

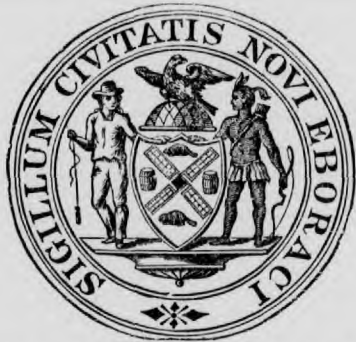
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DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Abstract of transactions of the Department of Finance for the week ending February 14, 1880:

Deposits in the Treasury.	
On account of the Sinking Fund.....	\$29,187 19
“ “ City Treasury.....	301,982 96
Total.....	\$331,170 15

Bonds Issued.	
Four per cent. Bonds.....	\$84,000 00
Five per cent. Bonds.....	21,000 00
Total.....	\$105,000 00

Warrants Registered and Ready for Payment.	
Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening.....	\$265 50
Coroners' Salaries and Expenses.....	583 33
Construction of Bridge over the Harlem River.....	47 00
Contingencies—Department of Buildings.....	164 55
“ Department of Taxes and Assessments.....	5 00
“ District Attorney's Office.....	330 54
“ Law Department.....	816 75
Croton Water-main Fund—From Taxation.....	20,385 12
Dock Fund.....	5,789 70
Fire Department Fund.....	6,311 93
For Laying New Walks and Repairing the Old Walks, etc.....	82 30
For the Equipment and Furnishing of the Building of the Metropolitan Museum of Art.....	118 30
Foundling Asylum, under Charge of the Sisters of Charity.....	18,760 45
Fund for Small-pox Hospital and Care of Contagious Diseases.....	325 26
Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvements, and Maintenance.....	221 66
Health Fund.....	231 46
Interest on the City Debt.....	10,892 50
Judgments.....	9,595 39
Jurors' Fees.....	5,048 00
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places.....	9,212 38
Maintenance, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	375 30
Manhattan Square, Improvement of.....	512 48
Maps of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	437 35
Museum of Natural History Fund.....	26 67
New County Court-house.....	311 50
New York Catholic Protectory.....	17,269 96
New York Infant Asylum.....	3,803 90
Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.....	383 90
Public Charities and Correction.....	15,524 99
Public Instruction.....	31,083 36
Redemption of Debt of the Annexed Territory of Westchester County.....	2,000 00
Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	924 88
Repaving Streets and Avenues, under Chapter 476, Laws of 1875.....	262 50
Revenue Bonds of 1879.....	570,000 00
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning.....	700 00
Street Improvement Fund.....	3,316 96
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....	22 50
Support of Prisoners in County Jail.....	1,146 24
Surveying, Laying out, etc., Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	723 96
Tompkins Square Improvement Fund.....	150 00
Union Home and School for Education of Children of Volunteer Soldiers.....	1,125 00
Total.....	\$739,288 57

CONTRACTS REGISTERED.

NO.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT.	NAMES OF CONTRACTORS	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.
4786	Jan. 31, 1880	Public Works (Special)	Gilbert Palmer.....	Fencing vacant lots on northeast corner Eighty-sixth street and Avenue A. Estimate, \$65.
4787	“ 31, “	“ “	“	Fencing vacant lots on block bounded by Fifth and Madison avenues, Seventy-ninth and Eightieth streets. Estimate, \$122.43.
4788	“ 2, “	Public Parks.....	Gold & Stock Telegraph Co.	Furnishing telegraph line and instruments, from January 1 to December 31, 1880. Total, \$684.
4789	“ 26, “	Public Works.....	Michael Gavin.....	Sewer in front street between Dover and Roosevelt streets. Estimate, \$1,245.25.
4790	“ 26, “	“	“	Sewer in Macdougall street, between West Fourth street and West Washington Place. Estimate, \$591.
4791	Feb. 5, “	Fire.....	W. A. Farrell.....	Furnishing 165,000 lbs. hay, 37,000 lbs. straw, 1,200 bags oats, and 800 bags fine feed. Total, \$4,093.50.
4792	Dec. 27, 1879	Charities & Correction	W. H. Thomas.....	Furnishing fresh fish during the year 1880. Estimate, \$12,050.
4793	“ 27, “	“	David P. Arnold.....	Furnishing fresh meat during the year 1880. Estimate, \$129,400.
4794	Jan. 14, 1880	“	Robert M. Masterton.....	Furnishing 125,000 lbs. sugar, 1,000 lbs. coffee, 2,500 lbs. chicory, 1 cask prunes, and 300 bags meal. Total, \$10,643.35.
4795	“ 14, “	“	Charles F. Matlage.....	Furnishing 100 pieces bacon, 150 quintals codfish, and 300 sacks salt. Total, \$1,027.50.
4796	“ 14, “	“	N. D. Hare & Co.....	Furnishing 12,000 lbs. dairy butter and 27,000 eggs. Total, \$3,165.60.
4797	July 16, 1879	Board of Education...	William J. O'Connor.....	Carpenter work on new school building on Lexington avenue, between One Hundred and Fifth and One Hundred and Sixth streets, in Twelfth Ward. Total, \$20,797.

CLAIMS FILED.

NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.
Valeria Van Beil.....	\$5,000 00	For damages for personal injuries sustained by falling upon ice on sidewalk in front of No. 111 East Sixty-second street and breaking her arm.....	A. H. H. Dawson.
Tiffany & Co.....	114 92	For breakage of plate glass window by negligence of employees of Fire Department, on March 7, 1879.	
James McGrath.....	1,083 80	Demand for adjustment of claim for return of amount paid for assessment for drains between Ninety-second and One Hundred and Sixth streets.....	A. B. Johnson.
Patrick Bergen.....	1,200 00	Demand for adjustment of claim for salary as janitor of premises occupied by Fourth District Police Court and Seventh District Civil Court.	
David Golden.....	1,200 00	Demand for adjustment of claim for salary as janitor of premises occupied by Sixth District Police Court and Tenth District Civil Court.	
John Fagan.....	1,200 00	Demand for adjustment of claim for salary as janitor of premises occupied by Sixth District Civil Court.	
Edward Brucks.....	1,200 00	Demand for adjustment of claim for salary as janitor of premises occupied by Third District Police Court.	
William J. Kennedy.....	1,200 00	Demand for adjustment of claim for salary as janitor of premises occupied by Second District Police Court and Third District Civil Court.	
John O'Brien.....	1,200 00	Demand for adjustment of claim for salary as janitor of premises occupied by Fifth District Civil Court.	
James McGrath.....	174 00	Demand for adjustment of claim for return of amount paid for assessment for underground drains between Ninety-second and One Hundred and Sixth streets.	A. B. Johnson.
Peter V. Clarke.....	250 00	For salary as Clerk of Tenth District Court, for January, 1880.	
Anthony Hartman.....	5,701 71	For difference of salary fixed by law and that paid as justice of Fourth District Court, from April 30, 1873, to January 1, 1876.....	Henry Wehle.
Mary McCabe and Robert McCafferty.....	1,320 00	For ten per cent. of amount paid on account of purchase of hotel and water front at foot of Eighty-sixth street, East river, sold by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, in 1867.....	A. B. Johnson.
Seligman Adler.....	550 05	For payment of expense of repairing premises 1719 and 1721 Third avenue, and loss of rent of same, caused by breaking of sewer on Third avenue, between Ninety-fifth and Ninety-eighth streets.	
George Moore.....	79 89	For repayment of amount paid in error for taxes of years 1872, 1875, and 1877, on Lot 34, Block 1164, Twelfth Ward.	
Thomas Costigan.....	1,083 33	For balance of salary due as Mechanics' Lien Clerk, in County Clerk's Office.....	P. Mitchell.

SUITS, ORDERS OF COURT, JUDGMENTS, ETC.

