

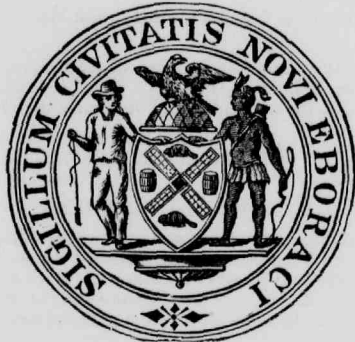
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### LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

#### BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

##### STATED SESSION.

TUESDAY, August 3, 1880,  
12 o'clock, M.

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

##### PRESENT :

Hon. John J. Morris, President ;

##### ALDERMEN

Matthew J. Coggey,  
Frederick Finck,  
Robert Foster,  
Bernard Goodwin,  
Henry Haffen,  
Robert Hall,  
Nicholas Haughton,

Frederick Helbig,  
John W. Jacobus,  
Patrick Keenan,  
William P. Kirk,  
Charles H. Marshall,  
John McClave,  
Jeremiah Murphy,

Henry C. Perley,  
William Sauer,  
Thomas Sheils,  
James J. Slevin,  
Joseph P. Strack,  
William Wade.

On motion of Alderman Strack, the reading of the minutes of the meetings of July 19 and 20 was dispensed with.

##### INVITATIONS.

An invitation was received to attend the annual excursion of Wadsworth Post, No. 77, G. A. R., to Glen Island, on Tuesday, August 24, 1880.  
Which was accepted.

##### PETITIONS.

By Alderman Sheils—

Petition of the New York Volunteer Life Saving Corps for compensation by the city, for services rendered in saving lives.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Foster—

Petition to regulate and grade New avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-fifth to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, and change the name to Lincoln avenue.

NEW YORK, April 13, 1880.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

We, the undersigned property owners, respectfully petition your Honorable Board to pass a resolution to cause that portion of the New avenue (the first new avenue east of Ninth avenue) lying between One Hundred and Forty-fifth (145th) street and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth (155th) street, to be regulated, graded and sewered, and that said New avenue be designated and named Lincoln avenue.

George F. Gantz, 405 feet.  
Annie E. Brown, 269 feet.  
A. Lustig, 139 feet.  
Howard W. Coates, 130 feet.  
R. Cannon Combs, 130 feet.  
Richard C. Fellows, 120 feet.  
W. J. W. Whirter, 350 feet.

Estate of George H. Peck, by H. W. Coates, Executor, 230 feet.  
W. J. Duffy, 80 feet.  
S. M. Milliken, 147 feet.  
B. F. Famhiky, 135 feet.  
M. B. Smith, 260 feet.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By the President—

Petition of William T. Walker for unclaimed medal of John Sanders, First Regiment, N. Y. Volunteers, war with Mexico, now in possession of Clerk of Common Council.  
Which was referred to the Committee on County Affairs.

##### MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By the President—

AN ORDINANCE for the capture and destruction of cats found at large in any of the public streets, lanes, alleys, highways, parks, or other places within the corporate limits of the City of New York.

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

Section 1. The Mayor of the City of New York is hereby authorized and empowered to take such measures as he may deem most efficient for the capture of all cats found at large in any of the public streets, lanes, alleys, highways, parks, or other places within the corporate limits of the City of New York.

Sec. 2. All cats found at large, as aforesaid, shall be seized, captured and delivered by such persons as the Mayor may appoint, at a place to be provided and indicated by him, where such animals, if not claimed within three hours thereafter by the owner, shall be destroyed in such manner and by such persons as the Mayor may designate ; but if any such animal be diseased, or injured or otherwise disabled, then it shall be at once deprived of life as aforesaid.

Sec. 3. The person having charge of the place provided for the delivery of the animals as aforesaid is authorized to receive any such animals brought to such place by persons other than those indicated by the Mayor, and to dispose of such animals as provided for in the second section of this ordinance ; but no cruelty shall be inflicted, nor shall they be conveyed on vehicles, nor confined in pens or other enclosures along with dogs.

Sec. 4. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Alderman Marshall moved to amend by inserting after the word "Mayor," in the third section, the words "children under sixteen years of age excepted."

Alderman Hall moved to lay the whole subject on the table.

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

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

Affirmative—Aldermen Coggey, Hall, Haughton, Helbig, Jacobus, Kirk, Murphy, and Sheils—8.

Negative—The President, Aldermen Finck, Foster, Goodwin, Haffen, Keenan, Marshall, McClave, Perley, Sauer, Slevin, Strack, and Wade—13.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with the amendment of Alderman Marshall.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

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

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

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

Affirmative—Aldermen Coggey, Hall, Haughton, Jacobus, Kirk, Marshall, Murphy, Sheils, Slevin, and Wade—10.

Negative—The President, Aldermen Finck, Foster, Goodwin, Haffen, Helbig, Keenan, McClave, Perley, Sauer, and Strack—11.

The President then put the question whether the Board would agree with said ordinance as amended.

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Finck, Foster, Goodwin, Haffen, Helbig, Keenan, Marshall, McClave, Perley, Sauer, Strack, and Wade—13.

Negative—Aldermen Coggey, Hall, Haughton, Jacobus, Kirk, Murphy, Sheils, and Slevin—8.

##### MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, August 2, 1880.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I am informed by the Honorable William M. Evarts, Secretary of State, that the Commission appointed in pursuance of the act of Congress, being "An act to provide for celebrating the one hundredth anniversary of the treaty of peace and the recognition of American Independence by holding an international exhibition of arts, manufactures, and the products of the soil and mine, in the City of New York, in the State of New York, in the year 1883," will assemble in this city on the 10th day of August. There being as yet no organization of the Commission, no rooms have been provided for their meetings, I respectfully recommend that the Board of Aldermen tender to the Commission the temporary use of the Governor's room for this purpose.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

In connection therewith the President offered the following :

Whereas, The Commissioners appointed by Act of Congress to provide for celebrating the one hundredth anniversary of the treaty of peace, and the recognition of American Independence by holding the International Exhibition of arts, manufactures, and the products of the soil and mines, in the City of New York, are to assemble in this city on the 10th instant, and it is desirable that the corporate authorities should take cognizance of an event so important, and so likely to conduce to the interests of this city ; be it therefore

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby requested to extend to the Commissioners every facility possible to enable them to carry into effect the object of their appointment, and to that end that he offer to them, on the part of the corporation, the use of the Governor's Room in the City Hall, in which to hold their session, when in this city.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Perley—

Resolved, That the blank in the fifth section of the ordinance, entitled "An ordinance to secure the proper repavement of streets, avenues, and places in the City of New York," etc., which passed this Board at the last meeting, be filled by inserting therein the words "thirty-first."

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Haughton—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to James Fitzsimons to erect and maintain two ornamental lamps in front of his premises, No. 241 First avenue, the lamps to be within the stoop-line ; the work to be done and the gas to be furnished at his own expense ; said permission to continue during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Strack—

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby requested to return to this Board for amendment a resolution passed at the last meeting, authorizing Henry Miner to erect a bay-window at No. 169 Bowery.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Alderman Goodwin moved that the Committee on Streets be discharged from the further consideration of a petition of J. J. Davis for permission to erect bay-window in house northwest corner of Lexington avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Alderman Goodwin then moved that the prayer of the petitioner be granted.

Alderman Marshall moved that the petition be recommitted to the Committee on Streets and Street Pavements.

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

Which was decided in the negative.

The President then put the question whether the Board would agree with the motion to grant the prayer of the petitioner.

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Coggey, Finck, Foster, Goodwin, Haffen, Hall, Haughton, Helbig, Jacobus, Keenan, Kirk, McClave, Murphy, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, and Strack—18.

Negative—Aldermen Marshall, Perley, and Wade—3.

##### PAPER RETURNED BY REQUEST FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Mr. Harry Miner to erect and build a bay-window in front of his premises, No. 169 Bowery, the same not to project any more than three (3) feet from the house-line and to come within the stoop-line, 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.

Alderman Strack moved that the vote by which the above was adopted be reconsidered.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Alderman Strack moved to amend by striking out the word "bay" before the word "window," and by striking out the words and figures "three (3) feet," and inserting in lieu thereof the figures and word "18 inches."

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Coggey, Foster, Goodwin, Haffen, Hall, Haughton, Helbig, Keenan, Kirk, McClave, Murphy, Perley, Sauer, Sheils, Strack, and Wade—17.

Negative—Alderman Marshall—1.

##### MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

By Alderman Perley—

Resolved, That lamp-posts be erected and street-lamps lighted in One Hundred and Nineteenth street, between Fourth and Sixth avenues, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Finck—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Charles M. Hayward to retain a sign in front of premises No. 208 Grand street, the said sign being 3 feet 6 inches long by 2 feet 6 inches wide ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.



By Alderman Murphy—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William J. Meyer to place and keep a watering-trough in front of premises No. 95 White 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.

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

(G. O. 243.)

By the President—

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to cause three improved iron drinking-fountains for man and beast to be placed on the Gansevoort market property, one at each of three places to be designated by the Superintendent of Markets, for the accommodation of market gardeners and others having business at the said market. Which was laid over.

By Alderman Haughton—

Resolved, That the name of Thomas Maloney, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be corrected so as to read Thomas F. Maloney.

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

By Alderman Slevin—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Joseph Phelan to retain storm-door in front of his place of business, No. 219 Canal street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

(G. O. 244.)

By Alderman Keenan—

Resolved, That an improved iron drinking-fountain for man and beast be placed on the sidewalk in front of No. 2024 Third avenue, near northwest corner One Hundred and Eleventh street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Kenney—

Resolved, That the name of Michael C. O'Burn, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be corrected to read Michael C. O'Berne.

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

By Alderman McClave—

Resolved, That William N. Loew be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of William N. Loew, whose term of office expired July 2, 1880.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Coggey, Finck, Foster, Goodwin, Haffen, Hall, Helbig, Jacobus, Keenan, Kirk, Marshall, McClave, Murphy, Perley, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, Strack, and Wade—20.

By Alderman Sauer—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Directors of the Academy of Music to erect and inclosure for a waiting room within the stoop-line, also a projecting cover on sidewalk as shown on the accompanying diagram, the work to be 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.

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

By Alderman Keenan—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to David Maxey & Son to retain the sign now on the sidewalk in front of their place of business, No. 506 East Fourteenth street, as it is not an obstruction to the use of the sidewalk, which is thirty feet wide, and the sign is but two feet wide at the base; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

By Alderman Kirk—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Owen Hagerty to place and retain a small stand, two feet by six, in front of No. 39 William street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

By Alderman Sheils—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Salvador Costa to erect a barber-pole in front of premises No. 173 Greenwich street, 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.

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

By Alderman Finck—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to H. B. Davis to erect an ornamental lamp-post and lamp on sidewalk in front of premises No. 55 West Eleventh 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.

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

By Alderman Jacobus—

Resolved, That the vacant lots on the block bounded by Eighty-first and Eighty-second streets, Madison and Fifth avenues, be fenced in where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By the President—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Mrs. E. A. Stuyms to erect two ornamental lamp posts and lamps in front of premises No. 37 West Twenty-eighth street, the gas to be supplied and the work done at her own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

By Alderman Perley—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Selig Steinhardt to erect bay-windows on front of buildings about to be erected on three twenty feet lots on southerly side of Eighty-third street, near Tenth avenue, as shown on accompanying diagram; the consent of the property-holders fifty feet each side being obtained and hereto attached, 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.

Alderman Marshall moved to refer to the Committee on Streets and Street Pavements. The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Coggey—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John B. Gardella to retain stand for the sale of fruit in front of premises No. 75 Exchange place, he having obtained the consent of the occupants of said premises, said stand not to be more than 5 feet long and 2 feet wide; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Alderman Marshall moved to refer to the Committee on Streets and Street Pavements.

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

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

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

Affirmative—Aldermen Coggey, Foster, Goodwin, Haffen, Hall, Haughton, Helbig, Keenan, Kirk, Sauer, Sheils, and Slevin—12.

Negative—The President, Aldermen Marshall, McClave, Perley, Strack, and Wade—6.

By Alderman Sauer—

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

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote, viz.:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Coggey, Finck, Foster, Goodwin, Haffen, Hall, Haughton, Helbig, Jacobus, Keenan, Kirk, Marshall, McClave, Murphy, Perley, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, Strack, and Wade—21.

By Alderman Kirk—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Nicholas Mullins to erect a stand for the sale of oysters, coffee, etc., on South street, between James slip and Roosevelt street, the same not to interfere with public travel; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Alderman Marshall moved to refer to the Committee on Streets and Street Pavements.

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

Which was decided in the negative.

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

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

Affirmative—Aldermen Coggey, Foster, Goodwin, Haffen, Hall, Haughton, Helbig, Keenan, Kirk, McClave, Sauer, Sheils, and Slevin—13.

Negative—The President, Aldermen Marshall, Perley, and Wade—4.

By Alderman Perley—

Resolved, That Fifty-fifth street, from the west crosswalk of Sixth avenue to the east crosswalk of Seventh avenue, be paved with Belgian or trap-block pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, July 19, 1880.

Hon. HENRY C. PERLEY, Chairman Committee on Public Works:

SIR—I am advised by the Counsel to the Corporation that the ordinance for the paving of Fifty-fifth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, should read as follows: "That Fifty-fifth street, from the west crosswalk of Sixth avenue to the east crosswalk of Seventh avenue, be paved with Belgian or trap-block pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works."

The ordinance should conform to letter from the Commissioner of Public Works to Board of Aldermen, dated June 14, 1880.

It is requisite that this matter be attended to as soon as possible, as the property-owners are anxious for the work.

Respectfully,

FRED. H. HAMLIN, Deputy Commissioner.

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

By Alderman Kenney—

Resolved, That the sidewalks of One Hundred and Twentieth street, from the west curb of Seventh avenue to the east curb of Eighth avenue, be regulated and graded, and that the sidewalks be flagged a space four feet wide where not heretofore flagged, and that curb be set with returns to the house-lines in Avenue St. Nicholas where not heretofore set between the aforesaid limits, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

By the same—

Resolved, That One Hundred and Twentieth street, from the east curb of Seventh avenue to the west curb of Sixth avenue, be regulated and graded, and that the sidewalks be flagged a space four feet wide where not heretofore flagged and the curb be set where not heretofore set, between the aforesaid limits, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

By the same—

Resolved, That the roadway of Ninety-fourth street, from the crosswalk on the westerly side of Third avenue to a line 10 feet east of and parallel to the easterly curb line of Lexington avenue, be paved with Belgian or trap-block pavement, and that a crosswalk of two courses of blue stone be laid adjoining the westerly end of the above described pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

By Alderman Perley—

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, July 29, 1880.

Hon. HENRY C. PERLEY, Chairman Committee on Public Works:

SIR—By advice of the Corporation Counsel, I would respectfully recommend that the following ordinances be amended to read as hereinafter indicated.

1st. That the sidewalks on both sides of Ninth avenue, from Seventy-first to Seventy-second street, be flagged full width. Passed by Aldermen, December 31, 1879. Approved by Mayor, January 5, 1880, should read:

That the sidewalks on both sides of Ninth avenue, from the north curb of Seventy-first street to the south curb of Seventy-second street, be flagged a width of eight feet where not already so flagged, etc., etc.

