountain (for man and beast) be placed on Tenth avenue, near the southeast corner of Sixty-ninth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 5, 1881.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, April 19, 1881, with his objections thereto.

In Board of Aldermen, May 3, 1881, taken up and considered, as provided in section 13, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to James Meislohn to place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk in front of No. 1590 Broadway, corner of Forty-eighth street, the work done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 5, 1881.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, April 19, 1881, with his objections thereto.

In Board of Aldermen, May 3, 1881, taken up and considered, as provided in section 13, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, two-thirds of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Samuel Nelson to place and keep a watering-trough in front of No. 665 Ninth avenue, the work done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 5, 1881.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, April 19, 1881, with his objections thereto.

In Board of Aldermen, May 3, 1881, taken up and considered, as provided in section 13, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, two-thirds of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Otto Baust to erect and maintain a canvas awning in front of premises No. 729 Seventh avenue, the work done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 12, 1881.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, April 19, 1881, with his objections thereto.

In Board of Aldermen, May 3, 1881, taken up and considered, as provided in section 13, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, two-thirds of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Emma Chanaler to erect a bay-window on building No. 165 West Thirty-fourth street, as shown on the annexed diagram, the work done at her own expense, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Fire Department; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 5, 1881.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, April 19, 1881, with his objections thereto.

In Board of Aldermen, May 3, 1881, taken up and considered, as provided in section 13, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, two-thirds of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Resolved, That the broken free drinking-hydrant now on the corner of Clarkson and Greenwich streets be replaced by a new one, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 5, 1881.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, April 19, 1881, with his objections thereto.

In Board of Aldermen, May 3, 1881, taken up and considered, as provided in section 13, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 26, 1881.

Approved by the Mayor, May 4, 1881.

Resolved, That the roadway of Lexington avenue, from the northerly crosswalk of Eighty-sixth street to the southerly crosswalk of Ninety-third street, be paved with Belgian or trap-block pavement, where not already paved, extending at the intersecting streets to the crosswalks heretofore laid, or where the crosswalks are not laid, to a line five feet east of and parallel with the east curb, and five feet west of and parallel with the west curb of said avenue respectively, except that crosswalks of two courses of blue-stone be laid across said avenue within the lines of the sidewalks of the intersecting streets where not already laid; also, that crosswalks of three courses of blue-stone be laid, where not already laid, adjoining the limits of said pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 26, 1881.

Approved by the Mayor, May 4, 1881.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Michael Gallagher to place and keep a watering-trough on the northwest corner Tenth avenue and Twenty-seventh street, the work done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 26, 1881.

Approved by the Mayor, May 4, 1881.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Cornelius Ryan to place and keep a watering-trough on the corner of Montgomery and South streets, the work done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 26, 1881.

Approved by the Mayor, May 4, 1881.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to George F. Pusch to erect and maintain an ornamental lamp-post and lamp in front of Nos. 36 and 38 West Thirtieth street, the work done and gas supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 26, 1881.

Approved by the Mayor, May 4, 1881.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Oscar Church to erect an ornamental lamp-post and lamp in front of No. 537 Hudson street, the work done and gas supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 26, 1881.

Approved by the Mayor, May 4, 1881.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Charter Oak Life Insurance Company, of Hartford, Conn., to lay pipes in front of Nos. 36 and 49 New street for the purpose of conducting steam to their buildings, the consent of the property-owners on New street having been obtained and is hereto annexed, the work done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 26, 1881.
Approved by the Mayor, May 4, 1881.

Resolved, That the roadway of Madison avenue, from the northerly crosswalk of One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, to a line ten feet south of and parallel with the south curb of One Hundred and Thirty-third street, be paved with Belgian or trap-block pavement, where not already paved, extending at the intersecting streets to the crosswalks heretofore laid, and that a crosswalk, with two courses of blue-stone, be laid adjoining the northerly end of the above-described pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 26, 1881.
Approved by the Mayor, May 4, 1881.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street-lamps lighted in East Sixtieth street, between First avenue and Boulevard, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 26, 1881.
Approved by the Mayor, May 4, 1881.

Resolved, That Croton-mains be laid in One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from the Southern Boulevard to Locust avenue, and in Locust avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to One Hundred and Forty-first street, as provided in chapter 381, Laws of 1879.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 26, 1881.
Approved by the Mayor, May 4, 1881.

Resolved, That a lamp-post with boulevard lamp be erected and lighted in front of public school at Nos. 15 and 17 East Third street, and that the lamp-post now in front of said school be removed and reset to a proper location opposite said school, to conform to the new lamp, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 26, 1881.
Approved by the Mayor, May 4, 1881.

Resolved, That Simon Schwarzmann be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of W. H. Adams, who has failed to qualify.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 3, 1881.
Approved by the Mayor, May 5, 1881.

Resignation of Michael J. Morrison as a Commissioner of Deeds.
Resolved, That William M. Ivins be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Michael J. Morrison, who has resigned.

Resignation accepted and resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 3, 1881.
Approved by the Mayor, May 5, 1881.

Resignation of W. N. Hopcroft as a Commissioner of Deeds.
Resolved, That George Hopcroft be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of W. N. Hopcroft, who has resigned.

Resignation accepted and resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 3, 1881.
Approved by the Mayor, May 5, 1881.

Resolved, That Hugh J. Grant be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Terence J. McCahill, who has failed to qualify.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 3, 1881.
Approved by the Mayor, May 5, 1881.

