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LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

STATED SESSION.

Tuesday, February 12, 1878, 1

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

PRESENT:

Hon. William R. Roberts, President;

ALDERMEN George Hall, John W. Jacobus, Patrick Keenan,

William Bennett, Bernard Biglin, Thomas Carroll, Ferdinand Enrhart, Terence Kiernan, Robert C. Foster, William H. Gedney, John W. Guntzer, Samuel A. Lewis, John J. Morris, Henry C. Perley, Lewis J. Phillips, Joseph C. Pinckney, Bryan Reilly, William Sauer, Thomas Sheils, James J. Slevin, Louis C. Waehner.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

An invitation was received from the Very Rev. W. Quinn to assist at a solemn requiem for the late Pope, at St. Patrick's Cathedral, on Wednesday, the 13th inst., at 10 o'clock A. M. Which was accepted.

An invitation was received to attend the ball of New York Lodge No. 1, B. P. O. Elks, at the Academy of Music, February 14, 1878.

Which was accepted.

An invitation was received to attend the fifth reception of the Jacob Hess Coterie, at Terrace Garden, February 21, 1878.

Which was accepted.

By Alderman Guntzer—
Petition to lay gas-mains, etc., in One Hundred and Ninth and One Hundred and Tenth streets, between First avenue and Harlem river.

HARLEM, NEW YORK, November 7, 1878. The Mayor and Commonalty of the City of New York:

We, the undersigned residents and tax-payers of Harlem and Ward's Island, respectfully petition your Honorable Body for the lighting up with gas-light of One Hundred and Ninth and One Hundred and Tenth streets, between First avenue and Harlem river, respectively.

The lighting up of the above-named streets is earnestly solicited by those using these thoroughfares, and by the people using the steamboats running to the city, and the ferries of the different institutions on Ward's Island.

William Sullivan. John Sheppard. John Barrett.

J. D. Kerchbid, Superintendent Ward's Island. Wm. Fernsehih, 327 E. 109th st. J. F. Franklin. J. Praeheneky. M. Collins.

M. Collins.
John Kennedy.
A. W. Holden, M. D., Chief of Staff Hom. Hosp.
Thomas E. Sutton, steward.
William H. Lefferts, clerk.
George W. Blodgett, M. D.
Geo. Ford, M. D., Physician-in-Chief.
S. Feinberg, M. D., House Surgeon.
Ernest W. Lions.
G. Buchlorf.

G. Buchlorf.
A. Banta, W. I.
Edwd. J. Duffy.
Cyrus H. Hawkins.
John L. Peoble.
William Healey.
F. G. Peoble.

F. G. Peoble. E. B. Cooney, Ward's Island. Robert H. Christian, Ward's Island. W. H. Banta. G. W. Cornell, M. D. C. S. Hoag, M. D. Eugene Rollin Corson, M. D.

George Allen, M. D. Silas Pearsall. A. E. Macdonald, M. D., Supt. City Asylum.
W. Washburn, M. D., Asst. Phys. City Asylum,
Ward's Island.

James G. Kiernan, M. D., City Asylum for Insane. A. J. Carroll, Engineer, Insane Asylum, W. I. Peter H. Biecker. Thomas Cadden.

Geo. McArdle.
Edward J. McKee.
James Casey.
John Shandley. ohn O'Connor.

John Cassidy.
Joseph Kelly, Fireman, Ward's Island.
H. J. Lord.
Thos. Smith. John Duffy. James Clark. George Fick.
William McCarthy.
Joseph Kingsley, Day Watch.
Joseph Loughlin.
Owen McGuire.

Thomas F. Gallagher, Night Watch. Thomas Connolly, Night Watch. Michael Cunningham, 360 First ave. William McArdle. James St. John. Jas. Martin. J. Porly. Thos. S. Scully. John Vogel. Fred Spinner. James Sheehan. acksor. Bumstead. Edward Rogers. Bernard Walsh. Thomas Newton. L. H. Gerndt. L. H. Gerndt.
A. Gerndt.
John Byne.
W. McNamara.
W. Millner, 110th st.
Millard Hews, 225 E. 110th st.
Fred. C. Cooper, Jr., 62 E. 112th st.
Harry Layman, 181 E. 115th st.
David Risby, 220 E. 109th st.
Harry Smith, 112th st.
Thos. C. Robertson.
Richard Stoker, 110th st., bet. Avenue A and
First ave. R. Watson. Harlem & New York Navigation Co. W. H. Wolford, Harlem & New York Navigation Co. William Witherwax, Harlem & New York Navigation Co. oseph Crosby. . Muller, 240 E. 124th st. S. Curtis. W. Rogers. Chas. C. Stevens. Peter C. O'Brien. Peter A. Drenke

Chas. A. Drenke, 329 E. 115th st.

John Pearce, Jr.

James Belknap.
Frank M. Cookee.
Halsey Whitney.
Charles S. Barne.
W. F. Hobbee.
Benjamin T. Mott.

Henry W. Osborne. Thomas Smith. John Beaver. Barnard Stanton. John Sheva, 71 E. 109th st.
S. Hess, Lexington avenue.
Otto Maicel, 536 E. 117th st.
John H. Manahan, 244 E. 111th st, bet. 2d & 3d

Samuel Brower, 228 E. 109th st.
James Sheehan, foot E. 109th st.
Henry J. Goggins, 429 E. 112th st.
Dennis F. Burke, 230 E. 112th st.
Michael Duyer, foot 109th st., East river.
Charles L. Holmes, 121 E. 113th st.
Charles Schluter, 110th st., East river.
Thomas Welch, 237 E. 111th st.
George H. Beebe, 236 E. 118th st. John F. Purcell, 109th st. and 3d ave.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street-lamps lighted in One Hundred and Ninth and One Hundred and Tenth streets, between First avenue and Harlem river, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By the President—
Petition of J. Pohalski & Co. to place two hitching-posts in front of No. 254 Broadway. NEW YORK, February 9, 1878.

To the Honorable Board of Common Councilmen of the City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—Permission is begged on the part of the undersigned firm to place on the curbline of the sidewalk in front of No. 254 Broadway two (2) hitching-posts, firmly fastened to said

Very respectfully,

J. POHALSKI & CO.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Alderman Morris—
Resolved, That Boulevard lamps be substituted for the ordinary street-lamps on the lamp-posts now in front of St. Phillip's Church, 309 Mulberry street, also in front of the entrance to the Church of the Holy Communion, one on Sixth avenue and one on Twentieth street, also on the lamp-post in front Zion's Church, corner of West Tenth and Bleecker streets, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was reterred to the Committee on Public Works.

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By Alderman Slevin—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Ed. Freudenburg to retain the meat-rack now in front of his place of business, No. 183 Rivington street, provided the hooks be not less than seven feet above the sidewalk; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of

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

Alderman Morris moved to take from on file a communication from the Department of Charities and Correction, in reply to a resolution of the Board, asking why the prison at Jefferson Market

Court-house was not occupied.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

He then offered the following, and moved that it be referred to the Committee on Repairs and Supplies, together with the communication.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Whereas It supposes from a communication from the Department of Charities and Correction.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Whereas, It appears from a communication from the Department of Charities and Correction, in reply to a resolution of this Board, that the prison attached to the New Court-house at Jefferson Market remains unoccupied, although greatly needed, by reason of a conflict of authority or jurisdiction between two Departments of the City Government, neither being willing to incur the small expense necessary to improve the plumbing work, at a cost of less than \$200, and to make a connection with the sewer in Sixth avenue, probably involving a like amount, and as it seems to be a "penny wise and pound foolish" disagreement, which loses to the city the uses of a building that cost probably \$200,000, rather than that either Department should be called upon to expend in this necessary work the sum of four or five hundred dollars, the controversy should be ended by the action of this Common Council, in the interest of our tax-payers; be it therefore

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to make the alterations in the plumbing work of the prison at Jefferson Market Court-house mentioned in the communication of Supervising Engineer Wm. H. Knapp, and connect the building with the sewer in Sixth avenue, the amount to be charged to the appropriation for "Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs."

Construction and Repairs."
Which was referred to the Committee on Repairs and Supplies.

Whereas, It appears by reference to the following table, that notwithstanding a depreciation in the value of taxable real estate in this city, varying from 30 to 50 per cent., according to locality, during the past eight years, an increased valuation has been placed upon it in making up the assessment rolls, by which the valuation of 1870 is exceeded in 1877 by the sum of \$152,861,408, and that notwithstanding the shrinkage in actual value, which has ruined financially thousands of our citizens during that period, a constant annual increase in assessed valuation is shown, viz.:

Year. A	ssessed Valuation.	Increase.
1870		#a# 000 88#
1871	709,300,410	\$27,093,885
1872		27,842,255
1873	830,093,380	39,544,715
1874		44,854,615
1875	883,643,545	2,095,550
1876	892,428,165	8,784,620
1877	895,063,933	2,635,768

Wherea; It would seem that a system of taxation that annually increases assessed values, while the actual value decreases, must be radically wrong in principle, pernicious in practice, and ruinous to the real estate interests of our city, as it renders possible the injustice done our tax-payers, as shown in the following table, prepared by the Hon. George H. Andrews, one of the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments:

Table showing the sum of State Tax paid by the City of New York, and by the rest of the State, for the past thirteen years, with the amount per capita for each year, based upon the last State Census of 1865.

YEAR.	Quota of State Tax for the City of New York.	Quota of State Tax for rest of State.	For each Inhabitant of the City.	For each Inhabitant of rest of State.
1866 1867	\$2,902,849 00 3,890,544 00	\$4,328,127 00	\$3 99 5 35	\$1 39 1 49
1868	5,564,426 co 4,486,920 co	7,082,792 00	7 66 6 18	1 85
1870	4,904,501 00	5,756,397 00	6 75	1 80
1871	6,741,956 00	7,544,020 00	9 28	2 42
872	5,745,049 00 9,761,752 00	5,868,894 00	7 90	1 89 3 17
874	7,673,481 00	7,127,422 00	13 43 10 59	2 20
875	8,012,386 00	7,715,096 00	11 03	2 48
876	7,233,180 00	6,973,500 00	9 95	2 24
877······	4,162,883 00	4,356,289 00	5 72 5 37	1 40 1 55

—and,
Whereas, A valuation reduced in proportion to the depreciation in real estate in this city, while it would increase the rate would not add to the amount to be paid annually by each tax-payer; on the contrary, a reduction of fifty per cent. in value, while it would double the rate without increasing the amount to be paid for taxation for local purposes, would result in effecting a saving to our tax-payers of fifty per cent. of the amount paid last year for State taxes, or \$2,081,441.42, with a proportionate saving in future years; be it therefore

Resolved, That in making up the valuation for real estate for the present year the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments be and they are hereby requested, and so far as this Board, acting as a Board of Supervisors, have the power, directed to make due allowance for the vast shrinkage that has taken place in the value of real estate in this city during the past few years, which would seem to warrant a reduction of from thirty to fifty per cent. on such valuation as compared with last year, both as a measure of relief to our over-taxed tax-payers and of equity in payment of State taxes imposed upon this city, as the State rate, which is fixed by law, is imposed upon the local valuation made by the said Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments, and which, even if levied upon such proposed endured requisions would then be in excess of the proposition levied upon property and paid in posed reduced valuation, would then be in excess of the proportion levied upon property and paid in

nearly all the other counties of this State.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Perley—
Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to Louis Ahrens to retain the posts now in front of his place of business, No. 695 Third avenue, used by him for signs, until otherwise ordered

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

(G. O. 39.)

By Alderman Reilly-

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Resolved, That section 15 of chapter 45 of the Revised Ordinances be amended by adding at the end thereof the words following: "provided, however, that this section shall not prevent any person or persons from throwing the dirt necessarily collected in sweeping or cleaning the sidewalk of any street into the adjoining roadway," so that said section when amended shall read as follows:
Section 15. No person or persons shall throw, cast, or lay any ashes, offal, vegetables, garbage, dross, cinders, shells, straw, shavings, dirt, filth, or rubbish of any kind whatever, in any street, lane, alley, or public place in the City of New York; provided, however, that this section shall not prevent any person or persons from throwing the dirt necessarily collected in sweeping or cleaning the sidewalk of any street into the adjoining roadway.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Keenan -

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to H. Freeman to place and keep a barber's pole in front of his place of business, No. 230 Seventh street, the work to be done at his own expense; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Perley—
Resolved, That Charles W. Cruger be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Alderman Pinckney moved to take G. O. 25, being a report in favor of flagging west side of West street, from Bank to Bethune street, from the list of General Orders, and that it be recommitted to

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

Resolved, That Valentine Eltz be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Patrick McGunnigle to erect a post on the outer edge of the curb in front of his place of business, No. 63 West Thirty-third street, the post not to exceed eight feet high, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common

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

By Alderman Perley— Whereas, A bill to repeal the "Act establishing the College of the City of New York" has been presented to the Legislature of the State of New York by Hon. Thomas F. Grady, member of

been presented to the Legislature of the State of New York by Hon. Thomas F. Grady, member of Assembly; and,

Whereas, Said college was established in the year 1847 by an overwhelming popular vote, and the continued popularity of the college is seen by the increased number of applicants for admission therein every year, and by the advantages of free education which it supplies to the rich and poor alike, and as a matter of right, cannot be procured by pupils of public schools of the city through any other channel than by this or a similar institution; and,

Whereas, The said college is a natural outgrowth of our free common school system, and, together with the Normal College for females, completes the education of both sexes of our city; and to take away from this city by a simple vote of the Legislature this right confirmed by the direct vote of the people is a measure traught with the utmost danger to free education, not only in this city, but throughout the entire State; now therefore be it

Resolved, by the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York, That we disapprove of said contemplated repeal, and hereby urge upon his Honor the Mayor of the City of New York to respectfully notify the Legislature of said disapproval.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said preamble and resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative, on a division called by Alderman Perley, viz.:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Bennett, Biglin, Carroll, Ehrhart, Foster, Gedney, Guntzer, Hall, Jacobus, Keenan, Kiernan, Lewis, Morris, Perley, Phillips, Pinckney, Reilly, Sauer, Sheils, and Waehner—21.

Sheils, and Waehner—21.
Negative—Alderman Slevin—1.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Michael H. Nagle to hang a meat-rack in front of his place of business, No. 272 Tenth avenue, said rack to be placed on the outer edge of the gutter; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common

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

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Jacob Korn to place a storm-door over the entrance to No. 182 Delancey street, corner of Attorney street, not to exceed six feet high, three feet wide, and six feet long, the work to be done at his own expense; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Resolved, That Frank R. Lawrence be and he is hereby appointed Commissioner of Deeds in for the City and County of New York.
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Kiernan-Resolved, That the vacant lots Nos. 219, 221, 223, 227, 229, and 231 East Seventy-fifth street be fenced in, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying

ordinance therefor be adopted. Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor: EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT-CITY HALL, NEW YORK, February 12, 1878.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—I herewith return, without my approval, the resolution to permit S. Smith to erect a storm-door in front of the entrance No. 151 Grand street.

The occupants of the premises adjoining No. 151 Grand street object to the proposed permission being granted, and I am therefore constrained to withhold my approval.

SMITH ELY, JR., Mayor.

Resolved. That permission be and the same is hereby given to S. Smith to erect a storm-door.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to S. Smith to erect a storm-door in front of the entrance No. 151 Grand street, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT—CITY HALL, NEW YORK, February 12, 1878.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN-I herewith transmit for your information a communication from the Comptroller

transmitting a detailed statement of all accounts audited and allowed by the Finance Department, on account of the City of New York, and for which warrants have been drawn upon the Chamberlain, for the quarter ending December 31, 1877.

SMITH ELY, JR., Mayor.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, February 8, 1878.

Hon. SMITH ELY, Jr., Mayor:

SIR—I have the honor to transmit a detailed statement of all accounts audited and allowed by this Department, on account of the City of New York, and for which warrants have been drawn upon the Chamberlain, for the quarter ending December 31, 1877.

Very respectfully,

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

Which was laid on the table, and the usual number of copies ordered to be printed in document form

(For which see Document No. 3.)

Subsequently Alderman Reilly moved to reconsider the vote by which the above communication was ordered to be printed in document form.

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

Which was decided in the negative.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT—CITY HALL, NEW YORK, February 12, 1878.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—I herewith return, without my approval, the resolution to permit Mulcahy & Bro., blacksmiths, to make fires and put or set tires on wheels in the street in front of their place of busi-

I am satisfied that the Common Council have no power to authorize the placing or continuing of any such encroachment or obstruction as that proposed by this resolution upon any street or sidewalk, and I am therefore constrained to withhold my approval.

SMITH ELY, JR, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to Mulcahy & Brother, blacksmiths, to make fires and put or set tires on wheels in the street in front of their place of business, No. 433 East Twelfth street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT—CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, February 12, 1878.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—I herewith transmit for your information a communication from the Comptroller of the City transmitting copies of two bills now before the Legislature, and calling the attention of the local authorities to certain provisions contained in these bills.

As it is desirable that no further increase of the city debt should be authorized and no additional

taxation imposed upon our already over-burdened tax payers, unless required by an imperative public necessity, all measures now before the Legislature should be carefully scrutinized by the local authorities, and I therefore recommend that the communication herewith transmitted receive your careful consideration.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, February 5, 1878.

Hon. SMITH ELY, Jr., Mayor:

SIR-I transmit herewith for your consideration copies of two bills lately introduced into the Assembly, and which have been referred to, and are now before the Committee on the Affairs of

The peculiar provisions of both those bills necessitate, I think, some direct action in reference to them on the part of our local authorities.

The bill to which I shall first refer is entitled "An act to amend an act to provide for a uniform system for the repavement of streets, avenues, and public places in the City of New York," passed

May 28, 1875.

That act provided for repaving such streets, avenues, etc., as the Commissioner of Public Works shall certify and report to the Board of Aldermen to require repavement, the work to be done by that officer when directed by ordinance of the Board, at a cost not exceeding \$500,000 in any single year, the amount necessary to be included in the estimate of the Department of Public Works, and appropriated by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and raised and collected by tax.