COURT.	PLAINTIFF OR RELATOR.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION, ETC.	ATTORNEY.
Supreme..	Bernard Kenney....	\$356 06	Transcript of Judgment.....	A. H. Purdy.
“	Joseph P. Strack....	356 06	“ “	
“	Terence Kiernan....	356 06	“ “	
“	Henry M. Bradhurst and Ann F. Bell....	.....	Order to vacate sale for assessment for opening Avenue St. Nicholas.....	J. A. Deerin
“	John McEnroe, Jr., against the Mayor, etc., and others....	.....	Order of discontinuance of action and vacating injunction order of November 7, 1879, without costs.....	L. L. Kellogg.
“	Nancy Gray et al, Seligman Adler, John Matthews, ex'r, etc., John Simon, Mary McGay et al.....	.....	Order to vacate assessments for underground drains, from Ninety-second to One Hundred and Sixth streets, and Third avenue to Harlem river.....	T. F. Neville.
“	Patrick Cassidy.....	.....	Order to vacate assessment for regulating grading, etc., One Hundred and Eighth street, from Fifth avenue to East river....	“
“	Langstaff N. Crow....	154 99	Transcript of Judgment.....	A. B. Johnson.
“	Julius Benedict.....	447 20	For repayment of amount of assessment for regulating, etc., Forty-sixth street, between Eleventh avenue and Hudson river.....	P. A. Hargous.
“	Louisa Sinne, administratrix, etc.....	5,000 00	For personal injuries to her husband, causing his death, by falling down an embankment at Avenue A and Fifty-fourth street.....	M. M. Budlong.
“	Daniel Dempsey.....	2,781 00	For salary as Fireman in Fire Department, from December 10, 1874, to April 6, 1877..	D. A. Levien, Jr.
“	James R. Jesup.....	.....	Order to vacate assessment for underground drains, from Ninety-second to One Hundred and Sixth streets.....	T. F. Neville.
“	House of the Good Shepherd.....	751 00	Petition and notice of motion for February 14, 1880, to pay to said institution amount awarded for land, etc., taken in the matter of the application of the Mayor, etc., relative to the opening of Eighty-ninth street, from Fifth avenue to East river....	H. A. Shipman. E. O. Andrews.
“	Caroline Clausen.....	62 69	Transcript of Judgment for costs.....	A. B. Johnson.
“	John McCloskey.....	91 07	“ “	
“	House of the Good Shepherd.....	.....	Order of payment and reference in matter of the application of the Mayor, etc., relative to opening of Eighty-ninth street, from Fifth avenue to East river.....	H. A. Shipman.
Com. Pleas	Sophia Bonner.....	.....	To cancel of record assessments against property 342 West Fifty-fifth street, for Broadway widening, between Thirty-fourth and Fifty-ninth streets, and for Riverside Drive opening, and to enjoin sale of the property for the same, and that judgment entered in action wherein Theodore and Frederick Kilian were plaintiffs affecting said property be vacated and set aside.....	W. H. McDougall.

Opening of Proposals.

February 13—The Comptroller attended the proposed opening of bids at the Department of Public Charities and Correction, for furnishing 3,000 tons of white ash coal for the out-door poor. A quorum not being present, the opening of the bids was postponed until Monday, 16th instant.

Approval of Sureties.

The Comptroller approved of the adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties on the following proposals, viz.:

- February 9—For furnishing 445 tons of water-pipe and special castings.
The Warren Foundry and Machine Company, Phillipsburgh, N. J., Principals.
Robert Campbell, 5 Madison avenue, } Sureties.
Joseph Richardson, 110 East Houston street, }
- February 9—For laying Croton water-mains in Walton, Ogden, Courtlandt, Tenth and Morris avenues, and in One Hundred and Third, Sixty-seventh, One Hundred and Fifty-seventh, and other streets.
John Cornwell, Jr., 304 East One Hundred and Sixteenth street, Principal.
P. M. Wilson, 86 Bank street, } Sureties.
James Kay, 100 Vesey street, }
- February 9—For building sewer in One Hundred and Third street, between Third and Lexington avenues.
J. D. Moore, 220 East One Hundred and Fifth street, Principal.
Edward C. Sheehy, 1453 Third avenue, } Sureties.
Timothy Donovan, 412 East One Hundred and Fourteenth street, }
- February 9—For building water-closet tower for Bellevue Hospital.
Lancelot W. Armstrong, 971 Lexington avenue, Principal.
John Nesbit, Thirty-seventh street and First avenue, } Sureties.
Gustavus Isaacs, 135 East Nineteenth street, }
- February 9—For furnishing and putting in steam-heating and ventilating apparatus for water-closet tower, for Bellevue Hospital.
James Curran, 456 West Fifty-first street, Principal.
Samuel Booth, 545 West Thirty-fifth street, } Sureties.
Frederick Frederlein, 552 West Thirty-sixth street, }
- February 9—For furnishing 60,000 yards brown muslin, 1,500 yards shroud muslin, 5,000 yards hickory stripes, 5,000 yards awning stripes, 1,000 yards linen diaper, and 1,000 yards scarlet twilled flannel, for use of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.
Robert Betty, 752 Third avenue, Principal.
J. R. Wigger, 134 West Thirty-fourth street, } Sureties.
Charles Whitlock, 433 Lexington avenue, }
- February 9—For furnishing 10,000 yards calico, 1,500 yards shroud muslin, 2,500 yards cotton jeans, and 1,000 yards cotton duck, for use of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.
J. M. Ingersoll, 238 East Eighteenth street, Principal.
E. T. Tefft, 853 Fifth avenue, } Sureties.
Joseph H. Weller, 235 West Forty-eighth street, }
- February 9—For furnishing 5,000 yards blue denims, 2,500 yards cotton jeans, 1,000 yards white flannel, 5,000 yards canton flannel, 5,000 yards toweling, 500 yards table linen, and 1,000 yards cotton duck, for the use of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.
Edwin F. Gibson, 44 White street, Principal.
A. H. Welch, 200 West Fifty-sixth street, } Sureties.
Theodore M. Ives, 201 West Fifty-fifth street, }
- February 9—For furnishing 1,000 sides damaged sole leather, for use of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.
John C. Southwick, 16 West Fiftieth street, Principal.
Henry Werner, 320 West Fifty-fifth street, } Sureties.
Walter Stevenson, 111 Second avenue, }
- February 9—For furnishing 100 boxes best charcoal terne roofing tin, and 3 dozen sash tools, for use of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.
B. L. Herrick, 148 West Thirty-fourth street, Principal.
W. J. De Rivera, 52 West Thirty-fifth street, } Sureties.
Edward F. Ross, 218 West Thirty-fourth street, }
- February 13—For furnishing 20,000 yards bandage muslin, 10,000 yards ticking, 5,000 yards bleached muslin, and 6,000 yards brown denims, for use of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.
Charles H. Webb, 338 Broadway, Principal.
A. P. Pettis, 338 Broadway, } Sureties.
James H. Dunham, 37 East Thirty-sixth street, }
- February 14—For furnishing 1,350 tons 48-inch water-pipe, and 50 tons branches and castings, for use of the Department of Public Works.
The Warren Foundry and Machine Company, Phillipsburgh, N. J., Principal.
George A. Crocker, 6 East Twelfth street, } Sureties.
Joseph Richardson, 110 East Houston street, }
- February 14—For laying Croton water-mains in Tenth avenue, Eighty-fifth street and Central Park, from Ninety-third street to Aqueduct in Central Park.
John B. Healy, 246 East One Hundred and Fifth street, Principal.
Matthew Baird, 306 East Fifty-seventh street, } Sureties.
Michael Duff, 2416 First avenue, }

Return of Proposals.

- February 9—Proposal of John Brady, 288 South Second street, Brooklyn, for building sewer in Fifth avenue, east side, between Fifty-fifth and Fifty-ninth streets, returned to the Department of Public Works, the Comptroller not being satisfied of the adequacy and sufficiency of Joseph A. Hyatt, 12 Old slip, and Thomas W. Davis, 229 Broadway, the original sureties.

The Comptroller's Reasons, Approving the Removal of the Farmers' Market Wagons from the streets in the lower part of the city to the new Market Stand at Gansevoort street, were presented to the Committees of the parties interested, as follows:

FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, }
NEW YORK, February 11, 1880. }

The following resolution, passed by the Common Council August 8, 1878, contains the authority for the removal of the market wagons from the public streets.

"Resolved, That the block of ground bounded by Gansevoort, Little West Twelfth, Washington and West streets, known as part of the 'Fort Gansevoort property,' be and is hereby designated as a stand for farmers' wagons, for the sale of garden produce, subject to the same ordinances, rules and regulations as apply to the other places now used for like purposes, and the Comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to carry into effect the provisions of this resolution."

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, August 6, 1878.

Approved by the Mayor, August 8, 1878.

To carry out this resolution of the Common Council, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment made an appropriation of \$25,000 in the Final Estimate for 1879, for the expense of grading, paving, etc., the Fort Gansevoort property, and otherwise preparing it as a stand to accommodate farmers' wagons, for the sale of vegetables and other farm products.

The work of paving, etc., was executed by the Department of Public Works, and, on the 15th of December last, the stand for farmers' market wagons, was formally opened for public use. The market gardeners and farmers were duly notified, by the Superintendent of Markets, that the stand thus provided for their accommodation, on ground belonging to the corporation, was then ready for occupation, and also that they would be required to occupy it after that date, instead of standing in the streets in the lower part of the city.

It will be seen from this brief reference to the official action of the city authorities that the removal of the market wagons from the old street stands to the Gansevoort market stand, was not an arbitrary act of the Comptroller, but simply the performance of a duty imposed on him by a resolution of the Common Council, in virtue of the authority of the Municipal Ordinances, placing the public markets under his charge and management.

This measure especially affects private interests in the vicinity of Washington Market. Many persons favor the removal of the wagon stands from the streets to a special stand on property belonging to the corporation, in a good locality further up town, nearer the bulk of resident population, and clear of the throng of commerce, while others, more particularly interested in established business connected with the markets, strongly oppose it.

