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OF THE

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

FOR THE QUARTER ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1874.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
Nos. 346 & 348 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, October 31, 1874.

To the Honorable WILLIAM F. HAVEMEYER, Mayor of the City of New York:

SIR—In compliance with the communication received from your Honor under date of September 25, 1874, and in accordance with section 27 of chapter 335, Laws of 1873, we have the honor to submit the following report of the operations and actions of the Department of Docks, for the three months ending September 30, 1874.

FIRST.—ORGANIZATION, APPOINTMENTS, ETC.

No changes have taken place during the quarter ending September 30, 1874.

RULES AND ORDER.

August 7.—That from and after this date all Captains and Engineers having charge of any property on any of the tugs, dredges, pile-drivers, or other floating property of the Department, under Superintendent Pickering, shall be and they are hereby required to record daily on the Log-book, all material received and labor performed in repairs or otherwise on board their respective vessels, and at the end of each month to examine the bills for the same, and if correct, to certify thereto.

SECOND.—IMPROVEMENT OF THE WATER-FRONT.

For details of the work of improving the water-front under the new plans adopted, you are respectfully referred to the following report of Charles K. Graham, Engineer-in-Chief of the Department:

NEW YORK, October 1, 1874.

EUGENE T. LYNCH, Esq.,

Secretary of the Board of Docks:

SIR—I have the honor to present the following condensed report of the work done under my supervision during the quarter ending September 30, 1874:

At the Battery section work has gone steadily forward on new Pier No. 1, N. R. The beton blocks employed have been, for the greater part, manufactured at the Battery yard, thereby effecting a considerable saving in time and cost of transportation. The construction of the pier has advanced to the completion of arch No. 8, with its concrete deck. Arch No. 9 has been constructed up to the springing line, and the sub-pier of arch No. 10 has been laid, to the seventh base-block. Beton blocks have been manufactured for the latter two arches. About 170 feet of the pier has been laid with string-pieces, and the oaken fenders have been placed in position.

At the Christopher street section, work on the new piers and on the bulkhead wall has steadily continued. Piles for the foundation of the wall were driven for 629 lineal feet, making a total, to date, of 1,150 feet. Concrete was put down on 250 lineal feet, making a total of 680 feet. The number of large beton blocks laid was 26; of medium size, 29; of small size, 61; total, 116; and total, to date, 242. The length of the bottom course of blocks laid during the quarter is 260 feet, and of the entire course, to date, 610 feet. The length of the granite facing laid during the quarter is 310 feet; total, to date, 580 feet.

New Pier 43 is complete, with the exception of setting the cast-iron mooring posts and making the connection with the wall.

The ferry platform is completed, with the exception of fifteen feet of the inner end, to connect with the wall. It is now used by the Hoboken Land and Improvement Company, by means of a temporary connection.

New Pier No. 44 is completed and connected with the wall, with the exception of one corner.

New Piers Nos. 45 and 46 are entirely completed.

New Pier No. 47 is built as far as the piles extend, 75 feet from the end, and is partly planked. We are now waiting for the material for columns, in order to finish the pier.

On the 2d of July a dumping-board was opened for the reception of filling in rear of the wall, and 16,907 loads have been deposited. During the first month, or to September 2, a fee of 10 cents per load was charged, and \$1,080.50 collected. Since then, in order to expedite the work and receive sufficient filling, the dump has been free, for the reason that similar privileges were offered in the vicinity without charge.

At the Canal street section, new Pier No. 34, N. R., which was well under way at the beginning of the quarter, was completed, with the exception of the connection with the shore. The dredging for the foundation of the bulkhead wall in rear of this pier has been completed, ready for piling, and has included the removal of 1,400 cubic yards of stone and 9,050 cubic yards of mud. Reference is here requested to the report on the method of constructing the wall for this section, bearing date October 5, 1874.

At the Gansevoort street yard, the manufacture of the beton blocks required for the several works has been carried forward, as heretofore, with the most satisfactory efficiency, under the superintendence of Gen. Schuyler Hamilton.

The Seventeenth street yard, under the superintendence of Capt. W. W. Maclay, has been employed for the cutting and dressing of the granite used at the Battery and Christopher street section.

Your obed't servant,

(Signed)

CHARLES K. GRAHAM,
Engineer-in-Chief.

The work of building, rebuilding, and repairing wooden piers and bulkheads, performed by the Department during the quarter ending September 30, 1874, is as follows:

Pier No. 56, East river—

38 feet by 253 feet, rebuilt.

Pier at One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, East river—

Sheathed, outer end raised, and new piles.

Pier No. 5, East river—

Large repairs to sub-structure, new spring piles, and surface.

Pier No. 23, East river—

Sheathed 28 feet by 100 feet, backing pieces, etc., repaired.

Pier No. 46, East river—

Repaired, and inner end sheathed 25 feet by 150 feet.

Pier at Twenty-third street, East river—

Spring piles driven, fenders and surface repaired.

Pier at Thirty-third street, East river—

Spring piles driven and repaired.

Pier at Fifty-third street, East river—

125 feet backing timber, cleats, and other repairs.

Pier at One Hundred and Sixth street, East river—

Considerable repairs.

Pier at West Eleventh street, North river—

Piles and fenders reset, and side caps repaired.

Pier at Thirtieth street, North river—

Considerable repairs to fenders and surface.

Pier at Fortieth street, North river—

Sheathed 25 feet by 125 feet, and repaired.

Pier at One Hundred and Fifty-second street, North river—

Being extended 60 feet by 200 feet, nearly finished.

Pier at One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, North river—

Being repaired and extended 75 feet, about one-half finished.

Bulkhead between Piers 56 and 57, East river—

90 feet rebuilt from low water.

The following-named Piers have had small repairs, piles driven, strengthened, etc.:

On the

North river—

Pier No. 22, and Piers at Thirty-seventh, Forty-seventh, and One Hundred and Twenty-ninth streets.

On the

East River—

Pier No. 44, and Piers at Forty-sixth and One Hundred and Seventeenth streets.

Dumping Boards—

At Lighthouse, Forty-seventh, and Thirty-seventh streets on the North river; at Pier 37, Stanton, Fifth, Seventeenth, Twenty-second, and Thirty-eighth streets, on the East river, have been repaired.

Dredging—

Has been done at different points on the water-front, and 59,596 cubic yards of mud, and 4,447 tons of stone removed.

THIRD.—LEASES MADE BY THE BOARD.

To the Erie Railway Company—

Of the premises now occupied for ferry purposes at the foot of Chambers street, North river, including the whole of Pier 30, North river, and one-half of the bulkhead, and one-half of the slip between said pier and Pier 31, North river. Also the erection on the northerly side of said Pier 30, which originally formed an L; and also the use of the slip on the southerly side of Pier 30, for all the purposes of collecting wharfage, that would be enjoyed by the lessee of the pier for commercial purposes for one year from May 1, 1874, at a rent of \$15,000.

To Pacific Mail Steamship Company—

Of new Pier 34, North river, and 75 feet of bulkhead on each side, for ten years from September 1, 1874, at an annual rent of \$45,000; said lease to covenant for the privilege of a renewal for five years, at an annual rent of \$45,500. July 23, 1874.

To David Tracy—

Of pier at foot of Fortieth street, North river, for five years, from October 1, 1874, at an annual rent of \$4,600. Dated September 28, 1874.

To Hoboken Land and Improvement Company—

The rent to be paid by said Company for premises leased under resolution, February 2, 1874, arranged as follows: At the rate of \$3,750 per annum, from May 1 to June 30, 1874; and at \$7,500 per annum, from July 1 until expiration of the forty-five days after completion of the platform in front of said premises, as provided in said said resolution. July 8, 1875.

FOURTH.—CONTRACTS AWARDED.

To Davis Tillson, Agent Hurricane Granite Co.—

For furnishing granite for bulkhead or river wall at 71 cents per cubic foot for coping, and 39 cents per cubic foot for headers and stretchers. Total amount of contract, \$21,922.30. Expires July 1, 1875. Dated September 30, 1874.

FIFTH.—RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS.

During the quarter ending September 30, 1874, the sum received by the Department of Docks from collections and rents of wharf property amounted to \$140,050.94, and from sales of old material, etc., etc., \$7,363.25, making a total of \$147,414.19; which amount has been deposited with the City Chamberlain to the credit of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

Requisitions for \$566,823.06 have been made upon the Comptroller by the Department of Docks, for pay-rolls and audited bills, from July 1 to September 30, inclusive, and for further details you are respectfully referred to the annexed report of the Treasurer.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JACOB A. WESTERVELT,
WM. GARDNEB,
W. BUDD, } Commissioners of Docks.

WILLIAM BUDD, Treasurer, Department of Docks, in account with the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, for and during the Three Months ending September 30, 1874:

1874.		DEBIT.		
July	1	To balance, viz.: Amount of rents due and unpaid June 30, 1874, as charged upon existing leases on wharf property belonging to the City of New York, consisting principally of claims in the hands of the Counsel to the Corporation for suit prior to May 20, 1870, at which time the Comptroller transferred to this Department for collection arrearages amounting to \$112,077.00....	\$55,491 25	
		Cash in bank to the credit of the Department of Docks.....	1,000 00	
				\$56,491 25
Sept.	30	To amount of rent accrued and charged from June 30, 1874, to September 30, 1874, to the respective parties by whom the same was payable.....		138,982 19
"	30	To amount of requisitions of the Commissioners of Docks upon Andrew H. Green, Comptroller, drawn in sums to cover original bills or vouchers, forwarded to the Comptroller for payment (as required by the Department of Finance), after being certified to by the Commissioners of Docks and officers in charge of the several works.....		566,823 06
"	30	To amounts received, as follows:		
		Sales of old material.....	\$757 78	
		Expense account.....	150 00	
		Repairs, etc., for private owners.....	5,018 54	
		Privilege of dumping dirt.....	1,099 80	
		Interest on deposits.....	337 13	
			7,363 25	
				\$769,699 75