This provision of the law is not changed in the amended bill, but two amendments are added to it. One of these amendments provides for additional repavement, under the direction of the Department of Public Works, upon a petition of a majority of the owners of the property to be assessed, who shall also be the owners of a majority of the front feet, the assessment to be levied and collected as usual under the assessment laws.

This amendment is loose and indefinite, and there is no limit to the expenditures which might be incurred under its provisions, and which might and would most probably have to be paid ultimately by the city to redeem the assessment bonds which it would be necessary to issue to pay the cost of the

works.

It has been the misfortune of this city to suffer in the past very severely from just such loose legislation in relation to local improvements under our confused and conflicting assessment laws, the consequence of which has been a loss to the treasury of millions of dollars, through vacations of assessments upon purely technical grounds.

No reliance whatever can be placed upon the collection of assessments for the expense of such

Assessments upon purely technical grounds.

No reliance whatever can be placed upon the collection of assessments for the expense of such repaving, if the bill should become a law, to pay the assessment bonds at maturity.

In the present derangement of financial affairs generally, and when taxes are so heavy, it seems to me to be very unwise to enact laws which will increase the burden of the tax-payers by any unnecessary expenditure. The appropriation made by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for repaving and repairing streets during the present year is believed to be ample for the purpose, if judiciously expended, and is as follows:

For repairing streets \$300,000
For repairing streets 150,000

Obscure legislation of this kind cannot be too severely condemned, and I am satisfied that the

matter need only be brought to your notice to secure your earnest opposition to it.

This is a provision wholly foreign to the purpose of the original act, as it has no relation whatever to repaving the streets of the city, other than legalizing old contracts and proceedings relating to pavements which are now invalid, and the revival of which will render the city liable for an unknown

amount.

The other bill to which I draw your attention is entitled "An act to amend chapter 477 of the Laws of 1875, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to provide a further supply of pure and wholesome water for the City of New York,' passed February 27, 1871; and also an act to re-enact and amend the same, passed April 6, 1871; also to extend the distribution of Croton water through the City of New York, including the two new wards, and to lay the necessary mains therefor, and to deliver it at higher elevations," passed May 28, 1875.

The act of 1875 conferred powers upon the Commissioner of Public Works, with the concurrence of the Common Council and the approval of the Mayor, "to extend and enlarge the distribution of Croton water through the City of New York, including the two new wards, and to furnish a sufficient supply thereof to the institutions in charge of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, located on Blackwell's Island, Ward's Island, and Randall's Island, and in laying mains necessary to deliver said water at higher levels and in greater quantities," for which purposes he is authorized to

expend, "for materials and labor and other services, and in laying mains, in such manner as the said Commissioner shall deem for the best interests of the said city, an additional sum of \$1,500,000." The Comptroller was also directed to issue bonds for this amount on the requisition of the Commissioner of Public Works, and bonds for \$793,000 have been issued, leaving \$707,000 unexpended

missioner of Public Works, and bonds for \$793,000 have been issued, leaving \$707,000 unexpended at this date.

The bill referred to amends the act of 1875, by adding to the objects and purposes for which the money is authorized to be expended the following:

"And for erecting or constructing such structures and fixtures as the said Commissioner of Public Works may deem necessary."

The nature of the "structures and fixtures" to be erected and constructed under this amendment is not indicated, nor their location, and the amount required to complete them. Whether the amount of bonds remaining unissued under the original act will be sufficient to complete these "structures and fixtures," and also execute the work of laying the pipes and mains originally contemplated by the law is not explained. The obvious inference is that more money and a further issue of bonds will become necessary for carrying out all the objects and purposes; the amount which may be eventually required is quite unknown.

required is quite unknown.

If the bill becomes a law the first notice which the Finance Department may receive of expenditures made under the authority of this amendment will probably be a requisition for the issue of bonds

We have learned from experience that the operation of such laws is not always in the best interest

of the city.

Both these amended bills are of that class of special legislation for local affairs without the approval and consent of the proper city authorities having been first received, authorizing expenditures and the issue of bonds, which has heretofore saddled the city with debt and made taxation

I am inflexibly opposed to all such legislation, and respectfully request that you will take such measures in regard to these bills as you may deem advisable to prevent their passage by the

Very respectfully,

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

An Act to amend "An act to provide for a uniform system for the repavement of streets, avenues, and public places in the City of New York," passed May twenty-eight, eighteen hundred and

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

Section I. The first section of chapter four hundred and seventy-six of the statutes of the State of New York of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, providing for a uniform system for the repayement of streets, avenues, and public places in the City of New York is hereby amended so as

to read as follows:

repavement of streets, avenues, and public places in the City of New York is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Whenever the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York shall certify and report to the Board of Aldermen of said city that the safety, health, or convenience of the public requires the repavement of any streets, avenues, or public places in said city, said Board of Aldermen shall have the power to direct, by ordinance or resolution, the repavement of said streets, avenues, or public places in the manner specified and of the materials approved of and recommended by the said Commissioner of Public Works, which work shall be done by and under the direction of the Department of Public Works, according to law.

The cost of repaving the streets, avenues, or public places, in accordance with the provisions of the above requirement, shall be borne by a general assessment upon all the taxable property in the city, and shall be included in the estimate of the Department of Public Works, and shall be appropriated by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, certified by the Comptroller according to law, and inserted and included in the annual tax levies, and raised and collected by tax upon the estates subject to taxation in the City and County of New York; provided that the amount so appropriated and raised shall not exceed the sum of five hundred thousand dollars in any one single year.

In case any of the streets, avenues, or public places in said city shall have been once paved, and the expense therefor assessed upon the owners of adjoining and benefited property, the Common Council may, by ordinance, direct the said streets, avenues, or public places to be repaved, under the direction of the Department of Public Works, upon a petition of a majority of the owners of the propoetty to be assessed, who shall also be the owners of a majority of the teet fronting on the line of the proposed improvement, and the assessment therefor shall be levied and collected in the manner usual for assessments

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

An ACT to amend chapter four hundred and twenty-seven of the Laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-five, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled an act to provide a further supply of pure and wholesome water for the City of New York, passed February twenty-seven, eighteen hundred and seventy-one; and also an act to re-enact and amend the same, passed April six, eighteen hundred and seventy-one; also to extend the distribution of Croton water through the City of New York, including the two new wards, and to lay the necessary mains therefor, and to deliver it at high elevations," passed May twenty-eight, eighteen hundred and seventy-five.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows: Section 1. Section two of chapter four hundred and seventy-seven of the Laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-five, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled an act to provide a further supply of pure and wholesome water for the City of New York, passed February twenty-seven, eighteen hundred and seventy-one; and also an act to re-enact and amend the same, passed April six, eighteen hundred and seventy-one; also to extend the distribution of Croton water through the City of New York, including the two new wards, and to lay the necessary mains therefor, and to deliver it at

hundred and seventy-one; also to extend the distribution of Croton water through the City of New York, including the two new wards, and to lay the necessary mains therefor, and to deliver it at higher elevation, passed May twenty-eight, eighteen hundred and twenty-five, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Sec. 2. The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, when thereunto authorized by a three-fourths vote of all the members elected to the Common Council of said city, to be approved by the Mayor of said city, is hereby authorized to expend, for materials and labor and other services, in such manner as the said Commissioner shall deem for the best interests of said city, in laying pipes to extend and enlarge the distribution of Croton water throughout the City of New York, including the two new wards, and to furnish a sufficient supply thereof to the institutions in charge of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, located on Blackwell's Island, Ward's Island, and Randall's Island, and in laying mains and erecting or constructing such structures and fixtures as the said Commissioner of Public Works may deem necessary to deliver said water at higher levels and in greater quantities, an additional sum not exceeding one million five hundred thousand dollars.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect immediately.
Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT-CITY HALL, ¿ NEW YORK, February 12, 1878.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN—I herewith transmit a communication from the Harlem River Improvement Committee of the North Side Association, requesting the passage by the Board of Aldermen of a memorial to Congress in regard to the work of improving Harlem river and Spuyten Duyvil Creek by

As the improvement of the Harlem river is a matter of great importance to this city, I would recommend that a suitable memorial to Congress on behalf of the city authorities, asking for the passage of an act making the necessary appropriation for this improvement, be adopted by the Common Council. SMITH ELY, JR., Mayor.

Hon. SMITH ELY, Jr., Mayor of the City of New York:

The undersigned, being the members of the Harlem River Improvement Committee of the North Side Association, would respectfully ask that you would aid them by recommending the passage by the Board of Aldermen of the resolution and memorial to Congress mentioned in your last annual message, in regard to the work of improving Harlem river and Spuyten Duyvil Creek by the United States Government.

As you say in your last message, this work would be of greet benefit to the Civic Charles.

As you say in your last message, this work would be of great benefit to the City of New York, in affording increased convenience for the handling of coal, grain, building materials, and other commodities which reach this city by water transportation, and considering the great proportion of the Federal revenue contributed by this city, it seems only justice that a work of this great local importance should be at once begun.

Dated New York, February 11, 1878.

ISAAC G. JOHNSON, A. VAN CORTLANDT, L. G. MORRIS, WM. G. ACKERMAN, WM. OGDEN GILES.

Whereupon Alderman Sauer offered the following:

Resolution and Memorial to Congress in regard to an appropriation for Harlem River and Spuyten

Resolved, That the memorial hereto annexed be adopted, and the Clerk of this Board be directed to transmit properly certified copies thereof to the Senators and Representatives of this State in Congress.

To the Honorable the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONORABLE BODIES:

The Common Council of the City of New York would most respectfully ask that your Honorable Bodies will pass the act now pending, making an appropriation of a sum sufficient to commence and carry on during the ensuing year the work of improving the navigation of the Harlem river and Spuyten Duyvil Creek on the plans and specifications prepared by General John Newton, United States Engineer, as set forth in his report to the Secretary of War, July 14, 1876.

This work would be of great benefit to the City of New York in affording increased convenience for the handling of coal, grain, building materials, and other commodities which reach this city by water transportation, and considering the great proportion of the Federal revenue contributed by New York, it seems but proper that this work, which will be of great importance, should be at once commenced.

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

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

By Alderman Perley Resolved, That the sidewaik on the south side of Fifty-seventh street, between Second and Third avenues, be flagged full width, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Resolved, That the sidewalk on the west side of First avenue, from Sixtieth to Sixty-first street, and on the north side of Sixtieth street, from First to Second avenue, be flagged full width, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.
Which was reterred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Ehrhart—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to George Buess to occupy the sidewalk in front of his place of business, No. 107 Rivington street, temporarily and without interference with the public travel; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council. The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Bennett-

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Henry Roeder to retain a barber's pole in front of his place of business, No. 114 Bleecker street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Louis Johns to erect a portico over the main entrance to premises No. 7 East Eighteenth street, as shown on the accompanying diagram, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to lay Croton mains in East Seventieth street, between First avenue and Avenue A, all to be done in accordance with chapter 477, Laws of 1875.

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

The undersigned residents and property-owners of East Seventieth street, between First avenue and Avenue A, do most respectfully request of your Honorable Body to have an ordinance passed for the laying of the water-main in the above-named block.

Hoping you will give this your prompt and favorable consideration,

Most respectfully yours,

Adolph Hindenberg. M. H. O'Donoghue. James O'Donoghue. John C. Blanke. John Gaynor. John Finneran. John O'Connor.

Daniel Sheehan. Patrick Phillips. James Andrews. Cornelius Gerin. Patrick Dean.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Sauer—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Cornelius Ford to erect an ornamental sign in front of No. 453 Seventh avenue, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Bennett—
Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street-lamps lighted in Tenthavenue, between Seventy-second and Seventy-seventh streets, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.
Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Jacobus—
Resolved, That Wm. E. Carpenter be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same — Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Koenig to erect a meat-rack in front of his premises, No. 432 Hudson street, the hooks to be 7 feet clear above the stdewalk; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Alderman Phillips moved to amend by striking out the figure "7" before the word "feet," and inserting in lieu thereof the figure "9."

Which was accepted by Alderman Jacobus.
The President then put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.
Which was decided in the affirmative.

Resolved, That Carson G. Archibald be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, his term of office expiring on the 23d instant.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Resolved, That Seventy-seventh street, from First to Second avenue, be renumbered, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Sheils—
Resolved, That crosswalks be laid across the southeast corner of Monroe and Gouverneur streets to the northeast corner of Monroe street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Jacobus—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to J. Weil to hang a meat-rack in front of his place of business, No. 120½ Greene street, the hooks not to exceed 8 feet high, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Alderman Pinckney moved to amend by striking out the figure "8" before the word "feet," and by inserting in lieu thereof the figure "9."

Which was accepted by Alderman Jacobus.

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

By Alderman Keenan-

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street-lamps lighted in One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, between Willis and St. Ann's avenues, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Ehrhart-

Resolved, That the show-case in front of No. 102 Fulton street be removed, as it obstructs the view of people passing by; it also hinders the travel to a great extent.

Which was referred to the Committee on Law Department.

By Alderman Reilly—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William McGrath to keep a small stand in front Sauer's Hotel, Nos. 27 and 29 Centre street, he having obtained permission from the owner of the premises; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council Council.
Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By the same—
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Ann Connolly to erect a stand in Pike Slip for the sale of coffee and fruits; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Alderman Pinckney moved to refer to the Committee on Streets.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.
Which was decided in the negative, on a division called by Alderman Pinckney, viz.:
Affirmative—Aldermen Bennett, Biglin, Ehrhart, Gedney, Lewis, Perley, Phillips, and Pinckney

Negative—The President, Aldermen Carroll, Foster, Guntzer, Hall, Jacobus, Kiernan, Morris, Reilly, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, and Waehner—13.

The President then put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative, on a division called by Alderman Jacobus, viz.:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Bennett, Carroll, Ehrhart, Foster, Guntzer, Hall, Jacobus, Kiernan, Perley, Reilly, Sauer, Sheils, and Slevin—14.

Negative—Aldermen Lewis, Morris, Phillips, Pinckney, and Waehner—6.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Board of Education :

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION, NEW YORK, February 6, 1878.

To the Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—I have the honor herewith to transmit the information asked for in the resolution adopted by your Honorable Body on the 30th day of October, 1877, which may be found on pages 109-119 of the accompanying Journal of this Board.

Very respectfully,

LAW, D. KIEDNAN, Clark,

LAW. D. KIERNAN, Clerk.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL.	DEPARTMENT.	LOCATION.	Seating Capacity for Pupils.	Average Attend- ance, 1877.	Number of Pupils of Non- resident Parents.	Number of Non- resident Teachers.	Aggregate Annual Salary paid Non- resident Teachers.
1 }	Male Female	} 32 Vandewater street	378 378 618	307 329	::	3 1	\$4,012 00 732 00
2	Primary Male Female Primary	116 Henry street	465 465 864	353 369 749	2	3 4 6 1	1,944 00 3,266 00 5,149 00 1,080 00
3	Male Female Primary	Cor. Hudson and Grove streets	550 550 780	579 553 738		4 4 1	4,750 00 4,314 52 775 00
4	Male Female Primary	203 Rivington street	468 451 1,367	397 347 1,181	::	4 2 7	3,732 00 1,332 00 5,872 00
5 }	Male Primary Primary	222 to 226 Mott street	340 614 85	140 410 88	::	í	3,000 00
7 }	Male Female Primary	60 Chrystie street	316 316 846	230 224 788		6 2 2	6,814 00 2,256 00
8	Male Female Primary	66 Grand street	350 325	225 182	::	3 1 2	1,416 00 4,500 00 817 00
9	Male Female	Cor. 11th avenue and 82d street	430	465 334 280	::	I	1,975 00
10	Female Primary	180 Wooster street	376 376 696	335 240 514	::	5 1 1	5,380 00 768 00 540 00
11 {	Male Primary Male	314 West 17th street	1,183 400	301 606 279		 I I	709 92 1,025 00
12	Female Primary Male	371 Madison street	400 800 500	296 688 463	4	4 4	3,304 00 4,026 00 6,250 00
13 }	Female Primary Male	239 East Houston street	500 900 600	444 892		1 2	1,575 00 610 00 2,648 00
14 }	Female Primary Male	225 East 27th street	600 1,200	553 608 1,186 518	::	4 6	2,640 00
15	Female Primary	5th street, near Avenue D	545 539 900	513 833	::	6	8,900 00 4,972 50 3,675 00
16 }	Male Primary Female	208 West 13th street	500 750	469 225 741		3	669 00
17 {	Primary Male Female	51st street, near Lexington avenue	1,350 498 450	1,369 543 538	6	1	1,200 00
19	Primary Male Female) } 344 East 14th street	850 450	916 401	7	ĭ	1,100 00
20 {	Primary Male Female	160 Chrystie street	450 800 500 500	390 878 503 397		2 5	4,567 00 3,852 00
(Primary Male	Marion street, near Prince street	900 370	1,065	::	3	3,684 04 2,912 50
21 {	Primary	}	370 622 500	192 415 431	::		4,812 00
22 {	Female Primary Male	Stanton street, cor. Sheriff street	500 1,004 290	864 207	3	4	2,411 00
23 {	Primary Male	32 City Hall place	210 350 250	158 331 228	3	2	3,691 20
24	Female Primary Male	66 Elm street	275 350 521	205 304 469		3	606 00 2,290 92 650 00
25	Female Primary Male	5th street, bet. 1st and 2d avenues	520 798 700	527 889 504	5	2 2	2,570 00 1,150 00
26 {	Primary Male	30th street, near 6th avenue	950	659			600 00
27 {	Primary Male	42d street, near 3d avenue	400 803 400	284 787 373	::	I I I	900 00 595 00 600 00
28 {	Female Primary Male	256 West 40th street	1,000 300	1,064 200	::	2 6	688 86 8,504 00
29 }	Female Primary Female	97 Greenwich street	300 500 200	168 432 141	::	1 1	2,496 00 1,560 00 1,180 00
30 }	Primary Male Primary	Baxter street, near Grand street	500 300 800	353 196 465	3	2	1,600 00
32	Male Primary	35th street, near 9th avenue	650 1,321	608	4	3 4	3,268 00
33 {	Female Primary	412 West 28th street	500 950	501	7	2 I	1,137 00 585 72
34 {	Female Primary	Broome street, near Sheriff street	450 434 800	403 374 771	ı	6 6 5	7,164 00 5,728 00 3,456 00
35 }	Male Primary	60 West 13th street	800 400	908 520	2	3 4	5,740 00 2,728 00