2d. G. O. 193. To regulate, grade, pave, etc., from the Eastern boulevard to the East river, should read as follows:

That Sixty-second street, from east curb line of Avenue A to a line one hundred and twenty-three feet east of and parallel thereto, be regulated and graded, also curbed, sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide, and roadway paved with Belgian or trap-block pavement, where not already done; also that blue stone crosswalk be laid at the intersection of Avenue A.

Very respectfully,

ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioner of Public Works.

(G. O. 193.)

Resolved, That Sixty-second street, from east curb-line of Avenue A to a line 123 feet east of and parallel thereto, be regulated and graded, also curbed, sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide, and roadway paved with Belgian or trap-block pavement where not already done; also that blue stone crosswalk be laid at the intersection of Avenue A, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over with G. O. 193.

(G. O. 245.)

By the same—

Resolved, That the resolution and ordinance approved January 5, 1880, for flagging both sides of Ninth avenue, from Seventy-first to Seventy-second street, be and are hereby amended, so as to read: Resolved, That the sidewalks on both sides of Ninth avenue, from the north curb of Seventy-first street to the south curb of Seventy-second street, be flagged a width of eight feet where not already so flagged, etc., under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

By the same—

Resolved, That Croton-mains be laid in Fifty-fifth street, between Avenue A and East river, as provided in chapter 381, Laws of 1879.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Keenan—

Resolved, That the Department of Public Works be and is hereby required to cause the carriage-way of East Fourteenth street, east of Avenue D, to be thoroughly cleared of obstructions and the street put in a condition fit for public travel.

Alderman Marshall moved to refer to the Committee on Public Works.

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

Which was decided in the negative.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Coggey, Finck, Foster, Goodwin, Haffen, Hall, Haughton, Helbig, Jacobus, Keenan, Kirk, McClave, Perley, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, Strack, and Wade—19.

Negative—Alderman Marshall—1.

By Alderman Slevin—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Hoynes Bros. to retain storm-door in front Nos. 163 and 165 Canal street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 247.)

By Alderman Keenan—

Resolved, That two lamp-posts be placed and two boulevard lamps lighted in front of Grammar School No. 71, in Seventh street, south side, near Avenue B, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.



(G. O. 248.)

By the same—

Resolved, That lamp-posts be erected and street-lamps lighted in One Hundred and Forty-first street, between Willis avenue and Brook avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

NEW YORK, August 2, 1880.

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

GENTLEMEN—We, the undersigned owners of property and residents on One Hundred and Forty-first street, between Willis avenue and Brook avenue, respectfully petition you honorable Board to cause lamp-posts to be erected and street-lamps lighted on said street.

Very respectfully, yours, etc.,

H. STURSBURG,  
W. STURSBURG,  
CATH. T. KUNHARD,  
WM. O'GORMAN.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 249.)

By the same—

Resolved, That Croton-mains be laid in One Hundred and Forty-first street, between Willis and Brook avenues, as provided in chapter 381, Laws of 1879.

NEW YORK, August 2, 1880.

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

GENTLEMEN—We, the undersigned owners of property and residents on One Hundred and Forty-first street, between Willis and Brook avenues, respectfully petition your Honorable Board to cause the Croton water to be placed in said street, extending 650 feet east of Willis avenue. Our reasons for asking said pipes to extend the 650 feet are, we have ten dwellings which will be occupied on or before September 1, and therefore crave of your Honorable Board the above request so as to enable us to rent our houses by that time.

We remain, very respectfully yours,

H. STURSBURG,  
W. STURSBURG,  
CATH. T. KUNHARD,  
WM. O'GORMAN.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Finck—

Resolved, That the name of Frederick Mayforth, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be corrected so as to read Frederick V. Mayforth.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Jacobus—

Resolved, That the vacant lots on north side of Seventy-eighth street, between Fourth and Madison avenues, and on the west side of Fourth avenue, between Seventy-eighth and Seventy-ninth streets, be fenced in where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

By Alderman Sauer—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to A. Alexander to place and erect a barber's pole on the curb-line at the southeast corner of Seventh avenue and Forty-sixth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; the permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Helbig—

Resolved, That the name of John Torney, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be corrected to read John Torney.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the President—

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby appointed as Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place, respectively, of the persons whose name appear opposite, whose terms of office expire at the time stated:

	Term Expires.
Arthur Phillips in place of Arthur Phillips	July 2, 1880.
Patrick Collins	" 18, "
Samuel Rosenthal	" 30, "
John F. Gouldsbury	August 27, 1880.
Adam Schatz	" 28, "
David Colman	July 2, "
John S. McNulty	August 8, 1880.
Henry M. Garvin	" 24, "
Bernard Hess	July 2, "
William D. Udell	August 28, 1880.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Coggey, Finck, Foster, Goodwin, Haffen, Hall, Haughton, Jacobus, Keenan, Kirk, Marshall, McClave, Murphy, Perley, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, Strack, and Wade—20.

By the same—

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby respectively appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 544, Laws of 1880:

Charles A. Farley.	Henry S. Cram.	Leopold Gardie.
Edward G. Smith.	Frank Z. Demarest.	Henry L. Coshland.
C. F. W. Koehler.	G. Waite Tubbs.	Asa D. Dickenson.
George Harrison McAdam.	Newton Squire.	Henry E. Fitzsimons.
Samuel Meirs.	Louis T. Brennan.	B. Bertini.
Jacob J. Rosenstein.	Bernard J. Byrne.	Charles E. Sherwood.
Charles J. White.	David K. Schuster.	Timothy J. Donohue.
Samuel J. Goldsmith.	Thomas A. Maguire.	David Levy.
John Clay Brown.	Nathan Mayer.	

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Coggey, Finck, Foster, Goodwin, Haffen, Hall, Haughton, Jacobus, Keenan, Kirk, Marshall, McClave, Murpny, Perley, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, Strack, and Wade—20.

## COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Commissioner of Public Works:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, August 2, 1880.

Hon. JOHN J. MORRIS, President Board of Aldermen:

SIR—Accompanying herewith please find resolutions and ordinances providing for the paving of various streets, already authorized by the Board of Aldermen, now amended to comply with the form prescribed by the Counsel to the Corporation, upon which I respectfully ask your action.

The following is a list of the ordinances passed:

- No. 1. For the paving of Lexington avenue, between Ninety-fourth and Ninety-fifth streets. Adopted by Board of Aldermen, February 17, 1880. Approved by the Mayor, February 25, 1880.
- No. 2. For the paving of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, from Seventh avenue to St. Nicholas avenue. Adopted by Board of Aldermen, February 10, 1880. Approved by the Mayor, February 18, 1880.
- No. 3. For the paving of Sixty-eighth street, from the Boulevard to Tenth avenue. Adopted by Board of Aldermen, February 10, 1880. Approved by the Mayor, February 14, 1880.
- No. 4. For the paving of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, from Second to Third avenues. Adopted by Board of Aldermen, February 10, 1880. Approved by the Mayor, February 14, 1880.
- No. 5. For the paving of Forty-fourth street, from Second avenue to the East river. Adopted by Board of Aldermen, December 9, 1879. Approved by the Mayor, December 18, 1879.
- No. 6. For the paving of Eighty-first street, from First to Second avenue. Adopted by Board of Aldermen, February 10, 1880. Approved by the Mayor, February 14, 1880.

Very respectfully,

ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioner of Public Works.

(G. O. 250.)

Resolved, That the resolution and ordinance to pave with Belgian or trap-block pavement, Eighty-first street, from First to Second avenue, approved by the Mayor, February 14, 1880, be and are hereby amended so as to read as follows: Resolved, That the roadway of Eighty-first street, from the easterly crosswalk of Second avenue to the westerly crosswalk of First avenue, be paved with Belgian or trap-block pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 251.)

Resolved, That the resolution and ordinance to pave with Belgian or trap-block pavement Lexington avenue, between Ninety-fourth and Ninety-fifth streets, approved by the Mayor, February 25, 1880, be and are hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Resolved, That the roadway of Lexington avenue, from a line ten feet north of and parallel to the north curb of Ninety-fourth street to a line ten feet south of and parallel to the south curb of Ninety-fifth street be paved with Belgian or trap-block pavement, and that crosswalks of two courses of blue stone respectively, be laid adjoining the northerly and southerly ends of the above described pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 252.)

Resolved, That the resolution and ordinance to pave with granite block pavement One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, from Seventh avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas, approved by the Mayor, February 18, 1880, be and are hereby amended, so as to read as follows:

Resolved, That the roadway of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, from a line five feet west of and parallel with the west curb of Seventh avenue to a line five feet east of and parallel with the east curb of Avenue St. Nicholas and extending at Eighth avenue from a line five feet north of and parallel with the north curb of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street to a line five feet south of and parallel with the south curb of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, be paved with granite-block pavement, except that crosswalks of two courses of granite, respectively, be laid at the terminating avenues, and both sides of Eighth avenue within the lines of the sidewalk and parallel thereto; also that similar crosswalks be laid adjoining the pavement across Eighth avenue at the limits hereinabove described, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 253.)

Resolved, That the resolution and ordinance to pave with Belgian or trap-block pavement Sixty-eighth street, from the Boulevard to Tenth avenue, approved by the Mayor February 14, 1880, be and are hereby amended so as to read as follows: Resolved, That the roadway of Sixty-eighth street, from the pavement heretofore laid at the intersection of the Boulevard to a line eleven feet east of and parallel with the east curb of Tenth avenue, be paved with Belgian or trap-block pavement, except that a crosswalk of two courses of blue stone be laid at the Boulevard within the lines of the sidewalk, and across said street; also, that a similar crosswalk be laid at Tenth avenue adjoining the end of the above described pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 254.)

Resolved, That the resolution and ordinance, to pave with Belgian or trap-block pavement One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, from Second to Third avenue, approved by the Mayor February 14, 1880, be and are hereby amended so as to read as follows:

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

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 255.)

Resolved, That the resolution and ordinance, to pave with Belgian or trap-block pavement Forty-fourth street, from Second avenue to First avenue, approved by the Mayor March 15, 1880, be and are hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Resolved, That the roadway of Forty-fourth street, from the easterly crosswalk of Second avenue to the westerly crosswalk of First avenue, be paved with Belgian or trap-block pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

## REPORTS.

(G. O. 256.)

The Committee on Lands and Places, and Park Department, to whom was referred the annexed resolution requesting the Board for lighting the city to light the drives in the Central Park, respectfully

## REPORT:

That, in the opinion of your Committee, the question of lighting the "drives" in the Central Park, as proposed in the resolution, is one of great importance, and that, in the interest of every reputable person having occasion to visit or pass through the Park during the night time, the resolution should be adopted and its provisions carried into effect immediately. This park is located in the centre of what will, in a very few years, be the centre of the city. It covers an area of about nine hundred acres; it is, for the most part, thickly wooded, and the foliage of the trees in the summer time, which, as they are comparatively young, increases annually in density, and so rapidly that, in a few years, the roads and drives will be entirely obscured in the night time, and travel on these thoroughfares after dark, which is even now unsafe, will soon be positively dangerous. Vehicle collisions are inevitable; the rare opportunities presented for undetected assaults upon unwary pedestrians present temptations that are irresistible to the dangerous classes; and vicious and degraded persons, taking advantage of the utter darkness that surrounds them on all sides, indulge in immoralities and other crimes with complete immunity from detection or punishment. At the present time there is not a single public lamp lighted at night time within its boundaries, except in the transverse roads. In the opinion of your Committee, it will eventually become absolutely necessary to thoroughly and efficiently light this park in every part. The safety of life and property, and a due enforcement of the laws will compel the authorities to do this. Lighting the principal drives in the park, at the present time will, in all probability, be all that is required, and will be sufficient to enable those charged with its care to protect visitors in the night time from molestation, and to enforce the laws, and the rules and orders of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks. It will beyond question lessen the danger of vehicle collisions, and if no other benefit was obtained this ought to be sufficient to induce the authorities to comply with the terms of the resolution, hereto annexed, which is respectfully submitted for adoption by your Honorable Body.

Resolved, That the Board authorized to make and enter into contracts for lighting the streets, avenues, and places of the City of New York, viz.: The Mayor, Comptroller and Commissioner of Public Works, be and they are hereby requested to cause the drives in the Central Park to be lighted with gas, or other illuminating material, pursuant to the provisions of section 1 of chapter 478, Laws of 1879, amending section 1 of chapter 125, Laws of 1878, entitled "An act relating to contracts for lighting the public lamps in the City of New York."

FREDERICK HELBIG, } Committee on Lands  
J. MURPHY, } and Places, and Park  
FREDERICK FINCK, } Department.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 257.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of laying gas-mains, etc., in Ninety-fifth street, from Third to Lexington avenue, respectfully

## REPORT:

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

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted, in Ninety-fifth street, from Third to Lexington avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

HENRY C. PERLEY, } Committee  
JOHN MCCLAVE, } on  
HENRY HAFFEN, } Public Works.  
THOMAS SHEILS, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 258.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of lighting Eighty-first street, from First avenue to Avenue A, respectfully

## REPORT:

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

Resolved, That lamp-posts be erected and street-lamps lighted in Eighty-first street, from First avenue to Avenue A, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

HENRY C. PERLEY, } Committee  
JOHN MCCLAVE, } on  
HENRY HAFFEN, } Public Works.  
THOMAS SHEILS, }

Which was laid over.



(G. O. 259.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of laying Croton-mains in the Twenty-fourth Ward, between Kingsbridge road and One Hundred and Eighty-third street, respectfully

## REPORT:

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

Resolved, That Croton water-mains be laid along Creston avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, between Kingsbridge road and One Hundred and Eighty-third street.

HENRY C. PERLEY, } Committee  
JOHN McCLAVE, } on  
HENRY HAFEN, } Public Works.  
THOMAS SHEILS, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 260.)

The Committee on Law Department, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance, entitled "An ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled an ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled an ordinance in relation to awnings and side-curtains in the City of New York," passed May 4, 1876, passed February 28, 1878, respectfully

## REPORT:

That the proposed amendment is intended simply to empower the "owner" of adjoining premises, equally with the occupant, to give assent to the erection of awnings, with side-curtain. This will, in many cases, facilitate persons desiring to erect awnings in obtaining the required permission, as both the owner and occupant is by the proposed amendment empowered to grant it. The ordinance meets the approval of your Committee, and they, therefore, respectfully herewith submit it for the favorable consideration of your Honorable Body.

AN ORDINANCE to amend an ordinance entitled an ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled "An ordinance in relation to awnings and side-curtains in the City of New York," passed May 4, 1876, passed February 28, 1878.

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

Section 1. Section 1 of the above-entitled ordinance is hereby amended by inserting before the word "occupant," in the eighth line of said section, the words "owner or," so that said section, when so amended, shall read as follows:

Section 1. Any person, by applying at the Permit Bureau, and paying the sum of one dollar per annum, may obtain a permit to maintain or erect an awning "of tin or other metal or canvas," in front of his premises for one year from date of such permit, on the following conditions: he must first obtain the written consent of the owner or occupant of the premises in front of which he intends to erect said awning, together with the consent of the owner or occupant of the premises on each side; the said awning not to be higher than the second story of said building, and in no case to be covered with wood, nor the posts to exceed forty inches in circumference; but no permit shall be granted to erect or maintain any awning across the sidewalk in Broadway, Fifth avenue, Lexington avenue, or Madison avenue. No drop or hood awning shall be less than seven feet in the clear, in every part thereof, above the sidewalk, nor project outwardly from any building beyond the stoop or area line of the street, nor shall a permit for any such hood or drop awning be necessary.