1874.		CREDIT.		
Sept. 30	By amounts deposited with the Chamberlain to the credit of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, being receipts from—			
	Rents and collections from wharf property (excepting ferries, which are collected by the Comptroller), from July 1, 1874, to September 30, 1874.....	\$140,050 94		
	Dock Fund.....	\$6,605 47		
	Sales of old material.....	757 78	7,363 25	147,414 19
" 30	By amount paid as general expenses, including salaries of officers and appointees, rent of offices, etc.:			
	Salaries—			
	Eugene T. Lynch, Secretary.....	\$1,000 00		
	William W. Burnham, Book-keeper.....	1,250 00		
	William M. Whitney, Chief Clerk.....	750 00		
	Louis A. Jackson, Assistant Secretary.....	625 00		
	John R. Richardson, Collection Clerk.....	625 00		
	Jacob Ramsay, ".....	625 00		
	John M. Costa, ".....	625 00		
	James E. Swartwood, ".....	625 00		
	William McConkey, Superintendent.....	625 00		
	George W. Lynch, ".....	625 00		
	John Richardson, ".....	625 00		
	John Makewen, ".....	625 00		
	William P. Finley, ".....	625 00		
	Thomas Brown, ".....	625 00		
	James Fitzpatrick, ".....	625 00		
	Thomas McDowell, ".....	625 00		
	John M. Smith, ".....	500 00		
	George W. Sterritt, Assistant Book-keeper.....	500 00		
	Seth C. Douglass, Assistant Clerk.....	340 00		
	Joseph T. Kelly, ".....	250 00		
	Thomas Early, Messenger.....		\$13,340 00	
	Advertising.....	\$122 84		
	Stationery and printing.....	984 76		
	Rent and heating of offices.....	4,717 82		
	Thomas Miller.....	295 00		
	Incidental expenses.....	129 65	6,250 07	
" 30	By amount paid for account of construction, viz.:			
	Lumber and piles.....	\$211,126 61		
	Iron bolts, spikes, etc.....	10,649 31		
	Supplies for tugs, dredges, pile-drivers, etc.....	3,279 59		
	Granite, rip-rap, and broken stone, and sand for concrete.....	31,387 14		
	Laying concrete and cutting off piles under water.....	5,877 25		
	Towage of machines, lumber, etc., and truckage of materials and obstructions.....	651 00		
	Dredging.....	4,932 00		
	Purchase of dredging-machine tug-boat, dredging-machine mud-scows, and maintenance of floating derrick, dredging-machines, tugs, pile-drivers, etc., and of Department yards.....	92,684 87		
	Coal for use of tugs, dredging-machines, pile-drivers, etc.....	4,387 40		
	Hire of pile-drivers, scows, etc.....	3,241 50		
	Surveying instruments and drawing materials, for office of Engineer-in-Chief.....	83 25		
	Cement.....	23,854 50		
	Salaries of Commissioners of Docks—			
	Jacob A. Westervelt.....	\$1,625 00		
	William Gardner.....	750 00		
	William Budd.....	750 00	3,125 00	
	Bureau of Repairs and Supplies—			
	John Turner, Superintendent.....	\$1,000 00		
	Alfred J. Murray, Deputy Superintendent.....	625 00		
	James Guthrie, ".....	625 00		
	Warren Roosevelt, ".....	625 00		
	Patrick White, Foreman, Dockbuilders.....	499 98	3,374 98	
	Office of Engineer-in-Chief—			
	Charles K. Graham, Engineer-in-Chief.....	\$1,375 00		
	John Mehan, 1st Assistant Engineer.....	1,000 00		
	John D. Van Buren, Jr., Assistant Engineer.....	750 00		
	William M. MacLay, ".....	625 00		
	Charlton B. Kidd, Mechanical Engineer.....	750 00		
	Thomas Murphy, Supt. Construction.....	750 00		
	Schuyler Hamilton, Supt. Department Yards.....	625 00		
	Wm. N. Radenhurst, Surveyor.....	450 00		
	Robert P. Staats, ".....	375 00		
	David T. Keiller, Draughtsman.....	450 00		
	Joel H. Barlow, ".....	316 00		
	Joseph Conway, Inspector, Dredging.....	375 00		
	Thomas Pickering, Supt. Floating Property.....	625 00		
	W. O. Stoddard, Clerk.....	500 00		
	Benj. A. Mason, Inspector Tug Building.....	268 25		
	Thomas McCarty, Keeper of Tools.....	237 00		
	Pay-rolls—			
	Dock-builders and laborers.....	12,470 94		
	Field Corps, etc.—Engineer-in-Chief.....	113,731 79		
	Officers and crews of tugs and dredges.....	12,821 54		
	Incidental expenses.....	208 16	547,232 99	566,823 06
	Amount of rents remaining uncollected, consisting principally of claims in the hands of the Counsel to the Corporation for suit prior to May 20, 1870.....	\$54,422 50		
	Cash in bank to the credit of the Department of Docks.....	1,000 00	55,422 50	
	New York, September 30, 1874—			
	To balance brought down.....	\$55,422 50		\$769,659 75

WILLIAM W. BURNHAM,
Book-keeper.Respectfully submitted,
W. BUDD,
Treasurer.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Abstract of transactions of the Department of Finance for the week ending
November 7, 1874:

Deposits in the Treasury.

On account of the City Treasury.....	\$1,528,379 24
" " Sinking Fund.....	1,621,358 76
Total.....	\$3,149,738 00

Bonds and Stocks Issued.

Six per cent. Stocks issued (regular issue).....	\$152,500 00
" " re-issued to take up Stocks due November 1, 1874.....	2,000,000 00
Seven per cent. Bonds issued (regular issue).....	309,000 00
" " re-issued to take up Bonds due November 1, 1874.....	6,285,500 00
Total.....	\$8,747,000 00

Premiums on the above..... \$199,503 25

Warrants Registered and Ready for Payment.

Aqueduct—Repairs and Maintenance.....	\$7,976 16
Armories and Drill-rooms—For Wages of Armors, etc.....	618 00
College of the City of New York.....	10,650 23

Contingencies—Comptroller's Office.....	69 92
" Department of Buildings.....	70 00
" Department of Public Works.....	62 50
" Law Department.....	675 00
" Mayor's Office.....	49 37
City Record—Salaries and Contingencies.....	791 65
Cleaning Markets.....	1,876 00
Coroners' Fees.....	291 66
Fire Department Fund.....	95,791 14
Free Floating Baths.....	548 64
Foundling Asylum under charge of Sisters of Charity.....	24,246 96
Harlem River Bridges—Maintenance and Government of.....	463 32
Health Fund.....	13,334 57
Interest on the City Debt.....	14,043 83
Judgments.....	673 74
Lamps and Gas.....	906 61
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places.....	7,045 05
Maintenance and Government of Public Places, Streets, Roads, and Avenues, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	1,133 18
Observatory, Museum, and Gallery of Art—Maintenance and Government of.....	1,382 83
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs.....	632 78
Public Charities and Correction.....	37,746 28
Public Instruction.....	33,755 63
Rents.....	11,125 00
Removing Night Soil, Offal, and Dead Animals.....	923 08
Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	4,915 66
Roads and Avenues, and Sprinkling.....	279 32
Real Estate, Expenses of.....	65,710 40
Repairing and Preserving Records in Register's Office.....	250 00
Salaries—Bureau of Permits.....	700 00
" Board of Assessors.....	1,641 65
" Bureau of the Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.....	916 66
" Chamberlain's Office.....	2,500 00
" Commissioners of Accounts.....	500 00
" City Courts.....	17,183 07
" Department of Finance.....	17,817 25
" " Public Works.....	12,741 53
" " Taxes and Assessments.....	9,591 47
" Employees' Department of Taxes and Assessments, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	600 00
" Department of Buildings.....	9,596 16
" Judiciary.....	48,716 63
" Law Department.....	5,687 46
" Common Council.....	15,209 56
" Mayor's Office.....	2,420 82
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning.....	4,760 50
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....	2,316 00
Total.....	\$490,937 27

MARKET PERMITS AND TRANSFERS.

MARKET.	Number of Stand.	FROM WHOM.	TO WHOM.
Tompkins.....	76	Charles Lent.....	Annie Blair.
Centre.....	53	Daniel P. Simonson.
West Washington (Devoc avenue).....	3	George Liftchild and Jacob Hanshe.....	Otis A. Taft.
Union.....	24	Samuel Hirschburg.....	Henry Maïorum.
Essex.....	44	Mrs. Sarah Eldott.....	Edward Jantzer.
Washington.....	303	Jerome Burrows.....	Jerome Burrows and Moses A. Wilson.
West Washington (West street).....	25	George W. Gregory.....	Thomas Curry.
Union.....	33 and 35	Margaret Ludwig.
Washington.....	260	Absalom K. Vail.....	James N. Pidcock.

CONTRACTS FILED

NO.	DEPARTMENT.	NAMES OF CONTRACTORS.	TITLE OF WORK.
3016	Public Docks.....	Hurricane Granite Co.....	Granite stones for bulkhead or river wall, at 71 cents per cubic foot for coping stones; 39 cents for stretcher or header stones (\$21,822.30).
3017	do.....	John L. Burke.....	Spikes, bolts, bands, and stay-plates (\$10,697).
3018	do.....	Watrous & Willson.....	Spruce timber and plank (\$3,869.80).
3019	do.....	Chas. W. Kearney.....	Oak plank and fenders (\$5,729).
3020	do.....	do.....	Yellow-pine timber (\$50,655).
3021	do.....	Horace Theall.....	Repairs to Steam Dredge No. 1 (\$5,000).
3022	do.....	Chas. W. Kearney.....	White-pine timber (\$6,440).
3023	Public Works.....	Michael Shannon.....	Twenty-fourth street, paving (stone-block), from Eleventh avenue to North river.
3024	Fire Department.....	Shannon & Ross.....	Building and materials for New Repair Shop, on lots Nos. 130 and 132 Amity street (\$25,700).
3025	Public Works.....	Joseph C. Brady.....	Carpenter work and materials for roof on Tompkins Market (\$21,600).
3026	Public Parks.....	True W. Rollins.....	For slating that part of Museum of Natural History now in process of erection on Manhattan square (\$4,992).
3027	Board of Education..	James Riley.....	Painting required by alterations of Grammar School Building No. 2, Seventh Ward (\$1,694).
3028	do.....	Nathaniel Johnson.....	Repairs on Grammar School Building No. 38, and Primary No. 25, Eighth Ward (\$763).
3029	Public Docks.....	James Brand.....	7,000 barrels fresh burnt English Portland cement, at \$3.75 per barrel (\$26,250).

CLAIMS FILED

NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.
Augustus Hemenway.	\$10,000 00	For material in building No. 51 Greenwich street, Award No. 8, extension of Church street.....	Van Winkle, Candler & Jay.
Joseph Steinert.....	3,750 00	For salary as Clerk, Seventh District Court, from August 1, 1873, to November 1, 1874.....	
Alfred W. Harcombe.....		For salary as Stenographer, Seventh District Court, for October, 1874.....	
Nicholas Judge.....	141 66	For services as Engrossing Clerk, Board of Aldermen, from January 1 to 16, 1872.....	W. J. A. McGrath.
William J. O'Neill....	83 33	For services as Assistant Clerk, Board of Aldermen, from January 1 to 16, 1872.....	"
Peter M. Ledwith....	16,611 07	For services as Deputy Clerk, Court of Special Sessions, from May 1, 1870, to August 26, 1873.....	"

SUITS, ORDERS OF COURT, JUDGMENTS, Etc.