ed is-	GRAMMAR SCHOOL	DEFARTMENT.	LOCATION.	Seating Capacity for Pupils.	Average Attendance, 1877.	Number of Pupils of Non- resident Parents.	Number of Non- resident Teachers	Aggregate Annual Salary paid Non- resident Teachers
ne	36 {	Male Female	} 710 East 9th street	518 518	318		1	\$687 o 678 oo
	3	Primary Male) To East girl street	900	897 423		3	1,941 00
ll	37 }	Female Primary	87th street, near 4th avenue	540 850	390 690		::	3,804 00
n	38 }	Female Primary	8 Clarke street	450 450 650	341 379 674		3 2	2,385 00
	39 {	Female Primary	125th street, bet. 2d and 3d avenues	1,000	622 652			680 oo
	40 {	Male Primary	225 East 23d street	951 638	706 550	5	4	6,601 56 500 0 0
n of	41 {	Junior Primary	36 Greenwich avenue	416 536 760	241 344 554	::	2 I I	2,196 00 965 00 710 00
	42 }	Male	Allen street, near Hester street	550 550 1,078	484 437	::	3 7	4,481 00 5,484 00 2,031 00
	43 }	Primary Mixed Primary	Corner 129th street and 10th avenue	224	1,432 106 209		3	2,031 00
У	44 }	Male Female	Cor. North Moore and Varick streets.	350 350	395 337	- ::	2 3	3,120 co 2,188 oo
5,	45 {	Primary	} 24th street, bet. 7th and 8th avenues	512 808	546 582	17	1	750 00 882 00
	46	Primary Male	156th street, St. Nicholas avenue	750 300	690 224	14		784 00
ı,	47	Female Primary	36 East 12th street	330 700 550	236 673 502	::	2	2,582 00 660 00
2	48	Female	124 West 28th street	700 900	499 723	::		
	49 }	Male Female	37th street near 2d avenue	650 650	535	5 4 8	2	1,550 47
	50 {	Primary	20th street, near 3d avenue	1,228 700 600	1,166	4	2 2 1	1,920 00
:	51	Primary	523 West 44th street	739 860	421 594 866	9	1	550 00 1,644 00
	52	Primary Mixed	206th street, Kingsbridge road	200	80	::	::	
	53	Male Female	79th street, near 3d avenue	481 480	581 591		· · ·	720 00
n	}	Primary Mixed	Corner 10th avenue and 104th street	750 2 7 0	870 157			350 00
s	54 {	Primary Male	}	400 792	240 589	3	3	5,328 00
	55 {	Primary Female	140 West 20th street	650 723	601 496	3	3	2,458 00
	56	Primary	349 West 18th street	850	760		2	1,580 00
	57 {	Male Primary	115th street, near 3d avenue	652 1,036	497 900	::		700 00
=	58 {	Male Primary	317 West 52d street	700 1,086	724 1,036	2 I		501 00
	- (Male) h arment here and and ad arranges	531	613 667	2	. I	1,400 00
	59 {	Female Primary	57th street, bet. 2d and 3d avenues	540 950	1,220		2	1,880 0 0
	60 {	Grammar Primary	College avenue, corner 145th street	450 1,150	402 733	.:		
	61	Grammar	3d avenue, bet. 168th and 169th streets	300	264			
		Primary		. 400	389 253			
	62	Grammar Primary	3d avenue, bet. 157th and 158th streets	600	539	.,		
	63 {	Grammar	Fordham avenue, corner 173d street {	432	178 168		::	
3	. 2	Grammar		576	252			300 00
0	64	Primary	Thomas avenue, Fordham	498	266		**	********
	65 }	Grammar Primary	West Farms	257 300	167 243	-::	3	1,752 00
>	66	Grammar	Kingsbridge	125	115		1	94 50
2		Primary Grammar		150 64	93 37	::	1	600 co 172 00
)	67 {	Primary	Mosholu	95	37 60			
	68	Male Female	128th street, bet. 6th and 7th avenues.	700 640	438 358	::		805 00
0	1	Primary)	900	610		• •	•••••
9	69	Male Female	54th street, near 6th avenue	547 547	312 361	::		
	3)	Primary)	900	785	1	2	1,359 00
				99,030	84,451	174	278	\$277,047 71

PRIMARY SCHOOL:	LOCATION.	Seating Capacity for Pupils.	Average Attendance, 1877.	No. of Pupils of Non-resident Parents.	No. Non-resident Teachers.	Aggregate Annual Salary of Non- resident Teach- ers.
1	ro5 Ludlow street	1,500	1,336		9	\$5,089 oc
2	101 Bayard street	300	228		2	2,469 00
3	100 Cannon street	350	348		2	1,092 0
4	413 East Sixteenth street	800	543		1	527 0
	260 East Fourth street	850	793	1	3	1,992 0
5	15 Third street	450	411	1	• • • •	
7 8	274 West Tenth street	300	341		1	1,080 00
	62 Mott street	500	403		6	4,825 0
9	42 First street	1,434	763 514	2	7	4,728 0
10	Cannon street, near Broome	1,000	361		3	3,125 0
11	31 Vestry street	580	298		3	, 1,100 0
12	85 Roosevelt street	800	567			,,,,,,
13	Downing street, near Bleecker	614	325		4	2,400 0
	3 Stone street	200	94		1	1,000 0
15	Thirty-second street, near Third avenue	1,200	944		1	1,080 0
17	252 West Forty-second street	290	270			
18	tXo Waverley place	368	262			
IQ	Third avenue, cor. One Hundred and Fifth street	600	471			
20	Third avenue, cor. One Hundred and Fifth street	760	733 585	2	4	2,472 0
21	Third avenue, near Forty-ninth street	486 850	585	4		
22	Corner Ninth street and First avenue		678		5	3,375 0
23	17 St. Mark's place	360	315			
24	Horatio street, near Hudson	700	640	3	1	720 0
25	545 Greenwich street	350	350		2	655 o
26	536 East Twelfth street	1,000	675 690		1	788 o
27 28	Thirty-seventh street, near Tenth avenue	800	605		2	1,580 0
	322 East Twentieth street	704	502		2	1,000 2
29	Nineteenth street, near Avenue A	100	55			1,009 2
30	Ward's Island	750	709		1	621 0
31	One Hundred and Eighty-second street, Kingsbridge road.	200	63			
33	222 East Seventy-fifth street	632	676			
34	203 Pearl street	250	141	1	1	550 O
35	951 First avenue	948	731	4		
35 36	68 Monroe street	800	633		5	2,925 0
37	67 Warren street	200	138		2	703 3
37 38	Cor. One Hundred and Eighteenth street and Avenue A	271	363	****		
39	194-6 Seventh street	400	397		2	1,818 0
39	Discontinued					
41	516 West Fifty-second street	331	399			******
42	Eighty-eighth street, between Second and Third avenues	600	406	2	1	710 0
43	516 West Fifty-second street. Eighty-eighth street, between Second and Third avenues Highbridge. Concord avenue, One Hundred and Forty-fifth street.	100	77			
44	Concord avenue, One Hundred and Forty-fifth street	250	164	••••	****	******
45	Mount Hope	350	192			
40	Spuyten Duyvil	150	97	••••	****	******
47	Williamsbridge	90 40	23 29	••••	****	
40	Woodlawn	40		••••	••••	

COLORED SCHOOL. SCHOOL. DEPARTMENT.	LOCATION.	Seating Capacity for Pupils.	Average Attendance, 1877.	No. of Pupils of Non-resident Parents.	No. Non-resident Teachers.	Aggregate Annual Salary paid to Non-resident Teachers.
Gramman	ry street	500	106			
Primary S. 5th avenu	ie, near Broome street	147 225	147	2		\$1,800 00
(Grammar)	bet. 7th and 8th avenues.	265	108		1	1,416 00
(Filmary)	bet. 7th and oth avenues.	380	234		î	500 00
4 {Grammar Primary } 17th street,	near 6th avenue	320	208	1	3	1,690 00
		1,837	847	3	7	\$5,406 00
Normal College 69th street and	d 4th avenue	1,500	1,334 648	41	2	\$3,480 oo
Total	s.	2,300	1,982	41 .	2	\$3,480 00
Grammar Schools and Primary D Primary Schools		99,050 26,158	84,451 20,338	174	278 71	\$277,047 71 49,893 61
Colored Schools		1,837	847	3	7	5,406 00
Normal College		800	1,334 648	41		3,480 00
		129,345	107,618	239	358	\$335,827 32

STATEMENT B

WARD.	School.	Average Register Number.	Accommodations.	WARD.	School.	Average Register Number.	Accommodations.
1	M. D. 29 F. " 29	223 178	300	12	P. D. 6 M. " 37	87	8
	P. " 29 P. S. 15	481	300 500 200		F. " 37	462 425	54 54 85
	Total	981			F. " 46	705 693	80
	Total	901	1,300		M. " 43	783 118	1,00
2	P. S. 34	160	250		M. " 46	252 268	30
3	P. S. 37	126	200		F. " 46 M. " 52	268	33
4	M. D. 1	328	378		P. " 54	173 256	40
	D " *	352 554	378 618		M. " 57. P. " 57. M. " 68.	555 1,012	1,03
	P. S. 12	328 342	580 614		F. " 68	466 365	7º 64
	Total	1,904	2,568		P. S. 19	674 559	90 60
					" 32	64 80	20
5	M. D. 44 F. " 44	436 375	350		" 38 " 42	381 433	27 60
ı	P. " 44 P. S. 11	644	1,000		Total	9,182	11,47
	Total	1,879	2,212		w n		=
	V. N.			13	M. D. 4 F. " 4	423 369	46
5	M. D. 23 F. " 23	232 190	290		P. " 4	1,337	1,36 45
	M. " 24	37° 243	350 250		P. " 34	409 889	43 80
	F. " 24 P. " 24	245 338	275 350		P. S. 10	583 802	76
1	P. S. 2	250 453	300 500		Total	5,242	5,38
	Total	2,321	2,525			====	=
				14	M. D. 5	166 454	34 61
1	M. D. 2 F. " 2	381 413	465 465		M. " 21	194	37 37
	P. " 2 M. " 12	812 320	864 400	1	P. "21 F. "30	546 148	62
1	F. " 12 P. " 12	335 794	800		P. " 30	406	50
	M. " 31 P. " 31	237	300 800		Total	2,138	3,01
1	P. S. 36	499 678	800	15	M. D. 10	347	37
1	Total	4,469	5,294		F. " 10	259 576	37
	M.D. 8	234	350		M. " 35 P. " 35	937 579	80
1	F. " 8 P. " 8	234 198 567	325 575		F. " 47 P. " 47	704 566	700
1	M. " 38 F. " 38	362 415	450 450		Total	3,968	3,89
-	P. " 38 P. S. 25	813 403	650 350			3,900	3,09
1	Total	2,992	3,150	16	M. D. 11	330 651	1,18
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1	P. " 3	593 834 508	780 600		P. " 55. F. " 56. P. " 56.	555 882	72 85
1	P. " 16 F. " 41, Sr	245 269	500 416		Total	5,088	6,17
1	" " 41, Jr P. " 41	386 635	536 760				-,-,
-	P. S. 7	372 658	300 800	17	M. D. 13 F. " 13	487	50 50
1	" 18 " 24	292 701	368		P. " 13	462 893 415	90
	Total	6,093	6,860		F. " 19 P. " 19	428 989	45 80
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1	P. D. 7	807 526	316 846 500	14	" 9 " 22	435 881 728	1,43
1	F. " 20	410	500		" 23 " 26	32I 723	36
1	M. " 42	502 465	550		Total	8,692	9,533
1	P. " 42 P. S. 1	1,475	1,078				9,55.
1	Total	7,204	7,056	18	M. D. 40.	776 611	92 63
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1	M. " 22	525 838 453	500		" 29	539	70
1	F. " 22 P. " 22	457 905	500 1,004		Total	4,183	5,19
1	F. " 36	326	518	19	M. D. 18	FAC	498
	P. " 36	300 881 363	900	-	F " -8	542 556 968	450 850
1	" 5	363 860 755	350 850 750	376	P. " 18	328	400
-	" 39	415	400	5	P. " 27	320 879 618	803
all.	Total	7,602	8,274		M. " 53 F. " 53	625	481

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		1,213	950	11	P. " 58	1,170	1,086
	P. S. 21	623	486	11	M. " 69	304	547
	33	717	632		F. " 69	350	547
	" 35	779	948		P. " 69	904-	900
L/T	T-1-1			1	P. S. 17	293	290
	Total	10,396	9,199	.[]	" 4I	448	331
	M.D.				Total	10,742	10,800
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	P. " 48	797	900	11	P. " 6t	436 280	450
	P. S. 27	790	900	11	P. " 62	651	600
		-17-	900		P. S. 43	78	100
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	м р				Total	3,173	3,700
1	M. D. 14	655	600				
	F. " 14 P. " 14	644	600	11	M D C		
	M. " 49	617	1,200 650	24	M. D. 63	189	432
	F. " 49	562	650		P. " 63 M. " 64	201	300
	P. " 40	1,206	1,228		P. " 64	257	576 498
	P. S. 16	1,138	1,200		M. " 65	186	257
					P. " 65	280	300
	Total	6,040	6,128		M. " 66	132	125
					P. " 66	104	150
					M. " 67	49	64
2	M. D. 9	391	450		P. " 67	70	95
	F. " 9	313 823	450		P. S. 45	216	350
	1/		750		" 46	120	150
		1,485	1,350		47	27	90
		396	400		" 48	31	40
	F. " 28 P. " 28	443 1,100	1,000		Total	2,160	3,427

WARD.	Average Register Number.	Accommodation.	Excess of Accommodations.	Deficiency of Accommodations.
First	081			
Second.	160	1,300	319	****
Chird	126	250	90	
Fourth		2,568	74 664	
Fifth	1,904	2,500		••••
Sixth	1,879		333	
Seventh	4,460	2,525	825	
TV- 1 -1		5,294	158	
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Ninth Tenth	6,093	7,056	767	1
	7,204		672	14
Eleventh Twelfth	9,182	8,274	1,296	
mt t		5,380	1,290	
	5,242 2,138	3,016	878	
Fourteenth	3,968	3,898		
ixteenth	5,088	6,176	1.088	170
Seventeenth	8,692	9,533	841	***
Eighteenth	4,183	5,193	1,010	
Nineteenth	10,396	9,199		1,10
Twentieth	7,048	7,571	523	50 000
Cwenty-first	6,040	6,128	88	
Twenty-nest	10,742	10,800	58	
rwenty-second	3,173	3,700	527	1000000
rwenty-fourth	1,647	2,638	991	••••
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Total	113,270	124,399	11,544	1,51

Which was ordered on file.

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

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, February 9, 1878.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Weekly statement, showing the appropriations made under the authority contained in section 112, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, for carrying on the Common Council from January 1 to December 31, 1878, both days inclusive, and of the payments made up to and including the date hereof, for and on account of each appropriation.

on account of each appropriation.		
Title of Appropriations.	Am't of Appropriations.	Payments.
City Contingencies	\$1,250 00	
Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council		
Salaries—Common Council	106,000 00	\$9,009 86
	IOHN KELLY	Comptroller.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Department of Public

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, February 12, 1878.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—In compliance with your resolution of 29th ult., approved by the Mayor on the 31st ult., I herewith transmit a statement of "the amount of money expended annually during the past twelve years for the repaving of the streets of this city, also specifying the streets so repaved."

There is nothing in the records prior to 1875 to distinguish between pavements first put down and repavements, and for that period the statement is made from the best information obtainable.

It appears that there has been expended for repavements during the twelve years from 1866 to 1867, both inclusive, the sum of \$5,211,359.44, nearly five millions of which was expended in the nine years prior to 1875. For the years 1875 and 1876 no appropriation at all was made for repavement, in consequence of which many of the streets, which were already in very bad condition, became almost impassable and disgraceful to the city. This was especially true of most of the wooden pavements, of which there were twenty-one miles in length.

This deplorable condition of things arising from the time which had been lost and from the rapid deterioration which was going on, induced me to urge very strongly upon the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, both for 1877 and 1878, that the full amount authorized by the law of 1875, viz., \$500,000 per annum, should be appropriated.

The sum of \$200,000 was appropriated for 1877, which amount was increased by transfer from other branches of this Department to \$212,192.81. Some of the down-town streets, as well as a portion of the Sixth avenue, were repaved with substantial stone pavements, which have given general satisfaction.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment have appropriated \$300,000 for repavement for the

satisfaction.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment have appropriated \$300,000 for repavement for the year 1878, and I have already transmitted to your Board, as required by the law of 1875, a list of the streets which I deem proper to repave under this appropriation.

There are still several miles of wooden pavement, nearly all of which is in a state of utter decay, and there are many commercial thoroughfares paved with old cobble pavements, on which it would be a waste of money to attempt any thorough repairs. The only effectual mode is entirely to repave these streets in a substantial manner.