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

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

WILLIAM WADE, } Committee on  
FREDERICK HELBIG, } Law Department.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 261.)

The Committee on Law Department, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance, entitled "An ordinance to permit placing bridges over the gutters in front of certain premises in the City of New York, respectfully

## REPORT:

That your Committee, having carefully examined the subject, are of opinion that the adoption of the ordinance will be in the interest of the public, and that a municipal regulation applicable to the case is of much importance. At present, separate application is required to be made to and the permission asked given by the Common Council; but instances are numerous in which gutter bridges have been placed across the gutters, not only without permission, but without even asking the consent of the corporate authorities. As each case necessitates a slight alteration in the grade of the street, and as the privilege is not only special in its character, but involves the exclusive right to use a part of the public street, it hence inures to the particular benefit of each applicant, and an equivalent therefor should be paid to the city. Your Committee deem five dollars per annum an equitable amount to pay for the privilege. The clause in the ordinance requiring the gutter beneath the bridge to be thoroughly cleansed once a week will commend itself to all as a wise and salutary provision, and a very proper regulation in the interest of the public health.

Your Committee are in favor of the adoption of the ordinance, and respectfully hereby submit it for the favorable consideration of your Honorable Body.

AN ORDINANCE to permit bridges to be placed over the gutters in front of certain premises, in the City of New York.

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

Section 1. It shall be lawful for any person who so desires to place and keep a bridge over the gutter in front of any building other than those used as private residences, except on Broadway, Fifth avenue, and Madison avenue, on the following conditions: First—Application must be made to the Bureau of Permits, and the sum of five dollars per annum, dating from the granting of such permit, paid for the privilege. Second—Every such bridge shall be constructed under the supervision and subject to the direction of the Department of Public Works. Third—Every such bridge shall be so constructed that it can be easily moved, and it shall be the duty of every person to whom such privilege may be granted, and to all persons now enjoying a like privilege, to clean thoroughly, or cause to be so cleaned, the gutter underneath every such bridge, on Wednesday of each week, between the hours of sunrise and 9 o'clock A. M. The Mayor may, for any violation of this ordinance, or on the complaint of any citizen, or for any cause that he may deem sufficient, revoke any such permit so granted, or like privilege now enjoyed, without a permit.

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

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

WILLIAM WADE, } Committee on  
FREDERICK HELBIG, } Law Department.

Which was laid over.

## COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS RESUMED.

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

Hon. JOHN J. MORRIS, President of the Board of Aldermen:

DEAR SIR—Herewith please find list of names of Commissioners of Deeds whose terms of office expire during the month of August, 1880:

Names.	Term Expires.
George Corbitt	August 8, 1880.
Eugene Delmar	" 8, "
George J. Kraus	" 8, "
John S. McNulty	" 8, "
Charles M. Roth	" 8, "
Franklin P. Trautman	" 8, "
Charles Wehle	" 8, "
William H. Burnham	" 28, "
Samuel Brown	" 9, "
Valentine Cook, Jr.	" 28, "
August Finck	" 28, "
John F. Gouldsbury	" 27, "
Henry M. Garvin	" 27, "
James A. Hennessy	" 28, "
Henry P. McGown	" 28, "
William A. Peacock	" 28, "
Adam E. Schatz	" 28, "
Michael J. Scanlon	" 28, "
William D. Udell	" 28, "
F. J. Warburton	" 28, "

Yours respectfully,

WILLIAM A. BUTLER, County Clerk.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

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

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, }  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, July 17, 1880.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Weekly statement, showing the appropriations made under the authority contained in section 112, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, for carrying on the Common Council from January 1 to December

31, 1880, both days inclusive, and of the payments made up to and including the date hereof, for and on account of each appropriation.

Title of Appropriations.	Am't of Appropriations.	Payments.
City Contingencies	\$1,000 00	\$109 22
Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council	250 00	68 10
Salaries—Common Council	105,200 00	53,589 96

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

Which was ordered on file.

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

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, }  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, July 24, 1880.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Weekly statement, showing the appropriations made under the authority contained in section 112, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, for carrying on the Common Council from January 1 to December 31, 1880, both days inclusive, and of the payments made up to and including the date hereof, for and on account of each appropriation.

Title of Appropriations.	Am't of Appropriations.	Payments.
City Contingencies	\$1,000 00	\$109 22
Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council	250 00	68 10
Salaries—Common Council	105,200 00	53,589 96

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communication:

NIAGARA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, 201 BROADWAY, }  
NEW YORK, July 20, 1880.

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

The Niagara Fire Insurance Company respectfully shows that it has been notified by the Commissioners of Assessments and Taxes of the city of an assessment of \$32,276 laid by them in the month of May last, on the personal property of this petitioner; that on receiving such notice this company lodged a caveat with the said Commissioners, cautioning them against proceeding with such assessment, by reason of the passage of a law, on the first of June last, which law supersedes and does away with the law under which the said commissioners claim to make such assessment, and for other reasons set forth in said caveat; and this petitioner now asks your Honorable Body to relieve this petitioner from such assessment if included in the assessment rolls now before you for confirmation, and that you will strike from such rolls the name of this company and the amount of such assessment, to wit, \$32,276, as illegal and inequitable inasmuch as the Legislature, in the law of June 1, 1880, provided for a different mode of taxing this company, and to which mode this petitioner submits, and if the assessment made by said commissioners be confirmed, it would operate as a double tax on the same property for the same fiscal period, which could not be, and was not so intended by the Legislature. And this petitioner will ever pray.

Respectfully submitted,

NIAGARA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,  
per P. NOTMAN, President.

Which was referred to the Corporation Counsel.

## MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, August 3, 1880.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the accompanying resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted July 20, 1880, giving permission to Michael Kane to erect bay-windows on the three new buildings to be erected on the south side of Seventy-ninth street, commencing seventy-two feet west of Third avenue.

Only a plan of the bay-windows is shown on the diagram, so it does not appear whether the bay-windows are to extend one or more stories or the whole height of the house. Nor does it appear from the consent of the adjoining property-owners attached to the resolution that the owners of the next adjoining fifty feet on each side of the building have given their consent to the erection of the bay-windows.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Michael Kane to erect bay-windows on the three new buildings to be erected on the south side of Seventy-ninth street, commencing 72 feet west of Third avenue, as shown on the annexed diagram, the consent of the owners of the adjoining property having been received and is accompanying hereto, 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.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, August 3, 1880.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the accompanying resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted July 20, 1880, giving permission to Louis Mand to erect a watering-trough at the northeast corner of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and Third avenue.

This resolution would seem to be of the same effect as another resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen on the same day, July 20, 1880.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Louis Mand to erect a watering-trough at the northeast corner of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and Third avenue, the water to be supplied and 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.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, August 3, 1880.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the accompanying resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted July 20, 1880, granting permission to Hoyns Bros. to maintain a storm-door in front of No. 165 Canal street.

The storm-door is on the Elizabeth street side of the building, and has been complained of by the occupant of the next adjoining premises in Elizabeth street.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Hoyns Bros. to maintain storm-door in front of their premises, No. 165 Canal street, the said door to be within the stoop-line, the work done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, August 3, 1880.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the accompanying resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted July 20, 1880, giving permission to Kearney and Long to retain signs on awning at southeast corner of University place and Twelfth street.

In my opinion, signs outside of the stoop-line should not be authorized.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Kearney and Long to retain signs now on awning southeast corner of University place and Twelfth street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, August 3, 1880.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the accompanying resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted July 20, 1880, giving permission to Henry Welsh to place a sign on awning at No. 137 Franklin street.

In my opinion signs outside of the stoop-line should not be allowed.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Henry Welsh to place a sign two feet wide on top of awning in front of premises No. 137 Franklin street, the work to be done at his



own expense, under direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, August 3, 1880.

*To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:*

I return, without my approval, the accompanying resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted July 20, 1880, giving permission to Canda & Kane to erect a sign across the sidewalk in front of their premises at the foot of Fourteenth street, East river.

In my opinion, signs outside the stoop-line should not be allowed.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Canda & Kane to erect a sign across the sidewalk in front of their premises at the foot of Fourteenth street, East river, the said sign to be three feet wide, the work to be 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.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, August 3, 1880.

*To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:*

I return, without my approval, the accompanying resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted July 20, 1880, authorizing A. B. Vandusen to erect a bay-window on the premises on the southwest corner of Fifth avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-third street.

The bay-window is to project four and a half feet beyond the street-line. In my opinion three and a half or at most four feet is as great a projection as should be allowed for a bay-window.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to A. B. Vandusen to erect a bay-window on premises on the southwest corner of Fifth avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-third street, as per annexed diagram, the consent of the adjoining property-owner having been received and is herewith accompanying, 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.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, August 3, 1880.

*To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:*

I return, without my approval, the accompanying resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted July 20, 1880, giving permission to Joseph Lippi to place and keep a stand in front of No. 54 Exchange place.

If the stand is to be placed outside of the stoop-line it is illegal and especially objectionable in so crowded a street as Exchange place. At present the stand is inside the stoop-line, and, as the occupants of the premises in front of which it is placed have no objections to its remaining there, a permit for it can be obtained from the Bureau of Permits on payment of the usual fee of one dollar, without a special resolution of the Board of Aldermen.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Joseph Lippi to place and keep a stand in front of premises No. 54 Exchange place, the consent of the occupants of the said premises having been obtained; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, August 3, 1880.

*To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:*

I return, without my approval, the accompanying resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted July 20, 1880, granting permission to Arthur R. King to erect a wire sign in front of No. 38 Gold street.

From the diagram it appears that the sign is to be suspended over the sidewalk from a beam projecting from the roof of the house, and to hang down thirty-two feet in front of the building.

In addition to other objections such signs are liable to fall and injure persons on the sidewalk.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Arthur R. King to erect a wire sign in front of No. 38 Gold street, as shown on the annexed diagram; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, August 3, 1880.

*To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:*

I return, without my approval, the accompanying resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted July 20, 1880, giving permission to William Henderson to erect an awning in front of No. 574 Third avenue.

The next adjoining neighbors to Mr. Henderson object to the awning. I do not think a special privilege of this kind should be granted against the objections of those who think they will be injured by it.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William Henderson to erect an awning of tin, canvas or other light material in front of premises No. 574 Third 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.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, August 2, 1880.

*To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:*

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted July 20, 1880, permitting the Brokaw Brothers to paint their name on the awnings in front of their premises, No. 28 Fourth avenue.

Messrs. Brokaw Brothers have no permit for the awning in front of their premises. They have also, attached to the awning, a canvas strip extending across the sidewalk, for which they have no authority. The resolution authorizing them to paint their name is, therefore, probably asked for the purpose of obtaining an indirect sanction for their awning and canvas sign.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Brokaw Brothers to paint their name on awnings in front of their premises, No. 28 Fourth avenue, 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.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, August 2, 1880.

*To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:*

I return, without my approval, the resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 19, 1880, permitting Justus Luhrs to erect a sign in front of premises No. 364 Grand street.

I am informed that this sign is to be swung from the awning rafters over the sidewalk outside of the stoop-line. I think that all sign should be within the stoop-line.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Justus Luhrs to erect a sign four feet six inches long and twelve inches wide in front of premises No. 364 Grand 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.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, August 2, 1880.

*To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:*

I return, without my approval, the accompanying resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted July 20, 1880, giving permission to John Gerken to place a watering-trough in front of No. 122 West street.

There is so much traffic in West street that teams stopping there to use the trough would probably impede travel.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Gerken to place and keep a watering-trough in front of premises No. 122 West 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.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, August 2, 1880.

*To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:*

I return, without my approval, the accompanying resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted July 20, 1880, giving permission to Michael Reed to place a watering-trough in front of No. 825 Washington street.

There is no necessity for this watering-trough, as the Department of Public Works is now erecting a large watering-trough opposite the location specified in the resolution.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Michael Reed to place and keep a watering-trough in front of No. 825 Washington street, the water to be supplied and 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.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, August 2, 1880.

*To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:*

I return, without my approval, the accompanying resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted July 20, 1880, giving permission to Benjamin Tucker to place a watering-trough in front of No. 623 Eleventh avenue.

There is already a watering-trough about 125 feet from this location, and there are others in the immediate vicinity. There is therefore no necessity for the one proposed to be authorized by the resolution.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Benjamin Tucker to place and keep a watering-trough in front of premises No. 623 Eleventh 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.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, August 3, 1880.

*To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:*

I return, without my approval, the accompanying resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted July 20, 1880, giving permission to Honora Cronin to retain a stand in front of No. 61 South street.

This stand is at the curb. In my opinion all stands outside of the stoop-line are contrary to law.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Honora Cronin to retain stand for the sale of fruit in front of premises No. 61 South street, said stand not to be more than 5 feet long and 2 feet wide, she having obtained the consent of the occupants of said premises; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, August 3, 1880.

*To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:*

I return, without my approval, the accompanying resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted July 20, 1880, giving permission to Martin Sadler to place a sign in front of No. 151 East Twenty-third street.

This sign is to be on a post at the curb. All such signs are, in my opinion, objectionable as obstructing the free use of the streets.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Martin Sadler to place and keep a sign in front of No. 151 East Twenty-third 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.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, August 3, 1880.

*To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:*

I return, without my approval, the accompanying resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted July 19, 1880, permitting F. W. Dieckman to paint his name on side canvas awnings in front of No. 11 West Fourth street.

In my opinion canvas strips or curtains across the sidewalk are unsightly and objectionable. The purpose of the applicant in asking for authority to paint his name upon the canvas appears to be to obtain a sanction for the canvas side-curtains for which he has no authority, although he has a permit for his awning.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to F. W. Dieckman to paint his name on side canvas awnings in front of his premises, No. 11 West Fourth street, the work done at his own expense; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, August 3, 1880.

*To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:*

I return, without my approval, the accompanying resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted July 20, 1880, giving permission to Thomas Knox to erect and maintain a canvas strip across the sidewalk in front of No. 391 Canal street.

I returned, without my approval, a resolution adopted May 25, 1880, similar to the present resolution, except that the former one provided that the privilege should continue during the pleasure of the Common Council, while in the latter there is no such reservation. Mr. Knox had a canvas strip across the sidewalk which was removed by the Bureau of Incumbrances after repeated complaints made to the Bureau by his neighbors.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Thomas Knox to erect and maintain a canvas strip across the sidewalk in front of No. 391 Canal street.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, August 3, 1880.

*To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:*

I return, without my approval, the accompanying resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted July 20, 1880, giving permission to Peek & Velsor to erect a swinging wire sign from the second story, in front of No. 9 Gold street.

Swinging signs over the sidewalk from the upper stories of buildings may become dangerous. They are very properly prohibited by general ordinance.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Peek & Velsor to erect a swinging wire sign, five by six feet, from the second story, in front of No. 9 Gold street, 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.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, August 3, 1880.

*To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:*

I return, without my approval, the accompanying resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted July 20, 1880, giving permission to Henry Voltz and John Deckert to place and keep a barber's pole in front of No. 23 Ann street.

In my opinion no signs should be placed outside of the stoop-line. A pole at the curb in so narrow a street as Ann street is especially objectionable.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Henry Voltz and John A. Dieckert to place and keep a barber's pole in front of No. 23 Ann street, said pole not to be more



than 13 inches in diameter and 16 feet high; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, August 3, 1880.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the accompanying resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted July 20, 1880, giving permission to Samuel Nelson to place a watering-trough in front of premises No. 665 Ninth avenue, corner of Forty-sixth street.