Resolved, That the name of Adison J. Jerome, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be corrected so as to read Addison G. Jerome.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 3, 1881.
Approved by the Mayor, May 5, 1881.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to F. Kanter to place and keep an ornamental clock in front of No. 700 Broadway, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 3, 1881.
Approved by the Mayor, May 5, 1881.

Resolved, That the name of Francis A. Wandell, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be corrected so as to read Francis L. Wandell.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 3, 1881.
Approved by the Mayor, May 5, 1881.

Resolved, That the names of Justus Hawkes, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be and is hereby corrected so as to read Justus Hawks.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 3, 1881.
Approved by the Mayor, May 5, 1881.

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place, respectively, of the persons named, who have failed to qualify:

David Mankiewicz.....	In place of David Levy.
James R. Cooke.....	" M. James McLaughlin.
Christopher M. Buechler.....	" Martin J. McInerney.
Edward F. Hassey.....	" William May.
James Campbell.....	" Meyer Masten.
John Stacom.....	" William H. Burnham.
Cyrille Carreau.....	" Charles E. Marsac.
Theodore F. Van Zandt.....	" William P. Mitchell.
Edward C. Chamberlin.....	" John Murphy.
Moritz H. Silberstein.....	" Peter Macdonald.
Frederick J. Lancaster.....	" William G. Mank.
Charles W. Keeler.....	" Samuel Meirs.
J. Fraser Rowell.....	" Charles Moss.
John M. Ruck.....	" John C. Munzinger.
Lafayette H. De Friese.....	" Charles A. De Nike.
James J. Moss.....	" Fremont Madison.
James E. Kelly.....	" Hugo S. Mack.
E. B. Patch.....	" Henry F. Metz.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 3, 1881.
Approved by the Mayor, May 5, 1881.

Resolved, That Martin J. McInerney be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Edgar Odell, who has failed to qualify.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 3, 1881.
Approved by the Mayor, May 5, 1881.

AN ORDINANCE to amend section 93 of article VIII. of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances, approved December 31, 1880.

The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York do ordain as follows:
Section 1. Section 93 of article VIII. of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances, approved December 31, 1880, is hereby amended by striking out the figures "74" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "89," and by striking out the word "hereinafter," so that said section when so amended shall read as follows:

§ 93. The owner or driver of any hackney coach or cab shall not demand or be entitled to receive any pay for the conveyance of any passenger, unless the number of the carriage and rates of prices be conspicuously fixed in and on said carriage or cab, as provided by section 89 of this article, under penalty of five dollars.

Sec. 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 3, 1881.
Approved by the Mayor, May 6, 1881.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John C. Donnelly to place and keep bay-windows on the houses about to be erected by him in Fifty-seventh street, between the Fifth and Sixth avenues, as shown on the accompanying diagram; being a bay-window on the first, and an oriel window on the second story of each house, and not to project outwardly more than 3 feet 8 inches, the work done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Fire Department; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 26, 1881.
Approved by the Mayor, May 7, 1881.

Resolved, That Croton-mains be laid in Morris avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-fourth and One Hundred and Sixty-fifth streets, as provided by chapter 381, Laws of 1879.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 3, 1881.
Approved by the Mayor, May 7, 1881.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY,
Clerk of the Common Council.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

WEDNESDAY, May 4, 1881.

Regular meeting 9:30 A. M.

Present—Commissioners Lane, Wales, MacLean, and Olliffe.

On motion of Commissioner Olliffe, Commissioner Wales was called to the chair.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following communications were received:

From the Comptroller, desiring to be furnished with a statement of the cost incurred by refilling portions of the Riverside Drive, where the drive and embankment had settled and washed out, also an estimate of the probable cost of repairs in the future.

From the Acting Engineer of Construction in relation to the necessities for refilling on the Riverside avenue and the cost of the same.

The Secretary was directed to transmit a copy of the communication from the Acting Engineer of Construction to the Comptroller for his information.

From the Clerk of the Board of Aldermen, transmitting a copy of a resolution, directing the removal of banner-poles from the corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, and the restoration of the pavements and crosswalks taken up at the time of the erection of said poles.

Referred to the Acting Superintendent Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards to have the said poles removed.

From John Barbee, offering two cinnamon bears for sale.

Referred to the Director of the Menagerie to report upon.

From the Health Department, submitting a copy of a report upon the condition of drain in Grove street, between Fordham and Madison avenues.

Referred to the Superintendent of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, to examine and report upon.

From the Topographical Engineer, submitting a plan and reporting on the proper grades and locations for the proposed bridges to be built over the Bronx river at Williamsbridge, Fordham and Pelham avenues, Boston road, Samuel street, and Westchester avenue.

Referred to the Secretary to furnish Mr. A. P. Boller, Engineer, with the information contained in said report.

From the Topographical Engineer, enclosing the resignation of P. R. Buckeleu, Assistant.

On motion, said resignation was accepted.

From N. H. Decker, desiring permission to allow the rock excavated in Transverse road on Central Park, at Seventy-ninth street, in laying of water-pipe, to remain where it is for one or two months.

Referred to Commissioner MacLean with power.

From the Acting Superintendent, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, recommending the restoration of Thomas Kelly, laborer.

Commissioner Olliffe moved that Thomas Kelly, laborer, be and he is hereby restored to duty.