In addition to the sum of \$5.211.350.44 for repavement during the last twelve years, consider. In addition to the sum of \$5,211,359.44 for repavement during the last twelve years, considerable sums have been expended each year under the head of repairs. Had the five millions tor

repavement been economically and skilfuly expended on pavements of a durable character, a large portion of the outlay under the head of repairs would have been unnecessary; but, unfortunately, many wood and poultice pavements were laid from 1866 to 1874, and as they soon became rough from decay, constant reparations were necessary to keep them even passable for the ordinary

One cause of the rough condition of the pavements of this city is the constant laying down of water-pipes, gas-mains, and more particularly the house connections with sewers and water-pipes, and the never-ending repairs of such connections, done by plumbers, under license and permit from the Department of Public Works. The condition of the permit is that the pavement shall be restored to good condition, or, if not, the Department may have the work done and charge the same to the plumber; but this involves delay and a suit at law, and the Department has no fund to draw upon for such work. The system is defective and should be altered, so that, on the granting of a permit to make or repair a house connection, a sufficient sum should be paid therefor to enable the Department to do the work of replacing the pavement by its own employees. This would fix the responsibility upon the Department, and, in my opinion, would secure a great improvement in the condition of the pavements. of the pavements.

According to the present law all moneys so collected must be paid into the making an appropriation necessary by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

The ordinance upon the subject will also require amendment.

In reference to the openings made by gas companies, though, of course, some temporary evil is created, yet their work is now being better done than heretofore, and a watchful inspection is maintained.

maintained.

The elevated railroad companies, who have broken up the pavements along their routes this winter, are compelled by the weather and condition of the ground to make temporary replacements. The whole will be thoroughly overhauled and permanently restored in the spring.

There is nothing, in my opinion, which will more certainly promote the health and commercial prosperity of the city than a uniform system of smooth and durable pavements. Much has been said about the necessity of improved terminal facilities in New York in order to maintain its commercial supremacy. This may in part be done by making causeways on which the cost of transportation will be reduced to a minimum.

I have within the past, two years been earnestly appealed to by merchants to have certain

I have within the past two years been earnestly appealed to by merchants to have certain important thoroughfares of commerce repaved, because, as they alleged, they were compelled either to lighten their loads or double their teams in order to overcome the inequalities of the surface; and since the repavement of down-town streets last season, owners and occupants doing business thereon have stated that they considered their property considerably increased in rental value by the improvement. The Seventh avenue, from Fourteenth to Fifty-ninth street, which was paved with wood in 1870-71, has been in such a wretched condition for two years past that its business interests have materially suffered. It is proposed to repave this avenue with granite-blocks, from Fourteenth to Forty-third street, during the present year.

In addition to the evil of pavements of perishable materials, to which I have above referred, great laxity seems to have existed amongst contractors and inspectors in reference to the manner of putting down stone pavements. New specifications were prepared last year, and contractors were rigidly held to the performance of their obligations. A better class of inspectors was employed, and it is now generally understood by contractors that there must be a faithful fulfilment by both parties of the provisions of the contract.

of the provisions of the contract.

As labor is now abundant and materials cheap, fair progress can be made during the coming season in improving, at least, a portion of our streets most requiring renewal; and the necessary steps will be taken to put the work under contract as soon as your Board shall act upon the communication in relation to repayement, which I had the honor to present at your last meeting.

Very respectfully,

ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioner of Public Works.

Statement showing the Annual Expenditures for Repaving the Streets of the City of New York from 1866 to 1876 (both inclusive), together with the Location of Work and Style of Pavement.

STREET.	Boundaries.	KIND OF PAVEMENT.	AMOUNT EXPENDED.
	During the year 1866.		
	Inspectors of Pavements		\$15,685 50
venue C	16th street and 17th street	Stone	856 44
econd avenue	Houston street and 14th street	"	5,373 13
hird avenue	Bowery and 14th street. 56th street and 86th street.	"	27,123 12 1,964 60
"	100th street and 120th street	"	61,241 10
leventh avenue	14th street and 26th street	Cobble	5,462 93
arclay	College place and West street	Stone	123 00
leecker	Broadway and Bowery	"	5,649 00
atharine	Chatham street and South street	"	11,411 56
edar	Pearl street and West street		9,594 37
harles	Hudson street and Greenwich street		7,768 26
uane	Hudson street and West street	"	7,329 90 5,116 02
ammond	rath avenue and West street	"	107 90
enard	Broadway and West proadway	"	10,507 90
lulberry	Bleecker street and Houston street	"	2,645 49
assau	Pine street and Wall street	Wood	2,022 32
ine	Pearl street and Front street	Stone	21 81
pring	Broadway and West street	"	177 50
ater	Old slip and Coenties slip	"	3,190 70
est	Battery place and Chambers street	*****	52.688 99
"	Watts street and Chambers street		136 00
"	Hammond street and Hoboken street	******	28,172 71 8,535 02
orth	Avenue D and Bowery	"	10,396 40
welfth	2d avenue and 4th avenue	"	8,036 91
wellth	ret avenue and University place	"	142 70
ourteenth	3d avenue and 4th avenue. Avenue B and East river.	"	6,432 20
xteenth	Avenue B and East river	"	1,503 90
wentieth	and avenue and ath avenue	"	2,511 95
"	4th avenue and Broadway	"	9.393 90
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wenty fifth	5th avenue and 6th avenue	"	7,039 73 1,924 82
wenty-sixth	1st avenue and 5th avenue	"	28,571 42
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"	Broadway and sth avenue	"	3,936 10
hirtieth	rst avenue and 5th avenue	"	172 50
hirty-first	sth avenue and 6th avenue	"	11,169 38
"	8th avenue and oth avenue	"	
hirty-fourth	3d avenue and East river	"	9,379 79
hirty-fifth	ıst avenue and 2d avenue	"	6,343 94 7,880 of
hirty-sixth	4th avenue and 5th avenue	"	6,872 9
hirty-seventh	3d avenue and Lexington avenue	"	975 7
"	Park avenue and Madison avenue	"	3,522 60
hirty-ninth	4th avenue and Lexington avenue	"	3,938 5
	sth avenue and 6th avenue	"	5,483 3
orty-fourth	Broadway and Ninth avenue	"	14,139 2
	Total for 1866		\$486,170 7
	During the year 1867.		\$26.272.0
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	Street.	Boundaries.	KIND OF PAVEMENT.	AMOUNT EXPENDED.
1	William Worth Second Leleventh Twelfth Thirteenth Fourteenth	Beaver street and Pearl street. Baxter street and Broadway. Avenue D and Bowery. 7th avenue and West street 2d avenue and 5th avenue. 1st avenue and University place 3d avenue and 4th avenue.	Stone	2,612 35 3,994 19 5,186 13 12,768 70 17,387 03 23,460 79 114 00
	Twentieth Twenty-fifth Twenty-seventh Twenty-eighth Twenty-ighth Twenty-inith Thirtieth Thirty-first	th avenue and the avenue. st avenue and 5th avenue. "" 5th avenue and 5th avenue. st avenue and 5th avenue. st avenue and 5th avenue.	# #	94 65 131 20 16,113 83 16,845 98 17,055 05 3,169 93 33,421 94 133 20
	Thirty-second	8th avenue and 9th avenue. 4th avenue and 5th avenue. 4th avenue and Madison avenue. 3d avenue and East river 3d avenue and 5th avenue 6th avenue and 7th avenue. 4th avenue and Lexington avenue 1st avenue and 2d avenue.		10,635 55 47 50 25 60 5,133 80 10,524 83 123 35 3,934 15 37 50
	"	5th avenue and 6th avenue Total for 1867 During the year 1868.		6,975 35 \$639,722 69
	Second avenue. Fourth avenue. Eighth avenue. Exchange place. Hall place. Washington place Bridge. Broad Canal. Church. Elm	Inspectors of Pavements Houston street and 14th street 38th street and 43d street 42d street and 43d street 50d street and Hanover street 6th street and Hanover street 6th street and University place Broad street and State street Wall street and South street West street and State street West street and Broadway Chambers street and Canal street Broome street and Spring street Canal street and Ghavenue	Stone	\$17,480 co 15,235 66 12,543 91 18,382 07 5,825 43 12 10 10,505 33 7,218 22 13,817 54 25,389 99 4,187 02
	Hudson Lewis Liberty Marketfield Mercer Murray Nassau New Pearl	Houston street and 8th avenue Throughout. Broad street and Whitehall street. Canal street and 8th street. West street and Broadway. Cedar street and Broadway. Wall street and Beaver street Wall street and Beekman street.	Wood	21,371 59 83 80 25,156 88 3,020 33 20,224 32 30,736 14 4,246 13 10,067 16 5,550 48 4,723 72
	Prince Rector Spring West " " William Eighth Ninth	Broadway and Bowery. Broadway and West street. Morris street and Battery place. Chambers street and Watts street Hammond street and 12th street. Throughout. Avenue A and 1st avenue. 6th avenue and Broadway. 6th avenue and 7th avenue.	Stone Wood Stone Wood Wood Stone	68 45 9,386 84 28,834 08 395 18 11,981 53 13 15 32,238 01 9,395 33 110 0
	Twelfth	7th avenue and West street. 4th avenue and 5th avenue. 5th avenue and 6th avenue. 1st avenue and University place. 4th avenue and Rutherford place 5th avenue and 6th avenue. 6th avenue and 7th avenue. 3d avenue and East river. 5th avenue and 6th avenue.	Stone Stone	5,039 24 2,977 69 46 80 419 70 69 50 3,122 66 45 00 1,864 25 56 00
	Thirty-second. Thirty-second. Thirty-fifth Thirty-fifth Thirty-eighth Thirty-ninth Forty-second.	Ist avenue and 5th avenue. 4th avenue and 5th avenue. 5th avenue and Madison avenue. 5th avenue and 6th avenue. 3d avenue and 5th avenue. 4th avenue and Lexington avenue. 1st avenue and 2d avenue. 5th avenue and Madison avenue. 8th avenue and Madison avenue. 8th avenue and Madison avenue.	Stone Stone	553 85 6,374 78 29 75 56 00 4,048 68 69 20 3,913 86 8,690 66 36,208 76
		Total for 1868		\$31,703 00
	Avenue A Avenue B Lexington avenue Second avenue Third avenue Sixth avenue Seventh avenue Eighth avenue Exchange place	Houston street and 14th street	Wood Stone Wood Stone Wood	207 06 226 50 43,931 40 16,515 00 35,537 70 93,640 68 714 90 1,120 50 124 10 3,013 92
	Hall place. Irving place. Washington place. Waverley place. Coenties slip. Bridge. Canal Cortlandt. Dey.	14th street and 20th street Broadway and University place. 4th avenue and 6th avenue Broadway and Christopher street. Pearl street and South street. Broad street and Battery place. West street and Broadway. Greenwich street and Broadway. West street and Broadway. West street and Broadway.	Stone Stone Stone Wood	24,801 00 218 10 7,727 80 139 73 18,591 68 155 00 947 45 10,070 78 26,480 44
	Franklin. Great Jones Liberty. Lewis. Laight Lispenard. Marketfield. Murray. New	Elm street and West Broadway Bowery and Broadway Throughout. Houston street and 8th street. Canal street and West street. Broadway and West Broadway. Broad street and Whitehall street West street and Broadway. Wall street and Broadway. Wall street and Broadway.	Stone	18,181 12 19,048 90 530 20 8,865 46 89 40 55 20 68 30 643 20 210 60
	North Moore. Pearl. Perry Perry Prince. Rector. Spring. " South Thomas.	West street and Broadway Wall street and Hanover street Bleecker street and 4th street. Broadway and Bowery Broadway and West street Broadway and Bowery Broadway and West street Church street and Catharine street. Church street and Hudson street. Throughout	Stone Stone	66 70 96 40 3,029 32 10,463 66 191 10 89 00 610 30 195 76 6,376 97 670 30
3 - 3 -	William Fourth. Eighth. Ninth. Tenth Eleventh Fourteenth. Fifteenth	Bowery and Mangin street. 1st avenue and Avenue A. 6th avenue and Broadway. Broadway and University place. 4th avenue and East river. 8th avenue and University place. 8th avenue and I oliversity place. 8th avenue and oth avenue.	Stone	264 25 191 70 111 80 8,207 62 146 60 245 45 73,391 80
0701549	Sixteenth. Seventeenth. Eighteenth. Nineteenth " Twentieth. Twenty-first. Twenty-fourth.	6th avenue and Runeriora piace 6th avenue and 8th avenue 2d avenue and 3d avenue. 3d avenue and 6th avenue. 6th avenue and foth avenue 4th avenue and 5th avenue 1st avenue and Madison avenue.	Wood.	90 00 34 30 46,946 70 180 00 10,283 80 48,295 35 14,803 37
9440546195	Twenty-fifth. Twenty-sixth. Twenty-seventh Twenty-eighth. Twenty-ninth. Thirtieth Thirty-first	ad avenue and Madison avenue. ad avenue and Fast river. 6th avenue and 8th avenue 5th avenue and 6th avenue. 8th avenue and Broadway. 2th avenue and gth avenue	Wood Stone Wood Stone Wood Stone	2,287 36 88 80 14,962 94 110 35 13,820 95 45 00 46 50 9,451 38
25 6 3 5 5 8	Thirty-second Thirty-third. Thirty-fourth Thirty-seventh. Thirty-ninth.	da venue and Fourth avenue. 4th avenue and 5th avenue. 5th avenue and Madison avenue. 5th avenue and 6th avenue. 9th avenue and roth avenue. 1oth avenue and 11th avenue. 1st avenue and 2 avenue. 1st avenue and 2 avenue.	Wood Stone	51 00 135 85 7,811 57 14,778 58 60 60 12,017 54 95 00 1,293 19
55 11 74 20 30	Forty-second	. 8th avenue and 5th avenue		50 00

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STREET.	Boundaries.	KIND OF PAVEMENT.	AMOUNT EXPENDED.	Street.	Boundaries.
	During the year 1870.		ANIMA	Hudson Ludlow	Chambers street and Canal street Stanton street and Canal street
venue B		. Stone	\$47,191 99 42,399 21 18,753 00	Macdougal South Vandam	Spring street and 8th street
exington avenue	. 109th street and 129th street	. Stone	1,396 70 5,104 60	Varick	Franklin street and Carmine street Canal street and West street
Sixth avenue Seventh avenue Vinth avenue	42d street and 59th street	. Wood	2,543 26 . 301,341 23 12,530 32	Willett	Grand street and Rivington street
Maiden lane	53d street and 54th street	. Wood	6,558 65 37,875 00	Fifteenth	
Afayette place	Broadway and Christopher street	. Wood	17,602 37 44,389 10 17,358 82	Nineteenth	3d avenue and East river
Beach	West street and West Broadway	. "	19,999 79	Twenty-fourth	8th avenue and 10th avenue
ChrystieCliffOelancey	John street and Frankfort street	. Wood Stone	15,090 03 10,954 30 19,806 50	Thirty-first	4th avenue and 5th avenue
Desbrosses ranklin	Washington street and Hudson street	. Wood	7,945 70 3,361 80	Thirty-fourth	oth avenue and Tenth avenue Lexington avenue and East river Madison avenue and 4th avenue
Harrison Houston Howard	Lewis street and East street	: " ::::::	12,698 72 7,577 99 10,018 60	Forty-second	8th avenue and Tenth avenue roth avenue and Hudson river
aight	Mercer street and Broadway	. Stone	1,858 50		Total for 1872
Judlow	Grand street and Broome street	. Wood	3,435 7° 6,881 50		During the year 1873.
outh	Montgomery street and Catharine street	. Stone	8,078 20 53,197 69 12,644 11	South Fifth avenue	Inspectors of Pavements
homas	Whitehall street and Broad street	. "	145 30	Ninth avenue	34th street and 45th street
Vhite linth 'enth	6th avenue and Broadway	Stone	2,308 75 26,927 30 6,039 30	Twentieth	3d avenue and East river
Eleventh	Broadway and University place	: "	5,134 50	Twenty-fourth	10th avenue and 11th avenue
ourteenth	oth avenue and toth avenue	. Wood	89,869 40 335 10 38,355 00	Thirty-seventh	8th avenue and 10th avenue
"	7th avenue and 8th avenue	Stone	7,072 80		Total for 1873
Seventeenth Eighteenth Nineteenth	6th avenue and 8th avenue	. "	8.055 42	3	During the year 1874.
wenty-first	4th avenue and 5th avenue	. Wood	6,576 50	Broadway	Inspectors of Pavements
Cwenty-sixth Cwenty-eighth Chirtieth	3d avenue and East river	. "	5,530 00 18,984 64	Ninth avenue Bank Worth	West street and 13th avenue Broadway and Chatham street
Chirty-second	3d avenue and 4th avenue	. "	8,787 10 288 75	Thirty-first	th avenue and Lexington avenue
Thirty-sixth Thirty-seventh Thirty-eighth	6th avenue and 7th avenue	· Wood	4,079 25 13,362 10	Forty-first	3d avenue and 4th avenue
Thirty-ninth	7th avenue and 8th avenue		13,359 50 7,038 78 9,477 90		Total for 1874
Fortieth Forty-first	6th avenue and 9th avenue	. "	31,390 60 3,814 16		During the year 1875.
	Total for 1870		\$1,198,244 02	Bank	
	During the year 1871.			Twenty-first	. toth avenue and 13th avenue
Avenue C Third avenue	120th street and 130th street	"	2,187 68	Thirty-sixth	Total for 1875
Ninth avenue Eleventh avenue Astor place	33d street and 34th street		3,147 10		
Lafayette place Attorney	Great Jones street and Astor place	:: " :::::	468 70 7,189 08		During the year 1876 6th avenue and 7th avenue
Broome	Norfolk street and Bowery	"	20,667 08	Twenty-first	. 10th avenue and 13th avenue
Charlton	. Centre street and Broadway	:: " :::::	5,349 27 8,571 33		Total for 1876
Chrystie Cliff Corlears	John street and Frankfort street	Wood	393 35 4,694 70 3,567 65		During the year 1877.
Delancey Dominick	Bowery and East river	: "	. 37.887 26	Sixth avenue West Broadway	
Eldridge Elizabeth Forsyth	Grand street and Bleecker street	"	17,401 65	College place	Chambers street and Barclay street South street and Broadway
Franklin	West street and West Broadway	:: "	. 12,687 48	Cambonds	. Greenwich street and Broadway
Hubert	West street and Hudson street	"	6,146 77	Rector	West street and Broadway
Laight	Canal street and West street		. 611 10	Spruce	Cliff street and Nassau street
Ludlow	Grand street and Broome street	"	14,441 84	Warren	West street and Broadway
Mangin Pearl	Stanton street and Houston street	:: " :::::	3,556 40 6,993 52	Dey	West street and Broadway
Reade South Spring	Corlears street and Montgomery street		. 28,023 73	Pearl	Fulton street and Coenties slip
Stuyvesant Vandam	2d avenue and 3d avenue	·· Wood	7,537 95 11,527 82	A Caratrana	Total for 1877
Varick Watt Willett	Canal street and West street		5,457 88		
Eighth	4th avenue and Broadway	Wood	. 3,231 90 . 9,423 40		RECAPITULATION
Tenth	5th avenue and University place		. 155 50		
Fifteenth	8th avenue and oth avenue	:: " :::::	. 2,509 70		YEAR.
Seventeenth Eighteenth Nineteenth	6th avenue and 8th avenue		. 548 00		
Twenty-second	6th avenue and 10th avenue		. 25.833 12 . 8,064 80	1866	
Twenty-sixth Twenty-eighth Thirty-first	8th avenue and Broadway	"	. 7.723 27	1868	••••••
Thirty-second	" "	"	7.198 07	1871	
Thirty-third Thirty-fourth Thirty-sixth	oth avenue and 10th avenue	"	8,541 23 5,503 55	1873	
Thirty-eighth	Lexington avenue and East river	"	4,336 50	1876	
Fortieth	7th avenue and 8th avenue	"	2,855 62	G	rand Total
Forty-second	3d avenue and Madison avenue	"	29,398 60		
	Inspectors of Pavements			- Which was old	ered on file.
					REPORTS.
	During the year 1872. Inspectors of Pavements		\$14,274 7		(G. O. 40.)
Avenue C South Fifth avenue	Houston street and 18th street	Stone Guidet Wood	91,182 8	The Committee	on Street Pavements, to whom was refe ighty-second street, from Third to Mad
Seventh avenue Ninth avenue Astor place	14th street and 23d street	Stone	16,333 2 3,259 5	1	REPORT:
Park place University place	Broadway and West street	"	7,275 9	That, having ex	xamined the subject, they believe the mmend that the said resolution and ordi
BayardBroome	Bowery and Baxter street	Stone	2,331 2	Resolved, That	at Eighty-second street, between II
	Broadway and Hudson street	"	7,939 3 15,518 6	avenues crosswalks	be laid where not now laid, and relaid r of Public Works, not in good repair,
Corlears Delancey Eldridge	South street and Water street. Bowery and East river. Division street and Houston street.	"	23,007 3	grade of the propose	ed new pavement, under the direction of ing ordinance therefor be adopted.
	" " "	66	0.540 2	6	· WM. S
Forsyth Franklin Hubert	West street and West Broadway	"	5,258 9	8	PATRI