On account of the columns of the Elevated road I think there is not sufficient room for trucks to stop at this point without impeding travel.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Samuel Nelson to place a watering-trough, five feet long, eighteen inches in width, and twenty inches in depth, in front of premises No. 665 Ninth avenue, corner of Forty-sixth 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.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, August 3, 1880.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the accompanying resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted July 20, 1880, permitting John Smith to keep a stand in Roosevelt slip, not to exceed eight by ten feet, provided such stand shall not be an obstruction or an impediment to public travel.

After some difficulty this class of booths or structures has been removed from the slip. It has been decided that such obstructions are illegal, and the provision of the resolution that the stand shall not be an obstruction or impediment to public travel will not prevent its being so in fact.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Smith to keep a stand in Roosevelt slip, not to exceed eight by ten feet, provided such stand shall not be an obstruction or impediment to public travel; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, August 3, 1880.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted July 20, 1880, giving permission to Simon Davidson to erect a barber's pole in front of premises No. 28 Nassau street.

It is intended to place the pole at the curb on a box or pedestal 28 inches square, which, on so narrow and crowded a sidewalk as that of Nassau street, would be an inconvenient obstruction to travel.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Simon Davidson to erect a barber's pole in front of premises No. 28 Nassau 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.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, August 3, 1880.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the accompanying resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted July 20, 1880, giving permission to M. S. Karl to retain a show-case at No. 123 Nassau street.

The resolution authorizes Mr. Karl to retain a show-case within the stoop-line. The Bureau of Permits has refused Mr. Karl a permit for this show-case because his neighbor at No. 125 Nassau street complained that it obstructed the view of his premises, and upon investigation the complaint was found to be just. The Registrar of Permits has several times indicated to Mr. Karl how his show-case could be placed so as to afford him a fair and sufficient advertisement of his business, without injury to that of his neighbor, but Mr. Karl has always refused to comply with such reasonable instructions. When he does so, he can obtain a permit from the Bureau, and, until he does, the privilege he asks should, in my opinion, be denied.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to M. S. Karl to retain glass show-case within stoop-line in front of No. 123 Nassau street, said stand not to be more than 4 feet long, 2 feet wide, and not to interfere with the public travel of said street, 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.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, August 3, 1880.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution and accompanying ordinance of the Board of Aldermen, adopted July 20, 1880, providing that Brook avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, between One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and a point one hundred and seventy-four feet south of the north line of One Hundred and Thirty-first street, with certain exceptions and additions, be regulated and graded.

Under the decision of the Court of Appeals in the matter of the Emigrant Industrial Savings Institution it is more than probable that the resolution contains an unlawful delegation of discretionary power in so far as it leaves to the Department of Public Parks to determine how much of the intersecting streets it may be necessary to regulate and grade in order to facilitate the approaches to Brook avenue. The limits should be fixed in the resolution.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

Resolved, That Brook avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, between One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and a point one hundred and seventy-four feet south of the north line of One Hundred and Thirty-first street, excepting between One Hundred and Forty-first and One Hundred and Forty-sixth streets, and between One Hundred and Sixty-third and One Hundred and Sixty-fourth streets, and also so much of the streets crossing or intersecting said avenue as may be necessary to preserve and facilitate approach thereto by said streets, be regulated and graded in accordance with the grades established by the Commissioners appointed by chapter 841 of the Laws of 1868, as said grade has been altered and amended by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, under authority of chapters 329 and 604 of the Laws of 1874, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

#### UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Alderman Perley called up G. O. 207, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That the resolution and ordinance approved January 5, 1880, for regulating, grading, etc., Fourth avenue, between Ninety-fourth and Ninety-sixth streets, be and are hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Resolved, That Fourth avenue, from the centre line of Ninety-fourth street to the south curb-line of Ninety-sixth street, be regulated and graded, and that the sidewalks be flagged a space four feet wide where not heretofore flagged, and that curb be set with returns to the house lines in Ninety-fifth street where not heretofore set between the aforesaid limits, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Coggey, Finck, Foster, Goodwin, Haffen, Hall, Haughton, Helbig, Jacobus, Keenan, Kirk, Marshall, McClave, Murphy, Perley, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, Strack, and Wade—21.

Alderman Perley called up G. O. 208, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That the resolution and ordinance approved February 25, 1880, regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, from Manhattan street to the Boulevard, be and are hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Resolved, That One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, from the southerly curb-line of Manhattan street to the easterly curb-line of the Boulevard, be regulated and graded, that the sidewalks be flagged a space four feet wide where not heretofore flagged, and that curb be set where not heretofore set between the aforesaid limits, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Coggey, Finck, Foster, Goodwin, Haffen, Hall, Haughton, Helbig, Jacobus, Keenan, Kirk, Marshall, McClave, Murphy, Perley, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, Strack, and Wade—21.

Alderman Perley called up G. O. 209, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That the resolution and ordinance approved November 10, 1879, for flagging and setting curb and gutter stones in Sixty-first street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues, be and is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Resolved, That Sixty-first street, from the west curb of Tenth avenue to the east curb of Eleventh avenue, be regulated and graded, and that the sidewalks be flagged a space four feet wide where not heretofore flagged, and the curb be set where not heretofore set, between the aforesaid limits, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Coggey, Finck, Foster, Goodwin, Haffen, Hall, Haughton, Helbig, Jacobus, Keenan, Kirk, Marshall, McClave, Murphy, Perley, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, Strack, and Wade—21.

Alderman Perley called up G. O. 210, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That the resolution and ordinance approved February 14, 1879, for regulating, grading, etc., Ninety-fourth street, from Eighth avenue to the Boulevard, be and are hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Resolved, That Ninety-fourth street, from the westerly curb of Eighth avenue to the easterly curb of the Boulevard, be regulated and graded, and that the sidewalks be flagged a space four feet wide, where not heretofore flagged, and that the curb be set with returns to the house lines at the intersecting avenues where not heretofore set between the aforesaid limits, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Coggey, Finck, Foster, Goodwin, Haffen, Hall, Haughton, Helbig, Jacobus, Keenan, Kirk, Marshall, McClave, Murphy, Perley, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, Strack, and Wade—21.

Alderman Perley called up G. O. 211, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That the resolution and ordinance approved February 25, 1880, for flagging, curbing, etc., on both sides of Seventy-sixth street, between Third and Fourth avenues, be and is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Resolved, That Seventy-sixth street, from the east curb of Fourth avenue to the west curb of Third avenue, be regulated and graded, and that the sidewalks be flagged a space four feet wide where not heretofore flagged, and that curb be set where not heretofore set between the aforesaid limits, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Coggey, Finck, Foster, Goodwin, Haffen, Hall, Haughton, Helbig, Jacobus, Keenan, Kirk, Marshall, McClave, Murphy, Perley, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, Strack, and Wade—20.

Alderman Perley called up G. O. 212, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That Fifty-fifth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, be paved with Belgian or trap-block pavement, and that at the several intersecting streets and avenues crosswalks be laid where not now laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Coggey, Finck, Foster, Goodwin, Haffen, Hall, Haughton, Helbig, Jacobus, Keenan, Kirk, Marshall, McClave, Murphy, Perley, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, Strack, and Wade—20.

The President called up G. O. 179, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to lay a twelve-inch water-main from Nassau street through Beekman street and Mail street to Broadway, and connect five large fire-hydrants therewith at proper distances apart, for the protection of the public buildings in the City Hall Park, and other property in the vicinity in case of fire.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Coggey, Finck, Foster, Goodwin, Haffen, Hall, Haughton, Helbig, Jacobus, Keenan, Kirk, Marshall, McClave, Murphy, Perley, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, Strack, and Wade—21.

The President called up G. O. 215, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to have the upper half of all fire-hydrants painted white, the other half red, or any other uniform color.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Coggey, Finck, Foster, Goodwin, Haffen, Hall, Haughton, Helbig, Jacobus, Keenan, Kirk, McClave, Murphy, Perley, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, Strack, and Wade—20.

Negative—Alderman Marshall—1.

Alderman Haughton called up G. O. 143, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the vacant lots on both sides of Lexington avenue, between Seventy-fifth and Seventy-sixth streets, be fenced in, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Coggey, Finck, Foster, Goodwin, Haffen, Hall, Haughton, Helbig, Jacobus, Keenan, Kirk, Marshall, McClave, Murphy, Perley, Sauer, Sheils, Strack, and Wade—20.

#### MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Sheils moved that the Board do now adjourn.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Foster, Goodwin, Haffen, Haughton, Helbig, Jacobus, Kirk, Marshall, McClave, Murphy, Sauer, and Sheils—13.

Negative—Aldermen Coggey, Finck, Hall, Keenan, Perley, Slevin, Strack, and Wade—8.

And the President announced that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday next, the 10th instant, at 12 o'clock, M.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

## LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Counsel to the Corporation for the week ending July 31, 1880.

The Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York are defendants unless otherwise mentioned.

#### SCHEDULE "A."

##### SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED.

##### SUPREME COURT.

People, ex rel. the Lamar Fire Insurance Co. vs. the Tax Commissioners of the City and County of New York—Certiorari to review assessment of relator for year 1880.

People, ex rel. the Rutgers Fire Insurance Co. vs. the Tax Commissioners of the City and County of New York—Certiorari to review assessment of relator for year 1880.

People, ex rel. the Merchants' Insurance Co. vs. the Tax Commissioners of the City and County of New York—Certiorari to review assessment of relator for year 1880.

People, ex rel. the Hope Fire Insurance Co. vs. the Tax Commissioners of the City and County of New York—Certiorari to review assessment of relator for year 1880.

People, ex rel. Aetna Insurance Co. vs. the Tax Commissioners of the City and County of New York—Certiorari to review assessment of relator for year 1880.

In re petition John A. Markert, to vacate an assessment for sewer and its appurtenances in One Hundred and Forty-third street, from a point 75 feet west of Third avenue to said avenue, and in Third avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-third street to One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, in the Twenty-third Ward, etc.

In re District No. 1 of the Independent Order of Benai Berith, to vacate assessment for paving One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street and Manhattan street, confirmed August 31, 1874.

In re Gertrude Breid, executrix, etc., to vacate assessment for, first, paving One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street and Manhattan street, confirmed August 31, 1874; second, regulating, grading, curbing, gutter and flagging Manhattan street, confirmed May 17, 1876.

Frederick S. Heiser, executor, etc., damages to property of testatrix at southwest corner of Eighth avenue and Ninety-second street, caused by change of grade of Eighth avenue, \$150,000.

Lorrillard Spencer, to recover award made plaintiff as an unknown owner in matter of opening One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, \$3,540.



In re Thomas Monaghan, to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter and flagging Ninety-seventh street, Fifth avenue to Harlem river.  
 In re Maria L. Grant et al., to vacate assessment for sewer in Ninety-fifth and Ninety-eighth streets, between First and Third avenues, etc., and outlet sewer in One Hundred and Sixth street.  
 Thomas Callahan, services as scowman, between July 15, 1873, and August 20, 1875, 2,820 hours, at 50 cents, \$1,410.  
 In re Daniel Seymour, to vacate assessment for underground drains, between One Hundred and Tenth and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth streets, confirmed October 2, 1875.  
 In re Susan M. Sturges, to vacate assessment for One Hundred and Tenth street outlet sewer, with branches, from Hudson river to Fifth avenue.  
 People, ex rel. Franklin and Emporium Fire Insurance Company, agst. the Board of Aldermen of the City and County of New York—Mandamus to compel striking out from assessment roll relator's name and value of personal property.  
 L. Kottolski vs. The Board of Police Commissioners of City of New York, \$1,394.10.  
 In re Joshua C. Sanders, to vacate assessment for sewers between Seventy-ninth and Eighty-eighth streets and Fourth and Fifth avenues.  
 In re Bridget O'Brien, to vacate assessment for Avenue A sewer, between Seventy-fourth and Seventy-ninth streets, with branches in Seventy-sixth, Seventy-seventh and Seventy-eighth streets.

## SUPREME COURT, KINGS COUNTY.

The Manhattan Beach Bathing Company (limited) against Alexander S. Williams—Summons only served.  
 Henry McKinnie et al., vs. Alexander S. Williams—Summons only served.  
 The Manhattan Beach Improvement Company (limited) vs. Alexander S. Williams—Summons only served.

## SUPERIOR COURT.

Margaret Mullen—Damages for alleged personal injuries, defect in sidewalk about opposite 320 West Twenty-sixth street, \$10,000.

## COMMON PLEAS.

Francis A. Blauvelt—Damages for alleged personal injuries caused by being knocked down by horse belonging to Fire Department.