To form a just conclusion in this matter, I have attentively heard statements and arguments for and against this measure, and given it the careful consideration its importance demands. Not only private interests, however, are concerned, vital public interests are also involved in it, and while solicitous to judge fairly and act justly, so far as in my power, to all parties, my paramount duty as a public officer is to consider and regard the rights and interests of the community at large.

Having, therefore, bestowed due attention to the subject, I will state my conclusions.

I find that, with regard to private interests, there is much conflict and antagonism, and that there exists great diversity of opinion generally as to the effect and consequences of this measure, as well as of its necessity.

It has been represented that many persons in business in some localities will suffer a loss of custom they have enjoyed, contributed by and drawn to them by the farmers' wagons. It may be admitted that the removal of the market wagons from one location to another, will divert custom from business of some kinds established in the vicinity of Washington Market, and in the streets which these wagons have occupied as stands.

But it should be borne in mind that, in the rapid progress of this great city, trade and commerce are constantly extending their boundaries, and requiring new quarters and ampler accommodations. No class of dealers is exempt from these inevitable changes in the location of business, and all must submit and yield their own private and individual interests to the necessity of public exigency; they must adapt themselves to the changes accordingly.

The occupation of the public streets in the vicinity of Washington and other markets by farmers' wagons is coeval with the establishments of markets. Formerly it was sanctioned as a public convenience and necessity. By an old ordinance of the Common Council, the limit of the stands for market wagons in the streets was fixed at 300 yards distance from the markets.

While the commerce of this city was comparatively in its infancy, and mainly conducted on the East river side, and below Washington Market, on the North river side, the occupation of the streets by the market wagons was not regarded as a serious obstruction and inconvenience. They did not interfere materially with traffic in the carriageways, nor with passengers on the sidewalks.

But for a number of years past the market wagons have seriously impeded travel in the streets near the North river, in the lower part of the city. Various causes have contributed to produce this effect. There has been a vast increase of foreign and domestic business concentrated in that section, by the introduction of sea-going steamships and steamboats for river and coastwise navigation, in the place of sailing vessels, and the establishment on the piers and docks of freight depots and warehouses by the great through lines of railroads.

With the immense increase of population of the city, and the necessity for greater supplies of vegetables and farm products, the number of farmers' and gardeners' market wagons have also multiplied proportionately, until from a few score of wagons occupying stands in the streets twenty-five or thirty years ago, there are now frequently more than one thousand in a day, extending far beyond the limits prescribed by the ordinance, and frequently reaching far above Canal street, encumbering the main thoroughfares and side streets through the night and early in the morning.

This immense area embraces nearly all that portion of the city fronting on the North river, where the river steamboats and coastwise steamships have established their piers and docks, and the railroads their freight depots.

The shipping and delivering of goods to carry on the vast internal and external trade and commerce of this city through these agencies require the utmost despatch possible. But it frequently happens that during our busiest seasons the main streets and thoroughfares, for the carriage of merchandise to and from the docks, are blocked for hours, in consequence of the vast throng of market wagons occupying stands in the streets, and grocers' wagons which come from all parts of the city to get their supplies of vegetables, etc., from the wagons.

There are times, indeed, when the trucks, wagons and carts loaded with goods, and street cars and carriages filled with passengers anxious and impatient to reach their destination are thrown into a jam in the great thoroughfares on the North river, causing almost inextricable confusion and delay for several hours. The inconvenience and loss to merchants and shippers, and to the public at large on this account are incalculable.

These are obvious and notorious consequences of the occupation of the streets by the market wagons. They have long been the subject of loud public complaint. They are facts which cannot be ignored by the city authorities. The evil, too, is not only one of great magnitude at the present time, but it is constantly increasing and becoming more aggravated with the increase of trade and commerce and of population. The public interests, therefore, imperatively demand relief, and it cannot be longer postponed without inflicting irreparable injury to the future prosperity and aggrandizement of this great city.

The public streets are designed for the public convenience and benefit, and any encroachment on them which impedes a free passage of passengers and vehicles through them, to serve private and special interests, is unlawful, and it is the duty of the city authorities to remove the cause when in their power.

It was these facts and considerations that impelled them to adopt the only course by which the occupation of the streets as stands for market wagons, attended with such great public inconvenience and injury, could be remedied.

The Common Council, therefore, established a Farmers' Market on city property, as a common stand for wagons and the sale of garden produce, for general public convenience and benefit. My duty is only that of an executive officer, to see that the law is complied with and the purpose accomplished.

The removal of the wagons from the streets to the new market stand has been ordered by me for these reasons. I cannot, if I would, do otherwise. I have been asked to permit some of the market wagons to return to the vicinity of Washington Market, and again occupy the streets as stands. To do that by any order or act of mine would be an assumption of power which I think I do not possess, and if I could exercise it now, I feel sure that the consequences would be very detrimental to the true interests of the city.

To say nothing further of the injurious effect upon the public interests from a blockade of the streets and interrupting travel and the transportation of goods, through their occupation as stands for market wagons, I shall refer only to another public interest of great importance for consideration in this connection.

I refer to the fact that much valuable property is constantly in danger from the risk of destruction by fire. According to the evidence of one of the Commissioners of the Fire Department, a few days ago, before the Assembly Committee on Cities, the market wagons sometimes obstruct the passage and prompt movements of the fire engines and hook and ladder companies when fires occur in the part of the city they occupy with stands, and that the hazard of immense loss from this cause is serious and imminent.

Referring again to private interests, it has been stated that the removal of the market wagons will not only injure the custom and business of some persons in the vicinity of Washington Market, but that the value of property generally will be depreciated in that section.

While this may possibly be true to a limited extent, it is also said by those who are competent to judge, that business of various kinds requires all the property in that locality, and that no serious or permanent loss in values and rentals will ensue.

General commercial prosperity will soon increase demand and enhance values of property that may be temporarily affected in a section of the city so convenient to steamships and the great lines of domestic and foreign transportation, by the introduction of business which has been hitherto entirely excluded.

I understand that the unanimous opinion of the market gardeners who have occupied the new stand, is expressed in favor of the change of location and character of the accommodation they now enjoy. The only opposition from market gardeners of which I have heard comes from those who live in Kings County, situated south and east of the city of Brooklyn. They complain of the inconvenience to them of driving through the city from the lower ferries to the market stand at Gansevoort street. This inconvenience is the same that was formerly experienced by the gardeners and farmers of Queens County, who crossed at the upper ferries and had to drive to the lower part of the city. As already stated, they are unanimous in their approval of the change. The reasons in its favor are many. The concentration of the market wagons in one locality affords great facilities to the market gardeners and farmers for making sales of their produce promptly, and to the grocers in making their purchases quickly and conveniently. The gardeners can dispose of all their produce to advantage, without being obliged to close out at a sacrifice to middlemen and peddlers, as they were often obliged to do when required to leave their stands in the streets at fixed hours.

The objection of the gardeners from Kings County, of driving a longer distance, is more than compensated by the advantage of being able to get an eligible stand without the necessity of coming to the city in the afternoon or early in the morning before market days, as formerly, to get a good stand in the streets.

These and other considerations which it is not necessary to refer to here, present insuperable reasons, in my judgment, why farmers' wagons for the sale of garden produce should not be allowed to occupy stands again in the streets of the lower part of the city.

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

Official Designation.

February 13. Designation of Richard A. Storrs, Deputy Comptroller, to act as Comptroller from February 13 to February 21, both days inclusive, in pursuance of section 32 of the Charter.

RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Counsel to the Corporation for the week ending February 14, 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.

George Hall—Salary, as Aldermen, for November, 1879, \$333.33.

Henry C. Perley—Summons only served and motion for \$666.66.

In re petition Frank A. Allen to vacate assessment for underground drains between Seventy-fourth and Ninety-second streets, and between Eighth and Tenth avenues.

In re petition Lizzie B. Allen to vacate assessment for underground drains between Seventy-fourth and Ninety-second streets and Eighth and Tenth avenues.

George Hall—Salary as Alderman for December, 1879, \$333.33.

Louisa Sinne, as administratrix, etc.—Damages for death of plaintiff's husband, falling off terminus of Avenue A (Eastern Boulevard), between Fifty-third and Fifty-fourth streets, night of November 13, 1878, \$5,000.

In re petition Oliver P. Hubbard to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, curbing, gutter and flagging of One Hundred and Eighth street, from Fifth avenue to East river.

In re petition James R. Jessup to vacate assessment for Ninety-second and One Hundred and Sixth streets underground drains, etc.

In re petition James R. Jessup to vacate an assessment for sewer in Third avenue, between Ninety-third and One Hundred and Seventh streets.

In re petition Robert Irwin to vacate assessment for regulating and grading, curbing, guttering and flagging and superstructure of Avenue A, (Eastern Boulevard), from Fifty-eighth to Eighty-sixth streets.