the second second			
	Charles and Carlotted	Stone	\$12,527 91
HudsonLudlow	Chambers street and Canal streef	"	5,246 36
Macdougal	Spring street and 8th street	"	9,060 60
South	Greenwich street and Macdougal street	"	4,940 49
Varick	Franklin street and Carmine street	"	2,157 09
Watts	Grand street and Rivington street	"	2,150 03
Eighth	4th avenue and Broadway	"	9,440 00
Clirteenth	7th avenue and 8th avenue	Wood	4,968 66
Sixteenth	rst avenue and Avenue C	Stone	7,280 93
Nineteenth	ad avenue and East river	"	15,403 08
Wenty-first	6th avenue and 7th avenue	"	6.347 58 25,375 63
Swenty-fourth	8th avenue and oth avenue	"	250 00
"	ret avenue and kast river	"	1,227 98 2,707 60
Thirty-first	4th avenue and 5th avenue	"	220 00
hirty-fourth	oth avenue and Tenth avenue	"	2,724 52 6,393 09
Chirty-eighth	Madison avenue and East river. Madison avenue and 4th avenue	"	1,116 92
"	8th avenue and Tenth avenue	"	4,182 50
Forty-second	10th avenue and Hudson river	"	
	Total for 1872		\$514,938 96
	During the year 1873.		
	Inspectors of Pavements		\$4,585 56
South Fifth avenue	Canal street and 4th street	Stone	1,440 66
Ninth avenue	34th street and 45th street. Broadway and West street.	"	43,120 53 298 of
Park place	Waverley place and 8th street	"	123 60
[wentieth	ad avenue and Wast river	" :::::	704 90 270 40
Twenty-first	toth avenue and 11th avenue	"	8,082 53
Thirty-first	4th avenue and 5th avenue. 7th avenue and Hudson river.	"	5,057 28 27,270 14
Thirty-seventh	8th avenue and roth avenue	"	9,833 70
orty-mst	Total for 1873		\$100,787 31
	1044 101 1073		
=	During the year 1874.		
	Inspectors of Pavements	Stone	\$2,688 oo 87,144 95
Broadway	32d street and 59th street	"	1,524 90
Bank	32d street and 55th street. West street and 15th street. West street and 15th avenue.	"	2,665 09 18,165 01
Worth	th avenue and I evington avenue		2,821 02
Thirty-seventh		"	1,133 80 569 60
Forty-first	3th avenue and 10th avenue		283 20
rorty-seventii	Total for 1874		\$116,995 57
	During the year 1875.		4-46
Bank	Inspectors of Pavements	Stone	\$756 00 140 10
Eleventh	6th avenue and 7th avenue	"	5,949 42
Twenty-first	10th avenue and 13th avenue	"	5,637 70 146 30
Thirty-sixth	10th avenue and 11th avenue	"	4.792 48
- '- '	Total for 1875		\$17,422 00
	D		
Flament	During the year 1876. 6th avenue and 7th avenue	Stone	\$266 20
Eleventh Twenty-first	10th avenue and 13th avenue	"	2,416 17
	Total for 1876	•••••	\$2,682 37
	During the year 1877.		
			\$2,065 00
Sixth avenue	Inspectors of Pavements	Stone	47,619 53
West Broadway	Canal street and Chambers street.		32,456 29
College place	South street and Broadway		
Liberty	West street and Maiden lane		30,965 15
Cortlandt	Greenwich street and Broadway		
Wall	Centre street and West Broadway. William street and Hanover street.		14,954 79
Rector	West street and Broadway		
Spruce	Cliff A Manage street		17,810 18
Nassau	Spruce street and Wall street West street and Broadway.		07.77
Murray			27,175 96
John Dey	Water street and Broadway.	*********	19,695 59
Washington			16,692 8
PearlTwelfth	Fulton street and Coenties slip roth avenue and 13th avenue		2,757 49
I WCIIIII	Total for 1877		\$212,192 81

Year.	Amounts Expended for Repaving.
1866	\$486,170 73 639,722 6 421,989 10
1866. 1870. 1871.	732,239 0; 1,198,244 0; 767,974 8
1871 1873 1874	514,938 9 100,787 3 116,995 5
1875	17,422 or 2,682 3 212,192 8
1877	\$5,211,359 4

ferred the annexed resolution and ordinance dison avenue, respectfully

e proposed improvement to be necessary. dinance be adopted. Third and Madison avenues, be paved at the several intersecting streets and d where those now laid are, in the opinion ir, or are not upon a grade adapted to the of the Commissioner of Public Works; and

SAUER, Committee on Street Pavements.

(G. O. 41.)

The Committee on Law Department, to whom was referred the annexed preamble and resolution to amend section 63 of article 5, chapter 6, of the Ordinances of 1866, so as to prevent obstructions to the use of fire-hydrants, respectfully

REPORT:

That the preamble to the resolution so clearly sets forth the facts in the case, that your Committee believe it both advantageous and desirable to adopt the amendment contained in the resolution.

Your Committee are aware that by the laws of the State the Commissioners of the Fire Department have control of the subject, and can have punishment inflicted for violation of its provisions by a suit at law. The ordinance, as proposed for your adoption, will be far more efficacious in preventing the obstructions complained of, as any person detected in violating its provisions may be summarily arrested by any policeman, taken immediately before any police magistrate, and fined or imprisoned, so that there will not necessarily be any conflict between the State law and the City ordinance. Your Committee therefore respectfully recommend the adoption of the amendment to section 63, as referred to your Committee. referred to your Committee.

Whereas, Free access to many of the fire-hydrants located on the sidewalks near the curb-stones, particularly in narrow streets in the lower part of this city, is prevented by reason of snow and ice being piled around them in the work of cleaning the sidewalks by property owners, and by the snow-ploughs and other machines used by railroad companies to clean their tracks after each fall of snow;

and,

Whereas, The evil is aggravated by the fact that the snow thus heaped around the fire-hydrants becomes congealed by the action of the frost, rendering them useless or next to useless by fire engines, and if a preventative is not provided, this reprehensible practice, which occasions loss of valuable time in making them available, may result at any moment in converting a small fire into a disastrous con-

in making them available, may result at any moment in converting a smart file of flagration; be it therefore

Resolved, That section 63 of article 5 of chapter VI of the Ordinances of 1866 be and is hereby amended by inserting after the word "stop-cocks," in the second line thereof, the words "or fire-hydrants," also by inserting after the word "thereon," in the third and sixth lines thereof, the words "or thereabout," so that said section, when so amended, shall read as follows:

Sec. 63. Any person or persons who shall obstruct the access to the different stop-cocks or fire-hydrants connected with the water-pipes, by placing thereon or thereabout stones, bricks, lumber, dirt or any other materials, or who shall permit any such materials to be placed thereon or thereabout by those in his or their employ, shall be subject to the penalty of fifty dollars for each offence, with an additional sum of twenty-five dollars for each day the same shall be continued after protice of removal shall have been served. notice of removal shall have been served.

L. C. WAEHNER, J. C. PINCKNEY, GEO. HALL, Law Department.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 42.)

The Committee on Law Department, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled "An ordinance in relation to awnings and side curtains in the City of New York," respectfully

That, having examined the ordinance, they are of opinion it should be adopted. It contemplates by the proposed amendment to insert after the word "tin," in the present ordinance, the words "or other metal," so as to allow the use of light corrogated iron for awning purposes. It also permits drop or hood awnings, not less than seven feet in the clear above the sidewalk within the stoop line, without applying for a permit or paying a license therefor.

Your Committee are in favor of according these privileges, and therefore respectfully recommend for your adoption the ordinance herewith accompanying.

An Ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled "An ordinance in relation to awnings and side curtains in the City of New York," which became adopted May 4, 1876.

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

Section I. Section I of the above-entitled ordinance is hereby amended by inserting after the word "tin" the words "or other metal," also, by inserting before the words "in Broadway" the words "across the sidewalk; also by adding thereto, at the end thereof, the following: "No drop or hood awning shall be less than seven feet in the clear, in every part thereof, above the sidewalk, nor project outwardly from any building beyond the stoop or area line of the street, nor shall a permit for any such hood or drop awning be necessary;" so that said section, when so amended, shall read as follows:

as follows:

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

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

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Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

L. C. WAEHNER, Committee on GEO. HALL,

J. C. PINCKNEY, Law Department.

(G. O. 43.)

The Committee on Law Department, to whom was referred the accompanying communication from the Counsel to the Corporation, with an ordinance to regulate the carrying of pistols in the City of New York, respectfully

REPORT:

That the ordinance so submitted by the Counsel to the Corporation was considered and amended by your Honorable Body at a meeting held on the 23d of October, 1877, and before reference to

your Committee.

As your Honorable Body did not indicate what other amendments, if any, were necessary or desirable, or give your Committee any instruction, and as the ordinance was originally prepared by the law officer of the city, it is fair to presume that it is perfect.

As to the necessity for the passage of the ordinance there can be no question. The reckless use of firearms by the dangerous classes in this city is proverbial, and this measure of repression seems to be necessary. Your Committee therefore respectfully recommends the adoption of the ordinance

AN ORDINANCE to regulate the carrying of pistols in the City of New York.

Whereas, In a large portion of the arrests made by the police for disorderly conduct or intoxication, the persons so arrested are found to have on them at the time a pistol of some kind, and as the records of the criminal courts will show that in the arrests for murder or of largest portion of the arrests for murder or of largest portion of the arrests for murder or of largest portion of the arrests for murder or of largest portion of the arrests for murder or of largest portion of the arrests for murder or of largest portion of the arrests for murder or of largest portion of the arrests for murder or of largest portion of the arrests for murder or of largest portion of the arrests for murder or of largest portion of the arrests made by the police for disorderly conduct or intoxication, the persons so arrested are found to have on them at the time a pistol of some kind, and as the records of the criminal courts will show that in the arrests for murder or of Public Works, to whom was referred the communication from the Commissioner of Public Works, certifying that the safety, comfort, etc., of the public require that certain streets be repaved, respectfully the records of the criminal courts will show that in the largest portion of the arrests for murder or felonious assult the criminal claims he was drunk, and was, therefore, unfit to carry any weapon of any kind, particularly as the majority of those arrested are twenty-five years of age, and as such persons are always ready and willing to insult respectable citizens, and draw a pistol on any and every occasion, while the better and law-abiding class try to obey the laws and protect themselves with nothing but nature's weapons; therefore be it ordained by the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, in Common Council convened, as follows:

Section 1. Every person, except judges of the Federal, State, and municipal governments, authorized by law to make arrests, and persons to whom permits shall have been issued, as hereinafter provided, who shall have in his possession within the City of New York a pistol of any description, concealed on his person, or not carried openly, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and

tion, concealed on his person, or not carried openly, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be punished, on conviction, by a fine not exceeding ten dollars, or, in default of payment of

shall be punished, on conviction, by a fine not exceeding ten dollars, or, in default of payment of such fine, by imprisonment not exceeding ten days.

Sec. 2. Any person, except as provided in section I of the ordinance, who has occasion to carry a pistol for his protection, may apply to the officer in command at the station-house of the precinct where he resides, and such officer, if satisfied that the applicant is a proper and law-abiding person, shall give said person a recommendation to the Superintendent of Police, or the inspector in command at the Central Office in the absence of the Superintendent, who shall issue a permit to the said person allowing him to carry a pistol of any description.

Sec. 3. If, at the time of the arrest, a pistol of any description shall be found concealed on the person of, or not carried openly by, any one arrested for disorderly conduct or intoxication, the officer making the arrest shall state such fact to the police magistrate before whom the prisoner is brought, and shall make a separate complaint against such prisoner for violation of this ordinance.

Sec. 4. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

J. C. WAEHNER, Committee on J. C. PINCKNEY, Law Department.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred at different times resolutions in favor of appointing sundry persons as Commissioners of Deeds, respectfully

REPORT

For your adoption the following resolution:

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place, respectively, of the persons whose names appear opposite, whose terms of office have expired:

Carson G. Archibald.	in place	of
Philip Benjamin.		Philip Benjamin.
Wm. H. Salter,	66	James M. Case.
Samuel Goldsticker,	66	John Kerr.
John E. Hartley,	• • •	
Dewitt C. Judah,		Thomas Reilly.
Dewitt C. Judah, Robert C. Bolton,		Boltis M. Segee.
		SAMUEL A. LEWIS, Committee
		WILLIAM SAUER. > on

JOHN J. MORRIS, | Salaries and Offices.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Bennett, Biglin, Carroll,
Guntzer, Jacobus, Kiernan, Lewis, Morris, Perley, Phillips, Pinckney,
Reilly, Sauer, Sheils, and
Waehner—19.

Negative—Aldermen Hall and Slavin.

Negative—Aldermen Hall and Slevin—2.

(G. O. 44.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of erecting a free drinking-hydrant on the south side of Eighty-first street, one hundred and twenty-five feet west of Eleventh avenue, respectfully

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

Resolved, That a free drinking-hydrant for man and beast be placed on the south side of Eighty-first street, 125 feet west of Eleventh avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

THOMAS SHEILS, THOS. CARROLL, GEO. HALL, Committee J. C. PINCKNEY, B. BIGLIN, Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 45.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of placing two boulevard-lamps in front of Grammar School No. 59, situated in Fifty-seventh street, between Second and Third avenues, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That two boulevard-lamps be placed in front of the entrance to Grammar School No. 59, situated in Fifty-seventh street, between Second and Third avenues, the work to be done under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

THOMAS SHEILS, THOS. CARROLL, GEO. HALL, J. C. PINCKNEY, Committee Public Works. B. BIGLIN,

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 46.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of paving Lexington avenue, between Seventy-fourth and Seventy-ninth streets, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That Lexington avenue, between Seventy-fourth and Seventy-ninth streets, be paved with Belgian or trap-block pavement, and that at the several intersecting streets and avenues crosswalks be laid where not now laid, and relaid where those now laid are, in the opinion of the Commissioner of Public Works, not in good repair, or are not upon a grade adapted to the grade of the proposed new pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

THOMAS SHELLS

THOMAS SHEILS, GEO. HALL, THOS. CARROLL, J. C. PINCKNEY, B. BIGLIN, Committee Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 47.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of having a crosswalk laid across Fordham avenue, near Eleventh street, in Central Morrisiana, respectfully REPORT:

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

Resolved, That a crosswalk be laid across Fordham avenue, near Eleventh street, Central Morrisania, under the direction of the Department of Public Parks; and that the accompanying ordi-

THOMAS SHEILS, GEO. HALL, THOMAS CARROLL, J. C. PINCKNEY, Committee on Public Works. B. BIGLIN,

Which was laid over.

nance therefor be adopted.

(G. O. 48.)

REPORT:

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

Resolved, First—That in pursuance of section I, chapter 476, Laws of 1875, the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to pave with granite-block pavement:

Barclay street, from Broadway to College place.

Washington square roadway, from Fifth avenue to South Fifth avenue.

Waverley place, from Broadway to Christopher street.

Mercer street, from Canal to Bleecker street.

Fourteenth street, from University place to Ninth avenue.