## SCHEDULE "B."

## JUDGMENTS ENTERED AND ORDERS OF THE GENERAL AND SPECIAL TERMS.

Leo C. Dessar—Order entered discontinuing action without costs.  
 In re Isaias Meyer, sewer in Tenth avenue—Order entered to vacate assessment.  
 In re Luder Piper, sewer in One Hundred and Tenth street—Order entered to vacate assessment.  
 In re Spies—Order entered granting new trial.  
 In re Harriet S. H. Hill, First and Second avenue sewers—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
 In re Jeremiah Devlin, paving One Hundred and Forty-fifth street—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
 Thomas W. Relyea—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$323.37, by consent.  
 Duckworth vs. Gilbert—Order entered discharging defendant from custody.  
 In re Isaias Meyer, sewers in Tenth avenue—Order entered to vacate assessment.  
 People, Henry J. Dudley vs. Edward Cooper—Order entered quashing alternative writ of prohibition.  
 In re Charles L. Cornish, Ninety-second and One Hundred and Sixth streets underground drains—Order entered to vacate assessment.  
 People, John Ryan vs. Board of Police—Order entered denying motion for writ of mandamus.  
 People, Mary E. Lockwood—Order entered denying motion to vacate assessment.  
 In re Thomas S. Van Volkenburgh, Boulevard sewer—Order to vacate assessment.  
 In re Rowland Davies, do do do do  
 In re James M. Hutton, do do do do  
 In re Thomas J. Synott, do do do do  
 In re Benjamin A. Willis, do do do do  
 In re Abraham R. Van Nest, do do do do  
 In re Fannie Kellogg, do do do do  
 In re Martin M. Kellogg, do do do do  
 In re Abraham Selplis, One Hundred and Nineteenth street sewer—Order to vacate assessment.  
 In re Bernard Hamburger et al., do do do do  
 In re Philip H. A. Robert, do do do do  
 In re William H. Beadleston, trustee, do do do do  
 In re Perry Coe, administrator, Ninth avenue sewer—Order to vacate assessment.  
 In re Simon Rothschild, Ninth avenue sewer—Order to vacate assessment.  
 In re Ralph Marsh, do do do do  
 In re Cornelia K. Manley, sewer, Sixth avenue and Seventh avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-first street—Order to vacate assessment.  
 In re Susan R. Kendall, sewer, Sixth avenue and Seventh avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-first street—Order to vacate assessment.  
 In re Edward Schell and another, executor, Sixth avenue sewer, One Hundred and Twenty-ninth to One Hundred and Forty-seventh street—Order to vacate assessment.  
 In re Sarah E. Cornish, executor, Sixth avenue sewer, One Hundred and Twenty-ninth to One Hundred and Forty-seventh street—Order to vacate assessment.  
 In re Mary A. Donovan, Third avenue sewer—Order to vacate assessment.  
 In re Susan B. Branch, do do do do  
 In re Joseph Ash, Manhattan outlet sewer—Order to vacate assessment.  
 In re Herman T. Livingston, Manhattan outlet sewer—Order to vacate assessment.  
 In re James Flanagan, Manhattan outlet sewer—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
 In re Peter Lang, do do do do  
 In re Howard W. Coates, executor, Manhattan outlet sewer—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
 In re John H. V. Arnold, Manhattan outlet sewer—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
 In re Franklin A. Paddock, do do do do  
 In re Meyer S. Isaacs, do do do do  
 In re John H. V. Arnold, sewer, Eighth avenue—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
 In re Theresa A. Davis, do do do do  
 In re Catharine A. Edwards, do do do do  
 In re George Bliss, do do do do  
 In re Daniel M. Edgar, sewer, Tenth avenue—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
 In re Laura S. Forbes, do do do do  
 In re Michael Sheehy, Ninety-fifth and Ninety-eighth streets sewers—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
 In re Samuel K. McGuire and administrator Sloane, Ninety-fifth and Ninety-eighth streets sewers—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
 In re August Etzel, Ninety-fifth and Ninety-eighth streets sewers—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
 In re Eliza M. Bailey, Eightieth street outlet sewer—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
 In re Robert C. Ferguson, do do do do  
 In re John C. Thompson, Jr., One Hundred and Sixth street outlet sewer—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
 In re J. Watts De Peyster, One Hundred and Sixth street outlet sewer—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
 In re Jonas H. Monheimer, One Hundred and Sixth street outlet sewer—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
 In re Sidney H. Stuart, One Hundred and Sixth street outlet sewer—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
 In re Caleb D. Gildersleeve, One Hundred and Sixth street outlet sewer—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
 In re Benjamin A. Willis, One Hundred and Sixth street outlet sewer—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
 In re Sarah E. Cornish, executrix, Seventh avenue sewer, One Hundred and Twenty-first to One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street—Ordered to vacate assessment entered.  
 In re William Reid, Sr., Seventh avenue sewer, One Hundred and Twenty-first to One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
 In re John H. V. Arnold, Seventh avenue sewer, One Hundred and Twenty-first to One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
 In re Pliny Freeman, Seventh avenue sewer, One Hundred and Twenty-first to One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
 In re Samuel Schniffler and another, Seventh avenue sewer, One Hundred and Twenty-first to One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
 In re Daniel R. Kendall, Seventh avenue sewer, One Hundred and Twenty-first to One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
 In re Charles C. Havens and another, Eighty-third and Eighty-fourth streets sewers—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
 In re Martin A. Sarles, executor, Eighty-third and Eighty-fourth streets sewers—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
 In re M. & S. Sternberger, Eighty-third and Eighty-fourth streets sewers—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
 In re John W. Andreas, Eighty-third and Eighty-fourth streets sewers—Order to vacate assessment entered.

In re Martin A. Sarles, Eighty-third and Eighty-fourth streets sewers—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
 In re Max Weil and another, One Hundred and Forty-seventh street outlet sewer—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
 In re Charles Devlin, One Hundred and Forty-seventh street outlet sewer—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
 In re Caleb D. Gildersleeve, One Hundred and Forty-seventh street outlet sewer—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
 In re Simeon Farrell, One Hundred and Forty-seventh street outlet sewer—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
 In re Adolph Ansbacher, One Hundred and Tenth street outlet sewer—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
 In re Mayer Sternberger and another, One Hundred and Tenth street outlet sewer—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
 In re J. Watts De Peyster, One Hundred and Tenth street outlet sewer—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
 In re N. Y. Life Insurance and Trust Company, One Hundred and Tenth street outlet sewer—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
 In re John Webber, Ninety-sixth street sewer—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
 In re George S. Miller, executor, Ninety-sixth street outlet sewer—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
 In re Emanuel Bernheimer, Ninety-sixth street outlet sewer—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
 In re Rowland Davies, do do do do  
 In re John C. Cadwalder, One Hundred and Forty-second street outlet sewer—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
 In re Robert T. Edwards, One Hundred and Forty-second street outlet sewer—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
 In re Joseph H. Godwin et al., Ninety-sixth street outlet sewer—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
 In re William H. Brower, Ninety-sixth street sewer—do do do do  
 In re Patrick Murray, Forty-fourth street sewer—do do do do  
 In re Mayer Sternberger and another, Eightieth street sewer—do do do do  
 In re Anderson Fowler, Ninety-second, Ninety-third, and Ninety-fourth streets sewers—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
 In re William T. Ryerson, One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street sewer—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
 In re Benjamin A. Willis, Broadway sewer—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
 In re Abm. Bernheimer, First avenue sewer—do do do do  
 In re Thomas C. Holland, Eighth avenue sewer, One Hundred and Twenty-first to One Hundred and Thirty-third street—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
 In re Adolph B. Ansbacher, flagging Fifty-seventh street—Order entered to vacate assessment.  
 People vs. Jacob A. Hatzel—General Term order entered reversing order, quashing writ and ordering return on August 16, at Special Term.  
 In re Benjamin W. Merriam, boulevard sewers—General Term order of affirmance entered.

## SCHEDULE "C."

## SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED OR ARGUED.

Matter of opening Eighty-ninth street—Reference proceeded.  
 John Murphy vs. Mullholland—Trial proceeded.  
 In re Wm. Austin, sales—Submitted at General Term.  
 In re Louise Liverre, paving Thirty-second street—Argued at General Term.  
 In re Ruth Ann Wallace—Argued at General Term.  
 In re J. H. and A. K. Striker—Argued at General Term.  
 In re Thomas H. Walter—Motion for reargument submitted at General Term.  
 In re Mary G. Pinckney, regulating, etc., One Hundred and Eighth street—Argued at General Term.  
 People, Silas McArthur vs. Board of Police—Argued before Donohue, J.; decision reserved.  
 People, Thomas F. Kerns vs. Board of Police—Argued before Donohue, J.; decision reserved.  
 WM. C. WHITNEY, Counsel to the Corporation.

## HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
 NEW YORK, July 27, 1880.

The Board met this day.

## Reports.

From the Sanitary Superintendent—On operations of the Sanitary Bureau; on contagious diseases; on applications for permits; weekly report from Riverside Hospital; on work of Sanitary Corps of Police; on work of milk inspectors; on work of meat inspectors; on slaughter-houses; on work performed by vaccinating corps; on work of disinfecting corps; on work performed by visiting corps; on manufacture of snuff at 19 Division street; on subject of persons extorting money by personating fruit inspectors; on applications for relief; on street pavements, etc.; on sanitary condition of Grammar School No. 64, Twenty-fourth Ward.  
 From the attorney and counsel: weekly report and list of actions to be discontinued.  
 From the Register of Records: weekly letter on mortality; weekly mortuary statement; weekly abstracts of marriages, births, and still-births; weekly report of deaths from contagious diseases; on attendance of clerks; on violations of the Sanitary Code.

## Inspection of New Tenement-Houses.

Report of Inspector Berry on erection of new tenement-houses on east side of First avenue, between One Hundred and Thirteenth and One Hundred and Fourteenth streets, in violation of law.

## Communications received from other Departments.

From Department of Finance: Comptroller's weekly statement.  
 From his Honor the Mayor: In respect to proposed resolution No. 481 of the Board of Aldermen.

## Bills Audited.

H. K. & F. B. Thurber & Co.	\$94 48
Buckley & Merritt	13 24
Metropolitan Telephone and Telegraph Company	20 00
E. Moneuse	2 65
Page, Kidder & Fletcher	162 12
E. D. Bassford	173 27
Henry E. Cox	400 00
G. W. Bromley	15 00
P. White's Son's	3,000 00
Pay-roll, Commissioners, Officers, Employees, etc., July	10,973 17
Pay-roll, Officers and Employees, Small Pox Hospital, July	737 02

## Permits Granted.

To repress pork cracklings at 643 and 645 Water street.  
 To keep 20 chickens at 372 Greenwich street.

## Permits Denied.

To keep 3 cows at 240, 242 and 244 East Fifty-seventh street.

## Resolutions.

Resolved, That Order 7,748, on premises No. 19 Division street, be and is hereby rescinded.  
 Resolved, That the following orders be enforced.  
 Order 11,548, on premises 504 and 506 West Thirty-eighth street.  
 Order 10,852, on premises 328 West Forty-first street.  
 Resolved, That so much of Order 11,683, on premises 149 East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, as requires the construction of a water-closet with proper water and sewer connections be and is hereby rescinded.  
 Resolved, That Order 13,045, on premises 93 Fulton street, be and is hereby extended to September 1, 1880.  
 Resolved, That copies of the reports of Sanitary Inspectors upon the condition of certain street pavements, etc., be forwarded to the Department of Public Works for the necessary action, as follows:  
 Street pavement at Third avenue, between Sixty-fourth and Sixty-ninth streets.  
 Street pavement at First avenue, between Fifty-eighth and Sixtieth streets.  
 Street pavement at Forty-second street, between Fourth and Lexington avenues.  
 Catch basin at southwest corner First avenue and Eighth street.  
 Street sewer at 1762 Broadway.  
 Croton-pipe at 459 West Forty-third street.  
 Resolved, That copies of the reports of Sanitary Inspector Comfort upon the following premises, cross-walks and street pavements on Third avenue, over the line of the Brook avenue sewer, and the stone drains in One Hundred and Sixty-second street, commencing about 350 feet east of Courtlandt avenue, and extending to Elton avenue, etc., be forwarded to the Department of Public Parks for the necessary action.



Resolved, That a copy of the report of Assistant Sanitary Inspector Parsons upon the condition of Grammar School building No. 64, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, be forwarded to the Board of Education for the necessary action.

Resolved, That the pay-rolls of this department for the month of July, 1880, when approved by the Finance Committee, shall be duly signed by the President and Secretary, and forwarded to the Comptroller for payment.

Resolved, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Comptroller for the following sum of money which is required to enable the Board of Health to pay to the Board of Police the amount of the salaries of 30 Policemen detailed to the service of the Board of Health, pursuant to the provisions of section 5, chapter 504, Laws of 1879: salaries of 30 Policemen from July 1st to July 31st, inclusive, \$3,057.30.

Resolved, That the Register of Vital Statistics be and he hereby is directed to appoint an executive officer, in accordance with chapter 588 of the Laws of 1880, entitled "an act to organize a night medical service," etc. Said "Executive Officer" shall be selected from the clerks or other employees of the Sanitary Bureau and Bureau of Records, and he shall serve without additional compensation.

Resolved, That the Register of Records be directed to make requisition for the necessary blanks and books of record for the "Night Medical Service."

Resolved, That Caspar Goldman be and hereby is appointed Cashier of the Board of Health, to serve without additional compensation, for the purpose of executing chapter 588 of the Laws of 1880, entitled "an act to organize a night medical service," etc.

Resolved, That Sanitary Inspector Viele be and is hereby relieved from active and assigned to special duty in his district for three months from August 1, because of physical disability. His salary meantime is reduced one hundred dollars per month, and the Sanitary Superintendent is instructed to assign him to special duty in accordance with this resolution.

Resolved, That Moreau Morris, M. D., be and is hereby appointed an Assistant Sanitary Inspector for temporary service for three months from August 1, with salary at the rate of one hundred dollars per month.

Resolved, That Order No. 10,053, on premises 365 Ninth avenue, be and is hereby extended to October 1, 1880.

Resolved, That Orders 11,777, on premises 248 West Seventeenth street, and 11,713, on premises 250 West Seventeenth street, be and are hereby referred to the Sanitary Superintendent for special investigation and report.

Resolved, That application to reopen judgment against owner of premises No. 47 Suffolk street, Order 9,523, Suit 1,198, be referred to the Sanitary Superintendent for report on condition of premises.

Resolved, That Order 12,831, on premises No. 551 Ninth avenue, be and is hereby referred to the Sanitary Superintendent to ascertain whether the dogs are a nuisance dangerous to life and detrimental to health.

Resolved, That the Secretary be and is hereby directed to notify the Police Department that arrangements have been made to organize the Night Medical Service, as provided by chapter 588 of the Laws of 1880, whenever the Captains of Police Precincts shall submit the names of all physicians in good and regular standing within said precincts, who have made application for such service.

Resolved, That the Register of Records be and is hereby authorized and directed to register the following marriage and birth returns:

Theo. Adolph Julius Heinrich Hampe and Charlotte S. Pansie, January 4, 1880.

David J. O'Neill and Ella L. Pearsall, January 4, 1880.

William M. Walker and Pauline Dusenbury, July 2, 1879.

George Diercks and Bella Holthysen, March 25, 1880.

G. H. Haag and Emma W. Jetta, February 15, 1880.

Henry Firbel and Sophie Margareta Melchord, May 30, 1880.

Still-birth of Maria Brock, July 22, 1880.

Resolved, That the Register of Records be and is hereby directed to correct the death return of Louis A. E. Dela Neippe, who died September 3, 1879, as follows: married instead of single, the same being a clerical error.

#### Action of the Board on Tenement-House Plans.

Resolved, That the plan (No. 579-2) for light and ventilation of the three-story tenement-house, 30 feet by 50 feet, proposed to be built on a lot 46 feet front and 39 feet rear, by 112 feet 5 inches deep, on the south side of One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, 165 feet west of Franklin avenue, submitted to this Board by Julius Kastner, under Laws of 1867, chapter 908, as amended by Laws of 1879, chapter 504, and Laws of 1880, chapter 399, be and is hereby approved.

Resolved, That the application made to this Board by John C. Burne, to so modify the conditions of the permit (on plan No. 606) for the tenement-house proposed to be built on the south side of Twenty-fifth street, 225 feet west of Third avenue, as to allow the light shaft to be constructed 12 square feet in area, be and the said application is hereby denied.

Plan No. 609-2 was laid on the table pending an inspection and report on the premises described in the application submitted therewith.

A communication was received, signed by Thomas Auld, owner of the premises No. 334 Water street, described in the application accompanying plan No. 611, stating that the said plan has been modified, and that the said house when altered will be occupied by not more than three families; ordered on file.

Resolved, That the plan (No. 613) for light and ventilation of the four-story tenement-house, 57 feet by 25 feet, proposed to be built on a lot 25 feet by 100 feet, on the southwest corner of Eighth avenue and One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, submitted to this Board by R. S. Townsend, under Laws of 1867, chapter 908, as amended by Laws of 1879, chapter 504, and Laws of 1880, chapter 399, on condition that the soil-pipes be ventilated in a proper manner and not through the chimney flues, be and the said plan is hereby approved.

Plan No. 614 was laid on the table pending an inspection and report on the premises described in the application submitted therewith.

Resolved, That the plan (No. 615) for light and ventilation of two tenement-houses, each four stories high, and 26 feet 8 inches by 57 feet, with an extension 19 feet wide and 15 feet 10 inches deep, proposed to be built on lots 26 feet 8 inches by 100 feet and 28 feet 7 inches by 100 feet, respectively, on the north side of Eighty-seventh street, beginning 100 feet east of Fourth avenue, submitted to this Board by Albert Wagner, under Laws of 1867, chapter 908, as amended by Laws of 1879, chapter 504, and Laws of 1880, chapter 399, be and is hereby approved.

Plan No. 616 was laid on the table pending an inspection and report on the premises described in the application submitted therewith.