COURT.	PLAINTIFF OR RELATOR.	AMOUNT	NATURE OF ACTION, ETC.	ATTORNEY.
Supreme	James A. McCabe....	768 22	Notice of Judgment.....	Breen & Gear.
"	Nelson W. Young....	2,415 34	" ".....	Max Moses.
Com. Pleas	James Knight.....	1,614 85	" ".....	Brown, Hall & V.
Marine ...	Lawrence O'Brien...	229 50	S. & C., for services as Officer, Oyer and Terminer, from August 1 to December 31, 1870.....	H. B. Ferguson.
Com. Pleas	Terence Smith.....	103 50	S. & C., for services as Officer, Oyer and Terminer, from September 1 to November 19, 1869.....	Wm. F. McNamara.
"	Martin B. Brown.....	7,304 63	S. & C., for printing, etc., in 1874.....	J. H. Strahan.
"	Michael H. Whalen....	218 05	Notice of Judgment.....	E. Sandford.
"	Denis Dermody.....	106 49	" ".....	"
"	John H. Mooney.....	200 00	S. & C., for services as Clerk to Commissioners of Accounts, for September, 1874.....	J. H. Strahan.
"	James Donohue.....	90 00	S. & C., for services as Clerk to Commissioners of Accounts, for September, 1874.....	"
"	Edwin M. Snow.....	100 00	S. & C., for services as Clerk to Commissioners of Accounts, for September, 1874.....	"
"	John B. Willor.....	200 00	S. & C., for services as Clerk to Commissioners of Accounts, for July and August, 1874.....	"
"	James W. Connolly...	16 66	S. & C., for services as Clerk to Commissioners of Accounts, 5 days in September, 1874.....	"
"	James McCafferty....	100 00	S. & C., for services as Clerk to Commissioners of Accounts, September, 1874.....	"
"	Edward Gilon.....	166 66	S. & C., for salary as Supervisor, for September 1874.....	Brown, Hall & V.
"	George Koch.....	166 66	S. & C., for salary as Supervisor, for September, 1874.....	"
"	John J. Morris.....	166 66	S. & C., for salary as Supervisor, for September, 1874.....	"
"	John Reilly.....	166 66	S. & C., for salary as Supervisor, for September, 1874.....	"
"	O. P. C. Billings....	166 66	S. & C., for salary as Supervisor, for September, 1874.....	"
"	Patrick Lysaght.....	166 66	S. & C., for salary as Supervisor, for September, 1874.....	"
"	Richard Flanagan....	166 66	S. & C., for salary as Supervisor, for September, 1873.....	"
"	Joseph A. Monheimer	166 66	S. & C., for salary as Supervisor, for September, 1874.....	"
"	Peter Kehr.....	166 66	S. & C., for salary as Supervisor, for September, 1874.....	"
"	Robert McCafferty...	166 66	S. & C., for salary as Supervisor, for September, 1874.....	"
"	S. V. R. Cooper.....	500 00	S. & C., for salary as Supervisor, from January 1 to June 30, 1874.....	Roe & Pulver.
Marine ...	James McVey.....	198 00	Notice of Judgment.....	Joseph Steinert.
"	Alfred W. Harcombe.	210 25	" ".....	"
Supreme...	Patrick Coughlin....	229 50	S. & C., for services as Officer, Oyer and Terminer, from May 1 to September 30, 1871.....	R. H. Strahan.
"	Peter Rafferty.....	91 00	S. & C., for services as Officer, Oyer and Terminer, from January 2 to March 6, 1871.....	"
"	George W. Hojer....	1,735 48	Notice of Judgment.....	E. L. Fancher.
"	The People ex rel. John A. Stemmler agst. Jos. McGuire..		Order reversing order for a new trial.....	N. J. Waterbury.
"	The People ex rel. John A. Stemmler agst. Jos. McGuire..		Order confirming judgment in favor of Stemmler	"
Com. Pleas	Mary Cullen.....	501 02	Notice of Judgment.....	E. Sandford.
"	Leander Lent.....	249 10	S. & C., for plumbing and gas fitting, in 1872...	"
Marine ...	Martin Stetjes.....	200 00	S. & C., as assignee of John J. Ruete, for services in Surrogate's Office, November and December, 1859.....	Abbott & Fuller.
"	John Suhr.....	200 00	S. & C., as assignee of John J. Ruete, for services in Surrogate's Office, September and October, 1869.....	"

Proposals Returned.

The proposal of William Guilfoyle, for building outlet-sewer in One Hundred and Forty-second street, between Boulevard and Hudson river, was returned to the Department of Public Works, November 2, 1874, without approval by the Comptroller of the adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties thereto—Robert Prior and James King—for the reason that the said parties have not appeared at the Comptroller's Office, to justify in the amount of security required, although Mr. Guilfoyle was duly notified at different times to have his sureties called for examination.

The proposal of Daniel Crowley (One Hundred and Sixth street and Eighth avenue), for setting curb and gutter stones and flagging in Forty-second street, from Madison to Third avenue, was returned to the Department of Public Works, November 2, 1874, without approval of the sureties by the Comptroller, for the reason that the contract to do the same work is claimed by Messrs. Cornelius Farley and John Stewart, under a previous letting of September 20, 1872, and a protest has been filed by Messrs Allison and Shaw, attorneys, against entering into the contract for this work with any other parties. Information has also been received, that a large portion of the work has been performed by the property-owners, thus changing the basis of estimates for a new proposal and contract.

Opening of Proposals.

The Comptroller attended on the 7th of November, 1874, the opening of proposals at the Department of Public Charities and Correction for furnishing supplies to said Department.

Approval of Sureties on Proposals.

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

For furnishing drugs to the Department of Public Charities and Correction—
Carle & Strong, No 153 Water street, Principals.
Wm. H. Popham, No. 118 Waverly Place, } Sureties.
Muhlen Buckmaster, No. 148 East Thirty-seventh street, }
For furnishing whiskey and port wine for use of Department of Public Charities and Correction—
Goodkind Bros., No. 52 Water street, Principals.
Louis Froy, No. 1278 Broadway, } Sureties.
Joseph Somervick, No. 244 West Forty-ninth street, }

Designation of Salary.

M. B. Mason, Temporary Clerk, Bureau for Collection of Taxes, \$3.00 per day, from October 19, 1874.

AB'M L. EARLE,
Deputy Comptroller.

PROVISIONAL ESTIMATE

FOR CONDUCTING THE PUBLIC BUSINESS

OF THE

CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK,

FOR THE YEAR 1875.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE—COMPTROLLERS' OFFICE,
November 9, 1874.

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

In accordance with resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, November 7, 1874, a copy of which is annexed, I herewith transmit to your Honorable Board the "Provisional Estimate" for the year 1875, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, October 31, 1874, together with their reasons for said estimate in detail contained in the accompanying communication, also adopted by said Board, November 7, 1874.

ANDREW H. GREEN,
Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, as provided by section 112 of chapter 335 of the Laws of 1873, and the amendments thereto, do, by the affirmative vote of all the members, hereby make the following Provisional Estimate of the amounts required to pay the expenses of conducting the public business of the City and County of New York, in each department and branch thereof, and the Board of Education, for the next ensuing financial year, to wit, for the year eighteen hundred and seventy-five (1875), in which estimate is included such sum as is necessary for the payment of the interest on the bonds of the said City and County, which becomes due and payable within said year, and also such sum as is necessary to pay the principal of any bonds and stocks which become due and payable from taxes during the said year, and also so much as may be necessary to pay the proportion of the State Tax required to be paid by the City and County of New York in said year.

THE COMMON COUNCIL

City Contingencies.....	\$5,000 00
Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council.....	500 00
Salaries—Common Council:	
President of the Board of Aldermen.....	\$5,000 00
Twenty-one Aldermen, at \$4,000 each.....	84,000 00
Clerks and officers, Board of Aldermen.....	15,000 00
	104,000 00
	\$109,500 00

THE MAYORALTY.

Contingencies—Mayor's office.....	\$2,500 00
Salaries—Mayor's office:	
Salary of the Mayor.....	\$12,000 00
Salaries of Clerks and subordinates.....	20,000 00
	32,000 00
Salaries—Bureau of Permits.....	9,500 00
Contingencies—Bureau of Permits.....	500 00
	44,500 00

THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Expenses of conducting the Department:	
Cleaning markets.....	\$20,000 00
Contingencies—Comptroller's office.....	5,000 00
Salaries—Department of Finance.....	225,000 00
Salaries—Chamberlain's office.....	30,000 00
	280,000 00

Expenses of conducting the City Government:

FOR THE STATE.

State Taxes:	
For General Purposes, 1½ mills, Chapter 417, Laws of 1874.....	\$1,657,735 03
For General Purposes, Deficiency, 69-160ths mill, Chapter 417, Laws of 1874.....	476,598 82
For Bounty Debt, 2 mills, Chapter 417, Laws of 1874.....	2,210,313 38
For New Capitol, ½ mill, Chapter 417, Laws of 1874.....	552,578 35
For Asylums and Reformatories, 6-160ths mill, Chapter 417, Laws of 1874.....	414,433 76
For Canal Floating Debt, 1-10th mill, Chapter 271, Laws of 1859, and Chapter 417, Laws of 1874.....	110,515 67
For new work on Canals, and extra Repairs, ½ mill, Chapter 399, Laws of 1874.....	967,012 10
For payment of awards by Canal Appraisers and Canal Board, and certain Certificates of Indebtedness.....	241,753 03
	\$6,630,940 14
Common Schools for the State:	
For Common Schools, 1¼ mills, Chapter 417, Laws of 1874.....	1,381,445 86
	8,012,386 00

INTEREST ON, AND INSTALMENTS OF PRINCIPAL OF, THE DEBT OF THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

Interest on the City Debt.....	\$9,300,000 00
Floating Debt Fund Stock of 1878:	
Annual instalment.....	130,763 33
New Court-house Stock:	
Annual instalment.....	100,000 00
Stock for Docks and Slips:	
Redemption of.....	50,000 00
Volunteer Soldiers' Family Aid Fund Bonds No. 11:	
Redemption of.....	500,000 00
Soldiers' Substitute Bounty Redemption Bonds:	
Redemption of.....	500,000 00
Redemption of the Debt of the annexed Territory of Westchester County.....	74,000 00
Redemption of Bonds for Improving North End of Island and Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, under Chapter 604, Laws of 1874.....	100,000 00
	10,754,763 33

MISCELLANEOUS PURPOSES.

Judgments.....	\$125,000 00
Commissions of the Sinking Fund:	
Expenses of.....	2,000 00
New City Prison Commission:	
Expenses of.....	6,000 00
Rents:	
For the payment of rent of property leased to the Corporation for public offices and other public purposes, except armories and drill-rooms.....	75,000 00
Real Estate, Expenses of:	
For the payment of assessments, on real estate belonging to the Corporation, for public improvements; also, taxes on property in Brooklyn and elsewhere out of the City of New York, except as otherwise provided for.....	50,000 00
Salaries—Bureau of Attorney for the Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes:	
Salary of Attorney.....	\$7,500 00
Salaries of Clerks.....	3,500 00
	11,000 00
Fourth Avenue Improvement:	
As provided by Chapter 702, Laws of 1872, and Chapter 308, Laws of 1874.....	1,598,767 50
Contesting Street-opening Cases:	
Under Chapter 483, Laws of 1872.....	3,000 00
	1,870,767 50

THE LAW DEPARTMENT.

Contingencies—Law Department.....	\$100,000 00
Contingencies—Corporation Attorney's Office.....	1,000 00
Contingencies—Public Administrator's Office.....	1,000 00
Salaries—Law Department:	
[Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.]	
Salary of the Counsel to the Corporation.....	\$15,000 00
Salaries of Assistant, Clerks and Messengers.....	50,000 00
	\$65,000 00
[Bureau of Corporation Attorney.]	
Salary of the Corporation Attorney.....	\$7,500 00
Salaries of Clerks and Assistants.....	6,000 00
	13,500 00
[Bureau of Public Administrator.]	
Salary of Public Administrator.....	\$5,000 00
Salaries of Clerks and Assistants.....	3,000 00
	8,000 00
	\$8,500 00
	188,500 00

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Aqueduct—Repairs and Maintenance.....	\$120,000 00	
Boulevards, Roads, and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	70,000 00	
Contingencies—Department of Public Works.....	2,500 00	
Flagging Sidewalks and Fencing Vacant Lots in front of City Property.....	1,000 00	
Free Floating Baths.....	10,000 00	
Lamps and Gas.....	650,000 00	
Lamps and Gas, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	100,000 00	
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs—Including those formerly designated as "County Buildings".....	50,000 00	
Public Drinking-hydrants.....	5,000 00	
Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues.....	2,500 00	
Repairing and renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	80,000 00	
Repairing and keeping in order Wooden and Concrete Pavements.....	50,000 00	
Roads and Avenues Sprinkling.....	20,000 00	
Salaries—Department of Public Works.....	140,000 00	
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning.....	75,000 00	
Street Improvements—For Street Signs, etc.....	2,500 00	
Streets, Repaving, and Repairs to Stone Pavements.....	100,000 00	
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices—Including those formerly designated as "County Buildings".....	92,500 00	
Wells and Pumps, Repairing and Cleaning.....	1,000 00	
		1,572,000 00

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places : Including the sum of \$30,000 for the keeping, preservation, and exhibitions of the collections in the American Museum of Natural History and the Metropolitan Museum of Art, and including the entire salaries of the President, Clerks, Officers, Employees, other than Foremen and Laborers.....	\$450,000 00	
Harlem River Bridges, Repairs, Improvements, and Maintenance.....	35,000 00	
Music—Central Park.....	6,000 00	
Independence Day—Celebration of.....	8,000 00	
Maintenance and Government of Public Places, Streets, Roads, Avenues, Bridges, in Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	50,000 00	
Surveying, Laying Out, Monumenting, etc., north end of the island, and Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	35,000 00	
		584,000 00

THE DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

Contingencies—Department of Buildings.....	\$2,000 00	
Salaries—Department of Buildings.....	93,000 00	
		95,000 00

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Public Charities and Correction : For salaries, including the services of the Emigrant Examining Clerk.....	\$315,000 00	
For supplies, including \$90,000.00 for Out-door Poor.....	850,000 00	
For Repairs to Buildings and Apparatus.....	35,000 00	
		1,200,000 00

The above contains no provision for Free Labor Bureau after May 1, 1875, the School-ship "Mercury," and Steamer "Bellevue" after January 1, 1875.

THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Health Fund : For salaries.....	\$140,000 00	
For law expenses, including Marshals' fees.....	5,000 00	
For disinfection.....	10,000 00	
For contingent expenses.....	10,000 00	
		\$165,000 00
For removal of Night-soil, Offal, and Dead Animals.....	40,000 00	
		205,000 00

THE POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Police Fund : For salaries of Commissioners of Police.....	\$25,000 00	
For salary of Superintendent of Police.....	6,000 00	
For salaries of 4 Inspectors of Police.....	14,000 00	
For salaries of 20 Sergeants, at \$1,500 each.....	30,000 00	
For salaries of 35 Captains, at \$2,000 each.....	70,000 00	
For salaries of 140 Sergeants, at \$1,600 each.....	224,000 00	
For salaries of 2,251 Patrolmen, at \$1,200 each.....	2,713,200 00	
For salaries of 78 Doormen, at \$900 each.....	70,200 00	
For salaries of clerks, deputies, stenographers, superintendent of telegraph, telegraph operators, cleaners, steamboat, and all other employees.....	50,000 00	
		\$3,203,400 00
Police Station-houses—Rents.....	10,925 00	
Police Station-houses—Alterations, Fitting up, Repairs, etc.....	20,000 00	
Police Station-houses, Nineteenth Precinct—For Purchase of Site and Construction of Station-house.....	70,000 00	
Supplies for Police.....	80,000 00	
Construction of Stables for Thirty-third Precinct.....	3,000 00	

Cleaning streets under Police Department : For salaries of clerks, inspectors, foremen, steamboat superintendents and employees, wages of sweepers, laborers, watchmen, trimmers, cart drivers, and hostlers ; expenses for hired carts, supplies new scows, harness, horses, and carts, rent of stables and all expenses for this purpose.....	\$850,000 00	
		4,237,325 00

THE FIRE DEPARTMENT

Fire Department Fund : For Salaries, viz : Headquarter's Pay-roll.....	\$50,000 00	
Telegraph Force Pay-roll.....	34,550 00	
Repair Shop Pay-roll.....	45,000 00	
Bureau of Combustibles Pay-roll.....	40,000 00	
Bureau of Fire Marshal Pay-roll.....	10,000 00	
Bureau of Chief of Department Pay-roll.....	30,000 00	
Pay of foremen, assistant foremen, engineers, firemen, ladder-men, and hose-men, of Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies, and of the Fire Steamboat.....	880,100 00	
		\$1,090,550 00
For new apparatus, horses, rents, and all supplies and expenses of the Department not otherwise provided for, including maintenance of Fire Steamboat.....	200,000 00	
For buildings.....	30,000 00	
		1,320,550 00

THE DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

Contingencies—Department of Taxes and Assessments.....	\$1,000 00	
Salaries—Department of Taxes and Assessments : Salaries of Commissioners.....	\$16,500 00	
Salaries of Deputies, Clerks, and employees.....	92,900 00	
		109,400 00
Salaries—Board of Assessors : Salaries of the Assessors and their clerks.....	19,400 00	
		129,800 00

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Public Instruction : For salaries of teachers, janitors, superintendents, clerks, and employees.....	\$2,500,000 00	
For supplies, rents, ordinary repairs of buildings, furniture, and heating apparatus ; purchasing, leasing, and procuring sites, and erecting buildings ; furnishing, fitting up, altering, enlarging, and repairing buildings and premises under the charge of the Board of Education, and for repairing the furniture and heating apparatus ; for the support of schools which shall have been organized since the last annual apportionment of school moneys ; and such further sum or sums as may be necessary for any of the purposes authorized by law, including the expense of compulsory education, as provided by Chapter 421, Laws of 1874 ; and for the support of the Nautical School, established by Chapter 288, Laws of 1873 ; and all expenses of the Board of Education not included under any other head of account.....	700,000 00	
For school moneys apportioned to the corporate schools.....	103,000 00	
		3,303,000 00

THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

College of the City of New York : For salaries of Professors and officers, scientific apparatus, books, and supplies, repairing buildings, support and maintenance, and all other expenses.....	140,000 00	
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ADVERTISING, PRINTING, STATIONERY, AND BLANK-BOOKS.

Publication of the CITY RECORD.....	\$22,500 00	
CITY RECORD—Salaries and Contingencies.....	9,000 00	
Advertising.....	5,000 00	
Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books : For all printing, stationery, and blank books required by the Common Council, the Departments and Offices of the City Government, except printing the CITY RECORD.....	137,500 00	
		174,000 00

THE JUDICIARY.

Salaries—City Courts :

(Police Courts.) Salaries of eleven Police Justices, at \$8,000 each per annum.....	\$88,000 00	
Salaries of clerks, attendants, stenographers, interpreters, and janitors, the Record Clerk, and Secretary of the Board of Police Justices.....	83,880 40	
		\$171,880 40
(District Courts.) Salaries of ten District Court Justices, at \$8,000 per annum each.....	\$80,000 00	
Salaries of clerks, stenographers, interpreters, attendants, and janitors.....	119,200 00	
		199,200 00
		371,080 40

Salaries—Judiciary :

(The Supreme Court.) Five Justices, at \$11,500 each.....	\$57,500 00	
Clerks, criers, stenographers, and librarian.....	54,500 00	
Twenty-four attendants, at \$1,200 each.....	28,800 00	
Compensation of judges from other districts.....	5,000 00	
		\$125,800 00
(The Superior Court.) Six Justices, at \$15,000 each.....	\$90,000 00	
Clerks, criers, stenographers, and librarian.....	53,000 00	
Twenty attendants at \$1,200 each.....	24,000 00	
		167,000 00

(The Court of Common Pleas.) Six Justices, at \$15,000 each.....	\$90,000 00	
Clerks, crier, and stenographer.....	54,500 00	
Twenty attendants, at \$1,200 each.....	24,000 00	
		168,500 00

(The Marine Court.) Six Justices, at \$10,000 each.....	\$60,000 00	
Stenographers and interpreter.....	11,500 00	
Clerk, deputy clerk, and twelve assistant clerks.....	37,500 00	
Eighteen attendants, at \$1,200 each.....	21,600 00	
		130,600 00

(The Court of General Sessions, and Oyer and Terminer.) Clerk.....	\$7,000 00	
Deputy clerk.....	5,000 00	
Assistant clerk.....	3,000 00	
Stenographer.....	2,500 00	
Interpreter.....	3,500 00	
Thirty-six attendants, at \$1,200 each.....	43,200 00	
		64,200 00

(The Court of Special Sessions.) Clerk.....	\$6,000 00	
Deputy Clerk.....	5,000 00	
Stenographer.....	2,500 00	
Interpreter.....	2,000 00	
Three Subpoena Servers, at \$2,000 each.....	6,000 00	
Messenger.....	1,500 00	
		23,000 00

(The County Clerk's Office.) County Clerk, deputies, assistants, clerks, and messenger.....	40,725 00	
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(The Surrogate's Office.) Surrogate.....	\$15,000 00	
Chief clerk, clerks, assistants, stenographers, attendants, and messenger.....	45,000 00	
		60,000 00

(The District Attorney's Office.) The District Attorney.....	\$15,000 00	
Assistants, clerks, stenographer, and messengers.....	58,800 00	
		73,800 00

(The Recorder's Office.) The Recorder.....	\$15,000 00	
Clerk.....	3,000 00	
Messenger service.....	520 00	
Allowance for cleaning office.....	300 00	
		18,820 00

(The City Judge's Office.) The City Judge.....	\$15,000 00	
Clerk and messenger.....	2,200 00	
		17,200 00

(The Commissioner of Jurors.) Salary of the Commissioner.....	7,500 00	
		897,345 00

MISCELLANEOUS PURPOSES.

Coroners' Fees : For fees of Coroners, as authorized by Chapter 565, Laws of 1868 ; and for expenses of Attending Physicians, including salary of Clerk to Board of Coroners, as provided by Chapter 462, Laws of 1871.....	\$80,000 00	
Contingencies—District Attorney's office.....	7,750 00	
Disbursements and Fees of County Officers and Witnesses.....	20,000 00	
Election Expenses.....	160,000 00	
Jurors' Fees.....	30,000 00	

Salaries—Commissioners of Accounts : For salaries of two Commissioners of Accounts, at \$3,000 each.....	\$6,000 00	
Clerk hire.....	6,000 00	
		12,000 00
Indebtedness of late Town of Kingsbridge, arising under Chapter 534 of the Laws of 1871, as authorized by Chapter 651, Laws of 1874.....	11,890 62	
For procuring and presenting of evidence in all matters, suits, or proceedings in relation to frauds committed, prior to January, 1872, on the City or County.....	20,000 00	
		341,640 62

ASYLUMS, REFORMATORIES, AND CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS.

Asylum for Idiots : (Chap. 739, Laws of 1867).....	\$220 00	
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American Female Guardian Society and Home for the Friendless : (Chap. 754, Laws of 1872).....	25,000 00	
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Children's Aid Society : (Chap. 70, Laws of 1865).....	\$10,000 00	
(Chap. 163, Laws of 1867).....	30,000 00	
(Chap. 180, Laws of 1871).....	30,000 00	
		70,000 00

Foundling Asylum under charge of the Sisters of Charity : (Chap. 635, Laws of 1872).....	188,355 00	
(Chap. 644, Laws of 1874).....		

Hebrew Benevolent Society : (Chap. 230, Laws of 1874).....	30,000 00	
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Hudson River State Hospital : (Chap. —, Laws of 1874).....	500 00	
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Institution for Deaf and Dumb : (Chap. 325, Laws of 1863).....	14,000 00	
(Chap. 386, Laws of 1864).....		
(Chap. 725, Laws of 1867).....		

Institution for Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes : (Chap. 725, Laws of 1867).....	11,980 00	
(Chap. 180, Laws of 1870).....		