Fourteenth street, from University place to Ninth avenue. Fifteenth street, from Broadway to Fifth avenue. Irving place, from Fourteenth to Twentieth street. Seventh avenue, from Fourteenth to Forty-third street. Fifteenth street, from Third to Fourth avenue. Morris street, from Broadway to Greenwich street.

Second—With trap-block pavement:

Water street, from Whitehall to Fulton street. Madison street, from Pearl to Market street. Market street, from Division street to East river. Clinton street, from Division street to East river. Pearl street, from Broadway to New Bowery.
Twenty-third street, from Third avenue to East river.
Forty-second street, from Third to Fourth avenue.
Barrow street, from Washington place to West street.
White street, from Broadway to Centre street. One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, from Fourth to Sixth avenue. Third—With macadam pavement:

Fifth avenue, from Fifty-ninth to Seventy-second street.
Fifth avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-fourth to One Hundred and Thirtieth street.

THOMAS SHEILS, THOS. CARROLL, GEORGE HALL, J. C. PINCKNEY, on Public Works. B. BIGLIN,

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 49.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of having curb and gutter set and sidewalks flagged in Seventy-sixth street, from First avenue to Avenue A, respectfully

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

Resolved, That in Seventy-sixth street, from First avenue to Avenue A, the curb and gutter be set and reset where necessary, and the sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

THOMAS SHEILS, GEO. HALL, THOS. CARROLL, J. C. PINCKNEY, B. BIGLIN, Committee Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 50.)

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of paying James W. McGowan the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars for services rendered the Special Committee appointed to investigate the "ring frauds," respectfully

REPORT:

REPORT:

That the services have been faithfully performed and the Special Committee assisted materially by the same. The greater portion of the services was in collating and preparing documentary evidence in order to aid the principal witness in answering certain questions of the Committee, also in correcting and making ready for the press the notes of the stenographer; therefore your Committee believe that the amount charged is just and reasonable and should be paid, and recommend the adoption of the accompanying resolution.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw a warrant in favor of James W. McGowan for the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars, to be in full for services rendered the Special Committee on investigating "ring frauds," from August 21 to and including December 24, 1877, and charge the amount to the appropriation for "City Contingencies" for the year 1878.

PATRICK KEENAN, Committee JAMES J. SLEVIN, SAMUEL A. LEWIS, Finance.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 51.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of laying gas-mains in One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, east of Willis avenue, respectfully REPORT:

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

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street-lamps lighted in One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, east of Willis avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public

THOMAS SHEILS, THOS. CARROLL, GEO. HALL, J. C. PINCKNEY, B. BIGLIN, Committee Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 52.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed petition in favor of lighting Elton avenue, between One Hundred and Fifty-third street and One Hundred and Sixty-second street, with gas, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street-lamps lighted in Elton avenue, between One Hundred and Fifty-third and One Hundred and Sixty-second streets, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

THOMAS SHEILS, GEO. HALL, THOS. CARROLL, J. C. PINCKNEY, B. BIGLIN, Committee Public Works.

Which was laid over.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Alderman Gedney called up G. O. 27, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the vacant lots on the northeast corner of Madison avenue and Fifty-sixth street (having a frontage on the avenue and the street), be fenced in, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative, on a division, viz.:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Bennett, Biglin, Carroll, Ehrhart, Foster, Gedney, Guntzer, Hall, Jacobus, Keenan, Kiernan, Lewis, Morris, Perley, Pinckney, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, and Waehner—20.

Negative—Aldermen Phillips and Reilly.

Negative-Aldermen Phillips and Reilly-2.

Alderman Kiernan called up G. O. 18, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:
Resolved, That in Seventy-sixth street, from First avenue to Avenue A, the curb and gutter be set and reset, where necessary, and the sidewalks flagged a space of four feet through the centre thereof, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance is a space of the companying ordinance. nance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative, on a division, viz.:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Bennett, Biglin, Carroll, Ehrhart, Foster, Gedney, Gunt-

zer, Hall, Jacobus, Keenan, Kiernan, Lewis, Morris, Perley, Phillips, Pinckney, Reilly, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, and Waehner—22.

Alderman Phillips called up G. O. 19, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows: Resolved, That Seventieth street, from the Eighth to the Tenth avenue, be regulated and graded and the curb and gutter stones set, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and

that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative, on a division, viz.:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Bennett, Biglin, Carroll, Ehrhart, Foster, Gedney, Guntzer, Hall, Jacobus, Keenan, Kiernan, Lewis, Morris, Perley, Phillips, Pinckney, Reilly, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, and Waehner-22.

Alderman Phillips called up G. O. 20, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Department of Police of the City of New York be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to purchase in the open market, and without advertising for estimates or contracting therefor, as provided in section 91 of chapter 335, Laws of 1873 (commonly called the Charter), two steam-tugs and such number of scows as shall be required for use by said Department in the removal and disposal of the material collected by the Bureau of Street Cleaning in the business of cleaning the streets of this city.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative, on a division, viz.:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Bennett, Biglin, Carroll, Ehrhart, Foster, Gedney, Guntzer, Hall, Jacobus, Keenan, Kiernan, Lewis, Morris, Perley, Phillips, Pinckney, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, and Waehner—21.

Alderman Waehner called up G. O. 10, being a preamble and resolution, as follows:
Whereas, In the construction of the elevated railroads in the Sixth avenue and other public thoroughfares, for some apparently inexplicable reason, the posts are being placed directly in the

centre of the space formed by the intersection of the cross streets, thus presenting a seemingly unnecessary and dangerous obstruction, which might be avoided by erecting the posts a few feet further north or south of their present location; be it therefore

Resolved, In order to avoid damage by vehicles coming in collision with such posts, in the night time, that the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to compel the company or companies owning such posts to cause proper and efficient lights to be displayed thereform during the night time.

the company or companies owning such posts to cause proper and efficient lights to be displayed therefrom during the night time.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative, on a division, viz.:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Bennett, Biglin, Carroll, Ehrhart, Foster, Gedney, Guntzer, Hall, Jacobus, Keenan, Kiernan, Morris, Perley, Phillips, Pinckney, Reilly, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, and Waehner—22.

Alderman Waehner called up O. O. 29, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the vacant lots on the south side of Eighty-third street, adjoining the improved property at and near the southwest corner of Eighty-third street and Madison avenue, be fenced in, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance

therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative, on a division, viz.:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Bennett, Biglin, Carroll, Ehrhart, Foster, Gedney, Guntzer, Hall, Jacobus, Keenan, Kiernan, Lewis, Morris, Perley, Phillips, Pinckney, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, and Waehner—21.

Negative—Alderman Reily—1.

Alderman Sheils called up G. O. 33, being a resolution, as follows:
Resolved, That boulevard-lamps be placed on the lamp-posts in front of Saint James' Church,
James street, between New Bowery and Madison street, under the direction of the Commissioner

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

Which was decided in the affirmative, on a division, viz.:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Bennett, Biglin, Carroll, Ehrhart, Foster, Gedney, Guntzer, Hall, Jacobus, Keenan, Kiernan, Lewis, Morris, Perley, Phillips, Pinckney, Reilly, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, and Waehner-22.

Alderman Sheils called up G. O. 22, being a resolution, as follows:
Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to place a fire-hydrant on the southeast corner of New Bowery and James street.
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.
Which was decided in the affirmative, on a division, viz.:
Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Bennett, Biglin, Carroll, Ehrhart, Foster, Gedney, Guntzer, Hall, Jacobus, Keenan, Kiernan, Lewis, Morris, Perley, Phillips, Pinckney, Reilly, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, and Waehner—22.

Alderman Bennett called up G. O. 11, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street-lamps lighted in Undercliff avenue, between Sedgwick avenue and Aqueduct avenue, and in Aqueduct avenue, between the "High Bridge" and Feather-bed lane; also in Feather-bed lane to the junction with McComb's Dam road, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, under the direction of the Commissioner of

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

Which was decided in the affirmative, on a division, viz.:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Biglin, Carroll, Foster, Gedney, Guntzer, Hall, Keenan, Kiernan, Lewie, Morris, Perley, Phillips, Pinckney, Reilly, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, and Waehner Negative—Alderman Jacobus—I.

Alderman Lewis called up G. O. 2, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw a warrant in favor of George O'Doherty for the sum of three hundred and fifty-nine dollars and twenty-five cents, to be in full for annexed bill for services as Stenographer for the Special Committee on investigating the "ring frauds," to and including December 24, 1877, and charge the amount to the appropriation for "City Contingencies."

Alderman Slevin moved to amend by inserting after the words "City Contingencies" the words and figures "for the year 1878."

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative, on a division, viz.:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Bennett, Biglin, Carroll, Ehrhart, Foster, Gedney, Guntzer, Hall, Jacobus, Keenan, Kiernan, Lewis, Morris, Perley, Phillips, Reilly, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, and Waehner—21.

Slevin, and Waehner-21. Negative—Alderman Pinckney—1.

Alderman Jacobus called up G. O. 35, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:
Resolved, That the vacant lots on the south side of Fifty-seventh street, between Second and
Third avenues, be fenced in, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the

Third avenues, be fenced in, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative, on a division, viz.:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Bennett, Biglin, Carroll, Ehrhart, Foster, Gedney, Guntzer, Hall, Jacobus, Keenan, Kiernan, Lewis, Morris, Perley, Pinckney, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, and Waehner—20.

Negative—Alderman Reilly—1.

Alderman Slevin called up G. O. 28, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:
Resolved, That crosswalks be laid across Fourth avenue at the intersection of One Hundred and Tenth, One Hundred and Eleventh, One Hundred and Twelfth, and One Hundred and Thirteenth streets, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative, on a division, viz.:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Bennett, Biglin, Carroll, Ehrhart, Foster, Gedney, Guntzer, Hall, Jacobus, Keenan, Kiernan, Lewis, Morris, Perley, Phillips, Pinckney, Reilly, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, and Waehner—22.

Alderman Keenan called up G. O. 24, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:
Resolved, That crosswalks be laid at each of the intersections of Lexington avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-ninth and One Hundred and Thirtieth streets, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.
Which was decided in the affirmative, on a division, viz.:
Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Bennett, Biglin, Carroll, Ehrhart, Foster, Gedney Guntzer, Hall, Jacobus, Keenan, Kiernan, Lewis, Morris, Perley, Phillips, Pinckney, Reilly, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, and Waehner—22.

Alderman Keenan called up G. O. 32, being a resolution, as follows:
Resolved, That an improved iron drinking-fountain be placed in front of No. 90 Avenue C, northeast corner of Sixth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.
Which was decided in the affirmative, on a division, viz.:
Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Bennett, Biglin, Carroll, Ehrhart, Foster, Gedney, Guntzer, Hall, Jacobus, Keenan, Kiernan, Lewis, Morris, Perley, Phillips, Pinckney, Reilly, Sauer,

Sheils, Slevin, and Waehner-22. Alderman Guntzer called up G. O. 23, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:
Resolved, That crosswalks be laid at each of the intersections of Fourth avenue and One Hundred and Thirtieth and One Hundred and Thirty-first streets, under the direction of the Commis-

ared and Inrueth and One Hundred and Intry-Inst streets, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative, on a division, viz.:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Bennett, Biglin, Carroll, Ehrhart, Foster, Gedney, Guntzer, Hall, Jacobus, Keenan, Kiernan, Lewis, Morris, Perley, Phillips, Pinckney, Reilly, Sauer, Sheils, Slevin, and Waehner—22.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Sauer moved that the Board do now adjourn.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the President announced that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday, the 19th instant, at 2 o'clock P. M. FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

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FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of transactions of February 9, 1878.	the	Department	of	Finance	for	the	week	ending
replically 9, 1070.	Depo	sits in the Treas	ury					

" City Treasury	0.000	100
Total	\$953,942	97
Bonds and Stocks Issued.		
Four per cent. Bonds.	\$200,000	00
Five per cent, Bonds	377,000	00
Five per cent. Stock	4,000	00
Total	\$581,000	00

Warrants Registered and Ready for Payment.	
Advertising	\$36 60
Additional Free Floating Baths	70 00
Aqueduct—Repairs and Maintenance	5,151 19
Armories and Drill Rooms—For Wages of Armorers	1,038 00
Assessment Fund.	2,339 00
Boulevards, Roads, and Avenues, Maintenance of.	1,478 92
Children's Aid Society	23,333 33
City Parks Improvement Fund	340 27
Cleaning Markets	21 26
Contingencies—Department of Buildings.	45 00
" Law Department,	742 43
Croton Water Fund	1,622 09
Croton Water-main Fund	9,683 81
Croton Water Rent—Refunding Account	33 35
Dock Fund.	7,897 11
Fire Department Fund.	7,247 64
Foundling Asylum Under Charge of the Sisters of Charity.	19,881 25
Free Floating Baths	70 00
Fund for Small-pox Hospital and Care of Contagious Diseases	120 58
Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvements, and Maintenance	251 24
Health Fund	16 10
Interest on the City Debt.	27,348 75
	27,340 /5
Judgments	21,538 02
Lamps and Gas. Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places.	985 00
Maintenance and Government of Public Places Roads Avenues and Ridges includ	3,449 74

Fire Department Fund	7,247	64	ı
Foundling Asylum Under Charge of the Sisters of Charity	19,881		ı
Free Floating Baths	70	00	l
Fund for Small-pox Hospital and Care of Contagious Diseases	120	58	ı
Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvements, and Maintenance	251	24	ı
Health Fund	16	10	ł
Interest on the City Debt.	27,348	75	ı
Judgments	21,538	02	ı
Lamps and Gas.	985	00	ı
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places	3,449	74	ı
Maintenance and Government of Public Places, Roads, Avenues, and Bridges, includ-	17011		ı
ing Bridges over Bronx river, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards	505	56	ı
Museum of Art Fund	325	00	ı
Museum of Natural History Fund	5,837	02	1
New County Court-house	3,000	00	-
New York Bridge Fund	50,000	00	ı

Museum of Natural History Fund	5,837 02	2
New County Court-house	3,000 00	,
New York Bridge Fund	50,000 00)
New York Catholic Protectory	19,079 96	,
Police Station-houses—Rents.	1,435 00	
Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.	3,940 18	;
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs	2,901 67	
Public Charities and Correction	26.879 80)
Public Drinking Hydrants.	108 66	,
Public Instruction	5,641 85	
Redemption of the Debt of the Annexed Territory of Westchester County	2,000 00	
Refunding Taxes Paid in Error.	117 76	,

Public Instruction	
Redemption of the Debt of the Annexed Territory of Westchester County	
Refunding Taxes Paid in Error	
Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues	
Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.	
Repairs and Renewal of Pavements.	
Roads and Avenues and Sprinkling.	
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning.	
State Lunatic Asylum for Insane Criminals at Auburn	
Street Improvement Fund	2
Street Improvement Fund—Riverside avenue	
Street Improvements above Fifty-ninth Street	
Street Improvements—For Street Signs, etc.	
Support of Prisoners in County Jail	
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.	
Surveying, Laying-out, Monumenting, etc., Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.	
Union Home and School for the Education of Children of Volunteer Soldiers	
Water meter Fund	

SUITS, ORDERS OF COURT, JUDGMENTS, ETC.

Water-meter Fund...
Wells and Pumps—Repairing and Cleaning.....

COURT.	PLAINTIFF OR RELATOR.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION, ETC.	ATTORNEY.
Supreme	John McCool	\$190 40	For return of assessment paid March 1, 1872, for paving Madison avenue.	J. Ward.
**	Hiram Jelliff	132 46	For return of assessment paid January 15, 1872, for paying Thirty-sixth street, Seventh to Eighth avenue.	J. Waru.
	Frederick W. Starr vs. Henry F. Hunt		Warrant of attachment against \$474, for ser-	
	Church of St. Anthony		yices rendered in attending to baths Judgment, order to vacate taxes of 1875, 1876, on No. 60 Macdougal street	T. N. Melvin. Bliss & Schley.
**	Walter R. Wood	\$300 00	Notice of Judgment	J. L. Sutherland
. "	Louis Arnheim, etc		Order to vacate assessment, paving Thirty- third street, Sixth to Tenth avenue	T. F. Neville.
"	Samuel Putnam	\$169 89	For return of assessments paid March 22, 1873, for paving Varick and Broome streets	A. B. Johnson.
Superior	Charles C. North, ex'r	431 92	Notice of Judgment	A. G. Hull.
Com.Pleas	Emmeline Meschutt	5,000 00	For damages for personal injuries received September 30, 1877, by falling into a hole on Lexington avenue	D. G. Harrison.

CLAIMS FILED.

NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.
Wm. H. Cooke, Adm'r	\$1,099 98	For Services of R. L. Cooke, Division Engineer, Department of Public Parks, February 7, 1877, to Au-	
Lucas Thompson	384 o8	For return of assessment paid February 5, 1872, for pav- ing Day street	Redfield & Hill.
Jno. E. & Isaac E. Hoagland	150 00	partment of Public Parks, February 7, 1877, to August 10, 1877 For return of assessment paid February 5, 1872, for paving Dey street. For loss of horse drowned at Pier foot of Fiftieth street, East river.	N. A. Chedsey.

CONTRACTS REGISTERED.

No.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT.	NAMES OF CONTRACTORS.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.
4258 4259	Dec.20,1877 Feb. 2, 1878		Henry A. Sales	Total cost, \$1,920. Tilers' work to be done in the erection of a bridge, entrance porch, etc., in the Museum of Natural History. Total cost, \$518.

Opening of Proposals.

The Comptroller, by representative, attended the opening of proposals at the Department of Public Charities and Correction, on February 9, 1878, for furnishing groceries, coal, etc., for the use of said Department.

Approval of Sureties on Proposals.

The Comptroller approved of the adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties on the following pro-Posals, viz.:
February 5—For wooden and galvanized iron bridge, entrance porch, etc., for the Museum of Natural History building, Manhattan square.

Gibb & O'Reilly, 428 East Tenth street, Principals.