Resolved, That the plan (No. 617) for light and ventilation of four tenement-houses, each four stories high, and 18 feet 9 inches by 60 feet, proposed to be built on lots each 18 feet 9 inches by 100 feet 11 inches, on the north side of One Hundred and Eighteenth street, beginning 175 feet east of Third avenue, submitted to this Board by J. H. Valentine, under Laws of 1867, chapter 908, as amended by Laws of 1879, chapter 504, and Laws of 1880, chapter 399, be and is hereby approved.

Resolved, That the plan (No. 618) for light and ventilation of the four-story tenement-house, 20 feet by 65 feet, proposed to be built on a lot 20 feet by 100 feet 11 inches, submitted to this Board by J. H. Valentine, under Laws of 1867, chapter 908, as amended by Laws of 1879, chapter 504, and Laws of 1880, chapter 399, on condition that the water-closets in each house have a separate ventilating shaft not to be used as a dumb-waiter, and not communicating with any of the other rooms, be and the said plan is hereby approved.

Resolved, That the plan (No. 619) for light and ventilation of the four-story tenement-house proposed to be built on the north side of One Hundred and Fourth street, 220 feet east of Fourth avenue, submitted to this Board by J. H. Valentine, under Laws of 1867, chapter 908, as amended by Laws of 1879, chapter 504, and Laws of 1880, chapter 399, be and is hereby disapproved.

Resolved, That the plan (No. 620) for light and ventilation of four tenement-houses, each four stories high, and 18 feet 9 inches by 60 feet, proposed to be built on lots each 18 feet 9 inches by 100 feet 11 inches, on the south side of One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, beginning 100 feet east of Eighth avenue, submitted to this Board by J. H. Valentine, under Laws of 1867, chapter 908, as amended by Laws of 1879, chapter 504, and Laws of 1880, chapter 399, on condition that the bath-rooms in each house be provided with a separate ventilating shaft, and that the window opening to the bed-rooms from the main ventilating shaft be made stationary, the said main shaft to be at least 16 square feet in area, and not less than 2 feet wide, be and the said plan is hereby approved.

#### Sanitary Bureau.

The following is a record of the work performed in the Sanitary Bureau for the week ending July 24, 1880. The total number of inspections made by the Sanitary and Assistant Sanitary Inspectors was 1,720, as follows, viz.:

3 public buildings, 714 tenement-houses, 67 private dwellings, 121 other dwellings, 12 manufacturing and workshops, 23 stores and warehouses, 64 stables, 55 slaughter-houses, 1 lime-kiln, 3 manure dumps, 1 garbage dump, 2 public sewers, 2 lard-rendering establishments, 31 sunken and vacant lots, 1 market, 67 yards, courts, and areas, 103 cellars and basements, 109 waste pipes and drains, 227 privies and water-closets, 22 street-gutters, 9 dangerous stairways, 3 chimneys, 4 cesspools, 15 other nuisances, together with 61 visits of the Sanitary Inspectors to cases of contagious disease.

The number of reports thereon received from the Inspectors was 698.

During the past week 206 complaints were received from citizens, and referred to the Sanitary and Assistant Sanitary Inspectors for investigation and report.

Permits were issued to the consignees of 93 vessels to discharge cargoes, on vouchers from the Health Officer of the Port.

153 permits were granted scavengers to empty, clean, and disinfect privy vaults.

The Disinfecting Corps have visited 19 premises where contagious diseases were found, and have disinfected and fumigated 19 houses, 19 privy sinks, together with clothing, bedding, etc.

The Special Disinfecting Corps have disinfected 1,951 privies, 172 yards, 182 cellars, 161 garbage boxes, and 128 1-3 miles of street gutters.

The following is a comparative statement of cases of contagious disease reported at this Bureau for the two weeks ending July 24, 1880:

Week Ending	Typhus Fever.	Typhoid Fever.	Scarlet Fever.	Cerebro-Spinal Meningitis.	Measles.	Diphtheria.	Small-pox.
July 17.....	0	6	28	4	21	36	0
July 24.....	0	10	28	3	11	38	1

#### Bureau of Vital Statistics.

The certificates of 586 births, 35 still-births, 101 marriages, and 641 deaths, reported to have taken place in this city, were received by this Bureau during the week ending Saturday, July 24, 1880; this shows a increase of 52 births, and an decrease of 14 still-births, 63 marriages, and 172 deaths, when compared with the number received during the preceding week, but when compared with the corresponding week of the year 1879, there was an increase of 135 births, 5 still-births, 1 marriage, and 41 deaths. Compared with the mortality reported during the preceding week, the deaths from diphtheria decreased 4; erysipelas, 3; cerebro-spinal fever, 1; malarial fevers, 1; puerperal diseases, 1; diarrhoeal diseases, 98; inanition, 5; alcoholism, 4; rheumatism and gout, 1; phthisis pulmonalis, 15; pneumonia, 13; heart diseases, 2; hydrocephalus and tubercular meningitis, 7; meningitis and encephalitis, 6; convulsions, 13; direct effect of solar heat, 15; all diseases of the brain and nervous system, 38; cirrhosis and hepatitis, 1; gastritis, enteritis, and peritonitis, 18; cyanosis and atelectasis, 1; premature and perinatal births, 1; suicide, 1; and drowning, 2; while the deaths from croup increased 6; whooping cough, 4; cancer, 5; aneurism 2; marasmus, tabes mesenterica, and scrofula, 2; Bright's disease and nephritis, 16. The number of deaths from measles, scarlatina, typhoid fever, bronchitis, and apoplexy, was the same in the two successive weeks.

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

WEEK ENDING—	Small-Pox.	Measles.	Scarlatina.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Whooping Cough.	Typhus Fever.	Typhoid Fever.	Cerebro-Spinal Fever.	Remittent, Intermittent, Typho-Malarial, Contagious, and Simple Continued Fevers.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Phthisis Pulmonalis.	Pneumonia.	Bronchitis.	Diseases of the Nervous System.	Diseases of the Urinary System.	DEATHS OF CHILDREN.		
																	Under 1 year of age.	Under 2 years of age.	Under 5 years of age.
July 24, 1880.	..	4	3	16	10	8	..	4	4	8	198	68	20	11	44	34	261	329	370
" 17, "	..	4	3	20	4	4	..	4	5	9	296	83	33	11	82	20	358	450	489
June 10, "	..	10	6	22	11	3	..	5	2	8	364	84	37	10	78	29	440	529	576
" 3, "	..	3	8	18	13	9	..	4	8	6	626	92	35	19	112	33	635	804	863
Total.....	..	21	20	76	38	24	..	17	19	31	1484	327	125	51	316	116	1694	2112	2298

The ages of 261 of the persons who died during the week were reported to be under one year; 329 under two years; 370 under five years, and 26 seventy years and over, which shows that the deaths of children under five years of age was 119 less than the number reported during last week, and represent 57.72 per cent. of the total weekly mortality.

Deaths reported from Small-pox, Measles, Scarlatina, Diphtheria, Membranous Croup, Whooping Cough, Typhus, Typhoid, Cerebro-Spinal, and Malarial Fevers, in Institutions, Tenement and other dwellings, with Average Age, Floor, and Ward where the death occurred, and the Hour of Death, for the week ending July 24, 1880.

DISEASE.	In Houses containing 3 Families and under.	In Houses containing over 3 Families.	Canal Boats.	Hotels and Boarding-houses.	Institutions.	FLOOR.										AVERAGE AGE.		
						Basement.	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.	Top.	Not Stated.	Years.	Months.	Days.	
Small-pox.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Measles.....	..	4	..	..	..	..	1	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	18	..
Scarlatina.....	1	3	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	5	6	2	..
Diphtheria.....	..	16	..	..	..	..	5	4	4	3	..	..	..	..	2	11	18	..
Membranous Croup..	..	10	..	..	..	..	3	2	4	..	1	..	..	..	2	4	4	..
Whooping Cough....	2	5	..	..	1	..	..	3	3	1	..	..	..	..	1	2	15	..
Typhus Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Typhoid Fever.....	2	..	..	..	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	21	2	12	..
Cerebro-Spinal Fever	2	1	..	..	1	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	14	6	25	..
Malarial Fevers.....	3	5	..	..	..	..	4	..	3	..	1	..	..	..	16	4	12	..

DISEASE.	WARDS.																			TOTAL DEATHS.
	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.	Seventh.	Eighth.	Ninth.	Tenth.	Eleventh.	Twelfth.	Thirteenth.	Fourteenth.	Fifteenth.	Sixteenth.	Seventeenth.	Eighteenth.	Nineteenth.	
Small-pox.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	0
Measles.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
Scarlatina.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	3
Diphtheria.....	1	..	1	..	..	2	..	..	..	1	1	2	..	..	..	1	5	1	..	16
Membranous Croup..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	1	2	..	1	..	..	..	1	1	1	..	10
Whooping Cough....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	2	3	..	..	8
Typhus Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	0
Typhoid Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	4
Cerebro-Spinal Fever	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	4
Malarial Fevers.....	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	1	..	8



Hours at which Deaths Occurred.

DISEASE.	A. M.												P. M.												Total.
	1 o'clock.	2 o'clock.	3 o'clock.	4 o'clock.	5 o'clock.	6 o'clock.	7 o'clock.	8 o'clock.	9 o'clock.	10 o'clock.	11 o'clock.	12 o'clock.	1 o'clock.	2 o'clock.	3 o'clock.	4 o'clock.	5 o'clock.	6 o'clock.	7 o'clock.	8 o'clock.	9 o'clock.	10 o'clock.	11 o'clock.	12 o'clock.	
Small-pox .....																									0
Measles .....																									4
Scarlatina .....																									3
Diphtheria .....																									16
Membranous Croup.																									10
Whooping Cough....																									8
Typhus Fever.....																									0
Typhoid Fever.....																									4
Cerebro-Spinal Fever																									4
Malarial Fevers.....																									8

Of the total number of deaths reported for the week, 103 were in institutions, 366 in tenement houses, 162 in houses containing three families or less, 1 in hotels and boarding-houses, 4 in rivers, streets, boats, etc.; 10 were on the basement floor, 145 on the first, 167 on the second, 117 on the third, 69 on the fourth, 18 on the fifth, 1 on the sixth; 641 were stated to be residents of New York City; 49 were stated to be single, 98 married, 60 widowed, and the condition of 434 was not stated; these were children who had not attained a marriageable age.

The total number of burial permits issued during the week are as follows, viz.: City deaths, 641; still-births, 35; bodies in transitu, 37; of the total burial permits issued for city deaths and still-births 51 were upon certificates received from the Coroners; 586 births, 101 marriages, 35 still-births, 641 deaths, 37 applications for transit permits were recorded, indexed and tabulated; 43 searches of the registers of births, marriages and deaths were made, and 5 transcripts of the birth record, 3 of marriage, and 22 of death were issued during the week.

The mean temperature for the week ending July 24, 1880, was 70.7 degrees Fahr., the mean reading of the barometer was 29.945, the mean humidity was 84, saturation being 100, the number of miles traveled by the wind was 709, and the total amount of rain-fall was 2.46 inches depth of water, as reported by D. Draper, Director of the New York Meteorological Observatory, Central Park.

The disposition of 611 deaths and still-births, or 90.39 per cent. of the total number reported, was in the following 14 cemeteries: Bayside (Jewish), 20; Calvary (Roman Catholic), 241; City pauper burial-ground (undenominational), 65; Greenwood (undenominational), 36; Lutheran (undenominational), 130; Cypress Hills (undenominational), 22; Evergreen (undenominational), 46; Woodlawn (undenominational), 16; St. Michael's (Protestant Episcopal), 5; Union (Methodist Protestant), 4; Holy Cross (Roman Catholic), 7; Macphelah, L. I. (Jewish), 4; St. Raymond's (Roman Catholic), 3; Washington (undenominational), 12.

The distribution of deaths (actual mortality) for the week ending July 17, 1880, was in the following Wards, viz.: First, 15; Second, 0; Third, 1; Fourth, 11; Fifth, 11; Sixth, 13; Seventh, 22; Eighth, 20; Ninth, 22; Tenth, 29; Eleventh, 42; Twelfth, 64; Thirteenth, 15; Fourteenth, 16; Fifteenth, 12; Sixteenth, 32; Seventeenth, 55; Eighteenth, 30; Nineteenth, 121; Twentieth, 51; Twenty-first, 63; Twenty-second, 68; Twenty-third, 23; Twenty-fourth, 9.

The actual mortality for the week ending July 17, 1880, was 745; this is 27 less than the number that occurred during the corresponding week of the year 1879, and 180.8 less than the average of the corresponding weeks of the past five years, and represents an annual death-rate of 31.98 per 1,000 persons living, the population estimated at 1,211,164.

The annual death-rate per 1,000 persons living, of the estimated or enumerated population, according to the most recent weekly returns of Philadelphia was 28.50; Brooklyn, 30.12; St. Louis, 17.57; Baltimore, 20.06; Boston, 22.08; New Orleans, 24.76; Buffalo, 20.7; Richmond, 26; Charleston, 38.27; Dayton, 17.33; Erie, 13; Lowell, 20.22; Worcester, 23.55; Cambridge, 21.66; Lawrence, 29.61; Lynn, 16.44; Springfield, 27.80; Dubuque, Iowa, 15.17; Augusta, Ga., 23.10. Monthly returns—Milwaukee, 15.59; Toledo, 16.08; Shelby County, Tenn., 13.35; Oakland, Cal., 12.68. Foreign cities, weekly returns—London, 18.9; Liverpool, 25.3; Birmingham, 13.2; Manchester, 20.3; Glasgow, 23.3; Edinburgh, 19; Dundee, 16.1; Dublin, 31.1; Belfast, 23.7; Cork, 17; Brussels, 20.2; Antwerp, 29.9; Ghent, 28.2; Buda-Pesth, 35.8; Paris, 25.69; Rome, 17.5; Berlin, 42.1; Munich, 38; Breslau, 36.36; Vienna, 26.4; Trieste, 32.8; Copenhagen, 23.3; Stockholm, 26.5; Christiania, 20.04; Amsterdam, 26.4; Rotterdam, 20.7; The Hague, 18; Calcutta, 17.1; Bombay, 28.6; Madras, 34.9; St. Petersburg, 49.61; Warsaw, 31.02; Havre, 28.24; Salford, 24.71; Valencia, 25.05; Madrid, 42.4; Malaga, 44.9; Murcia, 25.0; Zaragoza, 38.0. Monthly returns—Hobart Town, Tasmania, 24.48; Sydney, 22.21; Melbourne and suburbs, 18.02.

Adjourned to Tuesday, August 3, 1880.  
By order of the Board,

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

LAWS OF NEW YORK, 1880.

CHAPTER 585.

An Act for the prevention of accidents to children.

Passed June 25, 1880; three-fifths being present.

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

Section 1. No minor child within this state not being a passenger shall be allowed upon the platform or steps of any railroad car drawn by steam, or of any omnibus, street car, or other vehicle drawn by horses, and the parents or guardians of any child who shall permit such child to ride or play upon the steps or platform of any such railroad car, omnibus, street car, or other vehicle, shall be punished on conviction by a fine not less than five nor more than ten dollars.

Sec. 2. It shall be the duty of all constables and policemen within this state to arrest any child or children violating the provisions of this act, and any such child or children shall likewise, on conviction, be punished by a fine not exceeding five dollars for each offense.

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

CHAPTER 588.

An Act to organize a night medical service in the city of New York, and to provide medical assistance in cases of sudden sickness or accident during the night time.

Passed June 26, 1880; three-fifths being present.