The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree to said motion, and it was determined in the affirmative, a majority of all of the members of the Board voting in favor thereof, as follows:

Ayes—Commissioners Lane, Wales, MacLean, and Olliffe—4.

From the Director of the Menagerie, recommending the purchase of a ram from Lord Walsingham's flock at a cost not to exceed £25, for use in the flock of sheep belonging to the Department.

Referred to Commissioner Lane to report upon.

From the Director of the Menagerie, recommending the exchange of lambs for a Yak.

Ordered filed.

A copy of a summons and complaint and injunction in the matter of Adolph L. Kerker against the Department of Public Parks, in relation to mooring floats at the Third avenue bridge over Harlem river was received.

On motion of Commissioner Lane, it was

Resolved, That the papers be referred to the Counsel to the Corporation to take the necessary proceedings in relation thereto.

From the Acting Superintendent of Parks, enclosing a restoration ticket of John Murphy, laborer.

Referred to Commissioner MacLean to report upon.

From the Superintending Architect, reporting the estimated cost of putting in a tank and pump to supply water to the ladies' cottage, near the Dairy.

Ordered filed.

From the Acting Superintendent Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, recommending that application be made to the Department of Public Works for the retention of the steam road rollers borrowed from said Department, as the same are required in the work of macadamizing Sedgwick avenue and Southern Boulevard.

Referred to Commissioner Olliffe.

From the Clerk of the Board of Aldermen, transmitting a copy of an ordinance for laying crosswalks across Alexander avenue and intersecting streets, from One Hundred and Thirty-third to One Hundred and Thirty-eighth streets.

Referred to the Acting Engineer of Construction to prepare plans and contract for doing said work and submit the same to this Board for approval.

From Joseph Dreyfoos, in relation to the rules of the Department prohibiting gentlemen from going on the lawn at the Central Park, near Seventy-second street, set aside for the use of nurses and children.

Referred to the Secretary to reply to and state that in the opinion of the Board the suggestions of Mr. Dreyfoos are inexpedient.

From the Director of the Menagerie, recommending the disposal of one eight-year-old ram, five old ewes, and thirty-two ram lambs from the flock of sheep at the park.

On motion of Commissioner Olliffe, it was

Resolved, That one eight-year-old ram, five old ewes, and thirty-two ram lambs be sold at public auction.

On motion of Commissioner Wales, it was referred to Commissioner Olliffe to fix the time for the sale.

From the Acting Superintendent of Parks, recommending the employment of Patrick Lenny for work in the laying of tar pavement in the Central Park.

Commissioner Wales offered the following:

Resolved, That Patrick Lenny be and he is hereby appointed to assist in the laying of tar pavement in the Central Park, at a compensation of \$2.50 per day.

The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree to said resolution, and it was determined in the affirmative, a majority of all of the members of the Board voting in favor thereof, as follows:

Ayes—Commissioners Wales, MacLean, and Olliffe—3.

No—Commissioner Lane—1.

On motion of Commissioner MacLean, it was

Resolved, That when this Board adjourns it adjourn to meet on Tuesday next at 9:30 A. M.

From W. J. Keely, applying for the appointment of Special Detective on the Police force of the Department.

Ordered filed.

Commissioner Lane, from the Auditing Committee, presented the following reports:

The Auditing Committee beg leave to report that they have examined and audited the following bills, and submit the same to the Board for approval.

Aguirre, A. A., lettering maps.....	Making map 23d and 24th Wards, Dept. T. & A., 1880.....	\$20 63	
Barber, M. & Nephew, coal.....	Labor, Maint., and Supplies.....	23 00	
Bouker, John A., broken stone.....	Labor, Maint., and Supplies.....	514 10	
Casey, James, boat.....	Maint. Zoolg. Dept.....	16 00	
Coffin, P. C., hinges and rakes.....	Labor, Maint., and Supplies.....	\$39 00	
	Maint. Zoolg. Dept.....	9 00	
		48 00	
Coffin, P. C., ladders and wrench.....	Maint. 23d and 24th Wards.....	23 75	
Hawley, James C., petty disbursements.....	Labor, Maint., and Supplies.....	\$64 95	
	Maint. Zoolg. Dept.....	8 39	
	Maint. 23d and 24th Wards.....	11 59	
	Surveying, Laying out, etc., 23d and 24th Wards.....	2 50	
		87 43	
Hilton, E. G., rubber hose.....	Labor, Maint., and Supplies.....	47 50	
Hilborn, Louis, harness.....	Labor, Maint., and Supplies.....	166 00	
McGrath, Michael, Contract, Estimate No. 1.....	Fourth Avenue Parks, Imp. of.....	3,271 66	
Mott, J. L., Iron Works, boiler plate.....	Labor, Maint., and Supplies.....	64 05	
Murphy & Nesbit, lime and plaster.....	Labor, Maint., and Supplies.....	6 20	
Reynolds, C. T. & Co., oil and sash tools.....	Labor, Maint., and Supplies.....	\$12 36	
	Maint. Zoolg. Dept.....	51	
	Harlem R. B., Reps., L. & M.....	1 16	
		14 03	
Rhineland, F. W., expenses Museum of Art.....	Maint. Museum.....	2,382 67	
Rohrey, John, repairs to harness.....	Maint. 23d and 24th Wards.....	6 05	
Seymour, W. N. & Co., nails.....	Labor, Maint., and Supplies.....	21 35	
Wright, R. J., hay, feed, etc.....	Labor, Maint., and Supplies.....	\$516 66	
	Maint. Zoolg. Dept.....	189 34	
		706 00	
White, Chas. W., lumber.....	Labor, Maint., and Supplies.....	\$290 18	
	Walks, Central Park.....	77 50	
		367 68	
		\$7,786 10	

RECAPITULATION.