Hugh Nesbitt, 550 Grand street,
Henry Alexander, 614 Grand street,

Official Bonds Received.

Bond of Lewis Schoonmaker, Deputy Collector of City Revenue, for \$2,000. Bond of Washington T. Romaine, Clerk, West Washington Market, for \$1,000.

Resigned.

Perkins Cleveland, Assistant Bookkeeper, Comptroller's Office.

Changes in Compensation.

Sweepers in the Public Markets, from rate of \$50 per month to that of \$10 per week. Foreman of Sweepers at Washington Market, and Foreman of Sweepers at West Washington Market, from rate of \$50 per month to that of \$11 per week, from February 1, 1878.

Cleaner of closets at Washington Market, from rate of \$28 per month to \$25 per month, from

Cartmen at Public Markets, from rate of \$3.50 per diem to that of \$3 per diem, from February

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Counsel to the Corporation, for the week ending February 9, 1878.

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

SCHEDULE "A."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED.

SUPREME COURT.

In re the petition of Jane A. Hurd-For the correction of a substantial error in the assessment list for paving Lexington avenue, etc.
In re the petition of Forrest H. Parker—For the correction of a substantial error in the assessment list

for paving Lexington avenue, etc. In re the petition of Chas. H. Watts—For the correction of a substantial error in the assessment list for

paying Lexington avenue, etc.
In re the petition of Pearson S. Halstead—For the correction of a substantial error in the assessment

paving Lexington avenue, etc.

In re the petition of Pearson S. Halstead—For the correction of a substantial error in the assessment list for paving Lexington avenue, etc.

In re the petition of Thomas Glover—For the correction of a substantial error in the assessment list for paving Lexington avenue, etc.

In re the petition of Hugh Hagan—To vacate an assessment for trap-block pavament on Twentieth street, between Third avenue and East rive.

Richard P. Betts vs. Anna Dorothea Tremer—To foreclose a mortgage executed by defendant to plaintiff. The city impleaded as judgment creditor.

In re the petition of Martin Zborowski—To set aside a sale made for non-payment of an assessment for opening Eighty-seventh street.

Samuel Putnam—To recover amount of assessments, \$19.74, for Varick street paving; \$150 for Broome street paving; paid by plaintiff, assessments afterwards vacated, \$169.89.

The Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York against John M. Glover—Summons served on defendant with notice for \$890.

Lawrence A. Curry against Alexander S. Williams—Damages for assault, etc., \$50,000.

John B. Prankard—To declare null and void a sale of plaintiffs premises made by defendants for non-payment of assessment for regulating, etc., Broadway in the town of West Farms.

In re the petition of James Masterson—To vacate sales made for non-payment of assessments for Sixth avenue sewer, etc., and Fifty-eighth street sewer, etc.

In re the petition of Abraham Scholle—To vacate assessments for macadamizing Sixth avenue, from One Hundred and Tenth street to Harlem river, and flagging, etc., sidewalks, etc.

In re the petition of Frederick De Peyster—To vacate a sale made for non-payment of an assessment for sewer in Seventieth street, etc.

The Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York against John H. Starin—To 1,371 76 312 00 25,289 93 1,448 86 423 58 350 00

1,045 00 428 08 1,968 55 1,500 00

for sewer in Seventieth street, etc.

The Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York against John H. Starin—To enjoin defendant from operating ferry from Pier 19, North river, to and from Staten Island, without permission of plaintiffs and for damages accrued.

Emmeline Meschutt—Personal injuries, falling into a hole in sidewalk, Lexington averue, between One Hundred and Nineteenth and One Hundred and Twentieth streets, September 30, 1877.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Adam Maidhoff-Summons only served, with notice for \$600.

SCHEDULE "B."

JUDGMENTS ENTERED AND ORDERS OF THE SPECIAL AND GENERAL TERMS.

People, ex rel. Chas. E. Simms-Order and decree of restoration entered. People, ex rel. Chas. E. Simms—Order and decree of restoration entered.

People, ex rel. Wm. Terhune— do do do

People, ex rel. John Royal— do do do

Frederick A. Palmer—Order entered discontinuing action, without costs.

Stella B. Wilkes—Order entered continuing action in the name of George S. Wilkes.

Application of Robert Bonner—Order entered that Comptroller pay the award into court.

Application of Walter R. Wood—Order entered discontinuing proceeding, without costs.

Matter of Francis Tomes et al., bankrupts—Proof of debt submitted to Marshal.

David C. Carleton vs. Mayor, etc., et al.—Order entered affirming Special Term, with \$10 costs, denying plaintiff's motion; to discontinue on payment of costs.

Chas. C. North, executor, etc.—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff, for \$300.

Sigismund Waterman—General Term order of affirmance entered.

Anthony J. Bleecker—General Term order of affirmance entered.

Max Ebler—Order entered discontinuing action, without costs.

Chas. Devlin (Hackley contract)—Order entered reversing Special Term, with \$10 costs, and removing the referee.

ing the referee. Thomas A. Davies-Order entered denying plaintift's motion to strike out answer as sham, with \$10

Anne Connors—Judgment entered in favor of defendants, for \$197.92 costs.

Anthony J. Bleecker—Judgment entered in favor of the city, for \$97.03 costs.

People, ex rel. F. Leroy Satterlee—Judgment entered in favor of the Police Commissioners of the City of New York for \$98.41 costs.

Sigismund Waterman—Judgment entered in favor of the city for \$77.03 costs. James Doke—Judgment entered in favor of the city for \$67.27 costs. Edwin F. Bowen—Judgment entered in favor of the city for \$107.16 costs.

SCHEDULE "C."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED OR ARGUED.

People, ex rel. James McKone—Argued at Court of Appeals; decision reserved.
People, ex rel. Isaac Lunney— do do
In re Hebrew Benevolent Orphan Asylum Society—Motion to amend remittitur, argued at Court of Appeals; decision reserved.
In re Morris Littman—Argued at Court of Appeals; decision reserved.
J. Augustus Page—Plaintiff examined before trial.
Thomas A. Davies—Argued motion to strike out answer as sham; denied.
Edwin F. Bowen—Tried before Lawrence, J., and jury; complaint dismissed with costs.
Broadway widening—Reference proceeded.
Charles Guidet—Motion for re-argument submitted.
Edward M. Lee—Examined plaintiff before trial.
WILLIAM C. WHITNEY, Counsel to the Corporation.

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EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
BUREAU OF FIRST MARSHAL. S
Licenses granted and amount received for licenses and fines by Marshal John Tyler Kelly, for week ending February 9, 1878:

Number of Licenses..... JOHN TYLER KELLY, Amount..... Mayor's Marshal.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, NEW YORK, February 1, 1878. {
I. Robinson and D. Servis appointed temporary clerks, at \$66.662/3 per month. A. Storer,

Secretary.

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 adourns, 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. 7, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M. Permit Bureau, No. 1, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M. License Bureau, No. 1, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Board of Aldermen and Supervisors, No. 9, City Hall,

office hours from 10 A. M to 4 P. M.

Clerk of the Common Council and of Board of Super

visors, No. 8, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

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New COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, OFFICE HOURS 9 A. M. TO 4 P. M.
Comptroller's Office, second floor, rooms 19 and 20.

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, first floor, room 6.

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, first floor, room 5.

4. Auditing Bureau, second floor, west end, room 19.
5. Bureau of Licenses, first floor, room 6.
6. Bureau of Markets, first floor, room 6.
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, second floor, room 18.

8. Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, second floor, room 16.

LAW DEPARTMENT. Counsel to the Corporation, Staats Zeitung Building, third floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Public Administrator, 115 and 117, Nassau street, 10

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A. M. to 4 P. M.
Corporation Attorney, 49 Beekman street, 8 A. M. to
4 P. M.
Attorney for the Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes,
No. 51 Chambers street, second floor.
Attorney to the Department of Buildings, 2 Fourth
avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

POLICE DEPARTMENT. POLICE DEPARTMENT.

NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET, ALWAYS OPEN.

Commissioners' Office, second floor
Superintendent's Office, first floor.
Inspectors' Office, first floor,
Chief Clerk's Office, second floor, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Property Clerk, first floor (rear)

Bureau of Street Cleaning, Avenue C, from Sixteenth
Seventeenth street, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Bureau ot Elections, second floor (rear), 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

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CITY HALL, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Commissioner's Office, No. 20.
Chief Clerk's Office, No. 21.
Engineer in charge of Sewers, No. 21.
Engineer in charge of Sewers, No. 21.
Engineer in charge of Sewers, No. 18.

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies, No. 18.

Lamps and Gas, No. 13.

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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.

Commissioners' 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.
Reception Hospital, Ninety-ninth street and Tenth aveaue, always open.
Bellevue Hospital, foot of Twenty-sixth street, East
river, always open.

FIRE DEPARTMENT. NOS. 153, 155 AND 157 MERCER ST., 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Commissioners' Office.

Chief of Department. Fire Marshal.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT No. 301 MOTT STREET.

Commissioners' Office, second floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Attorney's Office, third floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Sanitary Superintendent, always open, third floor.
Register of Records, third floor, for granting burial per
mits, 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. Bureau, 19 Chatham street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Board of Assessors.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS. ioners' Office, 117 and 119 Duane street,

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS Commissioners' Office, Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. On Saturday, 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.
Superintendent's Office, 2 Fourth avenue, Q A. M.

JURORS.

NOTICE RELATION TO JURORS STATE COURTS

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, June 1, 1877.

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

Those who have not answered as to their liability, or
proved permanent exemption, will receive a "jury enrollment notice," requiring them to appear before me this
year. Whether liable or not, such notices must be answered (in person, if possible, and at this office only) under

severe penalties. If exempt, the party must bring proof of exemption; if liable, he must also answer in person, giving full and correct name, residence, etc., etc. No attention paid to letters.

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

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

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

THOMAS DUNLAP, Commissioner,

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

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

THE COMMITTEE ON PLBLIC WORKS OF the Board of Aldermen will meet in Room No. 9, City Hall, every Monday at 1 o'clock P. M.

THOMAS SHEILS,
THOMAS CARROLL,
GEORGE HAI L,
IOSEPH C. PINCKNEY,
BERNARD BIGLIN,
Committee on Public Works.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Police Department, 300 Mulberry Street, New York, February 12, 1878.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT this Department will sell seven horses of the Mounted Squad and eleven horses of the Bureau of Street Cleaning, at public auction, on Monday, the 25th day of February, 1878, at 12 o'clock M., at the stables of Van Tassell & Kearney, No. 110 East 13th street.

By order of the Board.

S. C. HAWLEY,

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT CITY OF NEW YORK, PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE, 300 MULBERRY STREET, NEW YORK, January 31, 1878.

WNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department, City of New York, 300 Mulberry street, Room 39, for the following property now in his custody without claimants:

Black bags and contents, horse blankets, lace curtains, revolvers, gold glasses, tub butter, bag coffee, starch, twenty tubs putty, lot pig iron, and small amount of money taken from prisoners and found in street.

C. A. ST. JOHN, Property Clerk

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, No. 32 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, January 12, 1878.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BOOKS of Annual Record of the assessed valuation of Real and Personal Estate of the City and County of New York for the year 1878, will be open for inspection and revision, on and after Monday, January 14, 1878, and will remain open until the 30th day of April, 1878, inclusive, for the correction of errors and the equalization of the assessments of the aforesaid real and personal estate.

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

ALBERT STORER,

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street from the northeasterly line of Laurence street, parallel with One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, to the westerly side of a certain road or avenue in the City of New York, closed by act of the Legislature, chapter 290, section 70, passed April 5, 1871; as said One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street appears upon a map made by the Commissioners of the Central Park and filed in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, on October 23, 1867.

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

it may concern, to wit:
First—That we have completed our estimate and assess First—That we have completed our estimats and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to Elliot F. Shepard, Esq., our Chairman, at the office, of the Commissioners, No. 154 Nassau street (Room No. 22), in the said city, on or before the twelfth day of February, 1878, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week-days next after the said twelfth of February, 1878, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 3 o'clock in the atternoon.

1878, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 3 o'clock in the atternoon.

Second—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Work, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 23d day of February, 1878.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follow, to wit: All those lots, pieces, or parcels of land situate, lying, and being in the City of New York, and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street with the northeasterly line of Laurence street, running thence northerly and at right angles to said One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street roo feet; thence easterly and parallel with One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street of feet and 8½ inches to what was formerly the easterly lone of a certain new avenue closed by an act of the Legislature, passed April 5th, 1871 (Laws of 1871, chapter 290); thence in a southerly direction 2sf feet and 7 inches to a point; thence westerly and parallel to One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street 408 feet and 10 inches to the northeasterly line of Laurence street; thence enorthwesterly along the northeasterly line of Laurence street with the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street; thence easterly along the southerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street; thence easterly along the southerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street; bence easterly along the southerly line of one inch to the westerly line of said new avenue closed by an act of the Legislature, passed April 5, 1871, as aforesaid, thence northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street; bence easterly along the westerly line of said new avenue closed by an act of the Legislature, passed April 5, 1871, as aforesa

thence westerly along the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street 585 feet and 734 inches to the point or place of beginning.

Also all those other certain lots, pieces or parcels of land bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the southwesterly side of Laurence street, distant 206 feet and 3 inches from a point formed by the intersection of the northwesterly line of Laurence street with the casterly side of the Tenth avenue; running thence northeasterly along the southwesterly line of Laurence street, 185 feet 3 inches to a point; thence westerly and parallel to One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, 164 feet and 4 inches to a point; thence northerly and at right angles to said One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, 85 feet and 4 inches to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the New Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the sixth day of March, 1878, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, January 8, 1878.

ELLIOT F. SHEPARD, NEVIN W. BUTLER, LOUIS MESIER, Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHAR

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH St.,
NEW YORK, February 9, 1878.

PROPOSALS FOR DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, CROCKERY, HARDWARE, LUMBER, Erc.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS above, will be received by the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, until 9 o'clock A. M., of Saturday, February 23, 1878, at which time they will be publicly opened and read by the head of said Department, for furnishing and delivering, at the foot of East Iwenty-sixth areet, free of all expense to the Department—

of East I wenty-sixth street, free of all expense to the Department—
2,500 yards Furniture Check.
5,000 yards Furniture Check.
5,000 yards brown Denims.
5,000 yards blue Denims.
5,000 pounds good sweet Dairy Table Butter, to be delivered in quantities as required.
500 pounds pure Mustard.
500 pounds pure Mustard.
1 barrel Currants.
1 barrel Tapioca.
1,000 pounds Dried Apples
2,500 pounds Cheese.
2,000 bushels prime quality Oats, to be well cleaned and to weigh 32 pounds to the bushel.
200 bags Shorts.
50 dozen Dinner Plates.
50 dozen Chambers.
6 dozen Ewers.
6 dozen Feed Cups.
2 gross Spectacles.
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6 dozen Basins.
6 dozen Feed Cups.
2 gross Spectacles.
5 gross Screws, ½ inch each, Nos. 3, 5, and 7.
10 " ¼ inch each, Nos. 8, 10, and 12.
10 " 1¼ inch each, Nos. 10, and 12.
10 " 1¼ inch each, Nos. 10 and 12.
20 " 1¼ inch, No. 10.
10 " 1½ inch each, Nos. 10 and 16.
10 " 1½ inch each, Nos. 12, 14, and 16.
10 " 1½ inch each, Nos. 12 and 14.
5 " 2½ inch each, Nos. 12 and 14.
5 " 2½ inch each, Nos. 12 and 18.
5 " 3 inch, No. 16.
50,000 feet i inch good shipping box Pine Boards, free from loose knots and shakes, 12 inches wide, 14 to 16 feet long.
10,000 feet ½ inch good shipping box Pine Boards, free from loose knots and shakes, 12 inches wide, 14 to 16 feet long.
5,000 feet first quality clear White Pine Lumber, well seasoned, free from sap and knots, each 1, 1¼, 1½, 1¾, and 2 inches.
100 Hemlock Joist, 3x4 inches.
100 Hemlock

every respect to the samples of the above to be seen at this office.

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 free-holders 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 fifty 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 Charittes and Correction reserve the right to decline any and all proposals if deemed to be for the public interest, and to accept an offer for the whole bid or for any single article included in the proposal, 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

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, and all information furnished

THOMAS S. BRENNAN, ISAAC H. BAILEY, TOWNSEND COX, Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST,
NEW YORK, February 8, 1898.
N ACCORDANCE WITH AN ORDINANCE

The Common Council, "In relation to the burial of strangers or unknown persons who may die in any of the public institutions of the City of New York," the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction report as

follows:

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Jennie Brown; aged 24 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; light hair; gray eyes. Had on when admitted, calico dress, cotton skirt. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

By Order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
New York, February 6, 1878.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN ORDINANCE OF
the Common Council, "In relation to the burial of
s rangers or unknown persons who may die in any of the
ublic institutions of the City of New York," the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction report as
follows:
At Homœopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Gumel
Fisher; aged 54 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; gray hair;
blue eyes. Had on when admitted, dark sack coat and
pants, gray vest, white shirt, felt hat. Nothing known of
his friends or relatives.
At Branch Charity Hospital, Randall's Island—William
Anderson; aged 56 years; blue eyes; gray hair. Nothing
known of his friends or relatives.

By Order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS

CORPORATION NOTICES

CORPORATION NOTICES

DUBLIC 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. Flagging sidewalks, north side Fifty-sixth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.

No. 2. Flagging north side of One Hundred and Twentieth street, between First avenue and Avenue A.

No. 3. Flagging north side Fifty-eighth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

No. 4. Flagging south side Seventy-ninth street, between Ninth avenue and the Boulevard.

No. 5. Flagging, eight feet wide, south side Fifty-eighth street, from Broadway to Seventh avenue.

No. 6. Flagging north side Forty-third street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

No. 7. Setting curb and gutter stones and flagging Seventy-sixth street, between Avenue A and East River, and between rirst and Second avenues.

No. 8. Fencing vacant lots One Hundred and Eighteenth street, between First aud Second avenues.