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

Section 1. On and after the passage of this act, and upon receipt of a copy thereof duly signed and certified, it shall be the duty of the captain of each police precinct in the city of New York to register, in a book provided for that purpose, the names and addresses of all physicians in good and regular standing within said precinct who shall make application for such registry and shall thereby pledge themselves to respond to any call for medical attendance, made as hereinafter described. Each name thus registered shall be submitted to the registrar of vital statistics of the board of health in the city of New York, whose duty it shall be to ascertain and report whether said physician is in good and regular standing, and to transmit a certificate to such effect to the captain of said precinct, and only upon receipt of such certificate shall it be lawful for the captain of the said precinct to employ such physician as hereinafter named. The names and addresses of such physicians as have been duly certified by the registrar of vital statistics shall be plainly and legibly written or printed on a bulletin provided for that purpose; which bulletin shall be placed at a convenient point near the captain's desk, and kept open to the inspection of all persons within the precinct desiring to see the same.

Sec. 2. Upon the application of any person residing within the said precinct, whose name and

address, together with the name and address of the said person desiring or needing such attendance, and the date of the application be duly registered in a book kept open for that purpose. It shall be the duty of the captain or other officer at the desk, in the absence of any expressed preference by the applicant, to select from the list of physicians thus registered, the name of the physician residing nearest to the residence of the said patient in whose behalf application is made, and to notify him without delay of the existence of such application.

Sec. 3. It shall be the duty of the captain, sergeant or other officer at the desk, in such police precinct as before specified, upon registry of any application as described in the preceding section, immediately to detail an officer whose duty it shall be to call upon such physician without delay, and to conduct him to the residence of the patient, also to verify by personal inspection or inquiry the name and address of such patient as registered by his superior officer. Every officer thus detailed as messenger shall be furnished with a blank certificate, upon which the name and address of the physician responding to the call, the name and address of the patient attended, and the date and hour of the visit shall be written by him after he has conducted the physician to the patient's residence and verified the genuineness of the application. Such certificate shall be signed by him and given to the physician, and shall specify upon its face that the physician therein named is entitled to the sum of three dollars from the public funds, upon presentation thereof to the proper officer, and indorsement thereof in writing with the name of the captain of the precinct. But it shall be the duty of the physician making such visit to present such certificate to the patient or his or her agent or attendant, and to request payment of the said sum specified; and in case of such payment being made, said physician shall surrender such certificate to the person or persons making it, and it shall cease to be a claim upon the public treasury. In default of the immediate payment of the said fee specified in the said certificate, by the patient or his or her attendant, it shall be the duty of the captain of the police precinct in which the visit was made to indorse it with his name; and thus indorsed it shall be the duty of the cashier of the Board of Health to pay at sight the fee aforesaid, and to enter the payment in a book provided for that purpose and take up the certificate. And all certificates thus redeemed shall be valid debts to the amount therein named, against the patients therein named, or their guardians, which the said board may order collected by due process of law, provided that no prosecution shall be instituted in cases where it is satisfactorily shown that the patient is without sufficient means for the payment thereof.

Sec. 4. It shall be the duty of every physician thus called to the medical assistance of any person within the police precinct in which he is registered to transmit to the registrar of the board of health, of the city of New York, within twenty-four hours after the call shall have been answered, a full and accurate statistical exhibit of the case, specifying therein the age and sex and the employment, profession, or business of the patient, the nature of the disease, the hour of the attack, when practicable, the date, and the police precinct and ward in which the case occurred; the same shall be signed with the full name and address of the physician rendering it, but the name and address of the patient shall always be omitted. And it shall be the duty of the board of health, of the city of New York, to provide all physicians thus registered for night medical service with appropriate blanks for the said purpose, upon their application thereof.

Sec. 5. Any policeman who shall be detailed as messenger according to the provisions hereinafter specified shall, in the absence of preference expressed in the application, call the physician nearest and most convenient to the patient's residence, or, in the absence or refusal from any cause of the latter, the physician next nearest, and so on. And there shall be no delay or waiting for such physician to return; and any member of the force neglecting to comply with this provision shall be subject to trial and fine or dismissal from the service, by the board of police commissioners, in the same manner as for other offenses cognizable by the said body. And any physician thus registering, who shall twice refuse or neglect, without reasonable excuse, to answer a call made according to the provisions of this act, shall be subject to have his name erased from the list, upon proper evidence thereof submitted to an executive officer who shall be appointed by the registrar of vital statistics of the board of health, and shall be under his immediate supervision.

Sec. 6. The captains of the several police precincts, if in their judgment it shall be necessary to the public convenience, may cause the bulletins of physicians herein specified to be posted in the hotels and district telegraph offices within their respective precincts, but any applicant applying at such hotels or telegraph offices, or desiring the services of any messenger other than a member of the police force detailed for the purpose, shall employ such messenger at his own expense, and shall be liable for any expenses incurred in communicating with the police precinct.

Sec. 7. The period during which the aforesaid physicians shall be held to be subject to call shall be between the hours of ten in the evening and seven in the morning, from October first to March thirty-first, inclusive, and between the hours of eleven in the evening and six in the morning, from April first to September thirtieth, inclusive.

Sec. 8. The board of estimate and apportionment of the city of New York are hereby authorized and directed to appropriate an amount necessary for the support of the aforesaid night medical service, when its organization shall have been established by the board of health of said city; but in no case shall the sum so appropriated exceed three thousand dollars for any one year.

Sec. 9. This act shall take effect immediately.

CHAPTER 579.

An Act in relation to the opening of streets, avenues, and public parks and places in the city of New York.

Passed June 24, 1880; three-fifths being present.

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

Section 1. It shall be the duty of the department or board of the city of New York, having the direction or charge of the opening of any street, avenue or public park or place, to furnish to the commissioners of estimate and assessment, that may be appointed in any proceeding to open any street, avenue or public park or place in said city, such surveys and maps as may be required by them in such proceeding. The expense of such surveys and maps shall not be included in any assessment in such proceeding. Such surveys and maps shall be made by surveyors in the regular and stated employment of such department, and it shall be the duty of the board of estimate and apportionment of the city of New York, annually, to make provision for the expense of procuring and preparing the same. The fees of such commissioners of estimate and assessment, exclusive of necessary disbursements hereinafter mentioned, shall not exceed in the aggregate the sum of twenty cents a foot for the lineal extent of the street or avenue or the portion thereof so to be opened or altered; but when the assessment district shall extend beyond the street or avenue lying nearest to and having the same general direction as the street to be opened, the fees of such commissioners of estimate and assessment may be increased in the aggregate to not exceeding twenty cents for every twenty-five hundred square feet of territory embraced in the assessment district lying beyond the said nearest street or avenue; but in any case such additional fees of said commissioners shall not exceed ten cents for each lineal foot of the street or avenue or portion thereof to be opened or altered. No costs, charges or expenses of any description shall be allowed in such proceeding, or charged on any lands affected thereby, except the compensation of the commissioners as above limited, and their necessary disbursements for room rent actually paid, but in no case to exceed one dollar per day; for advertising, printing or posting any notices required by law, and for any other necessary incidental expense, not exceeding one hundred dollars.

Sec. 2. Streets or avenues, or portions thereof, which are continuations of each other in the same general direction, and no others, may be embraced in the same proceeding for the opening thereof, and in case of the opening of any street or avenue, or portions of any street or avenue, where the street or avenue, or portions thereof, sought to be opened shall have been laid down and shown upon any general map or plan made and filed in pursuance with any law of the state of New York, relative to the mapping and planning of streets and avenues in said city, where no buildings for which compensation can lawfully be made shall be taken, the assessment district shall not extend beyond the centre line of the blocks adjacent thereto, nor beyond the ends of the street or avenue, or portions thereof, sought to be opened.

Sec. 3. The owners of land and of all the estate therein embraced within the lines of any street or avenue laid down and shown on any such general map or plan, and comprising all the land within said lines in an entire block in extent, may, without compensation, and at their own expense, convey all their right, title, and interest therein, providing the same shall be free from incumbrance, to the mayor, aldermen, and commonalty of the city of New York, and upon the delivery of such conveyances to the counsel to the corporation of said city, with the money necessary to record such conveyances, and affidavits made by all of such owners to the effect that the persons making them are the owners of the estates in such lands so conveyed by them respectively, and stating their interests, and that such estates in such lands are free of all incumbrances, together with abstracts of title, if desired by such counsel to the corporation, it shall be the duty of such counsel to the corporation to examine such conveyances and papers, and if such titles shall not be rejected for good cause by such counsel, he shall cause the said conveyances to be recorded in the office of the registrar of the city and county of New York, within sixty days after their delivery to him, and file them with the comptroller of such city, and thereupon the said mayor, aldermen, and commonalty of the city of New York shall become vested with the title to said lands to the same effect and extent as if they had been acquired by a proceeding taken for the opening of that portion of said street or avenue; after the making and acceptance of such conveyances, no proceedings to open the lands so conveyed shall be taken or maintained, nor shall the lands fronting on that portion of the street or avenue so conveyed, and extending to the centre of the block on either side of such portion of said street or avenue so conveyed, be chargeable with any portion of the expenses of opening the residue or any portion of the residue of such street or avenue, except the due and fair proportion of the awards that may be made for buildings as aforesaid.

Sec. 4. All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

Sec. 5. This act shall take effect immediately.



## 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 31, 1880.

## 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,	25	30.108	29.997	30.104	29.961	30.032	29.910	29.956	30.124	29.997	30.026	29.907
Monday,	26	30.022	29.903	30.014	29.871	30.006	29.881	29.885	30.034	29.909	29.950	29.799
Tuesday,	27	30.010	29.899	30.012	29.863	30.012	29.901	29.888	30.012	29.901	30.012	29.863
Wednesday,	28	30.078	29.977	30.068	29.949	30.010	29.907	29.944	30.094	29.991	30.000	29.907
Thursday,	29	29.994	29.899	29.962	29.845	29.968	29.867	29.870	30.000	29.907	29.926	29.804
Friday,	30	29.994	29.904	30.028	29.901	30.068	29.949	29.918	30.092	29.986	29.968	29.878
Saturday,	31	30.138	30.037	30.176	30.035	30.160	30.027	30.033	30.178	30.064	30.092	29.986

Mean for the week..... 29.927 inches.  
Maximum " at 9 A. M., July 31..... 30.064 "  
Minimum " at 6 P. M., July 26..... 29.799 "  
Range " ..... .265 "

## Thermometers.

DATE.	JULY.	7 A. M.		2 P. M.		9 P. M.		MEAN.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.		MAXIMUM.
		Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.		Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	
Sunday,	25	70	69	82	73	74	70	75.3	70.7	82	3 P. M.	73	3 P. M.
Monday,	26	73	70	82	75	75	70	76.7	71.6	86	5 P. M.	70	3 P. M.
Tuesday,	27	70	69	84	74	70	70	74.6	71.0	84	2 P. M.	74	2 P. M.
Wednesday,	28	66	63	73	63	67	61	68.7	62.3	73	1 P. M.	64	1 P. M.
Thursday,	29	64	59	72	62	66	60	67.3	60.3	74	5 P. M.	62	5 P. M.
Friday,	30	62	58	76	65	73	66	70.3	63.0	79	5 P. M.	68	6 P. M.
Saturday,	31	66	62	81	69	78	69	75.0	66.6	85	4 P. M.	71	4 P. M.

Dry Bulb. Wet Bulb.  
Mean for the week..... 72.5 degrees..... 66.5 degrees.  
Maximum for the week, at 5 P. M., 26th..... 86. " at 3 P. M., 26th..... 76. "  
Minimum " " at 5 A. M., 30th..... 59. " at 5 A. M., 30th..... 57. "  
Range " " ..... 27. " ..... 19. "

## 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.	Time.
Sunday,	25....	WSW	SSE	SSW	35	24	54	113	0	1/2	1/4	1 1/4	3 P. M.
Monday,	26....	S	SSE	W	40	53	79	172	1/4	1 1/2	1	4 1/4	5:30 P. M.
Tuesday,	27....	NW	SW	NW	51	29	27	107	0	2 1/4	0	2 1/4	2 P. M.
Wednesday,	28....	N	NW	NW	55	66	50	171	1/8	3/4	0	1 3/4	11:30 A. M.
Thursday,	29....	NNE	NNW	NNW	38	66	49	153	1/4	3/4	0	1 3/4	4:30 P. M.
Friday,	30....	NW	NNW	W	40	37	32	109	1/2	1/4	0	1 1/4	3:20 P. M.
Saturday,	31....	NW	NW	SW	39	39	52	130	1/2	1/4	0	1 1/4	4:30 P. M.

Distance traveled during the week..... 955 miles.  
Maximum force " " ..... 4 1/4 pounds.

DATE.	JULY.	Hygrometer.					Clouds.			Rain and Snow.				
		FORCE OF VAPOR.		RELATIVE HUMIDITY.			CLEAR, O. OVERCAST, IO.			DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES.				
		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration.	Amount of Water.
													H. M.	Depth of Snow.
Sunday,	25	.695	.690	.679	95	63	81	5 Cir.	9 Cir. Cu.	0	.....	.....	.....	.....
Monday,	26	.693	.773	.666	85	71	77	0	1 Cu.	7 Cu.	.....	.....	.....	.....
Tuesday,	27	.695	.704	.733	95	60	100	0	6 Cu.	5 Cu.	3:10 P. M.	3:40 P. M.	0:30	.51
Wednesday,	28	.536	.442	.457	84	54	69	0	7 Cir. Cu.	0	.....	.....	.....	.....
Thursday,	29	.433	.422	.438	73	54	68	0	4 Cu.	0	.....	.....	.....	.....
Friday,	30	.429	.470	.545	77	52	67	0	4 Cu.	0	.....	.....	.....	.....
Saturday,	31	.502	.547	.588	79	52	61	4 Cir.	7 Cu.	0	.....	.....	.....	.....

Total amount of water for the week..... .51 inch.

DANIEL DRAPER, PH. D., 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; John Tracey, Chief Clerk.

## Mayor's Marshal's Office.

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

## Permit and License Bureau Office.

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

## Sealers and Inspectors of Weights and Measures.

No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
WILLIAM EYLER, Sealer First District; ELIJAH W. ROE, Sealer Second District; JOHN MURRAY, Inspector First District; JOSEPH SHANNON, Inspector Second District.

## LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

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

## Bureau of Water Register.

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

## Bureau of Incumbrances.

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

## Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

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

## Bureau of Streets.

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

## Bureau of Sewers.

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

## Bureau of Chief Engineer.

No. 11 1/2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
GEORGE W. BIRDSALL, Chief Engineer.