Institution for the Blind : (Chap. 166, Laws of 1870).....		
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Le Couteux St. Mary's Institution for the Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes in the City of Buffalo : (Chap. 548, Laws of 1871).....		
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Magdalen Female Benevolent Society : (Chap. 409, Laws of 1867).....		
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New York Juvenile Asylum : (Chap. 245, Laws of 1866).....	75,000 00	
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New York Infant Asylum : (Chap. 263, Laws of 1872).....	25,000 00	
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New York State Lunatic Asylum : (Chap. 135, Laws of 1842).....	3,500 00	
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New York Catholic Protectory : (Chap. 647, Laws of 1866).....	210,000 00	
(Chap. 428, Laws of 1867).....		

New York Society for the Relief of the Ruptured and Crippled : (Chap. 835, Laws of 1872).....	26,250 00
Nursery and Child's Hospital : (Chap. 650, Laws of 1866) (Chap. 366, Laws of 1869) (Chap. 643, Laws of 1874).....	90,000 00
Protestant Episcopal House of Mercy : (Chap. 409, Laws of 1867).....	10,000 00
Roman Catholic House of the Good Shepherd : (Chap. 409, Laws of 1867).....	15,000 00
State Lunatic Asylum for Insane Criminals at Auburn : (Chap. 895, Laws of 1869).....	1,100 00
The Shepherd's Fold : (Chap. 269, Laws of 1871).....	5,000 00
The Children's Fold of the City of New York : (Chap. 506, Laws of 1874).....	5,000 00
Union Home and School for Education of Children of Volunteer Soldiers : (Chap. 309, Laws of 1870) (Chap. 583, Laws of 1871) (Chap. 143, Laws of 1873).....	20,000 00
Total.....	825,905 00
Deduct amount of estimated revenues of the General Fund not otherwise specifically appropriated by law, including surplus revenues of the Sinking Fund for payment of interest on City debt.....	3,000,000 00
Total.....	\$33,657,062 85

A true copy of the "Provisional Estimate" of the City of New York, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting, duly convened, held October 31, 1874.

JOHN WHEELER,
Secretary.

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

In pursuance of the provisions of section 112 of chapter 335 of the Laws of 1873, requiring a concurrent vote to make a provisional estimate, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment herewith transmit to your Honorable Body the Provisional Estimate made by the said Board for the year 1875, with the following reasons for it in detail :

1. THE COMMON COUNCIL.

The amount of appropriations under this head for the year 1874 was \$193,500, which is reduced in the Departmental Estimate for the year 1875 to \$122,500, on account of the abolition of the Board of Assistant Aldermen under the Charter of 1873, to take effect January 1, 1875. In the Provisional Estimate for 1875 the amount of appropriation is fixed at \$109,500, making a reduction on the Departmental Estimate of \$13,000, as follows :

City Contingencies.....	\$2,000 00
Contingencies—Clerk of Common Council.....	1,000 00
Salaries—Clerks and Officers.....	10,000 00
Total.....	\$13,000 00

The Departmental Estimate has been reduced in these items for the reason that the amounts called for therein are deemed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment more than are required for the several purposes.

2. THE MAYORALTY.

The amount asked for by the Departmental Estimate for the year 1875, is \$46,000, on which sum a reduction of \$1,500 has been made in the item of "Salaries and Contingencies—Bureau of Permits," for the reason that the collections of that office have been materially curtailed by the action of the Common Council upon license fees.

3. DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

The amount asked for by the Departmental Estimate for 1875, is \$362,411, on which sum a reduction is made of \$82,411, as follows :

Cleaning Markets.....	\$5,000 00
Contingencies—Comptroller's Office.....	10,000 00
Salaries—Department of Finance.....	67,411 00
Total.....	\$82,411 00

The reduction in the item of "Salaries—Finance Department," includes \$20,000 "for procuring and presenting of evidence in all matters, suits, or proceedings in relation to frauds committed prior to January, 1872, on the City or County," the appropriation for which has been placed under the head of "Miscellaneous Purposes."

4. DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

The amount appropriated is \$129,800, which is the amount of the Departmental Estimate. The estimates of this Department have not been reduced at all.

5. THE LAW DEPARTMENT.

The amount of the Departmental Estimate is \$352,350, upon which a reduction has been made of \$163,850, as follows :

Salary as member of the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments.....	\$1,000 00
Salary as legal adviser to Board of Supervisors.....	2,000 00
Allowance in lieu of fees in Street Opening cases.....	6,500 00
Salaries of Clerks.....	2,850 00
Salaries—Corporation Attorney's Clerks.....	1,500 00
Contingencies.....	150,000 00
Total.....	\$163,850 00

The reduction of \$150,000 in his own estimate on "Contingencies," has been made at the instance of the Corporation Counsel. The items of additional compensation to the Corporation Counsel, amounting to \$9,500, have been deducted from the Departmental Estimate, as not being in accordance with the provision of the Charter fixing his salary at \$15,000 per annum. The appropriation for salaries of clerks, Corporation Counsel and Corporation Attorney's Offices has been fixed at an amount deemed fully adequate for those purposes.

6. THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

The Departmental Estimate is reduced \$146,000, on the following items :

Aqueduct—Repairs and Maintenance.....	\$5,000 00
Boulevard, roads and avenues—Maintenance of.....	10,000 00
Contingencies—Department of Public Works.....	2,500 00
Flagging and fencing in front of City property.....	1,000 00
Lamps and gas.....	35,000 00
Lamps and gas—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth wards.....	30,000 00
Public buildings—Construction and repairs, including those formerly designated "County".....	10,000 00
Public drinking-hydrants.....	2,500 00
Repairing and renewal of pipes, stop-cocks, etc.....	10,000 00
Roads and avenues, and sprinkling.....	15,000 00
Salaries—Department of Public Works.....	15,000 00
Supplies for and cleaning public offices, including those formerly designated "County".....	19,500 00
Wells and pumps—Repairing and cleaning.....	500 00
Total.....	\$146,000 00

The amount appropriated for the Department of Public Works is \$1,572,000, which sum the Board of Estimate and Apportionment have considered as ample for the expenditures under the Department estimate, besides which there are large expenditures made by this Department that are provided for by the issue of bonds.

7. THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

The total amount of appropriations made for this Department under the Revised Estimates for the year 1874, was \$595,500. The amount asked for in the Departmental Estimate for 1875, is \$935,170.51, which is \$339,670.51 more than the appropriations for 1874. This additional amount

has been asked for by the Department of Public Parks for various purposes which are fully explained in the communications attached to the Departmental Estimates for 1875; but although it is desirable that the appropriations to be provided for by taxes for the ordinary expenses of maintenance and government of the Department of Public Parks shall be amply sufficient for this purpose, at the same time it is deemed advisable by the Board of Estimate not to provide for expenditures under this head which may be deferred or dispensed with at the present time. The Departmental Estimate has therefore been reduced in the sum of \$351,170, on the following items :

For maintenance and government of Parks and Places.....	\$150,000 00
For Observatory, Museum and Gallery of Art.....	20,000 00
For Harlem river bridges, repairs, improvements, and maintenance.....	12,500 00
For care and repairs of roads and bridges in Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	50,500 00
For surveying, laying out, monumenting, etc., north end of the Island, and Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	41,000 00
For the sea-wall at the Battery.....	7,500 00
For pavement of City Hall Park.....	30,000 00
For deficiency of the year 1873.....	37,670 51
For celebration of Independence Day.....	2,000 00
Total.....	\$351,170 51

8. THE DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

The Departmental Estimate is for \$110,000, on which amount a reduction of \$15,000 has been as follows :

For salaries.....	\$12,000 00
For contingencies.....	3,000 00
Total.....	\$15,000 00

The expenses of this Department should be reduced on account of the inactivity of all building operations in this city.

9. THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

The total amount of appropriations for this Department by the Revised Estimate for 1874 was \$1,324,345, and the amount asked for in the Departmental Estimate for 1875 is \$1,459,398.95. The amount appropriated for 1875 is \$1,200,000, making a reduction of \$259,398.95, on the following items :

For salaries.....	\$37,558 00
For supplies.....	92,390 95
For new buildings.....	73,500 00
For repairs to buildings and Engineer's Department.....	55,950 00
Total.....	\$259,398 95

These reductions are made for expenses which the Board of Estimate and Apportionment consider can be properly dispensed with or materially curtailed in the ensuing financial year.

10. THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

The amount asked for in the Departmental Estimate for 1875 is \$249,150, which has been reduced in the sum of \$44,150, on the following items :

For salaries.....	\$28,050 00
For disinfection.....	5,000 00
For contingencies.....	3,100 00
For removal of night-soil.....	8,000 00
Total.....	\$44,150 00

These reductions have been made in accordance with such a proper curtailment of the expenses of the Department as are consistent with an economical administration of its affairs during the ensuing financial year.

11. THE POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The amount asked for in the Departmental Estimate is \$4,533,580, and the amount appropriated is \$4,237,325, making a reduction of \$296,255, on the following items :

For salaries—Patrolmen.....	\$46,800 00
For salaries—Clerks and Employees.....	10,260 00
For supplies.....	10,814 00
For alterations, additions to and repairs of Station-houses.....	10,000 00
For construction of stable for Thirty-sixth Precinct, and a new Station-house for the Nineteenth Precinct.....	35,000 00
For street cleaning.....	180,381 00
Total.....	\$296,255 00

The enormous amount of expense borne by the City for conducting the Police Department, and particularly for the service of street cleaning under its charge, imposes a burden upon the taxpayers which demands relief, as far as possible, by reducing all expenditures that can be reached, by strict economy and efficient management. The estimates of the Department have therefore been reduced in such items of expense as the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, after the most careful scrutiny, believe will bear such curtailment without prejudice to the public interests, if the amounts appropriated to them are applied judiciously and faithfully. In the item of "Salaries—Patrolmen," the Departmental Estimate is \$2,760,000, for 2,300 patrolmen, at \$1,200 each, on which a reduction of \$46,800 is made, because the force actually consists of 39 men less, or 2,261 men.

12. THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

The amount asked for in the Departmental Estimate is \$1,436,932, and the amount appropriated is \$1,320,550, making a reduction on the estimates of this Department of \$116,382, on the following items :

For salaries—Headquarter's pay-roll.....	\$14,590 00
Repair shop.....	16,500 00
Bureau of Combustibles.....	11,092 00
For salaries—Bureau of Fire Marshal.....	2,500 00
Chief of Department.....	5,200 00
For buildings.....	\$49,882 00
For new apparatus, horses, rents, and all supplies and expenses of the Department not otherwise provided for, including maintenance of steamboat.....	30,000 00
Total.....	\$116,382 00

Such reductions have been made in the estimates of the Fire Department as are deemed advisable and proper by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

13. THE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

The amount asked for in the Departmental Estimate is \$3,683,000, and the amount appropriated is \$3,303,000, making a reduction on the estimates of this Department of \$380,000, in the following items of appropriation :

For salaries of teachers, janitors, superintendents, clerks, and employees.....	\$186,500 00
For supplies, etc. (as printed in CITY RECORD).....	193,500 00
Total.....	\$380,000 00

The estimates for this Department are reluctantly reduced by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment; but there exists such urgent necessity for keeping down the taxes as much as possible that the amount appropriated for this, as well as other Departments, is fixed at a sum which is considered adequate for the actual needs.

14. THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The amount of the Departmental Estimate is reduced \$10,000, for the reason that the amount appropriated, \$140,000, is deemed amply adequate for the expenses of this institution.