Labor, Maintenance, and Supplies.....	\$1,765 35
Maintenance Zoological Department.....	223 24
Maintenance 23d and 24th Wards.....	41 39
Walks—Central Park.....	77 50
Maintenance—Museums.....	2,382 67
Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvement, and Maintenance.....	1 16
Surveying, Laying out, etc., 23d and 24th Wards.....	2 50
Fourth Avenue Parks—Improvement of.....	3,271 66
Making Maps, etc., 23d and 24th Wards, Department Taxes and Assessments, 1880.....	20 63
	\$7,786 10

Amounting in the aggregate to the sum of seventy-seven hundred and eighty-six dollars and ten cents.

Signed,

SMITH E. LANE, } Auditing
WILLIAM M. OLLIFFE, } Committee.

NEW YORK, May 3, 1881.

The above mentioned bills having been read and passed on separately, the Chairman moved that the Board do now approve them, and that the Secretary be directed to transmit them to the Finance Department for payment.

The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree to said motion, and it was determined in the affirmative, a majority of all of the members of the Board voting in favor thereof, as follows:

Ayes—Commissioners Lane, Wales, MacLean, and Olliffe—4.

The Auditing Committee beg leave to report that they have examined and audited the following bills, and submit the same to the Board for approval:

Beck, Louis D., gravel.....	Labor, Maint., and Supplies.....	\$638 37	\$638 37
Everard, James, Contract, Estimate 1 and Final.....	Crosswalks—Willis avenue and 138th and 139th streets, between Willis and Alexander avenues.....	693 41	
Morgan, J. P., Treasurer, Expenses Museum Nat. Hist.	Maint. Museum.....	1,343 30	
			\$2,675 08

RECAPITULATION.

Labor, Maintenance, and Supplies.....	\$638 37
Maintenance—Museums.....	1,343 30
Crosswalks—Willis avenue and 138th and 139th streets, between Willis and Alexander avenues.....	693 41
	\$2,675 08

Amounting in the aggregate to the sum of twenty-six hundred and seventy-five dollars and eight cents.

Signed,

SMITH E. LANE, } Auditing
WILLIAM M. OLLIFFE, } Committee.

NEW YORK, May 4, 1881.

The above-mentioned bills having been read and passed on separately, the Chairman moved that the Board do now approve them, and that the Secretary be directed to transmit them to the Finance Department for payment.

The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree to said motion, and it was determined in the affirmative, a majority of all of the members of the Board voting in favor thereof, as follows:

Ayes—Commissioners Lane, Wales, MacLean, and Olliffe—4.

Commissioner Lane offered the following:

Resolved, That Julius Munckwitz be continued as Acting Superintendent of Parks until the next regular meeting of the Board.

The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree to said resolution, and it was determined in the affirmative, a majority of all of the members of the Board voting in favor thereof, as follows:

Ayes—Commissioners Lane, Wales, and Olliffe—3.

No—Commissioner MacLean—1.

On motion of Commissioner Wales, it was

Resolved, That Messrs. Fleming Smith & Tripler have permission to plant elm trees on the outer edge of the sidewalk immediately in front of their property, between One Hundred and Third and One Hundred and Fourth streets, on Riverside avenue, under the direction of the Superintending Gardener.

Commissioner MacLean offered the following:

Resolved, That Commissioners Wales and Olliffe be and they are hereby authorized to employ three teams with sprinkling trucks for work on Riverside avenue.

The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree to said resolution, and it was determined in the affirmative, a majority of all of the members of the Board voting in favor thereof, as follows:

Ayes—Commissioners Lane, Wales, MacLean, and Olliffe—4.

Commissioner Wales offered the following:

Resolved, That the pay of Thomas F. Goodwin, Inspector of Granite Work and Masonry on Fourth Avenue Parks, be fixed at \$3.50 per day, to take effect with present pay-roll.

The Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree to said resolution, and it was determined in the affirmative, a majority of all of the members of the Board voting in favor thereof, as follows:

Ayes—Commissioners Wales, MacLean, and Olliffe—3.

No—Commissioner Lane—1.

Commissioner Wales laid before the Board a communication received by him from N. W. Green, in relation to sinking artesian wells in the Central Park and making a proposition relative thereto.

Referred to Commissioner Wales to report upon.

On motion, at 10:30 A. M., the Board adjourned.

E. P. BARKER, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, May 5, 1881.

In accordance with section 110, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the Department of Public Works makes the following report of its transactions for the week ending April 30, 1881:

Public Moneys Received and Deposited in the City Treasury.

For Croton water rents.....	\$9,998 44
For penalties on Croton water rents.....	184 65
For tapping Croton pipes.....	474 50
For vault permits.....	2,974 43
For sewer permits.....	410 00
For removing obstructions.....	5 50
For restoring and repaving, "Special Fund".....	966 00
Total.....	\$15,013 52

Report of Photometrical Examinations of Illuminating Gas, for the week ending April 30, 1881, made at the Photometrical Rooms of the Department of Public Works.