## Bureau of Street Improvements

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

## Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

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

## Bureau of Water 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. STORIS, Deputy Comptroller.

## Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

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

## Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

## Auditing Bureau.

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

## Bureau of Arrears.

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

## Bureau for the Collection of Assessments.

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

## Bureau of City Revenue.

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

## Bureau of Markets.

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

## LAW DEPARTMENT

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

## Office of the Public Administrator.

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

## Office of the Corporation Attorney.

No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
WILLIAM A. 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.  
Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
TOWNSEND COX, President; JOSHUA PHILLIPS, Secretary.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

## HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

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

## Civil and Topographical Office.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

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

## BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, City Hall, Room No. 12, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
THOMAS B. ASTEN, President; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

## BOARD OF EXCISE.

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

## SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

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

## REGISTER'S OFFICE.

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

## COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

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

## COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

## PUBLIC POUND.

## PUBLIC NOTICE.

August 3, 1880.  
A RED AND WHITE TWO YEAR OLD HEIFER and a brown one year old heifer to be sold at Public Pound, Kingsbridge, Twenty-fourth Ward, on Saturday the 7th inst., at 11 A. M.  
GUSTAV SCHUMACHER, Pound Master.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, August 3, 1880.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Scows Nos. 3, 5, 13, and 14, the property of this Department, will be sold at public auction, at the foot of East Seventeenth street, East river, on Tuesday, August 17, 1880, at 10 o'clock A. M., by Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, ROOM NO. 39,  
NEW YORK, July 29, 1880.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York, 300 Mulberry street, Room 39, for the following property now in his custody without claimants: Boats, revolvers, coffee, tea, trunk and contents, bags and contents, male and female clothing, gold watch No. 2185, silver watches, tobacco, two cases cloth, two pieces cloth, silverware, etc.; also small amounts of money taken from prisoners and found by patrolmen of this Department.  
C. A. ST. JOHN, Property Clerk.

## RAPID TRANSIT COMMISSION.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF RAPID TRANSIT,  
No. 74 WALL STREET,  
NEW YORK, July 7, 1880.

BY DIRECTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, appointed by the Mayor of the City of New York March 6, 1880, and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 606 of the Laws of 1875, public notice is hereby given that the said Commissioners will cause a suitable book of subscription to the capital stock of the company to be incorporated and organized under the provisions of said act, and to be known as The Suburban Rapid Transit Company, to be opened on Thursday, July 15, 1880, at 12 o'clock M., at the banking offices of the Central Trust Company of the City of New York, at No. 15 Nassau street, New York City.

The amount of said capital stock is fixed at six hundred thousand dollars, divided into six thousand shares, of the par value of one hundred dollars each, subject to the right to increase the capital stock from time to time, as is by said act provided. The whole capital stock is to be subscribed by not less than twenty-five persons, and on subscribing, each subscriber is required to pay in cash five per centum of the par value of the number of shares subscribed by him.

The Commissioners reserve to themselves the right to reject any subscriber to the capital stock, and any and all subscriptions thereto which are not in compliance with the conditions to the granting of said franchise, imposed by their resolutions passed June 18, 1880.

The Commissioners also reserve to themselves the right to distribute to any subscriber a number of shares less than the number by him subscribed for.

By order of the Board, WILLIAM G. TULLER, Secretary.

## JURORS.

NOTICE IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,  
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,  
NEW YORK, July 1, 1880.

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

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



rk, July 21, 1880.  
TOWNSEND COX,  
THOMAS S. BRENNAN  
JACOB HESS.  
Commissioners of the Department of  
Public Charities and Correction.



# DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE.

NEW YORK, July 20, 1880.  
IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN ORDINANCE OF the Common Council, "In relation to the burial of strangers or unknown persons who may die in any of the public institutions of the City of New York," the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction report as follows:

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from New York Hospital—Unknown man; aged about 50 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; sandy hair; whiskers; blue eyes.

Unknown man from Pier 22, North river—Aged about 40 years; 5 feet 7 inches high. Had on gray jean coat, gray striped pants and vest, white shirt, white knit undershirt, gaiters.

Unknown man from Pier 1, North river—Aged about 20 years; 5 feet 6 inches high. Had on gray plaid frock coat and pants, striped vest, white shirt, gaiters.

Unknown man from Pier 4, North river—Aged about 60 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; gray hair; whiskers and moustache; blue eyes. Had on black alpaca coat, blue flannel pants, dark mixed vest, white shirt, white drawers and undershirt, brown socks, slippers.

Unknown man from the foot of Spring street; aged about 45 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; gray hair; moustache; blue eyes. Had on dark plaid coat, black and gray diagonal pants, white shirt, white knit undershirt, white cotton flannel drawers, brown socks, boots.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Mary Berzmer; aged 40 years; 5 feet 3½ inches high; blue eyes; brown hair. Had on when admitted, dark coat and vest, brown pants, gaiters. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

Ann Hackett; aged 38 years; 5 feet 1 inch high; black hair; gray eyes. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Philip Tierney; aged 54 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; blue eyes; brown hair. Had on when admitted, dark coat and vest, brown pants, gaiters. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

Benjamin Chamberlain; aged 48 years; 5 feet 10 inches high; blue eyes; red hair. Had on when admitted, black coat, pants, and vest, gaiters, derby hat. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

At Branch Lunatic Asylum, Hart's Island—Christina Thomas; aged 55 years. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

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

## ASSESSMENT COMMISSION.

THE COMMISSIONERS APPOINTED BY CHAPTER 150 of the Laws of 1880, to revise, modify, or vacate assessments for local improvements in the City of New York, give notice to all persons affected thereby that the notices required by 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 prior to June 9, 1880, on or before November 1, 1880.

Second. 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, within two months after the dates upon which such assessments may be respectively confirmed.

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

Dated New York, July 12, 1880.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioner of Public Works.

GEORGE H. ANDREWS, Commissioner under said Act.

DANIEL LORD, JR., Commissioner under said Act.

## 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 Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of Sixty-seventh street, from Third avenue to the East river, in the City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in the proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to William Cruikshank, our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 261 Broadway, Room No. 23, in said city, on or before the 14th day of September, 1880; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week days next after said 14th day of September, 1880, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our office on each of said ten days, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

Second—That the abstract of said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 15th day of September, 1880.

Third—The limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows: All those lots, pieces, or parcels of land situate, lying, and being in the City of New York, included within the following boundaries, viz: Commencing at a point on the easterly line of Third avenue, distant one hundred feet and five inches southerly from the southerly line of Sixty-eighth street; thence easterly and parallel to Sixty-eighth street, and always one hundred feet and five inches southerly of the southerly line thereof to the bulkhead line of East river; thence southerly along said bulkhead line to a point which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to Sixty-sixth street, and one hundred feet and five inches northerly of the northerly line thereof; thence westerly and parallel to Sixty-sixth street, and always one hundred feet and five inches northerly of the northerly line thereof to the easterly line of Third avenue; thence northerly along the easterly line of Third avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Excepting, however, from all the lands and premises above described so much thereof as is included within the areas of streets and avenues now opened and proposed to be opened by this proceeding.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at Special Term thereof, to be held at the New Court-house in the City of New York, on the 26th day of September, 1880, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, August 2, 1880.  
WILLIAM CRUIKSHANK,  
GUNNING S. BEDFORD,  
ALLEN J. CUMING,  
Commissioners.

In the Matter of the Application of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of a certain street, extending from the northerly side of Little West Twelfth street to the southerly side of West Fourteenth street, in the City of New York, as laid out by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of said city.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that in compliance with an act of the Legislature of the State of New York, entitled "An Act to reorganize the local government of the City of New York," passed April 30, 1873, and of all other acts relating thereto, the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of said City, will apply to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said court to be held at the Chambers thereof in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on Thursday, the twenty-sixth day of August, 1880, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. That 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, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging required for the opening of a certain new street extending from the northerly side of Little West Twelfth street to the southerly side of West Fourteenth street, as said street is shown on certain maps made by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, and filed in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York and in the office of the Department of Public Works of the City of New York on the 20th day of May, 1880; being the following described pieces or parcels of land: Beginning at a point in the southerly line of West Fourteenth street distant four hundred and twenty-five (425.0) feet westerly from the westerly line of Ninth avenue, running southerly and parallel with Ninth avenue two hundred and six feet and six inches (206.6) to the northerly line of West Thirteenth street; thence westerly along said line seventy-five (75.0) feet; thence northerly two hundred and six feet and six inches (206.6) to the southerly line of West Fourteenth street; thence easterly along said line seventy-five (75.0) feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also—Beginning at a point on the southerly line of West Thirteenth street, distant four hundred and twenty-five (425.0) feet westerly from the westerly line of Ninth avenue, running southerly and parallel with Ninth avenue two hundred and six feet and six inches (206.6) to the northerly line of Little West Twelfth street; thence westerly along said line seventy-five (75.0) feet; thence northerly two hundred and six feet and six inches (206.6) to the southerly line of West Thirteenth street; thence easterly along said line seventy-five (75.0) feet to the point or place of beginning—said street being seventy-five (75.0) feet wide between the lines of Little West Twelfth and West Fourteenth streets.

Dated New York, July 21, 1880.  
WM. C. WHITNEY,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row.

In the Matter of the Application of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of West Fifty-third street, from the westerly line of Tenth avenue to the easterly line of Eleventh avenue, in the City of New York, as laid out by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of said city.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that in compliance with an act of the Legislature of the State of New York, entitled "An Act to Reorganize the Local Government of the City of New York," passed April 30, 1873, and of all other acts relating thereto, the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of said City, will apply to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court House in the City of New York, on Thursday, the twenty-sixth day of August, 1880, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter. That 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, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of West Fifty-third street, from the westerly line of Tenth avenue to the easterly line of Eleventh avenue, as said street is shown on certain maps made by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, and filed in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York and in the office of the Department of Public Works of the City of New York, on the 20th day of May, 1880, being the following described pieces or parcels of land:

Beginning at a point in the westerly side of Tenth avenue, distant two hundred feet and ten inches (200.10) northerly from the northerly line of Fifty-second street and running westerly and parallel with said street eight hundred (800.0) feet, to the easterly line of Eleventh avenue; thence northerly along said line sixty (60.0) feet; thence easterly eight hundred (800.0) feet to the westerly line of Tenth avenue; thence southerly sixty (60.0) feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Said street being sixty (60.0) feet wide between the lines of Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

Dated New York, July 21, 1880.  
WILLIAM C. WHITNEY,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
Tryon row.

In the matter of the application of the Commissioners 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 Sedgwick avenue, from Fordham Landing road to Boston avenue, 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 lots, and improved or unimproved lands affected thereby; and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

I.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to Jerome Buck, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 206 Broadway, in said city, on or before the 26th day of August, 1880; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 26th day of August, 1880, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 2 o'clock P. M.

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

III.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid, are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces, or parcels of land situate, lying, and being within the following described lines, viz: Commencing at a point on the northerly line of the Fordham Landing road, where the same is intersected by the easterly line of the New York & Northern Railroad; thence running northerly along the said railroad until it intersects a line drawn parallel to and five hundred feet westerly of the westerly line of Sedgwick avenue; thence northerly along said line and always five hundred feet westerly of the westerly line of Sedgwick

avenue until intersected by a line fifteen hundred feet north of the northerly end of Sedgwick avenue, as now being opened; thence easterly along said last mentioned line until the same is intersected by the prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and five hundred feet easterly of the easterly line of Sedgwick avenue; thence southerly along the prolongation of said line, and said line always five hundred feet easterly of the easterly line of Sedgwick avenue until it intersects the northerly line of Fordham Landing road; thence westerly along northerly side of the said Fordham Landing road to the place of beginning. Excepting therefrom all the avenues, streets, and roads within said boundaries.

IV.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 14th day of September, 1880, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, July 10, 1880.  
JEROME BUCK,  
CHARLES W. BATHGATE,  
THOMAS J. BROWN,  
Commissioners.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

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

CARL JUSSEN,  
Secretary.

## LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

### ARREARS OF ASSESSMENTS.

### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW York hereby gives notice to the owners of real estate, that as provided by chapter 125, passed May 7, 1880, at any time before the first day of September, 1880, any person liable therefor may pay the amount of any assessment for any local improvement in the City of New York, confirmed prior to the passage of said act, and remaining unpaid with interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum, and after said first day of September, and before the first day of December, 1880, any such assessment may be paid as aforesaid with interest at the rate of nine per centum per annum, from the date of confirmation to the date of payment thereof.

If any such assessment shall not be paid before the first day of December, 1880, the rate of interest thereon will be twelve per centum per annum thereafter, as provided by law, from the date of confirmation to the date of payment. The said act of 1880 is published herewith.

JOHN KELLY,  
Comptroller.  
CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, July 23, 1880.

CHAPTER 125.  
AN ACT in relation to the payment of assessments for local improvements in the City of New York.

Passed May 7, 1880; three-fifths being present.

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

Section 1. At any time before the first day of September, eighteen hundred and eighty, any person liable therefor may pay, to the officer authorized to receive the same, the amount of any assessment for any local improvement in the City of New York, heretofore confirmed and now unpaid, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of confirmation to the date of payment and at any time on or after said first day of September, and before the first day of December, eighteen hundred and eighty, any such assessment may be paid as aforesaid, with interest at the rate of nine per centum per annum from the date of confirmation to the date of payment.

Sec. 2. Where any installment or installments of any assessments have been paid under the provisions of chapter one hundred and three of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-six, or of chapter one hundred and fifty-nine of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-seven, or of chapter two hundred and fifty-five of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, the amount of such assessment or assessments remaining unpaid may be paid within the same periods prescribed in the first section of this act and upon the same terms and conditions therein prescribed.

Sec. 3. Upon such payment in full, as hereinbefore provided, such assessment or assessments shall cease to be a lien upon the property, and shall be deemed fully paid, satisfied and discharged; and there shall be no further interest or penalty by reason of such assessment or assessments not having been paid within the time heretofore required by law, or by reason of any statute heretofore requiring the payment of any penalty or interest over the rate hereinbefore provided for upon any unpaid assessment.

Sec. 4. No provision of this act heretofore contained shall be construed as applicable to or affecting any assessment for the collection of which assessment the property has been sold.

Sec. 5. This act shall take effect immediately.

### INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

THE INTEREST ON THE BONDS AND STOCKS of the City of New York, due August 1, 1880, will be paid on Monday, August 2d, by the Comptroller, at his office in the New Court-house.

The transfer books will be closed from July 20, to August 2, 1880.

JOHN KELLY,  
Comptroller.  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
New York, July 19, 1880.

### ARREARS OF TAXES.

### NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

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

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

The time of payment of taxes for the years 1877, 1878, and 1879, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per

cent. per annum, is extended to the first day of April, 1881, and if not paid before that date, interest will be payable at the rate of twelve per cent. per annum.

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

JOHN KELLY,  
Comptroller.

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

### CHAPTER 123.

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

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

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

Section 1. At any time after the passage of this act, and before the first day of October, eighteen hundred and eighty, any person may pay to the Comptroller of the City of New York the amount of any tax upon real property belonging to such person, heretofore laid or imposed and now remaining unpaid, together with interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the time that such tax was imposed to the time of such payment, provided, also, that the time when such payment may be made on the amount of any such tax laid or imposed in the years eighteen hundred and seventy-seven, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, and eighteen hundred and seventy-nine shall extend to the first day of April, eighteen hundred and eighty-one. The comptroller shall make and deliver to the person making any such payment a receipt therefor, and shall forthwith cancel the record of any such tax on the books of the finance department; and upon such payment being made such tax shall cease to be a lien upon the property and shall be deemed fully paid, satisfied and discharged, and there shall be no right to any further interest or penalty by reason of such tax not having been paid within the time heretofore required by law, or by reason of any statute passed requiring the payment heretofore of any penalty or interest over seven per centum per annum upon any unpaid tax.

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

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

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

### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED APRIL 16, ENTERED APRIL 24, 1880.

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

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

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

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

All payments made on the above assessments on or before August 3, 1880, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of entry.

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

EDWARD GILON,  
Collector of Assessments.

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

### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED MAY 17, ENTERED MAY 18, 1880.

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

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

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

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FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
New York, January 22, 1880.

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

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

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

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

JOHN KELLY,  
Comptroller.

### REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

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

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JOHN KELLY,  
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