In the matter of the petition of the House of the Good Shephard of the City of New York, for an award made to unknown owners in matter of opening Eighty-ninth street, from Fifth avenue to East river—award and damages No. 26, made May 25, 1870, \$757.

In re petition Josiah H. Gautier to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, and superstructure of Boulevard, between Fifty-ninth and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth streets.

In re petition David Jones to vacate an assessment for Broadway sewer, between Thirty-second and Fifty-ninth streets.

In re petition Lambert Quackenbush to vacate assessment for Ninety-second and One Hundred and Sixth streets underground drains.

In re petition Isidore and Simon Wormser to vacate assessment for underground drains between Ninety-sixth and One Hundred and Eleventh streets, and between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

Bernard M. Cowperthwaite, et al., vs. Joseph Blumenthal, Superintendent of Incumbrances, and Allan Campbell, Commissioner of Public Works—To restrain defendants from tearing down, etc., canvas erected at 155 and 157 Chatham street.

In re petition of Newbold Lawrence to vacate assessment for underground drains between Seventy-third and Eighty-first streets, and between First and Fifth avenues.

Terence Kiernan—Salary as Alderman for December, 1879, \$333.33.

John McCool—To recover back amount of taxes for 1872, alleged to have been twice paid on premises Ward No. 43, Block 445, Nineteenth Ward, paid June 5 and 6, 1873, \$145.08.

In re petition Robert McCafferty to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, curb, gutter, and flagging Eastern Boulevard, Ninety-sixth street, from Second to Fifth avenues.

In re petition Robert McCafferty to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, etc., Eastern Boulevard, One Hundred and Sixteenth street, from Avenue A to Sixth avenue.

In re petition Robert McCafferty to vacate assessment for One Hundred and Forty-seventh street outlet sewer, from St. Nicholas avenue to Harlem river.

In re petition Douglas Robinson to vacate assessment for underground drains One Hundred and Seventy-third to One Hundred and Eighty-third streets, between Kingsbridge road and Harlem river.

In re petition Melville C. Smith to vacate an assessment for underground drains between Ninety-sixth and One Hundred and Eleventh streets, and between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Ann Littlewood, administratrix, etc.—Damages for death of Patrick Littlewood, falling off cart in Water street, near Burling slip, October 17, 1878; \$5,000.

Samuel S. Smith vs. Robert Nixon and John J. Taylor—Damages for alleged false arrest; \$10,000.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Sophia Bronner vs. The Mayor, etc., New York, and Frederick Killian and Theodore Killian—To restrain sale of plaintiff's premises, 342 West Fifty-fifth street, for assessments for Broadway widening and Riverside Park opening, etc., etc.

MARINE COURT.

Lucy Ridge vs. James Nealis—Damages for alleged assault and battery; \$2,000.

SCHEDULE "B."

JUDGMENTS ENTERED AND ORDERS OF THE GENERAL AND SPECIAL TERMS.

George Hall—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$355.56.

Thomas Carroll—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$356.06, by consent.

Terence Kiernan—do do do do

Joseph P. Strack—do do do do

Bernard Kenny—do do do do

John Witherill—Order entered to discontinue action.

In re Henry M. Bradhurst—Order entered to vacate sale.

In re Thomas H. Walter, improvement of Manhattan street—General Term order entered.

In re Nancy Gray to vacate assessment for Ninety-second and One Hundred and Sixth street underground drains—Order to vacate assessment entered.

In re Seligman Adler to vacate assessment for Ninety-second and One Hundred and Sixth street underground drains—Order to vacate assessment entered.

In re Mary McGray et al., to vacate assessment for Ninety-second and One Hundred and Sixth street underground drains—Order to vacate assessment entered.

In re John Simon to vacate assessment for Ninety-second and One Hundred and Sixth street underground drains—Order to vacate assessment entered.

In re John Matthews, executor, to vacate assessment for Ninety-second and One Hundred and Sixth street underground drains—Order to vacate assessment entered.

In re Patrick Cassidy—Regulating and curbing One Hundred and Eighth street; order to vacate assessment entered.

John McEncroe, Jr.—Order entered discontinuing action without costs and dissolving injunction.

People ex rel. Henry T. Hart vs. The Board of Commissioners of the Fire Department—General Term order of affirmance with \$10 cost and disbursement entered.

In re James R. Jessup to vacate assessment for Ninety-second and One Hundred and Sixth street underground drains—Order to vacate assessment granted.

Matter of opening Eighty-second street—Order entered taxing costs at \$720.20.

People ex rel. Sidney P. Nichols vs. Edward Cooper, Mayor, etc.—Order reversing judgment of removal of relator entered.

L. N. Crow—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$154.99, by consent.

Alfred West—Judgment entered in favor of the city dismissing complaint and for \$121.69, costs, etc.

In re Caroline Clausen—Judgment entered in favor of petitioner for \$62.69, costs, etc.

In the matter of the petition of the House of the Good Shepherd (for an award, etc.)—Order entered that Comptroller pay award into court and appointing referee to ascertain title.

In re Terence Farley—Order to vacate assessment entered.

SCHEDULE "C."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED OR ARGUED.

People ex rel. Isaac Evans, vs. the Board of Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks—Writ of certiorari and return submitted to Van Vorst, J., at Special Term; decision reserved.

People ex rel. George H. Harrison, vs. the Board of Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks—Writ of certiorari and return submitted to Van Vorst, J., at Special Term; decision reserved.

People ex rel. William C. Beames, vs. the Board of Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks—Writ of certiorari and return submitted to Van Vorst, J., at Special Term; decision reserved.

People ex rel. Joseph F. Belton, vs. the Board of Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks—Writ of certiorari and return submitted to Van Vorst, J., at Special Term; decision reserved.

People ex rel. Henry Koster, vs. the Board of Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks—Writ of certiorari and return submitted to Van Vorst, J., at Special Term; decision reserved.

In the matter of opening of Eighty-second street—Motion made before Lawrence, J., to tax costs; motion granted; same taxed at \$720.20; and motion to confirm report made and granted John L. Brown.

John Witherill—Examined before trial.

Victoire Sevestre—Tried before Spier, J., and jury; verdict for plaintiff for \$2,000.

James Murray—Tried before Spier, J., and jury; verdict directed for plaintiff for full amount.

In re Solomon Strouskey to vacate assessment for Fortieth street paving, etc.—Motions to vacate assessments submitted to Lawrence, J., at Chambers.

In re petition Chas. Seely to vacate assessment for Fortieth street paving, etc.—Motions to vacate assessment submitted to Lawrence, J., at Chambers.

In re Hieronymus Berenich to vacate assessment for Fortieth street paving, etc.—Motions to vacate assessment submitted to Lawrence, J., at Chambers.

In re James R. Jessup, Ninety-second and One Hundred and Sixth street underground drains—Motions to vacate assessment submitted to Lawrence, J., at Chambers.

Bronx River Road—Motion to confirm report made before Lawrence, J.; Court took the papers.

Robert Pallett—Motion to set aside levy of the marshal, argued before Blatchford, J.; granted, filed, bond \$12,000.

Patrick Keefe Horgan—Reference proceeded.

John Nugent—Motion for mandamus submitted to Lawrence, J.; decision reserved.

WILLIAM C. WHITNEY, Counsel to the Corporation.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 12th day of February, 1880.
Present—Commissioners French, Wheeler, and Nichols.
On motion of Commissioner Nichols, it was
Resolved, That the following order be entered in the minutes.

At a Special Term of the Supreme Court, held at the Court-house in the City of New York, on the 11th day of February, 1880.

Present—The Hon. A. R. Lawrence, Justice.
The People of the State of New York on the relation
of Sidney P. Nichols,
against

Edward Cooper, the Mayor of the City of New York.

The People of the State of New York having sent to Edward Cooper, Mayor of the City of New York, their writ of certiorari, requiring said Edward Cooper to certify to this court his proceedings for the removal of Sidney P. Nichols as Police Commissioner of the City of New York; and the said Edward Cooper having made return thereto, and said writ and said return having been filed in this court on the 15th day of September, 1879;

Now, on reading said writ and return, and after hearing John D. Townsend, Esq., of counsel for the said Sidney P. Nichols, and F. N. Bangs, Esq., of Counsel for the said Edward Cooper, and due deliberation having been had, on motion of Townsend & Weed, attorneys for the said Sidney P. Nichols,

It is ordered, adjudged, and decreed that the proceedings of the said Edward Cooper, as Mayor of the City of New York, for the removal of Sidney P. Nichols, as Police Commissioner of the City of New York, and his judgment of removal, be and hereby are reversed, and in all things held for naught.

(A copy.)

WM. A. BUTLER, Clerk.

Resolved, That Stephen B. French be chosen and elected President of the Board of Police for the year 1880, in place and stead of the member heretofore chosen and elected—all voting aye:

Leaves of Absence Granted under Rule 564—Approved.