No. 9. Alteration and extension of sewer in James slip, at South street.

No. 10. Regulating, grading, curb, gutter and flagging Forty-third street, from Second to Third avenues.

No. 11. Sewers in Boulevard, Ninety-eighth street, Ninth avenue and One Hundredth street, from Ninety-sight street to Eighth avenue, with branches in Ninth avenue, Ninety-eighth, Ninety-sinth, and One Hundredth streets of land, situated on

No. 1. North side Fifty-eighth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues and does not fifty-eighth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

No. 2. North side Seventy-ninth street, between Broadway and Seventh avenues.

No. 3. North side Fifty-eighth street, between Broadway and Seventh avenues.

No. 6. North side Fifty-eighth street, between Broadway and Seventh avenue.

No. 7. Both sides Seventy-sixth street, between Pinth and Tenth avenues.

No. 9. Property situated between Rossevelt, Oliver and Worth

berry streets.
No. 10. Both sides Forty-third street, from Second to Third avenue.
No. 11. Property situated between Ninety-second and

Third avenue.

No. 11. Property situated between Ninety-second and One Hundred and Sixth streets, Boulevard and Eighth

avenue.

All persons whose interests are affected by the abovenamed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or
either of them, are requested to present their objections in
writing to the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 12
Chatham street, within thirty days from the date of this
notice.

office.

The above described assessment lists will be transmitted as provided by law to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 16th day of

FHOMAS B ASTEN,
JOHN MULLALY,
EDWARD NORTH,
WILLIAM WALSH,
Board of Assessors.

Office Board of Assessors, New York, Jan. 15, 1878.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

WILLIAM KENNELLY, AUCTIONEER.

CORPORATION SALE OF THE TWO ANCHORS AND CHAINS FORMERLY BELONGING TO THE SCHOOL SHIP MERCURY, AS THEY NOW LIE UNDER WATER OFF HART'S ISLAND.

THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW York will sell at public auction, on Thursday, February 14, 1878, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the New County Court-house, the two anchors and chains formerly belonging to the School Ship Mercury, as they now lie under water off Hart's Island.

TERMS OF SALE. Cash to be paid to the Collector of City Revenue at the time and place of sale. The successful bidder to remove such anchors and chains at his own expense, within 30 days from the date of sale.

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller. CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, February 8, 1878.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
NO. 16 NEW COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, January 23, 1878.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED AND ENTERED JANUARY 17, 1878. 131st street, regulating, grading, etc., from 6th to 8th

avenue.

Boston avenue (23d Ward), grading, etc., from 3d avenue to 65th street.

112th street, paving, from 3d avenue to Harlem river.

118th street, paving, from 3d avenue to Harlem river.

119th street, paving, from Avenue A to Harlem river.

50th street, fencing north side, between Lexington and 4th avenues.

50th street, fencing north side, between Lexington and 4th avenues.
Eastern Boulevard (Avenue B), regulating, grading, etc., from 79th to 86th street.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before March 25, 1828, 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.

firmation.

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

EDWARD GILON,

EDWARD GILON, Collector of Assessments.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS

THE ATTENTION OF LAWYERS, REAL
making loans upon real estate, and all who are interested
in providing themselves with facilities for reducing the cost
of examinations and searches, is invited to these Official
Indices of Records, containing all recorded transfers of
real estate in the City of New York from 1653 to 1857,
prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of
Records.
Grantors, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and
Sheriffs' sales, in 61 volumes, full bound, price. \$100 00
The same, in 25 volumes, half bound. 50 00
Complete ests, folded, ready for binding. 15 25
Records of Judgments, 25 volumes, bound. 10 00
Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Angell,
Comptroller's Office, New County Court-house.

IOHN KELLY,
Comptroller

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
No. 16, New Court-house, City Hall Park,
New York, January 17, 1878.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED AND ENTERED DECEMBER 15, 1877. Fourth avenue crosswalks, south side of Seventy-fifth

street.
Fourth avenue crosswalks, south side of Eighty-first All payments made on the above assessments on or before March 18, 1878, 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

tion.

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

EDWARD GILON, Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE. BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, No. 16 New Court-House, City Hall Park, New York, December 21, 1877.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED AND ENTERED DECEMBER 15, 1877 56th street, paving, from Madison to 4th avenue.

152d street, paving, from St to roth avenue.

152d street, paving, from St. Nicholas avenue to the

79th street, regulating and paving, from 9th avenue to Hudson river.

Hudson river.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before February 19, 1878, 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 4 P. M. for general integration. general information.

EDWARD GILON, Collector of Assessments

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, No. 16 New COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK, New YORK, January 7, 1878.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTI-fied that the following assessment lists were received this day in this Bureau for collection.

CONFIRMED AND ENTERED DECEMBER 31, 1877. 96th street, sewer, between 8th and 10th avenues.
44th street, regulating, grading, etc., from 1st to 3d

avenue, regulating and paving, from Westchester avenue to 163d street.

3d avenue, regulating and paving, from 163d street to northern boundary 23d Ward.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before March 8, 1878, will be exempt (according to law) from interests. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of 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 4 P. M for general information.

EDWARD GILON,

EDWARD GILON, Collector of Assessments

WILLIAM KENNELLY, AUCTIONEER.

SALE OF FERRY FRANCHISES.

THE FRANCHISES TO RUN THE FOLLOWING ferries and a lease of the wharf property belonging to the city, if any, set apart for ferry purposes at each of sad ferries, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, at the office of the Comptroller of the City of New York, on Thursday, November 8, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, for the period of five years from November 1, 1877, except as otherwise stated:

Ferry from Peck Slip, New York City, to the foot of One Hundred and Thirtieth street at Third avenue, Harlem, with an intermediate landing at or near Eighty-fourth street, East river.

Ferry from Fulton Market slip, New York City, to Mott Haven, with an intermediate landing at or near Eighty-fourth street, East river, until May 1, 1879.

Ferry as now established from foot of Roosevelt street, in the City of New York, East river, to South Seventh street, Brooklyn, Eastern District, together with the bulk-heads and slips adjacent to and east of the wharf property at foot of Roosevelt street, East river, owned by the Bridge Company, and now occupied for said ferry.

Bidders must bid for the tranchise and lease of wharf property of each ferry separately, but no bid will be received unless it includes an offer for both the ferry franchise and wharf property.

The form of the lease required to be executed by the highest bidder can be een at the office of the Comptroller.

All bids will be regarded as made with reference to said form of lease, and in case the highest bidder shall neglect to execute a lease according to said form, for ten days after said sale, his bid will, at the option of the Comptroller and the Board of the Department of Docks, be rejected.

neglect to execute a lease according to said form, for ten days after said sale, his bid will, at the option of the Comptroller and the Board of the Department of Docks, be rejected.

The leases will contain a covenant requiring the lessees to pay rent quarter-yearly to the Comptroller.

The minimum rate for which the lerry franchise or license to operate such ferries shall be used or enjoyed has been appraised and set by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at five per cent, per annum upon the gross receipts for ferriage collected at the New York landing-place for the ferry as now established from the foot of Roosevelt street, New York, to South Seventh street, Brooklyn, and at two and one-half per cent, per annum upon the gross receipts collected for ferriage for the ferries from Peck slip, New York, to the foot of One Hundred and Thirtieth street, Third avenue, Harlem; and from Fulton Market slip, New York, to Mott Haven, such percentage to be paid quarter-yearly to the Corporation, and a covenant will be contained in each lease requiring the lessees to make and deliver to the Comptroller of the City of New York, quarter-yearly, a .: attement in writing, verified by oath or affirmation of the lessee, or of such proper officer of the lessee as may be designated by the Comptroller, of the actual total gross receipts for ferriage received by such lessee during the preceding three months, and also, that the lessee shall keep regular books or account, showing the daily gross receipts for ferriage received by such lessee during the preceding three months, and also, that the lessee shall keep regular books or account, showing the daily gross receipts for ferriage received by such lessee during the preceding three months, and also, that the lessee shall keep regular books or account, showing the daily gross receipts for ferriage received by such lessee during the preceding three months, and also, that the lessee shall keep regular books or account, showing the daily gross receipts for ferriage received by such less

struck down to him, as security for the execution and performance of the lease, such amount to be credited on the rent when the same becomes due.

Security, satisfactory to the Comptroller, will be required for the punctual performance by the lessees of the covenants of the lease of the franchise in their behalf.

Each purchaser of a lease will be required, at the time of the sale, and in addition to the auctioneer's fees, to pay to the Department of Docks twenty-five per cent. of the amount of the annual rent bid for the wharf property, as security for the execution of the lease, and which twenty-five per cent. will be applied to the payment of the rent for such property first accruing under the lease, when executed, or forfeited if the lessee neglects or refuses to execute the lease and bond after being duly notified that the lease is prepared and ready for signature, or, in case the bid be finally rejected, will be returned to the bidder.

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Lessees will be required to pay their rent for the wharf property quarterly, in advance, in compliance with a stipulation therefor in the form of the lease adopted.

The franchise and the lease of the wharf property, if any, of each ferry will be put up and sold together to the highest bidder, subject to the condition hereinafter expressed, and subject also to the right of the Comptroller and the Board of the Department of Docks to reject any or all bids, if deemed to be for the interest of the city.

The right to reject any bid, if deemed to be to the interest of the City of New York, is reserved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund,

JOHN KELLY, JACOB A. WESTERVELT, HENRY F. DIMOCK, JACOB VANDERPOEL, Board of Department of Docks.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, November 1, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, November 15, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

JOHN KELLY,

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, November 8, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, November 22, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

JOHN KELLY,

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, November 15, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, December 13, 1877, at 12 o'clock. noon, at the same place.

JOHN KELLY,

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, November 22, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, December 27, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, New York, December 13, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, January 10, 1878, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

JOHN KELLY,

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, New York, December 27, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, January 17, 1878, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

JOHN KELLY,

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, January 10, 1878.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, January 31, 1878, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

JOHN KELLY,

Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, January 17, 1878.

COMPTROLIER'S OFFICE, New York, January 31, 1878.

WILLIAM KENNELLY, AUCTIONEER.

SALE OF FERRY FRANCHISE

PURSUANT TO ADJOURNMENT.

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THE FRANCHISE TO RUN THE FOLLOWING ferry and a lease of the wharf property belonging to the city, set apart for ferry purposes at said ferry, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, at the office of the Comptroller of the City of New York, on Thursday, October 25, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, for the period of five years from November 1, 1877, namely:

Ferry from Ninety-second street, East river, to Astoria, Queens County, Long Island.

Bidders must bid for the franchise and lease wharf property of said ferry separately, but no bid will be received unless it includes an offer for both the ferry franchise and wharf property.

The form of the lease required to be executed by the highest bidder can be seen at the office of the Comptroller.

All bids will be regarded as made with reference to said form of lease, and in case the highest bidder shall neglect to execute a lease according to said form for ten days atter said sale, his bid will, at the option of the Comptroller and the Board of the Department of Docks, be rejected.

The leases will contain a covenant requiring the lessees to pay rent quarter-yearly to the Comptroller.

The successful bidder will be required to pay to the Collector of City Revenue the sum of fifteen hundred dollars immediately after the franchise shall have been struck down to him, as security for the execution and performance of the lease, such amount to be credited on the rent

Collector of City Revenue the sum of fifteen hundred dollars immediately after the franchise shall have been struck down to him, as security for the execution and performance of the lease, such amount to be credited on the rent when the same becomes due.

Security, satisfactory to the Comptroller, will be required for the punctual performance by the lessees of the covenants of the lease of the franchise in their behalf.

The minimum price for which the lease of said wharf property connected with the ferry from Ninety-second street, East river, to Astoria, Long Island, will be sold, has been fixed by the Board of the Department of Docks at the following sum, namely:

For bulkhead at foot of Ninety-second street, East river, and for premises at foot of Fulton street, Astoria, as now occupied for ferry purposes, at \$250 per annum.

The premises connected with the said ferry, to be taken in the condition in which they were in on the 1st day of August, 1877, and all repairs and rebuilding thereof, and dredging at said ferry during the term leased, to be done at the expense and cost of the lessees.

The purchases of the lease will be required, at the time of the sale, and in addition to the auctioneer's fees, to pay to the Department of Docks twenty-five per cent. of the amount of the annual rent bid for the wharf property, as security for the execution of the lease, and which twenty-five per cent. will be applied to the payment of the rent for such property first accruing under the lease, when executed or forfeited if the lessee neglects or retuses to execute the lease and bond after being duly notified that the lease is prepared and ready for signature, or, in case the bid be finally rejected, will be returned to the bidder.

Lessees will be required to pay their rent for the wharf property quarterly, in advance, in compliance with a stipulation therefor in the form of the lease adopted.

The franchise and the lease of the wharf property, of said ferry will be put up and sold together to the highest bidder, subject

pressed, and subject also to the right of the Comptroller and the Board of the Department of Docks to reject any or all bids, if deemed to be for the interest of the city.

The right to reject any bid, if deemed to be to the interest of the City of New York, is reserved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

Dated New York, October 20, 1877.

JOHN KELLY,

Comptroller.

JACOB A. WESTERVELT, HENRY F. DIMOCK, JACOB VANDERPOEL, Board of Department of Docks

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, November 8, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

JOHN KELLY,

Comptroller.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, November 15, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, November 8, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, November 22, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

JOHN KELLY,

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, November 15, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, December 13, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, w YORK, November 22, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, December 27 t877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

JOHN KELLY,

Comptroller's Office, New York, December 13, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned o Thursday, January 10, 1878, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

JOHN KELLY,

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, December 27, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, January 17, 1878, at 12 o'clock, noon at the same place.

JOHN KELLY,

Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, January 10, 1878.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, January 31, 1878, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

JOHN KELLY,

Comptroller.

Comptroller's Office, New York, January 17, 1878.

New York, January 17, --,

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, February 14, 1878, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

JOHN KELLY,

Comptroller

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, New York, January 31, 1878.

WILLIAM KENNELLY, AUCTIONEER.

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PROPERTY BELONGING TO THE CORPORAtion of the City of New York, to be be leased at auction, on Thursday, February 14, 1878.

The leases of the following described property belonging to the Corporation of the City of New York, will be sold at public auction at the New County Court-house, on Thursday, February 14, 1878, at 11 o'clock A. M., for the term extending from February 15, 1878, to May 1, 1879;

Essex Market—Part of cellar No. 1, fronting on Ludlow street, cellars Nos. 2, 3, 6, 7, and 10.

Ceutre Market—Cellar No. 3.
Fution Market—Selfar Nos. 10, 11, 14, and 15.

Premises 81 Chatham street.

128 West Broadway.

Lots 14, 15, and 16, south side Sixty-eighth street, between Lexington and Third avenues, in accordance with the following

TERMS OF SALE.

Terms of SALE.

Twenty per cent. on the yearly rent bid for each parcel to be paid to the Collector of City Revenue at the time and place of sale; and the successful bidder will be required, at the same time, to have an obligation executed by two sureties, to be approved by the Comptroller, for carrying into effect the terms of sale.

Twenty per cent., when paid, will be credited on the first quarter's rent; or forfeited, it the lessee does not execute the lease and bond within fifteen days after the sale; and the Comptroller shall be authorized, at his option, to resell the premises bid off by those failing to comply with the terms as above; and the party so failing to comply to be liable for any deficiency that may result from such resele.

be hable for any deficiency that may result from such resale.

No person will be received as lessee or surety who is delinquent on any former lease from the Corporation. No bid will be accepted from 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. (Sec. 99 of Charter of 1873.)

The leases will contain the usual covenants and conditions, reserving to the Corporation the right to cancel the lease whenever the premises may be required by them for public purposes.

All repairs will be made at the expense of the lessees, and no deduction whatever will be allowed for damage by reason of any sickness or epidemic that may prevail in the city during the continuance of the lease.

The lessees will be required to give a bond for double the amount of the annual rent, with two sureties, to be approved by the Comptroller, conditioned for the payment of the rent quarter-yearly, and the fulfillment on their part of the covenants of the lease.

JOHN KELLY,

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS, 117 AND 119 DUANE STREET, New York, 4th February, 1878.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRING THE PIERS AT THIRTIETH, THIRTY-FIFTH, FORTY-SIXTH, AND FIFTY-SEVENTH STREETS, NORTH RIVER.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRING THE sixth street, and Fifty-seventh street, North river, indorsed as above, and with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same and the date of presentation, and addressed to "The President of the Department of Docks," will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M., of

M., of
FRIDAY, 15TH FEBRUARY, 1878,
at which time and place the bids will be publicly opened
by the head of said Department and read. The award of
the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the
opening of the bids.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be a
skilled dock or bridge builder, well prepared for the business, and shall give security for the faithful performance

of his contract, in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance in the sum of three thousand dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

contract will be readvertised and relet, and so on until it be accepted and executed.

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

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Each proposal shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the bid, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that, if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required forthic completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his babilities as bail, surety and otherwise: and that he has effered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 6 of chapter 974, Laws of 1871, and by section 27 of chapter VIII. of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties offered are to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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

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T A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH of the Health Department of the City of New York, held at its office on the 8th day of February, 1878, the following resolution wa adopted:

Resolved, That the following sections of the Sanitary Code be and are hereby annulled:

Section 33. That no person shall, in the built-up portion of the City of New York, or adjacent thereto, sell or have for sale any fish in or from any vehicle, or in any street or public place, from which all parts which are not usually cooked for food have not been removed.

Section 62. That no person shall become, or continue, or engage as, or in the business of a butcher, at or. in any public or private market or stand in the City of New York, without a permit therefor from this Department.

Section 66. That no person engaged in the selling or keeping for sale of any fish, meat, birds, fowl, fruit, or vegetables, shall, without a permit from this Department, occupy or encroach upon any portion of any street or sidewalk, or public place in the City of New York.

And Section 168 That every car used for the transportation of passengers in the City of New York, shall be so constructed as at all times to provide and secure good ventilation.

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EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

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