DATE.	TIME.	Thermometer.	Barometer.	GAS COMPANY.	BURNER.	Pressure as Delivered to Burner.	Consumption of Gas, Rate per hour.	Consumption of Gas, per hour.	ILLUMINATING POWER.	Observed.	Corrected.
Apr. 25	5 P.M.	71.	30.03	Manhattan	Empire 5 ft.....	.86	5.00	120.0	21.30	21.30	
" 26	4 P.M.	69.	29.85	"	"	.86	5.00	118.8	21.66	21.44	
" 27	1 P.M.	68.	29.92	"	"	.85	5.00	124.2	20.10	20.80	
" 28	4 P.M.	70.	30.01	"	"	.86	5.00	117.6	21.74	21.30	
" 30	1:30 P.M.	66.	30.24	"	"	.86	5.00	124.8	19.86	20.65	
									Average.	21.10	
Apr. 25	7 P.M.	71.	30.04	Harlem.....	"	.90	5.00	121.2	19.04	19.23	
" 26	6 P.M.	72.	29.78	"	"	.90	5.00	120.0	19.56	19.56	
" 27	6:30 P.M.	73.	29.92	"	"	.90	5.00	120.6	19.24	19.33	
" 28	7 P.M.	72.	30.02	"	"	.91	5.00	120.0	19.67	19.67	
" 30	12 M.	72.	30.27	"	"	.92	5.00	126.0	19.22	20.18	
									Average.	19.59	
Apr. 25	4 P.M.	70.	30.03	New York.....	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.70	5.00	120.0	27.84	27.84	
" 26	3:30 P.M.	68.	29.85	"	"	.71	5.00	123.0	27.38	28.06	
" 27	.....	.....	.....	"	"	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
" 28	2:30 P.M.	68.	30.02	"	"	.70	5.00	120.0	26.12	26.12	
" 30	3 P.M.	68.	30.27	"	"	.72	5.00	121.2	26.78	27.05	
									Average.	27.27	
Apr. 25	4:30 P.M.	71.	30.03	N. Y. Mutual..	"	.77	5.00	126.0	26.12	27.42	
" 26	2 P.M.	68.	29.85	"	"	.77	5.00	120.0	27.50	27.50	
" 27	2 P.M.	69.	29.92	"	"	.78	5.00	123.6	26.56	27.35	
" 28	3:30 P.M.	68.	30.01	"	"	.79	5.00	120.0	26.46	26.46	
" 30	2 P.M.	67.	30.24	"	"	.78	5.00	123.0	27.18	27.86	
									Average.	27.32	
Apr. 25	2:30 P.M.	68.	30.03	Municipal.....	"	.69	5.00	122.4	30.96	31.58	
" 26	2:30 P.M.	68.	29.85	"	"	.70	5.00	120.0	31.10	31.10	
" 27	.....	.....	.....	"	"	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
" 28	3 P.M.	68.	30.01	"	"	.70	5.00	121.8	30.80	31.26	
" 30	3:30 P.M.	69.	30.24	"	"	.63	5.00	120.0	31.18	31.18	
									Average.	31.28	
Apr. 25	6:30 P.M.	70.	30.04	Metropolitan...	No. 6	.69	5.00	126.0	22.74	23.87	
" 26	6:30 P.M.	72.	29.78	"	"	.69	5.00	120.0	24.30	24.30	
" 27	6 P.M.	71.	29.92	"	"	.69	5.00	123.0	22.68	23.25	
" 28	6:30 P.M.	70.	30.02	"	"	.69	5.00	126.0	22.52	23.64	
" 30	11:30 A.M.	70.	30.27	"	"	.68	5.00	120.0	24.00	24.00	
									Average.	23.81	

E. G. LOVE, PH. D., Gas Examiner.

11 lamps discontinued.
16 lamp-posts removed.
7 lamp-posts reset.
16 lamp-posts straightened.
1 column refitted.

Public Lamps.

101 permits to tap Croton pipes.
186 permits to open streets.
36 permits to make sewer connections.
22 permits to repair sewer connections.
8 permits to construct street vaults.
327 permits to place building material on streets.

Permits Issued.

Dirt cart, from Pier 39, North river.
Furniture, from 410 East Eleventh street.

Obstructions Removed.

Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.

53 receiving basins and culverts cleaned.
1,700 lineal feet of sewer cleaned.
8 lineal feet of sewer rebuilt.
44 lineal feet of new sewer built.
27 lineal feet of spur-pipe laid.
7 receiving basins rebuilt.
2 receiving basins repaired.
7 new basin heads put on.
8 new manholes built.
11 manholes repaired.
11 new manhole heads and covers put on.
8 manhole heads reset.
340 cubic yards of earth excavated and refilled.
70 lineal feet of new curb set.
180 square feet of crosswalk relaid.
193 square yards of pavement relaid.
178 cart-loads of dirt removed.

Statement of Laboring Force Employed in the Department of Public Works during the Week ending April 30, 1881.

NATURE OF WORK.	MECHANICS.	LABORERS.	TEAMS.	CARTS.
Maintenance of Aqueduct and Reservoirs.....	10	100	4	..
In Pipe Yard foot of East Twenty-fourth street....	2	14	..	..
Laying and repairing pipes, etc.....	10	78	..	7
Repairing pavements.....	12	12	..	..
Repairing and cleaning sewers.....	3	28	..	13
Maintenance and construction of Boulevards and Aves.	3	43	25	2
Repairing streets.....	1	18	5	2
Repaving, under chapter 476, Laws of 1875.....	..	..	..	..
Total.....	41	293	34	24
Increase over previous week.....	..	23	7	..
Decrease from previous week.....	..	..	..	..