January 31. Patrolman Theo. Goodenough, Nineteenth Precinct, half day.
31. Roundsman John Flanagan, Eleventh Precinct, two and a half days.

February 2. Patrolman Peter O'Neil, Eighth Precinct, three days.
2. " Patrick Walton, Seventeenth Precinct, two days.
2. " Peter Leniston, Fifteenth Precinct, one and a half days.
2. " Patrick Scallon, Fourth Precinct, half day.
3. " Frank Murphy, Fourth Precinct, three days.
3. " James Regan, Seventh Precinct, three days.
3. " Charles T. Schroff, Eighteenth Precinct, three days.
4. " John C. Gilligan, Twenty-fifth Precinct, half day.
5. " Moses McCarthy, Thirty-fifth Precinct, one and a half days.
6. " Thomas Kavanagh, Ninth Precinct, three days.
6. " Martin Day, First Precinct, one day.
7. " Otto Weinkauff, Fourth Precinct, half day.
8. " Edward Gillespie, Twenty-ninth Precinct, half day.
9. " Charles E. Homan, Twenty-fifth Precinct, half day.
9. " Michael Harn, Tenth Precinct, one and a half days.
9. " William Collins, Eighth Precinct, three days.

Parades Approved.

Greenwich Lodge, F. & A. M., February 9. Funeral.
Knights of St. Venceslaus, February 10. Funeral.
Ancient Order Hibernians, No. 9, February 12. Funeral.

Masked Balls Allowed.

Arion Quartette Club, at Germania Rooms, February 16.
New York Saengerunde, at Germania Rooms, February 23.
Wlozlwaker Lodge, I. O. S. B., at Germania Rooms, February 26.
Concorde Society, at Germania Rooms, February 21.
Bunk Ammer Guard, at Germania Rooms, March 18.
Meyers' Dancing Academy, at Teutonia Rooms, February 9.
Harlem Mannerchor, at Sulzer's Rooms, February 23.
Union Frauen K. U. V., at Wendel's Rooms, February 10.
Union Quartette Club, at Jefferson Hall, February 9.
Society B'Nai Ephraim, at Walhalla Hall, February 26.
Hoebel's Dancing Academy, at Walhalla Hall, March 4.

Masked Balls Denied.

Opera Club, at Madison Square Garden.
Report of Isaac L. Moe relative to advance in prices of cloth, was referred to the Committee on Repairs and Supplies.

Reports Ordered on File.

Captain Hooker, Nineteenth Sub-Precinct, relative to officer absent with leave.
Superintendent, relative to enforcement of Excise Law.
Superintendent, pursuant to Rule 435 (arrests by Detective Squad).
Report of the Superintendent, relative to the character of No. 104 Bowery, was ordered to be forwarded to his Honor the Mayor.

Deaths Reported.

Patrolman Richard Geary, Second Court, at 7 A. M., 8th inst.
" James Adams, Special Service Squad, at 1 A. M., 7th inst.
" James F. Hines, Fourteenth Precinct, 7:30 A. M., 8th inst.

Weekly statement of the Comptroller, showing condition of the several accounts of the Police Department, was referred to the Treasurer.

Application of Patrolman James Nealis, Fourteenth Precinct, for leave to put in testimony as to one of the specifications of the charge tried on the 4th February, was referred to the Committee on Rules and Discipline.

Application of Patrolman Richard Cahill, Twenty-first Precinct, for full pay while sick, was referred to the Committee on Rules and Discipline.

Application of Patrolman Joseph Irving, Fifteenth Precinct, for full pay while sick, was referred to the Superintendent for report to the Committee on Rules and Discipline.

Application of Francis Sacchi, for return of certain papers, was granted.

Application of G. Waltzinger, for permission to present a gold medal to Roundsman John Delany, Twenty-first Precinct, was referred to the Committee on Rules and Discipline.

Application of G. Waltzinger, for promotion of Roundsman John Delany, Twenty-first Precinct, was ordered on file.

Application of James Gordon Bennett, for appointment of John S. Knight, one of the employees of the "Herald," as Special Officer, was referred to the Chief Clerk to answer.

Application of Captain Leary, Thirtieth Precinct, for detail of Patrolman John Kelly to special duty, was denied.

Application of Messrs. Howe & Hummell, for certified copy of dismissal of Patrolman John Nugent, was granted.

Application of Patrolman Michael Gilfeather, First Precinct, for leave to employ counsel in the trial of charges against him, was granted.

Communication from the Committee on Cities of the Assembly, giving notice of a meeting for the consideration of Street Cleaning Bills, was ordered on file.

Communication from the Assembly, State New York, being a resolution asking information as to transactions of the Society for the Prevention of Crime, was referred to the Chief Clerk to furnish such information as he may possess.

Communication from John D. Keiley, relative to a missing person, was referred to the Superintendent.

Communication from his Honor the Mayor, asking ten copies of the Election Law pamphlet, was referred to the Chief Clerk to furnish.

Communication from his Honor the Mayor, asking information as to character of Automatic Museum, Nos. 1, 3, 5, and 7 Bowery, was referred to the Superintendent.

Communication from F. V. Morrison, proposing to furnish the Department with telegraph poles, was referred to the Committee on Repairs and Supplies.

Communication from Frank Driscoll, asking reply to letter of January 6, was referred to the Chief Clerk to answer.

Communication from Patrolman Thomas F. Corballis, Twenty-second Precinct, tendering his resignation, was ordered on file.

Communication from Lavinia Lowe, relative to her application for pension, was referred to the Committee on Pensions.

Communication from Dr. A. Werdenbach, Kansas, asking information relative to Dennis McCauley, was referred to the Superintendent.

Communication from Charles W. Klebusch, complaining of disorderly boys at Avenue B and Sixteenth street, was referred to the Superintendent.

Communication from M. Gerin and others, complaining of annoyance from disorderly persons in Pell street, was referred to the Superintendent.

Communication from John F. Baugh, Dublin, Va., relative to brokers in Exchange place, was referred to the Superintendent.

Resolved, That the Treasurer be authorized to procure the renewal of the license of Anton Adler as Pilot, and pay the fee therefor.

Resolved, That Frank Mangin be and is hereby appointed Messenger, with compensation of \$800 per annum.

Resolved, That the sum of \$14.79, balance of salary due to Patrolman John Mohr, Seventh Precinct, for month of December, 1879, be and is hereby ordered to be paid by the Treasurer.

Resolved, That the Property Clerk be directed to return to Techerman & Rau the property claimed by them, on proof of ownership.

On reading report of the Superintendent, it was

Resolved, That Patrolman Thomas Gray, Fourteenth Precinct, be transferred to the S. S. Squad, for duty with Litchenstein Bro. & Co., for the month of February, 1880.

Resolved, That the bill of Joseph H. Godwin, \$425, for rent of Thirty-fifth Precinct Station-house and stable, for the quarter ending February 1, be referred to the Comptroller for payment.

Resolved, That the application of James Gordon Bennett for the loan of five hundred ballot-boxes, for the reception of contributions to the Irish Famine Fund, be granted; that the Superintendent be directed to furnish the same and take a receipt therefor.

N. Y. MARINE COURT.

Lucy Ridge
against
James Nealis, Fourteenth Precinct, } Summons and complaint.

N. Y. SUPERIOR COURT.

Samuel S. Smith
against
Robert Nixon, Sixteenth Precinct;
John J. Taylor, Sixteenth Precinct. } Summons and complaint.

Resolved, That the papers in the above cases be referred to the Counsel to the Corporation for defense, if there are good grounds therefor.

Resolved, That Patrolman William J. Ryder, Eighth Precinct, be and he is hereby transferred to the Sixteenth Precinct, and detailed on Violation Corporation Ordinances.

Appointments as Patrolmen.

Hamilton Mickle, ——— Precinct.
Richard J. Mullen, Fifth Precinct.
Patrick Morgan, Twenty-first Precinct.
William F. Hinds, Detective Squad.
Daniel J. Hogan, Fourteenth Precinct.

On recommendation of the Committee on Repairs and Supplies, it was

Resolved, That the following bills be and are hereby ordered to be paid by the Treasurer—all voting aye:

Mary A. Baker, meals.....	\$355 00	James D. Leary, coal.....	\$30 00
H. & C. Clark, lumber.....	9 74	" " " ".....	11 85
Thomas J. Cox, expenses.....	2 20	" " " ".....	47 40
Thomas J. Cox, Jr., expenses.....	2 17	" " " ".....	39 50
F. W. Devoe & Co., oil, etc.....	11 05	William J. Majory, wagon repairs...	3 00
John Doran, newspapers.....	5 12	" " " " wagon tires.....	10 00
" " " ".....	4 86	John Mangin, repairing telegraph	
Thomas J. Gallon, horseshoeing.....	38 63	poles.....	19 54
E. P. Gleason Manuf. Co., gas fixtures	23 52	Hugh Nesbitt, painting.....	3 50
" " " ".....	5 80	Pearce & Jones, supplies.....	23 15
" " " ".....	2 25	William Zeuker, horse collar.....	4 50
W. H. Hasbrouck & Co., printing,		C. D. Cunningham, keeping horse...	25 00
etc.....	492 17		
Howe Bros., horseshoeing.....	40 00		
William Hughes, repairs heater.....	25 00		
			\$1,234 95

Judgment—Dismissal.