15. ADVERTISING, PRINTING, STATIONERY AND BLANK BOOKS.

The amount of estimates for conducting and printing the CITY RECORD for 1875 is reduced \$9,500, in the following items :

For printing the CITY RECORD.....	\$7,500 00
For salaries and contingencies—CITY RECORD.....	2,000 00
Total.....	\$9,500 00

The amounts appropriated for these purposes are deemed ample and sufficient.

The estimate for printing, stationery, law and blank books for the several City and County Departments, Officers and Courts for the year 1875 is reduced from \$150,000 to \$137,500, which amount is deemed adequate for these objects.

16. THE JUDICIARY.

The amount of the estimates for the Judiciary for 1875 is \$1,298,245, which has been reduced \$29,819.60, mainly in the estimates of the Police and District Courts, and the amount appropriated for the various Courts are deemed ample for the service, and should be further reduced if the salaries, which in many cases are exorbitant, were not fixed by law.

ASYLUMS, REFORMATORIES, AND CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS.

The amounts appropriated for the various asylums, reformatory, and charitable institutions are fixed in accordance with the requirements of law, which in some cases are for specific amounts, and in others a *per capita* allowance, the estimates for which are based on the needs of former years.

STATE TAXES, INTEREST, AND REDEMPTION OF DEBT, AND MISCELLANEOUS PURPOSES.

The appropriations for State Taxes, interest on City Debt, and redemption of the debt maturing in the year 1875, for the Improvement of the Fourth avenue, Election Expenses, Coroner's Fees, and Indebtedness of the late Town of Kingsbridge, have been fixed according to the requirements of law.

The following appropriations have also been made for the conduct of the public business, to wit :

with :	
Judgments.....	\$125,000 00
Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, Expenses of.....	2,000 00
New City Prison, Expenses of.....	6,000 00
Rents—For the payment of rent of property leased to the Corporation for public offices and other public purposes, except armories and drill-rooms.....	75,000 00
Real Estate, Expenses of—For the payment of assessments on real estate belonging to the Corporation for public improvements; also, taxes on property in Brook- lyn and elsewhere, out of the City of New York.....	50,000 00
Salaries—Bureau of Attorney for Collection of Personal Taxes.....	11,000 00
Contesting Street Opening Cases.....	3,000 00
Contingencies—District Attorney's Office.....	7,750 00
Disbursements and Fees of County Officers and Witnesses.....	20,000 00
Salaries—Commissioners of Accounts, and clerk hire.....	12,000 00
For procuring and presenting of evidence in all matters, suits, or proceedings in relation to frauds committed prior to January, 1872, on the city and county.....	20,000 00

street lamp-posts and lamps, in front of their property, said lamp-posts not to exceed in diameter the ordinary street lamp-posts, the gas to be furnished at their own expense; the permission hereby given to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 22, 1874.

Adopted by the Board of Assistant Aldermen, October 26, 1874.

Approved by the Mayor, October 31, 1874.

Resolved, That Thomas Pearson be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor in and for the City and County of New York.

Adopted by the Board of Assistant Aldermen, October 26, 1874.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 5, 1874.

Approved by the Mayor, November 6, 1874.

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.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office, No. 6, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
Mayor's Marshal, No. 5, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
Permit Bureau, No. 1, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 2 P. M.
License Bureau, No. 1, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 2 P. M.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Clerk of the Common Council and of Board of Supervisors, 7 and 8, City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk of Board of Assistant Aldermen, 9½ City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, OFFICE HOURS 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Comptroller's Office, West end.
1. Bureau for the collection of the revenue accruing from rents and interest on bonds and mortgages, and revenue arising from the use or sale of property belonging to or managed by the city; Ground floor, west end.
2. Bureau for the Collection of Taxes; Brown stone building, City Hall Park.
3. Bureau for the Collection of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and Water Rents; Ground floor, west end.
4. Auditing Bureau; Main floor, west end.
5. Bureau of Licenses; Ground floor, west end.
6. Bureau of Markets; Ground floor, west end.
7. Bureau for the reception of all moneys paid into the Treasury in the City, and for the payment of money on warrants drawn by the Comptroller and countersigned by the Mayor, at the Office of Chamberlain and County Treasurer; Main floor, west end.
8. Bureau for the Collection of Assessments; Rotunda.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Counsel to the Corporation, Staats Zeitung Building, 3d floor; 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Public Administrator, 115 and 117 Nassau street, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Corporation Attorney, 115 and 117 Nassau street, 8½ A. M. to 4½ P. M.
Attorney for the Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes; Brown stone building, City Hall Park, 32 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Attorney to the Department of Buildings, 20 Nassau street, room 52, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET, ALWAYS OPEN
Central Office.
Commissioners' Office.
Superintendent's Office.
Inspectors' Office.
Chief Clerk's Office, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Property Clerk.
Bureau of Street Cleaning, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Bureau of Elections.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

CITY HALL, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Commissioners' Office, No. 19.
Chief Clerk's Office, No. 20.
Contract Clerk's Office, No. 21.
Engineer in charge of Sewers, No. 21.
Boulevards and Avenues, No. 18½.
Bureau of Repairs and Supplies, No. 18.
Lamps and Gas, No. 13.
Incumbrances, No. 13.
Street Improvements, No. 11.
Chief Engineer Croton Aqueduct, No. 11½.
Water Register, No. 10.
Water Purveyor, No. 4.
Streets and Roads, No. 13.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office, No. 66 Third avenue, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Out Door Poor Department, No. 66 Third avenue, always open; entrance on Eleventh street.
Free Labor Bureau, Nos. 8 and 10 Clinton place, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Reception Hospital, City Hall Park, northeast corner always open.
Reception Hospital, Ninety-ninth street and Tenth avenue, always open.
Bellevue Hospital, foot of Twenty-sixth street, East river, always open.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

NOS. 127 AND 129 MERCER ST., 9 A. M. TO 4 P. M.
Commissioners' Office. Chief of Department.
Inspectors of Combustibles. Fire Marshal.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

NO. 301 MOTT STREET.
Commissioners' Office, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Sanitary Superintendent, always open.
Register of Records, for granting burial permits, on all days of the week, except Sunday, from 7 A. M. to 6 P. M. and on Sundays from 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Commissioner's Office, 36 Union Sq., 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Commissioner's Office, 346 and 348 Broadway, corner Leonard street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

Commissioners' Office, brown stone building, City Hall Park, 32 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; on Saturday 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.
Surveyor's Bureau, 19 Chatham street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Board of Assessors.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

Superintendent's Office 2, Fourth avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

BOARD OF EXCISE.
Commissioners' Office, 299 Mulberry st., 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.
CORNER GRAND AND ELM STREETS.
Office of the Board, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Superintendent of Schools, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.
Office, No. 32 Chambers street (basement).

COMMISSIONERS OF EMIGRATION.
CASTLE GARDEN.
Commissioners' Office, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Superintendent's Office, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

THE CITY RECORD.
Office, No. 2, City Hall, northwest corner basement A. M. to 6 P. M.

MISCELLANEOUS OFFICES.

HOURS 9 A. M. TO 4 P. M.
Coroners' Office, 40 East Houston street.
Sheriff's Office, first floor, northeast corner of New Court-house.
County Clerk's Office, first floor, southwest corner of New Court-house.
Surrogate's Office, first floor southeast corner of New Court-house.
Register's Office, Hall of Records, City Hall Park.
District Attorney's Office, second floor, Old Court-house 32 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Commissioner's Office, New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

COURTS.

SUPREME COURT.
General Term, Special Term, Chambers, Circuit Part I, Circuit Part II, second floor, New Court-house, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
SUPERIOR COURT.
Part I, Part II, Third floor, New Court-house, 11 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerks' Office, Third floor, New Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
COMMON PLEAS.
Third floor, New Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GENERAL SESSIONS.
No. 32 Chambers street, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, 32 Chambers street, room 14, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
OVER AND TERMINER.
General Term, Special Term, No. 32 Chambers street, room 11, 10 A. M.
MARINE COURT.
General Term, room 17; Special Term, room 15; Chambers, room 18; 10 A. M. to 3 P. M. Clerk's Office, room 19, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. No. 32 Chambers street
SPECIAL SESSIONS.
At Tombs, corner Franklin and Centre streets, Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays, 10 A. M.
JUSTICES' (OR DISTRICT) COURTS.
First District—First, Second, Third, and Fifth Wards, southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Second District—Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, No. 514 Pearl street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Third District—Eighth, Ninth and Fifteenth Wards, No. 12 Greenwich avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards, No. 163 East Houston street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards, No. 154 Clinton street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Sixth District—Nos. 389 and 391 Fourth avenue.
Seventh District—Nineteenth and Twenty-second Wards, Fifty-seventh street, between Third and Lexington avenues, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards, southwest corner Twenty-second street and Seventh avenue, 930: A. M. to 4 P. M.
Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street near Fourth avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Tenth District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, northeast corner of Third avenue and Southern Boulevard, Harlem Bridge, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

POLICE COURTS.
First District—Fourteenth, Twenty-fourth, Twenty-fifth, Twenty-sixth, Twenty-seventh, and portion of Sanitary Precinct, Tombs, corner Franklin and Centre streets, 7 A. M. to 3 P. M.
Second District—Eighth, Ninth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Twentieth, Twenty-fifth, Thirty-third, Twenty-eighth, and Twenty-ninth Precincts, Greenwich avenue, corner of Tenth street, 9 A. M. to 6 P. M.
Third District—Seventh, Tenth, Eleventh, Thirteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth, and portion of Sanitary Precinct, No. 69 Essex street, 8 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Fourth District—Nineteenth, Twenty-first, Twenty-second, Twenty-third and Nineteenth Sub-station, Fifty-seventh street, between Third and Lexington avenues, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Fifth District—Twelfth Ward, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street near Fourth avenue, 8 A. M. to 4 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
NO. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, NOV. 7, 1874.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN ORDINANCE of the Common Council "In relation to the burial of strangers and 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 New York City Asylum for the Insane, Ward's Island, November 4, 1874—John Hogan, admitted February 22, 1873; aged 63 years; 5 feet 11 inches high; blue eyes; gray hair.
No person has been to visit him, nor could any information be obtained as to relatives or friends.

By Order, JOSHUA PHILLIPS, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
NO. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, November 2, 1874.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN ORDINANCE of the Common Council "In relation to the burial of strangers and 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 Second District Prison, October 31, 1874—Rose Murray, born in Ireland; aged 70 years. No home; very poorly clad, and no property. When committed, she was too feeble to be removed by ambulance.

By Order, JOSHUA PHILLIPS, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, OCT. 28, 1874.

PROPOSALS FOR FLOUR.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS above, will be received by the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, until 10 o'clock A. M. of the 11th day of November, 1874, at which time they will be publicly opened, for furnishing and delivering, at the Bake-house, Blackwell's Island, Three Thousand Barrels of Flour, and not below the grades now used by the Department, as per sample at this office. To be delivered in quantities of one hundred to five hundred barrels as may be required, free of expense to the Department.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.
No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect, that if the contract be awarded under that proposal, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties in the estimated amount of 50 per cent. for its faithful performance, which consent must be verified by the justification of each of the persons signing the same for double the amount of surety required. The sufficiency of such security to be approved by the Comptroller.

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

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

WM. LAIMBEER,
JAMES BOWEN,
MYER STERN,
Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
NO. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, November 10, 1874.