Appointments.

Joseph Kenny, Inspector on meters.

Transfers.

Charles M. Jeroloman, from Measurer to Inspector on waste of water.
Michael F. Wynne, from Inspector on waste of water to Measurer.
Joseph Hartman, from Inspector on waste of water to street openings.
Michael Fay, from Inspector on street openings to paving.

Removed on Completion of Work.

William F. McManus, Inspector on regulating, etc.

Requisitions on the Comptroller.

The total amount of requisitions drawn by the Department on the Comptroller during the week is \$33,162.75.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S OFFICE—BUREAU OF LICENSES,
NEW YORK, May 7, 1881.

Number of Licenses issued and amount received therefor, for the week ending May 6, 1881:

DATE.	LICENSES.	AMOUNT.
April 30.....	36	\$163 75
May 2.....	68	449 00
" 3.....	81	1,284 50
" 4.....	59	524 50
" 5.....	93	301 50
" 6.....	75	121 25
Total.....	412	\$2,844 50

CHARLES REILLY,
First Marshal.

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.
WILLIAM R. GRACE, Mayor; JOHN TRACEY, Chief Clerk; WILLIAM M. IVINS, Secretary.

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

No. 1 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
CHARLES REILLY, First Marshal.

Permit Bureau Office.

No. 13½ City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
HENRY WOLTMAN, Registrar.

Sealers and Inspectors of Weights and Measures.

No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
WILLIAM EYERS, Sealer First District; THOMAS BRADY, Sealer Second District; JOHN MURRAY, Inspector First District; JOSEPH SHANNON, Inspector Second District.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.

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

City Library.

No. 12 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
LUKE C. GRIMES, Librarian.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HUBERT O. THOMPSON, Commissioner; FREDERICK H. HAMLIN, Deputy Commissioner.

Bureau of Water Register.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN H. CHAMBERS, Register.

Bureau of Incumbrances.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL, Superintendent.

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
STEPHEN MCCORMICK, Superintendent.

Bureau of Streets.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES J. MOONEY, Superintendent.

Bureau of Chief Engineer.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ISAAC NEWTON, Chief Engineer.

Bureau of Street Improvements.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE A. JEREMIAH, Superintendent.

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS H. McAVOY, Superintendent.

Bureau of Water Purveyor.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
DANIEL O'REILLY, Water Purveyor.

Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.

JOHN F. SLOPER, City Hall.

Bureau of Sewers.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
STEVENSON TOWLE, Engineer-in-Charge.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

Nos. 19 and 20 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ALLAN CAMPBELL, 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 for the Collection of Assessments and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents.

No. 5 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ARTEMAS CADDY, Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenues and of Markets.

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

Office of the City Paymaster.

Room 1, New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
MOOR FALLS, City Paymaster.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

Staats Zeitung Building, third floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Saturday, 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.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

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

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.

No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 8:30 A. M. to 5:30 P. M.
JACOB HESS, President; GEORGE F. BRITTON, Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Headquarters.

Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.
VINCENT C. KING, President; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

Bureau of Chief of Department.

ELI BATES, Chief of Department.

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

Bureau of Fire Marshal.

GEORGE H. SHELDON, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

WM. P. ESTERBROOK, Inspector of Buildings.

Office hours, Headquarters and Bureaus, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. (Saturdays to 3 P. M.)

Attorney to Department.

WM. L. FINDLEY, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street and No. 120 Broadway.

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent of Telegraph.
Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.

Repair Shops.

Nos. 128 and 130 West Third street.
JOHN McCABE, Captain-in-Charge, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Hospital Stables.

No. 199 Christie street.
DEDERICK G. GALE, Superintendent of Horses.

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

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

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

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, City Hall, Room No. 11½, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN R. LYDECKER, Chairman; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

BOARD OF EXCISE.

Corner Mulberry and Houston streets, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM P. MITCHELL, President; ANTHONY HARTMAN, Chief Clerk.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

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

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Register; I. FAIRFAX McLAUGHLIN, Deputy Register.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

No. 1 County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WM. PITT SHEARMAN, JOHN W. BARROW.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

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

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

Second floor, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park
9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
DANIEL G. ROLLINS, District Attorney; B. B. FOSTER, Chief Clerk.

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

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

CORONERS' OFFICE.

No. 40 East Houston street.
MORITZ ELLINGER, GERSON N. HERRMAN THOMAS C. KNOX, and JOHN H. BRADY, Coroners.

RAPID TRANSIT COMMISSIONERS.

RICHARD M. HOE, 504 Grand street.
JOHN J. CRANE, 138th street, Morrisania.
GUSTAV SCHWAB, 2 Bowling Green.
CHARLES L. PERKINS, 23 Nassau street.
WILLIAM M. OLLIFFE, 6 Bowery.

SUPREME COURT.