Patrolman Thomas F. Corballis, Twenty-second Precinct.

Street Cleaning.

Communication from F. Roselli, submitting claim against J. D. Tracy, who has a contract with the Street Cleaning Bureau, was referred to the Committee on Street Cleaning.

The following applications for removal of ashes, were referred to the Committee on Street Cleaning:

Peter Farley, 425 West Fiftieth street.

Lee, Tweedy & Co., 261 Canal street.

Communication from S. N. Frost, complaining of dumping of material by carts of Street Cleaning Bureau off Piers 27 and 28 East river, was referred to the Committee on Street Cleaning.

Communication from the Department of Charities and Correction, asking for a quantity of street manure, was referred to the Committee on Street Cleaning.

Resolved, That the bill for rent of Eighteenth Ward Market, \$250 for month of January, 1880, be referred to the Treasurer for payment.

Resolved, That the pay-roll containing the name of Charles Lynes, Watchman; amounting to \$36, for the month of January, 1880, be and is hereby ordered to be paid by the Treasurer—all voting aye.

Resolved, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Comptroller for the sum of \$3,155.28, to pay expenses incurred in removing ice and snow during the month of January, 1880.

Adjourned.

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

SECOND MEETING.

FEBRUARY 12, 1880.

Present—Messrs. French (President), Wheeler and Nichols, Commissioners.

Resolved, That Alexander Smyth be appointed Foreman in the Street Cleaning Bureau, in place of George W. Bigelow, hereby removed.

Adjourned.

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

The Board of Police met on the 13th day of February, 1880.

Present—Messrs. French (President), Wheeler and Nichols, Commissioners.

Resolved, That the return to the writ of certiorari in case of Thomas Horan, be verified by the signatures of the President and First Deputy Clerk, and transmitted to the Counsel to the Corporation.

Adjourned.

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Abstract of Proceedings for the week ending with Saturday, 14th inst.

No meeting held.
Pay-rolls amounting to..... \$10,364 12
—were approved and sent to the Finance Department for payment.
Cash amounting to..... \$247 68
—was deposited with the City Chamberlain.

E. P. BARKER, Secretary.

APPROVED PAPERS.

Whereas, It is known that artists have been permitted to make copies from some of the original paintings in the Governor's room in the City Hall, without the knowledge or consent of the Common Council, and that in the process of copying, one at least, of the paintings has been injured; be it therefore

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby directed to prevent any person from taking copies from any of the paintings owned by the city, in the City Hall, or any other of the public buildings, unless specially authorized to do so by resolution of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 13, 1880.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, January 27, 1880, with his objections thereto.

In Board of Aldermen, February 10, 1880, taken up and considered, as provided in section 13, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, two-thirds of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

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 February 14, 1880.

Barometer.

DATE.	FEBRUARY.	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,	8	30.436	30.462	30.306	30.299	30.090	30.078	30.279	30.476	30.488	29.998	29.989
Monday,	9	29.894	29.887	30.150	30.157	30.342	30.374	30.139	30.364	30.407	29.884	29.877
Tuesday,	10	30.350	30.406	30.116	30.112	30.016	30.012	30.173	30.364	30.407	30.012	29.997
Wednesday,	11	30.242	30.241	30.304	30.264	30.226	30.200	30.235	30.304	30.297	30.052	30.048
Thursday,	12	29.850	29.800	29.764	29.701	29.774	29.708	29.736	30.124	30.098	29.764	29.698
Friday,	13	29.602	29.550	29.538	29.479	29.520	29.461	29.496	29.774	29.711	29.460	29.408
Saturday,	14	29.558	29.501	29.826	29.787	29.960	29.937	29.742	29.968	29.948	29.420	29.368

Mean for the week..... 29.971 inches.
Maximum " at 10 A. M., February 8..... 30.488 "
Minimum " at 1 A. M., February 14..... 29.368 "
Range " 1.120 "

Thermometers.

DATE.	FEBRUARY.	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,	8	19	19	31	26	33	29	27.7	4 P. M.	31	5 P. M.	19	7 A. M.
Monday,	9	31	28	26	23	17	16	24.6	2 P. M.	35	8 A. M.	13	12 P. M.
Tuesday,	10	8	8	30	25	30	28	22.6	7 P. M.	31	7 P. M.	8	7 A. M.
Wednesday,	11	29	27	43	36	38	34	36.7	3 P. M.	36	3 P. M.	28	5 A. M.
Thursday,	12	47	43	52	48	53	49	50.6	5 P. M.	49	5 P. M.	38	0 A. M.
Friday,	13	48	46	51	48	51	48	50.0	5 P. M.	51	5 P. M.	47	9 A. M.
Saturday,	14	50	46	43	36	37	35	43.3	9 A. M.	46	9 A. M.	36	12 P. M.

Mean for the week..... 36.5 degrees.
Maximum for the week, at 5 P. M., 13th..... 58. " at 5 P. M., 13th..... 51. "
Minimum " at 7 A. M., 10th..... 8. " at 7 A. M., 10th..... 8. "
Range " 50 " 43.

Wind.

DATE.	FEBRUARY.	DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.			Distance for the Day.	FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT				
		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.	Max.	Time
Sunday,	8....	NNW	SW	SW	72	34	58	164	0	¼	¾	3¼	8 P. M.
Monday,	9....	W	NNW	N	112	103	72	287	1¼	1	1	11¼	10.50 A. M.
Tuesday,	10....	NNE	ESE	NW	36	25	53	114	¼	0	½	1¼	6.50 P. M.
Wednesday,	11....	WNW	SE	SSE	40	12	35	87	0	½	0	1	2.30 P. M.
Thursday,	12....	SW	WSW	WSW	54	73	56	193	¾	1¼	1½	3	1.30 P. M.
Friday,	13....	E	NE	NE	51	9	9	69	¾	0	0	1	1.30 A. M.
Saturday,	14....	WNW	NNW	N	45	97	49	191	½	2¾	0	9½	8 A. M.

Distance traveled during the week..... 1,105 miles.
Maximum force " " 11¼ pounds.

DATE.	FEBRUARY.	Hygrometer.			Clouds.			Rain and Snow.				
		FORCE OF VAPOR.			RELATIVE HUMIDITY.			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.	CLEAR, O. OVERCAST, IO.				
		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Time of Beginning.				
Sunday,	8	.103	.083	.114	100	48	61	0	0	0	.....	.....
Monday,	9	.119	.089	.078	68	63	83	5 Cu.	0	0	.....	.....
Tuesday,	10	.062	.078	.130	100	47	78	8 Cu.	9 Cu. S.	6 Cu.	.....	.....
Wednesday,	11	.124	.121	.144	78	43	63	2 Cir.	4 Cir.	10	.....	.....
Thursday,	12	.225	.282	.295	70	73	73	10	Fog.	10	4 A. M.	7.30 P. M.
Friday,	13	.284	.296	.296	85	79	79	10	Fog.	10	1.30 A. M.	12 M.
Saturday,	14	.258	.121	.178	72	43	81	0	3 Cir. Cu.	10	6.30 P. M.	5.30 P. M.

Total amount of water for the week..... .84 inch.

DANIEL DRAPER, Director.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.

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

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

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

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 EYELERS, 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 Sewers.

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

Bureau of Chief Engineer.

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

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 Assessments.

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

Bureau of City Revenue.

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

Bureau of Markets.

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

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

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

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

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.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

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

Office of the Public Administrator.

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

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

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

Attorney to Department of Buildings' Office.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Seth C. Hawley, President;
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. 153, 155, and 157 Mercer street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
VINCENT C. KING, President; CARL JUSSSEN, Secretary.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

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

Civil and Topographical Office.

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS

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

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

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

BOARD OF EXCISE.

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

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

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

COMMISSIONER FOR THE COMPLETION OF THE NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE.

No. 28 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
WYLLIS BLACKSTONE, President; ISAAC EVANS, Secretary.

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.

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

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

CORONERS' OFFICE.

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

RAPID TRANSIT COMMISSIONERS.

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

SUPREME COURT.