PROPOSALS FOR CARPENTER AND MASON WORK FOR ELEVATOR AT BELLEVUE HOSPITAL.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS above, will be received by the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, until 10 o'clock A. M., of the 23d day of November, 1874, at which time they will be publicly opened, for the Carpenter and Mason work required for an Elevator at Bellevue Hospital; the plan and specification for the work can be examined at the office of Renwick & Sands, architects, No. 4 Broad street.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.
No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect, that if the contract be awarded under that proposal, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties in the estimated amount of 50 per cent. for its faithful performance, which consent must be verified by the justification of each of the persons signing the same for double the amount of surety required. The sufficiency of such security to be approved by the Comptroller.

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

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

JAMES BOWEN,
WILLIAM LAIMBEER,
MYER STERN,
Commissioners.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION,
CORNER OF GRAND AND ELM STREETS,
NEW YORK, November 11, 1874.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT this office, until the twenty-eighth day of November, instant, at 3 P. M., for supplying for the use of the Public Schools under the jurisdiction of the Board of Education, Books, Stationery, and other articles required for one year, commencing on the 1st of January, 1875.

City and country publishers of books, and dealers in the various articles required, are hereby notified that preference will be given in all cases to the bids of principals, the Committee being desirous that commissions (if any) heretofore paid to agents or middlemen shall be deducted from the price of the articles bid for.

A sample of each article must accompany the bid.
A list of articles required will be furnished on application to the Clerk of the Board of Education.

RUFUS G. BEARDSLEE,
ANDREW J. MATHEWSON,
JAMES M. HALSTED,
DAVID WETMORE,
Committee on Supplies.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the School Trustees of the Twelfth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until 9½ o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, November 18, 1874, for Additions and Alterations to be made on the premises corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifth street, occupied by Primary School No. 19.
Sealed proposals will also be received at the same time and place, for the desks, seats, etc., required for said school.

DAVID H. KNAPP,
Chairman.

Sealed proposals will also be received by the School Trustees of the Nineteenth Ward, at the same place, until 9½ o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, November 18, 1874, for fitting up Two Buildings on First avenue, near Fifty-third street, for a new Primary School.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same time and place, for the desks, seats, etc., required for said school.

RICHARD KELLY,
Chairman.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand street, third floor.

Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, will be required from each successful bidder; proposals will not be considered unless sureties are named. The Trustees reserve the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted.

The name of the party submitting a proposal must be indorsed on the outside of the envelope containing the proposal.

Dated New York, November 3, 1874.

L. D. KIERNAN,
Clerk.

THE CITY RECORD.

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

DEPARTMENT PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
Commissioner's Office, Room 19, City Hall,
NEW YORK, November 7, 1874.

PROPOSALS IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 73, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, and Revised Ordinances of 1866, chapter 8, article 2, addressed to the undersigned, inclosed in a sealed envelope, and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, until Friday, November 20, 1874, at 12 o'clock noon (at which hour they will be publicly opened and read), for furnishing the gas for and lighting (and extinguishing, cleaning, repairing, and maintaining (and supplying gas, etc., for new lamps where required) the public lamps on the street, avenues, and places in the City of New York, for the period from January 1, 1875, to April 30, 1875, both days inclusive.

Each proposition must contain a fixed and definite price for one or more of each of the following duties to be performed:

A price for furnishing the gas (of sixteen candle power) for each lamp, including the lighting, extinguishing, cleaning, reglazing, replacing cocks, tubes, burners, crossheads, lamp-irons, and lanterns thereto, for the period of four months.

For each lamp-post straightened, the sum of

For each column releaded, the sum of

For each column refitted, the sum of

For each stand pipe refitted, the sum of

For each lamp-post removed, the sum of

For each lamp-post reset, the sum of

For each new lamp fitted up, the sum of

Blank forms of proposals, the specifications and agreements, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the bids, and any further information desired, can be obtained, on application, at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works.

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

W. F. HAVEMEYER,
Mayor.

AND. H. GREEN,
Comptroller.

GEO. M. VAN NORT,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
Commissioners' Office, 19 City Hall.

CONSUMERS OF CROTON WATER ARE hereby notified that the water rents for 1874 are now due, and are payable at the office of the Water Register, Room No. 10, City Hall, from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M. each day. A penalty will be added to all water rents remaining unpaid on the 1st of August.

GEO. M. VAN NORT,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT,

NO. 301 MOTT STREET,
NEW YORK, OCT. 16, 1874.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH of the Health Department of the City of New York, held at its office, on the 13th day of October, 1874, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That, under the power conferred by law on the Health Department, the following additional section to the Sanitary Code, for the security of life and health, be and the same is hereby adopted and declared to form a portion of the Sanitary Code:

SECTION 184. That on and after the fourth day of July, 1876, the business of slaughtering animals in the City of New York shall not be conducted south of One Hundred and Tenth street, unless the same shall be done in buildings located directly upon the water front, each having a capacity sufficient for the yarding and slaughtering daily of one-half of the entire number of cattle, or hogs, or small stock (all or separately according to the particular object of each abattoir) slaughtered in this city at the time this ordinance shall go into effect, and so constructed as to receive all stock deliverable thereat directly from cars or transports; and to discharge therefrom all liquid refuse below low-water mark; and to secure the proper care and disposition of all parts of the slaughtered animals upon the premises, or the immediate removal thereof by means of boats; and on and after the fourth day of July, 1876, no cattle, sheep, hogs, or calves shall be driven in the streets of such city below One Hundred and Tenth street; nor shall any offensive business growing out of that of slaughtering, as fat-melting, hide-curing, gut-cleaning, bone-boiling, glue-making, etc., etc., be conducted, except on the premises constructed and prepared as herein required, and devoted to the slaughtering and the disposing thereon of all parts of the slaughtered animals as aforesaid; nor shall any fat, hides, hoofs, or entrails, or other refuse parts of slaughtered animals (except fat or lard attached to meat exposed for sale, or collected by licensed dealers) be transported in said streets; nor shall any buildings be erected, or converted into, or used as a slaughter-house, until the plans thereof have been duly submitted to the Board of Health, and approved in writing by said Board.

[L. S.] CHARLES F. CHANDLER,
President.

EMMONS CLARK,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT PUBLIC PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
NO. 36 UNION SQUARE,
NEW YORK, NOV. 4, 1874.

REPAIRS BATTERY SEA WALL.

PROPOSALS, IN SEALED ENVELOPES, FOR Repairing the Battery Sea Wall in the City of New York, or so much thereof as the Department of Public Parks shall direct, will be received at the office of the said Department, as above, until Monday, the 16th day of November, 1874, at the hour of 9:30 o'clock A. M., when they will be publicly opened.

The work is to be completed in accordance with the specifications contained in the contract, on or before the first day of June, 1875.

Proposals will state the amount per lineal foot in length, for which it is proposed to execute said work.

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two responsible householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residences being named, to the effect that they will become bound as sureties for the faithful performance of the contract, should it be awarded upon that proposal, in the sum of three thousand dollars.

Each proposal must state the name and place of residence of the person making the same; the names of all persons colluding with any other person making an estimate for the same work; and that no member of the Common Council or other officer of the Corporation is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in any portion of the profits thereof.

The Department reserves the right to reject any or all proposals. Proposed sureties must verify their consent before a Judge of a Court of Record in the County of New York.

Forms of proposals may be obtained, and the terms of the contract (settled as required by law) seen at the office of the Secretary, as above.

Proposals must be addressed to the President of the Department of Public Parks, and indorsed "Proposals for Repairing Sea Wall."

H. G. STIERBINS, President,
PHILIP BISSINGER,
D. B. WILLIAMSON,
THOMAS E. STEWART,
Commissioners D. P. P.

WM. IRWIN,
Secretary D. P. P.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
346 and 348 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, October 28, 1874.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING SAND, BROKEN STONE AND RIP-RAP STONE.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THESE materials, addressed to "Jacob A. Westervelt, President of the Department of Docks," will be received at this office until 11 o'clock A. M., of Friday, November 13, 1874, at which time the bids will be publicly opened and read.

The award of the contracts will be made as soon as practicable thereafter. Any bidder must be well prepared for the business, and shall give security for the faithful performance of his contract, in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance.

The quantity to be delivered under the contract is estimated at about 8,000 cubic yards of sand, and about 20,000 cubic yards of broken stone, and 10,000 cubic yards of rip-rap stone, and the material must be delivered as called for by the requisitions issued by the Department. The contract is to cease and terminate twelve months from the date of the signing thereof.

Separate proposals will be received, and contracts awarded for the material, as follows: One contract for sand, and one contract for broken and rip-rap stone.

All the material will be measured in bulk on board the vessels at the place of delivery, by such person or persons as may be appointed for the purpose by the Department. Note.—Samples of the sand and stone proposed to be furnished must be deposited in the office of the Department of Docks, by each bidder, on or before the delivery of his proposal, and must be labeled with his name or other mark.

Bidders will state in the following proposals the price or each separate item of the material to be furnished, by which the bids will be tested. The price is to cover all expenses necessary for the complete fulfillment of the contract.

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

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 security or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Blank forms of proposals can be obtained by application at the office of the Department, and the form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the material, is annexed thereto.

JACOB A. WESTERVELT,
WILLIAM GARDNER,
WILLIAM BUDD,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONERS

FOR THE

Erection of the Court-house in Third Judicial District OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

233 BROADWAY, ROOM 5,
October 30, 1874.

IRREGULARITIES HAVING OCCURRED IN the former proposals, the Commissioners deem it for the best interests of the City to re-advertise for proposals for iron work of a Court-house, Bell-tower, and Prison building, to be erected in the Third Judicial District of the City of New York, on Sixth avenue, Greenwich avenue, and West Tenth street.

Separate proposals in sealed envelopes will be received at the office of the Commissioners, 233 Broadway, Room 5, until Thursday, November 12, 1874, at the hour of 12 M., when they will be opened, for the supply and erection of the iron-work, in accordance with the drawings and specifications for the same, which may now be seen at the office of said Commissioners, 233 Broadway, Room 5.

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two responsible householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residences being named, to the effect that they will become bound as sureties in the sum of ten thousand dollars for the faithful performance of the contract, should it be awarded upon that proposal.

Each proposal must state the name and place of residence of the person making the same.

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

Proposed sureties must verify their consent before a Judge of a Court of Record, in the County of New York.

Forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Commissioners, as above.

Proposals must be addressed to the Commissioners for the erection of the Court-house in the Third Judicial District of the City of New York, and indorsed "Proposals for Iron-work, Court-house, Third Judicial District."

HENRY H. PORTER, Pres't,
EDWARD BERRIAN,
WILLIAM DODGE,
Commissioners.

J. AUGUSTUS PAGE,
Secretary

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
ROTUNDA, COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, September 18, 1874.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS

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

CONFIRMED SEPTEMBER 11, 1874.

Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones in One Hundred and Nineteenth street, from Fourth to Eighth avenue, except between Sixth and Seventh avenues.

Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging Seventy-fifth street, from Eighth to Tenth avenue.

Flagging, and curb and gutter East Seventy-eighth street, between Third and Fifth avenues.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before the 17th day of November, 1874, 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 confirmation.

The Collector's office is open daily, from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M. for the collection of money, and until 5 P. M. for general information.

SPENCER KIRBY,
Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
ROTUNDA, COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, Sept. 17, 1874.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED AUGUST 31, 1874.

Underground drains, between Sixty-second and Sixty-eighth streets, and between Eighth and Ninth avenues. Sewer in Sixty-seventh street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

Paving One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, from Harlem river to Manhattan street, and Manhattan street, from One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street to North river.

CONFIRMED SEPTEMBER 3, 1874.