Second floor, New County Court-house, 10½ A. M. to 3 P. M.
General Term, Room No. 9
Special Term, Room No. 10
Chambers, Room No. 11
Circuit, Part I, Room No. 12
Circuit, Part II, Room No. 13
Circuit, Part III, Room No. 14
Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 15.
NOAH DAVIS, Chief Justice; WILLIAM A. BUTLER, Chief Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, May 9, 1881.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received until Thursday, May 19, 1881, at 12 o'clock M., at which hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read, for the following:

No. 1. SEWERS in First avenue, between Twenty-first and Twenty-fourth streets.
No. 2. SEWER in Sixty-eighth street, between Eighth avenue and Boulevard.
No. 3. SEWER in Seventy-eighth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.
No. 4. SEWER in Eighty-first street, between Ninth avenue and summit west of Ninth avenue.
No. 5. SEWER in Eighty-second street, between Eighth and Tenth avenues.
No. 6. SEWER in Eighty-fifth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the specifications and agreements, and the proper envelopes in which to inclose the bids, and any further information desired, can be obtained at the office of the Engineer in charge of Sewers, Room 9, No. 31 Chambers street.

The Commissioner of Public Works reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, if, in his judgment, the same may be for the best interests of the city.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,

BUREAU OF WATER REGISTER,
31 CHAMBERS STREET, ROOM 2,
NEW YORK, May, 1881.

CROTON WATER RATES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ANNUAL water rates for 1881 are now due and payable at this office.

Permits for the use of Croton water for washing sidewalks, stoops, areas, etc., etc., must be renewed immediately.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, April 26, 1881.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION ON

Monday, May 9, 1881, at 11 o'clock A. M.

The Department of Public Works will sell at public auction, at the Corporation Yard, foot of Gansevoort street, North river, by Messrs. Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers, the following articles, viz.:

Lot of furniture, boxes, stands, signs, iron, tool box, trucks, carts, wagon.

TERMS OF SALE.

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

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
36 UNION SQUARE,
NEW YORK, May 3, 1881.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR REGULATING,

grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging the sidewalk four feet wide, One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, from Third avenue to Railroad avenue, will be received by the Department of Public Parks until nine and a half o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, the 18th day of May, 1881.

The Engineer's estimate of the work to be done, and by which the bids will be tested, is as follows:

4,200 cubic yards of filling.
5,900 lineal feet of new curb and gutter stones to be furnished and set.

1,200 lineal feet of curb and gutter stones to be taken up and reset.

11,000 square feet of new flagging to be furnished and laid.

2,900 square feet of flagging to be taken up and relaid.

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

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

ASSESSMENT COMMISSION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT A MEETING of the Commissioners under the act, chapter 550 of the Laws of 1880, entitled "An act relating to certain assessments for local improvements in the City of New York," passed June 9, 1880, will be held at their office, No. 27 Chambers street, on Tuesday, May 10, 1881, at 2 o'clock P. M.

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

JAMES J. MARTIN,
Clerk.

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

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

Second. In cases in which proceedings or actions have been commenced to vacate or set aside any assessment confirmed prior to June 9, 1880, or any assessment confirmed subsequent to June 9, 1880, for a local improvement theretofore completed, notices must be filed on or before May 1, 1881.

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

Dated, No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET, March 24, 1881.

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

JAMES J. MARTIN, Clerk.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

BERNARD KENNEY,
JOSEPH P. STRACK,
HENRY C. PERLEY,
THOMAS SHELLS,
JAMES L. WELLS,
Committee on Public Works.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the School Trustees of the Eleventh Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Wednesday, the 18th day of May, 1881, and until 9½ o'clock A. M., on said day, for repairing and painting Grammar School-house No. 15, on Fifth street, between Avenues C and D.

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

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

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

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

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

JOHN C. LIMBECK,
WILLIAM A. GRAHAM,
AUGUST STERN,
SAMUEL CREGAR, M. D.,
JOHN POWERS,
Board of School Trustees, Eleventh Ward.

Dated New York, May 4, 1881.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the School Trustees of the Sixteenth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Monday, the 9th day of May, 1881, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on said day, for repairing and painting Grammar School House No. 55, on West Twentieth street, near Seventh avenue.

JAMES HARRISON,
Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Sixteenth Ward.

SEALED PROPOSALS will also be received by the School Trustees of the Eighteenth Ward, until 4½ o'clock P. M., on Monday, May 9, 1881, at the place before named, for steam-heating apparatus for Grammar School House No. 40, on East Twenty-third street, near Second avenue.

JOHN F. TROW,
Chairman,
Board of School Trustees, Eighteenth Ward.

EDWARD S. MEAD,
Secretary.

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

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

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

Dated New York, April 25, 1881.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,
ROOM NO. 39, NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, May 5, 1881.

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: Trunks and contents, bag and contents, male and female clothing, boots and shoes, hats, carpets, blankets, revolvers, boats, junk, iron, tin, watches gold and silver, cloth, plated ware, tea, coffee, etc., also small amount of money found and taken from prisoners by patrolmen of this Department.

C. A. ST. JOHN,
Property Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, April 26, 1881.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT City Scows Nos. 9, 10, and 15, will be sold at public auction on Monday, May 9, 1881, at 11 o'clock A. M., at the foot of East Seventeenth street, E. R. (by Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers).

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, May 7, 1881.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT EIGHT (8) horses (numbered respectively 1, 14, 25, 82, 160, 168, 212, 225) will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, on Friday, 13th instant, at 12 o'clock M., by Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers, at Nos. 110 and 112 East Thirtieth street.