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

SUPERIOR COURT.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.
General Term, Room No. 29.
Special Term, Room No. 33.
Chambers, Room No. 33.
Part I., Room No. 34.
Part II., Room No. 35.
Part III., Room No. 36.
Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 30.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 32.
Clerk's Office, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., Room No. 31.
WILLIAM E. CURTIS, Chief Judge; THOMAS BOESE, Chief Clerk.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.
Clerk's Office, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., Room No. 22.
General Term, Room No. 24.
Special Term, Room No. 21.
Chambers, Room No. 21.
Part I., Room No. 25.
Part II., Room No. 26.
Part III., Room No. 27.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23.
CHARLES P. DALY, Chief Justice; NATHANIEL JARVIS, Chief Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
36 UNION SQUARE,
February 19, 1880.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A MAP OR plan for laying out the streets, roads, and avenues, public parks or places in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, known as the "Woodlawn District," will be on exhibition at the office of the Topographical Engineer of the Department of Public Parks, at the Arsenal building in the Central Park, for two weeks, from and after this date, for the purpose of allowing persons interested to examine the same and file their objections before it is finally acted upon and adopted by the Department of Public Parks.

By order of the Department of Public Parks.
E. P. BARKER,
Secretary.

JURORS.

NOTICE

IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, June 7, 1879.

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

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

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

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

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

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

RAPID TRANSIT COMMISSION.

COMMISSIONERS OF RAPID TRANSIT,
OFFICE, 54 EXCHANGE PLACE,
NEW YORK, Feb. 16, 1880.

THE COMMISSIONERS APPOINTED BY THE Mayor, on the 30th day of August, 1879, hereby give public notice that the further submission of plans for the construction and operation of railways, on the routes by them determined, will be received until the 19th inst., and that they will meet at this office on the 24th inst., and decide upon the plans and requisite appliances.

RICHARD M. HOE,
President.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
Nos. 117 and 119 DUANE STREET,
NEW YORK, February 16, 1880.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING GRANITE STONES FOR BULKHEAD OR RIVER WALL.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS material, indorsed as above, and with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, and the date of presentation, and addressed to "The President of the Department of Docks," will be received at this office until 12 o'clock m., of

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 3, 1880,

at which time and place the bids will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read. The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be well prepared for the business, and the bidder to whom the award is made shall give security for the faithful performance of the contract, in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance, in the sum of four thousand dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the work to be done is as follows:

To be furnished, cut in accordance with specifications:

772 pieces of Granite, consisting of—
"A." { 384 Headers and } containing about 15,167 cubic
 { 353 Stretchers, } feet; and
"B." { 35 Coping Stones, } containing about 2,800 cubic ft.

For further particulars, see the drawings referred to in the specifications forming part of the contract.

The contract is to be fully completed on the thirty-first day of July, 1880.

On or before the first day of May, 1880, about 2,000 cubic feet of Headers and Stretchers, divided between the several classes, as ordered by the Engineer-in-Chief, are to be completed and delivered in accordance with the terms of the contract. The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the fulfillment thereof may have expired, Sundays and holidays not to be excepted, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at fifty dollars per day.

Bidders will state in their proposals the price per cubic foot of the Stone, to be furnished in conformity with the annexed specifications, by which the bids will be tested. This price is to cover all expenses, of every kind, involved in or incidental to the delivery, including any claim that might arise through delay, from any cause, in the receiving of the material by the Department.

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

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

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

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

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

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

The form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the material, is annexed.

Bidders are requested, in making their bids, to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the Department, a copy of which, together with the form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department.

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
Nos. 117 and 119 DUANE STREET,
NEW YORK, January 17, 1880.

NOTICE.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SUB- division 7 of section 6 of chapter 574, Laws of 1871, the following regulation was unanimously adopted by the Board of the Department of Docks, at a meeting held on the 14th instant, to wit:

REGULATION 16.

The owners, lessees, and occupants of every pier, wharf, and bulkhead in the City of New York shall keep the same in good repair, and the slips adjacent thereto properly dredged, and whenever, in the judgment of the Board of the Department of Docks, it shall be necessary so to do, written notices, signed by the President or Secretary of said Board, shall be served upon the owners, lessees, or occupants, or collector of wharfage of any such pier, wharf, or bulkhead, or the slip adjoining the same, on which repairs or dredging are required by said Board, specifying the nature and extent of the repairs or dredging so required, and the time within which such repairs must be made or such dredging done; and in case of failure of the owners, lessees, or occupants so notified to comply with the terms and requirements of such notice, they shall be liable to a penalty of \$50 per day for every day they shall neglect to comply with such notice.

By order of the Board,

EUGENE T. LYNCH,
Secretary.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

1. Fencing Fifth and Madison avenues and Seventy-second and seventy-third streets.....	\$243 58
2. Basin at the junction of Beaver and Pearl streets.....	180 73
3. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter, One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.....	999 99
4. Sewer in New avenue, west of Morningside Park, and in One Hundred and Twenty-second street, between One Hundred and Sixteenth street and Tenth avenue.....	17,428 16
5. Crosswalk at the northerly and southerly intersections of Lexington avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.....	141 20
6. Sewer in One Hundred and Thirtieth street, between Fourth and Madison avenues.....	1,057 77
7. Sewer in Fifty-eighth street, between First and Second avenues, from end of present sewer.....	1,562 70
	\$21,614 13

WM. H. JASPER,
Secretary.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 114 WHITE STREET (COR. OF CENTRE),
NEW YORK, January 13, 1880.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS of section 105 of chapter 335, of the Laws of 1873, entitled "An Act to reorganize the local government of the City of New York," passed April 30, 1873, the Board of Street Opening and Improvement give notice (1) that they deem it to be for the public interest to lay out and open, and they propose to lay out and open, a street to extend from the northerly side of Little West Twelfth street to the southerly side of West Fourteenth street the easterly line of such street to be parallel with the Ninth avenue and four hundred and twenty-five (425) feet west of the westerly line of Ninth avenue, and the westerly line of such street to be five hundred (500) feet west of the westerly line of Ninth avenue, and parallel thereto and (2) that they will lay their proposed action before the Board of Aldermen on or after the 10th day of February, 1880.

NEW YORK January 28, 1880.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor
JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.
ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioner of Public Works.
JAMES F. WENMAN, President of the Department of Public Parks
JOHN J. MORRIS, President of the Board of Aldermen.
RICHARD J. MORRISON, Secretary.

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

No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging in One Hundred and Fifty-second street, from the Boulevard to the Hudson river.
No. 2. Paving intersections of Fourth avenue with Eighty-third, Eighty-fourth, Eighty-fifth, and Eighty-sixth streets, with Belgian pavement.

No. 3. Paving One Hundred and Fourth street, between Second and Third avenues, with Belgian pavement.

No. 4. Sewer in One Hundred and Fourth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

No. 5. Fencing vacant lots on the southeast and southwest corners of Madison avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street.

No. 6. Sewer in One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.

No. 7. Sewer in One Hundred and Fourth street, from 650 feet east of Tenth avenue to 75 feet west of Ninth avenue.

No. 8. Sewer in Sixty-eighth street, between Fourth and Madison avenue, from end of present sewer to near Fourth avenue.

No. 9. Sewer in Seventy-second street, between First and Second avenues, from end of present sewer to near Second avenue.

No. 10. Sewer in Lexington avenue, between One Hundred and Third and One Hundred and Fourth streets.

No. 11. Sewer in Laight street, between Washington and West streets.

No. 12. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded by Eightieth and Eighty-first streets, Madison and Fifth avenues.

No. 20. Sewer in One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.
No. 21. Sewer in One Hundred and Thirtieth street, between Madison and Fifth avenues, and in Madison avenue, between One Hundred and Thirtieth and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth streets.
No. 22. Basin on the west side of Fifth avenue, between Sixtieth and Sixty-first streets.
No. 23. Sewer in One Hundred and Thirtieth street, between Tenth avenue and summit east of Tenth avenue.
No. 24. Basin on the northwest corner of One Hundred and Fifteenth street and Avenue A.

The limits embraced by such assessment include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-second street, between the Boulevard and Hudson river.
No. 2. Both sides of Fourth avenue, between Eighty-second and Eighty-seventh streets, and to the extent of half of the block in Eighty-third, Eighty-fourth, Eighty-fifth, and Eighty-sixth streets.
No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Fourth street, between Second and Third avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersection of Second and Third avenues.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Fourth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

No. 5. Both sides of Madison avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-sixth and One Hundred and Twenty-seventh streets, also south side of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, extending one hundred and ten feet east of and eighty-five feet west of Madison avenue.

No. 6. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.

No. 7. Both sides of One Hundred and Fourth street, from six hundred and fifty feet east of Tenth avenue to Ninth avenue.

No. 8. Both sides of Sixty-eighth street, extending one hundred feet west of Fourth avenue.

No. 9. Both sides of Seventy-second street, extending one hundred feet east of Second avenue.

No. 10. Both sides of Lexington avenue, between One Hundred and Third and One Hundred and Fourth streets.

No. 11. Both sides of Laight street, between West and Washington streets.

No. 12. Block bounded by Eightieth and Eighty-first streets, Madison and Fifth avenues.

No. 13. Both sides of Second avenue, between Seventy-fifth and Seventy-sixth streets.