Regulating, grading, setting curb, gutter, and flagging Sixty-eighth street, from Third to Fourth avenue. Curb and gutter Fifty-seventh street, from Eleventh avenue to North river.

Flagging Fifty-seventh street, from Eleventh avenue to North river. Flagging sidewalks in Fifty-seventh street, from Sixth to Eighth avenue.

Sewer in Montgomery street, between Henry street and East Broadway. Sewer in Moughn street, between Stanton and Houston streets.

Basin on the northwest corner of Manhattan street and Broadway. Underground drains between Ninety-six and One Hundred and Eleventh streets, and between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before the 16th day of November, 1874, 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 confirmation.

The Collector's office is open daily, from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M. for the collection of money, and until 5 P. M. for general information.

SPENCER KIRBY,
Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
ROTUNDA, COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, October 3, 1874.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED SEPTEMBER 29, 1874.

One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, regulating, grading, setting curb, gutter, and flagging, from Harlem river to Eighth avenue.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before December 3, 1874, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of (7) seven per cent. from the date of confirmation.

The Collector's office is open daily from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M. for the collection of money, and until 5 P. M. for general information.

SPENCER KIRBY,
Collector of Assessments.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU OF ARREARS,
September 1, 1874.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LANDS AND TENEMENTS FOR UNPAID ASSESSMENTS FOR STREETS, AVENUES, AND PARK OPENINGS, WIDENINGS, AND EXTENSIONS.

Under the direction of Andrew H. Green, Comptroller of the City of New York, the undersigned hereby gives public notice, pursuant to the provisions of the act entitled "An act for the collection of taxes, assessments, and Croton water rents in the City of New York, and to amend the several acts in relation thereto, passed April 8, 1871," that the respective owners of all the lands and tenements on which assessments have been laid and confirmed, and are now due and unpaid, and have remained due and unpaid since the confirmation of said assessments for streets, avenues, and park openings, widenings, and extensions, confirmed prior to January 1, 1871, are required to pay the amount of the assessments so due and remaining unpaid to the Clerk of Arrears, at his office, in the Finance Department, in the New Court-house, in the City of New York, together with the interest thereon, at the rate of twelve per cent. per annum to the time of payment, with the charges of this notice and advertisement.

And if default shall be made in such payment, such lands and tenements will be sold at public auction at the New Court-house in the City Hall Park, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, December 15, 1874, at 12 o'clock noon, for the lowest term of years, at which any person shall offer to take the same, in consideration of advancing the amount of the assessment so due and unpaid, and the interest thereon as aforesaid to the time of the sale, and together with the charges of this notice and advertisement, and all other costs and charges accrued thereon.

And that such sale will be continued from time to time until all the lands and tenements here advertised for sale shall be sold.

And notice is hereby further given that a detailed statement of the assessments, the ownership of the property assessed, and on which the assessments are due and unpaid, is published in a pamphlet, and that copies of the pamphlet are deposited in the office of the Clerk of Arrears in the Finance Department, and will be delivered to any person applying for the same.

A. S. CADY,
Clerk of Arrears.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
ROTUNDA, COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, October 10, 1874.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED OCTOBER 2, 1874.

Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter, and flagging 8 feet wide in Sixty-seventh street, from Eighth avenue to Hudson river.

Flagging Forty-ninth street (south side), between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

Sewer in Madison avenue and New avenue (east), between One Hundred and Twenty-first and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth streets, with branches.

Sewer in One Hundred and Twenty-third street, between Sixth avenue and Mount Morris square.

Basin on the southwest corner of Seventy-fifth street and Lexington avenue.

Basin on the northwest corner of Seventy-fifth street and Lexington avenue.

Underground drains between Seventy-fourth and ninety-second streets, and between Eighth and Tenth avenues.

Paving Fifty-fourth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

Paving Sixty-eighth street, from Fourth to Fifth avenue.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before the 11th day of December, 1874, 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 confirmation.

The Collector's office is open daily from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M. for the collection of money, and until 5 P. M. for general information.

SPENCER KIRBY,
Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
ROTUNDA, COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, October 2, 1874.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED SEPTEMBER 25, 1874.

Regulating, grading, curb, gutter, and flagging in Sixty-eighth street, from Eighth avenue to the Hudson river.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before December 1, 1874, 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 confirmation.

The Collector's office is open daily, from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M. for the collection of money, and until 5 P. M. for general information.

SPENCER KIRBY,
Collector of Assessments.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE, Room 39,
NEW YORK, November 10, 1874.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY CLERK, 300 MULBERRY STREET, for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants:

One boat, lot furniture, bag and contents, male and female clothing, lot spokes and whalebone, cocoa matting, porcelain buttons, two trunks and contents taken from insane person, nine revolvers, and money taken from prisoners and found in street.

C. A. ST. JOHN,
Property Clerk.

CENTRAL DEPARTMENT OF THE MUNICIPAL POLICE,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE, Room 39,
NEW YORK, September 24, 1874.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY CLERK, 300 MULBERRY STREET, Room 39, for the following property, now in his custody without claimants:

Eight cans salad oil; three black bags and contents; case sugar-paper; two trunks and contents; lot furniture; rope; locker; thirty-six pair shoes; two skiffs; thirteen revolvers, etc.

C. A. ST. JOHN,
Property Clerk.

CORPORATION NOTICES.

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

Persons interested are requested to call and examine the same.

No. 1. For setting curb, gutter, and flagging Third avenue, west side, from Sixty-sixth to Sixty-ninth street.

No. 2. For paving in Fifty-seventh street, from Second to Lexington avenue.

No. 3. For paving in Eighty-fifth street, from Avenue A to Fifth avenue, with granite-block pavement.

No. 4. For paving in One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Eleventh avenue, or Boulevard, to the Hudson river, with stone-block pavement.

The limits to be assessed are embraced as follows, viz.:

No. 1. West side of Third avenue, between Sixty-sixth and Sixty-ninth streets.

No. 2. Both sides of Fifty-seventh street, between Second and Lexington avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of Eighty-fifth street, from Fifth avenue to Avenue A, to the extent of one-half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Boulevard to Hudson river, to the extent of one-half the block at the intersecting streets.

THOMAS R. ASTEN,
Chairman.

OFFICE, BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 19 CHATHAM STREET,
NEW YORK, NOV. 10, 1874.

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

No. 1. For regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter, and flagging Ninety-second street, between Eighth avenue and Boulevard.

No. 2. For curb, gutter, and flagging Thirteenth avenue, east side, between Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth streets.

No. 3. For curb, gutter, and flagging East Eleventh street, between Dry Dock street and East river.

No. 4. For flagging sidewalks on the south side of Thirty-fourth street, between Lexington and Fourth avenues.

No. 5. For flagging sidewalks in Fifty-sixth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

No. 6. For building sewer in Madison street, between Gouverneur and Scamell streets.

No. 7. For building sewer in Twelfth street, between Fourth avenue and Broadway.

No. 8. For building sewer in Cannon street, between Broome and Delancey streets.

No. 9. For building sewer in Tompkins street, between Broome and Delancey streets.

No. 10. For building basin on the northeast corner of Tenth street and Broadway.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Ninety-second street, between Eighth avenue and Boulevard, to the extent of half the block at intersection of Tenth avenue.

No. 2. The property known as Ward Nos. 61, 62, 63 and 64.

No. 3. Both sides of East Eleventh street, between Avenue D and East River.

No. 4. South side of Thirty-fourth street, between Lexington and Fourth avenues.

No. 5. Both sides of Fifty-sixth street (where not already done), between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

No. 6. Both sides of Madison street, between Gouverneur and Scamell streets.

No. 7. Both sides of Twelfth street, between Broadway and Fourth avenue, except northeast corner of Broadway and Twelfth street.

No. 8. Both sides of Cannon street, between Delancey and Broome streets.

No. 9. Both sides of Tompkins street, between Delancey and Broome streets, except northwest corner of Broome and Tompkins streets.

No. 10. The property known as Ward Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.

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 Thomas R. Asten, Chairman of the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 19 Chatham street, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

THOMAS R. ASTEN,
JOHN MCHARG,
MUNSON H. TREADWELL,
VALENTINE S. WOODRUFF,
Board of Assessors

OFFICE, BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
NEW YORK, OCT. 29, 1874.

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

No. 1. For regulating, grading, curb, gutter, and flagging Sixty-fourth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

No. 2. For regulating, grading, curb, gutter, and flagging Fifty-sixth street, from Third avenue to the East river.

No. 3. For curb, gutter, and flagging Madison avenue, east side, from Sixty-third to Sixty-fourth street.

No. 4. For flagging Fifty-eighth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

No. 5. For flagging east side of Lexington avenue, between Thirty-sixth and Thirty-seventh streets.

No. 6. For flagging north side of Thirty-sixth street, between Lexington and Third avenues.

No. 7. For laying Belgian pavement in Eightieth street, from Madison to Fifth avenue.

No. 8. For laying Belgian pavement in Forty-eighth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.

No. 9. For building sewer in Lewis street, between Sixth and Eighth streets.

No. 10. For building sewers in Sixth avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-ninth and One Hundred and Forty-seventh streets, with branches.

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 Sixty-fourth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of Fifty-sixth street, from Third avenue to East river, to the extent of one-half the block at the intersections of Third and Second avenues and Avenue A.

No. 3. The property known as Ward Numbers Twenty-one and Fifty-two.

No. 4. Both sides of Fifty-eighth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

No. 5. The property known as Ward Numbers Two Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty-nine to Two Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty-six, inclusive.

No. 6. The property known as Ward Numbers Two Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty-eight to Two Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-one, inclusive.

No. 7. Both sides of Eightieth street, from Madison to Fifth avenue, to the extent of one-half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 8. Both sides of Forty-eighth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue, to the extent of one-half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 9. Both sides of Lewis street, from Sixth to Eighth street, except lots on corner of Sixth and Eighth streets.

No. 10. Both sides of Sixth avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-ninth and One Hundred and Forty-seventh streets, and the blocks bounded by One Hundred and Twenty-ninth and One Hundred and Forty-seventh streets, and Sixth and Seventh avenues.

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 Thomas R. Asten, Chairman of the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 19 Chatham street, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

THOMAS R. ASTEN,
JOHN MCHARG,
MUNSON H. TREADWELL,
VALENTINE S. WOODRUFF,
Board of Assessors

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
NEW YORK, OCT. 14, 1874.

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of

street, distant 2,644 32-100 feet northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street at Tenth avenue, and running from the Road or Public Drive east of Tenth avenue to the Boulevard, near the Hudson river;

also street, sixty feet wide, and curved, starting at a point on the southerly line of the above-mentioned street, distant 1,844 83-100 feet westerly from the easterly line of Tenth avenue, and running thence southerly and westerly across the Boulevard to a line one hundred feet easterly from and parallel to the Bulkhead line, as established by the Commissioners of the Central Park, under chapter 697 of the Laws of 1867; also that portion of Tenth avenue lying between a line running parallel with the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and distant 10,293 6-12 feet northerly therefrom, and a line also running parallel with the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and distant 10,353 6-12 feet therefrom, as established by the Commissioners of the Central Park, in the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES OF THE State of New York, in such case made and provided, the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, hereby gives notice that the Counsel to the Corporation of said City will apply to the Supreme Court in the First Judicial District of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the New Court-house in the City of New York, on Wednesday, the twenty-fifth day of November, A. D. 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceedings.

The nature and extent of the improvements hereby intended are the opening of

street, distant 2,644 32-100 feet northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street at Tenth avenue, and running from the Road or Public Drive east of Tenth avenue