VINCENT C. KING,
JOHN J. GORMAN,
CORNELIUS VAN COTT,
Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, April 25, 1881.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR DOING THE WORK and furnishing the materials required in the proposed building and erection of a house for Engine Co. No. 27, located at No. 216 East Fortieth street, will be received as above, until 10 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, May 11, 1881, 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 building and erecting house for Engine Co. No. 27," 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,
JOHN J. GORMAN,
CORNELIUS VAN COTT,
Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, April 25, 1881.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR DOING THE WORK and furnishing the materials required in the proposed building and erection of a house for Engine Co. No. 27, located at No. 173 Franklin street, will be received as above, until 10 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, May 11, 1881, 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.

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VINCENT C. KING,
JOHN J. GORMAN,
CORNELIUS VAN COTT,
Commissioners.

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

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

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

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
May 4th, 1881.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 4 OF CHAPTER 33 of the Laws of 1881, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives notice to property-owners that the following lists of assessments for local improvements in said city were confirmed by the "Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments" on the 28th day of April, 1881, and on the same date, were entered in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," viz.:

Avenue B sewer, between 7th and 82d streets.
2d avenue sewer, between 7th and 76th streets.
Lexington avenue sewer, between 103d and 104th streets.
11th avenue sewer, west side, between 59th and 60th streets.
12th avenue sewer, between 131st and 133d streets.
Laight street sewer, between Washington and West streets.
Macdougall street sewer, between West 4th street and West Washington place.
Jackson street sewer, between Grand and Madison streets.
68th street sewer, between 4th and Madison avenues, etc.

72d street sewer, between 1st and 2d avenues.
73d street sewer, between 8th and 10th avenues.
103d street sewer, between 3d and Lexington avenues.
104th street sewer, between 9th and 10th avenues.
104th street sewer, from 650 feet east of 10th avenue to 75 feet west of 9th avenue.
113th street sewer, between 10th avenue and summit east of 10th avenue.
113th street sewer, between Madison and 5th avenues, etc.

122d street sewer, between 6th avenue and summit west of 6th avenue.
122d street sewer, between 7th avenue and summit east of 7th avenue.
127th street sewer, between 7th and 8th avenues.
129th street sewer, between 7th and 8th avenues.
130th street sewer, between 6th avenue and Summit west of 6th avenue.

5th avenue basin, west side, between 60th and 61st streets.
11th street basin, southwest corner Dry Dock street.

60th street basin, northeast corner 5th avenue.
93d street regulating, grading, etc., from 2d avenue to East river.

152d street regulating, grading, etc., from Boulevard to Hudson river.

Broadway regulating, grading, etc., from Manhattan street to 133d street.

58th street paving, from 9th to 10th avenue.

4th avenue paving, at intersection of 83d, 84th, 85th and 86th streets.

104th street paving, between 2d and 3d avenues.

14th avenue paving, between West 11th and West 16th streets.

79th street fencing vacant lots, south side, between 4th and Lexington avenues.

80th and 81st streets fencing vacant lots, between Madison and 5th avenues.

Madison avenue fencing vacant lots, southeast and southwest corners 127th street.

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," from 9 A. M. until 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before July 5, 1881, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the record of titles of assessments in said Bureau.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, AND OF ARREARS OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, AND OF WATER RENTS, NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,
CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, April 25, 1881.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the following assessment list was received by the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, April 25, 1881, for collection:

CONFIRMED APRIL 14, 1881, AND ENTERED APRIL 25, 1881.

80th street opening, from 8th avenue to New road, and from 12th avenue to the Hudson river.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before June 24, 1881, 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 above assessments are payable at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," from 9 A. M. until 2 P. M.

A. S. CADY,
Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

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

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

CHAPTER 33.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Section 5. If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said record of titles of assessments, it shall be the

duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect, and receive legal interest thereon, at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment.

Section 6. This act shall take effect immediately.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

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

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
AND OF ARREARS OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, AND OF WATER RENTS,
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, February 1, 1881.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the following assessment list was received by the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, January 29, 1881, for collection:

CONFIRMED JANUARY 25, 1881, AND ENTERED JANUARY 29, 1881, NAMELY:

153d street, opening, from the easterly line of the New Avenue lying between 8th and 9th avenues, to the Harlem river.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before March 30, 1881, 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 above assessments are payable at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," from 9 A. M. until 2 P. M.

A. S. CADY,
Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.

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

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

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

The Comptroller of the City of New York, in pursuance of the duty imposed and the authority thus conferred upon him, hereby orders and directs that the following Bureaux in the Finance Department shall be consolidated, the consolidation thereof to take effect on the first day of January, 1881, viz.:

First—"The Bureau or the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," shall be consolidated as one bureau, and on and after January 1, 1881, shall be known as "The Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," and possess all the powers conferred and perform all the duties imposed by law and ordinance upon both said bureaux, and the officers thereof, the chief officer of which consolidated bureau shall be called "Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears."

Second—"The Bureau for the Collection of the Revenue accruing from rents, and interest on bonds and mortgages, revenue arising from the use or sale of property belonging to or managed by the city," and "The Bureau or Markets," shall be consolidated as one Bureau, and on and after January 1, 1881, shall be known as "The Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets," and possess all the powers conferred and perform all the duties imposed by law and ordinance upon both said Bureaux, and the officers thereof; the chief officer of which said consolidated Bureau shall be called "Collector of City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets."

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

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

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

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

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

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

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 1877, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

THE CITY RECORD.

OFFICE OF THE CITY RECORD,
NO. 2 CITY HALL.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE THE BUSINESS OF the CITY RECORD office will be transacted at Room No. 4, City Hall, northeast corner.

THOMAS COSTIGAN,
Supervisor