No. 14. East side of Fifth avenue, between Sixtieth and Sixty-first streets.

No. 15. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirtieth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.

No. 16. Both sides of Ninety-third street, between Avenue A and Second avenue.

No. 17. West side of Dry Dock street, between Tenth and Eleventh streets.

No. 18. South side of Seventy-ninth street, between Fourth and Lexington avenues.

No. 19. West side of Eleventh avenue, between Fifty-fifth and Sixtieth streets.

No. 20. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.

No. 21. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirtieth street, between Madison and Fifth avenues; and both sides of Madison avenue, between One Hundred and Thirtieth and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth streets.

No. 22. Central Park.

No. 23. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirtieth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

No. 24. West side of Avenue A, between One Hundred and Fifteenth and One Hundred and Sixteenth streets, and south side of One Hundred and Sixteenth street, extending 187 feet 6 inches west of Avenue A, and north side of One Hundred and Fifteenth street, extending 166 feet 6 inches west of Avenue A.

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

The above described list will be transmitted as provided by law to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation on the 17th day of February ensuing.

THOMAS B. ASTEN,
JOHN MULLALLY,
EDWARD NORRIS,
DANIEL STANBURY,
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 114 WHITE STREET (CORNER CENTRE),
NEW YORK, January 16, 1880.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, February 17, 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 Fourteenth Precinct Station House—Unknown man; aged 70 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; gray hair and side whiskers. Had on dark check coat, blue cloth vest, dark striped pants, brown shirt, ribbed socks, brogan shoes, black felt hat.

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Andrew Herks; aged 40 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; dark hair; gray eyes. Had on when admitted, brown coat, gray pants, colored shirt, boots, black hat. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

Christian Liner; aged 47 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; dark gray hair; blue eyes. Had on when admitted, brown coat and pants, black vest, colored shirt. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Edward Mangin; aged 44 years. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By Order,
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

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

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, DRY GOODS, HARDWARE, LUMBER, ETC.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES.
100 barrels New Family Mess Pork.
27,000 Fresh Eggs (all to be candled).
12,000 pounds Dairy Butter, sample of which will be on exhibition February 19 and 20.
1,000 pounds prime kettle rendered Lard.
50 pieces prime quality Breakfast Bacon.

DRY GOODS.
100 dozen Mens' Cotton Socks.
100 " " " " Cotton Stockings.
1,500 yards Linsey Woolsey.

HARDWARE.
6 dozen 6-Rim Locks (complete).
25 " " " " Shoe Brushes.
20 " " " " Dust Brushes.
500 pounds Curled Hair (pure).

PAINTS.
5,000 pounds Pure White Lead, equal to "Atlantic."

LIME AND CEMENT.
50 barrels fresh Rosendale Cement.
50 " " " " Rockland Lime.
50 " " " " Joint Lime.
20 " " " " Plaster Paris.

10,000 prime Lath.

LUMBER.

60 pieces 3x3 inches by 15 feet Chestnut, dressed one side.
12 " 3x3 inches by 12 feet Chestnut, dressed one side.
8 " 1 1/2 inches Yellow Pine Plank, 11 inches by 17 feet.
20 " Spruce, 3x8 inches by 12 feet.
4 " Spruce, 3x8 inches by 18 feet.
4 " Spruce, 4x8 inches by 12 feet.
2,000 lineal feet Spruce, 4 inches by 1 1/2 inches.

MISCELLANEOUS.

250 Rubber Blankets.
50 gross Matches.
2 " Tumblers.
1 " Spittumers.

—or any part thereof, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 6 o'clock A. M. of Saturday, the 21st day of February, 1880. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Dry Goods, Hardware, Lumber, etc.," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates it deemed to be for the public interest, and to accept any bid or estimate as a whole, or for any one or more articles included therein. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, at such times and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Department, but the entire quantity will be required to be delivered on or before thirty (30) days after the date of the contract.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, in the penal amount of fifty (50) per cent. of the estimated amount of the contract.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect, that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested.

The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety, and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety.

The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York. Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept to contract within forty-eight (48) hours after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be re-advertised and re-let as provided by law.

The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares, and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same respectively at the office of the said Department. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required, before making their estimates.

Bidders will state the price for each article by which the bids will be tested.

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate in addition to inserting the same in figures.

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, issued on the completion of the contract, or from time to time, as the Commissioners may determine.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instruction of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction.

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates it deemed to be for the public interest, and to accept any bid or estimate as a whole, or for any one or more articles included therein. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Department.

Dated New York, February 9, 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, February 11, 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 Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island—William Clough; aged 25 years; 5 feet 7 1/2 inches high; dark hair; brown eyes. Had on when admitted black overcoat and sack coat, striped pants, blue vest, white shirt, white undershirt, gaiters. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Mary Monahan, aged 34 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; hazel eyes; black hair. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

By Order,
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

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

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS AND BUILDERS.

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

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

HENRY J. DUDLEY,
Superintendent of Buildings.

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 HAFEN,
BERNARD KENNEY,
Committee on Public Works.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
FIRST FLOOR ROOM NO. 1, NEW COURT-HOUSE,
CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, February 18, 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 FEBRUARY 14, ENTERED FEBRUARY 18, 1880.

82d street opening, from 1st avenue to Avenue B.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before April 18, 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, February 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 JANUARY 30 AND ENTERED FEBRUARY 4, 1880.

10th street opening, from 3d avenue to 5th avenue.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before April 5, 1880, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of entry.

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

EDWARD GILON,
Collector of Assessments.

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

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

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
FIRST FLOOR (NEW WING), NEW COURT-HOUSE,
CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, Dec. 13, 1879.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED AND ENTERED DECEMBER 10, 1879.

83d street sewer, between 10th avenue and Boulevard.

95th street sewer, between 3d and Lexington avenues, etc.

107th street sewer, between 4th and 5th avenues.

Water street basin, southeast corner Jefferson street.

92d street basin, southwest corner 8th avenue.

99th street, regulating, grading, etc., from 1st to 3d avenue.

9th avenue, regulating, grading, etc., from 63d street to Boulevard.

74th street, paving from Avenue A to East river.

45th street, flagging south side, between 1st and 2d avenues.

4th avenue, flagging east side, between 65th and 66th streets.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before February 11, 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.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

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

Grantors, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and

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

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

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

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

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

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Parks, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Harlem river to Long Island Sound; and to the opening of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from Harlem river to the Southern Boulevard; and to the opening of Westchester avenue, from Third avenue to the City line at the Bronx river; and to the opening of Cliff street, from Third avenue to Union avenue; and to the opening of One Hundred and Sixty-first street, from Jerome avenue (late Central avenue) to Third avenue; and to the opening of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from Boston avenue to Union avenue; and to the opening of Tinton avenue, from Westchester avenue to One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street; and to the opening of Prospect avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street to the Southern Boulevard; and to the opening of Willis avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-seventh street to Third avenue; and to the opening of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, from Third avenue to St. Ann's avenue; and to the opening of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, from Third avenue to Elton avenue; and to the opening and widening of Morris avenue, from Third avenue to Railroad avenue, at One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of the costs, charges, and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, in the County Court-house at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 6th day of March, 1880, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

MEYER BUTZEL,
HENRY LEWIS,
JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL,
Commissioners.

Dated New York, February 19, 1880.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT,
No. 301 MOTT STREET,
NEW YORK, February 10, 1880.

BOVINE VACCINE VIRUS.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH, held this day, the following resolution was adopted: Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of chapter 635, Laws of 1874, entitled "An act to secure effective vaccination in the City of New York and the collection of pure vaccine lymph or virus," the Board of Health authorizes the sale of such surplus lymph or virus whenever the quantity on hand exceeds the amount required in the proper performance of its duties, at the following rates, and that orders for the same be addressed to Dr. J. B. Taylor, Inspector of Vaccination:

One quill slip \$0 25
Eight quill slips 1 00
Crust one remove from the calf 1 50

Dispensaries and distributors of large amounts may be supplied at wholesale rates.

(A true copy.)

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

THE CITY RECORD

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

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,
No. 32 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, January 12, 1880.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BOOKS of Annual Record of the assessed valuation of Real and Personal Estate of the City and County of New York for the year 1880, will be opened for inspection and revision, on and after Monday, January 12, 1880, and will remain open until the 30th day of April, 1880, inclusive, for the correction of errors and the equalization of the assessments of the aforesaid real and personal estate.

All persons believing themselves aggrieved must make application to the Commissioners during the period above mentioned, in order to obtain the relief provided by law.

By order of the Board,
ALBERT STORER,
Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, February 12, 1880.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT TWO (2) steam fire engines (Smith maker) will be sold at public auction, by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, to the highest bidder for cash, on Thursday, February 26, 1880, at 12 o'clock M., at the Repair Shops, Nos. 130 and 132 West Third street.

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

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, 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,