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WILLIAM A. BOYD, Corporation Attorney.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, }
NEW YORK, October 2, 1877. }

Resolutions.

Whereas, Considerable quantities of fat are brought into the city on the ferry boats from Brooklyn, Long Island City, and Jersey City in violation of section 86 of the Sanitary Code; therefore

Resolved, That the Board of Police be requested to direct the arrest of all persons violating the Code in this matter.

Very respectfully submitted,
JOHN T. NAGLE, M. D.,
Deputy Register of Records.

BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS.

REPORTED MORTALITY* for the week ending September 29, 1877, together with the ACTUAL MORTALITY for the week ending September 22, 1877.

W. DE F. DAY, M. D., *Sanitary Superintendent and Register:*

SIR—There were 522 deaths reported to have occurred in this city during the week ending Saturday, September 29, 1877, which is an increase of 15, as compared with the number reported the preceding week, and 63 more than were reported during the corresponding week of the year 1876. The actual mortality for the week ending September 22, 1877, was 497, which is 40.8 below the average for the corresponding week of the past five years, and represents an annual death-rate of 23.91 per 1,000 persons living, the population estimated at 1,080,856.

Table showing the Reported Mortality for the week ending Sept. 29, and the Actual Number of Deaths each day, from the Principal Causes, with the Ages of Deceaseds, for the week ending Sept. 22, 1877.

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* Refers to the number of death certificates received.

WARDS.	AREA IN ACRES.	DEATHS FROM ZYMOTIC DISEASES.														Total Deaths from Zymotic Diseases.	Total Deaths from all Causes.	Total Deaths, exclusive of those in Public Institutions.	Total Population (in Words). Census of 1875.	REMARKS.	Total in Institutions.
		NEW YORK.—DEATHS FROM SMALL-POX, MEASLES, SCARLATINA, DIPHTHERIA, CROUP, WHOOPING COUGH, TYPHOID FEVER, TYPHUS FEVER, MALARIAL FEVERS, PUERPERAL FEVER, DIARRHEAL MALADIES, CEREBRO-SPINAL FEVER, AND OTHER ZYMOTIC DISEASES.																			
Actual Mortality during the Week ending September 22, 1877.																					
		Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlatina.	Diphtheria.	Croup.	Whooping Cough.	Typhus Fever.	Typhoid Fever.	Malarial Fevers.	Puerperal Fever.	All Diarrheal Diseases.	Cerebro Spinal Fever.	Other Zymotic Diseases.							
First	154	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	3	11	11	14,209	Castle Garden and Emigrant Depot, ...; First Precinct Station, .....	..
Second	87	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,013	Twenty-seventh Precinct Station, ...; House of Relief, 160 Chambers street, 1.....	..
Third	95	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	2,878	Fourth Precinct Station, ...; Mission Home, .....	..
Fourth	83	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	2	..	1	5	7	7	20,843	Fifth Precinct Station, ...; Trinity Infirmary, 50 Varick street,	..
Fifth	168	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	3	10	10	15,666	City Prison, ...; Home of Industry, ...; Centre Street Dispensary, ...; Park Street Mission Home,	..
Sixth	86	..	..	1	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	7	16	16	19,880	Seventh Precinct Station, .....	..
Seventh	198	..	..	..	..	1	4	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	7	16	16	45,656	Eighth Precinct Station, .....	..
Eighth	183	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	7	..	..	10	23	23	32,488	St. Vincent's Hospital, 2; Jefferson Market Prison, ...; Home for Old Men and Aged Couples,	..
Ninth	322	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	1	..	3	..	..	10	16	14	49,417	Essex Street Prison, ...; Tenth Precinct Station, .....	..
Tenth	110	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	1	..	9	..	..	12	21	21	41,777	St. Francis' Hospital, 3; Eleventh Precinct Station, .....	..
Eleventh	196	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	7	30	27	63,874	Reception Hospital, 9th street, 1; Infants' Hospital, 6; Soldiers' Retreat, ...; N. Y. City Asylum for the Insane, 2; Colored Orphan Asylum, ...; Ward's Island, ...; Randall's Island, 2; Bloomingdale Lunatic Asylum, 1; St. Joseph's Asylum, ...; House of Refuge, 1; House of Mercy, ...; Idiot Asylum, Randall's Island, ...; Union Home and School, ...; House of Good Shepherd, ...; Deaf and Dumb Asylum, ...; Home for Old People, ...; Homoeopathic Hospital, 9; Home for Aged and Infirm Hebrews, ...; Leake and Watt's Orphan Home, ...; St. Luke's Home, ...; N. Y. Juvenile Asylum, .....	..
Twelfth	5,504.13	..	..	2	..	1	2	..	2	3	..	5	..	5	20	49	27	59,029	Thirteenth Precinct Station, .....	..
Thirteenth	107	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	3	10	10	34,028	R. C. Orphan Asylum, ...; Lying-in Asylum, ...; Fourteenth Precinct Station, ...; House of Detention, .....	..
Fourteenth	96	..	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	7	14	14	26,471	Fifteenth Precinct Station, ...; New York Infant Asylum, .....	..
Fifteenth	198	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	2	10	10	25,543	Samaritan Home for the Aged, ...; St. Joseph's Home for the Aged, .....	..
Sixteenth	348.77	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	3	13	13	13	48,253	Seventeenth Precinct Station, .....	..
Seventeenth	334	..	..	1	4	2	..	..	..	1	..	8	..	1	17	37	37	101,094	Home for Respectable Aged and Indigent Females, ...; New York Hospital, 2; New York Infirmary for Women and Children, ...; Homoeopathic Dispensary, .....	..
Eighteenth	449.89	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	2	7	20	18	61,207	Inebriate Asylum, ...; Presbyterian Home, ...; German Hospital, 1; Mt. Sinai Hospital, 2; Foundling Hospital, 3; Women's Hospital, ...; City Lunatic Asylum, 2; Almshouse, 7; Penitentiary, ...; Small-pox Hospital, 1; Charity Hospital, 4; Epileptic and Paralytic Hospital, ...; Colored Home Hospital, 2; Nursery and Child's Hospital, 2; St. Luke's Hospital, 3; Workhouse, ...; Fever Hospital, ...; Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum, 1; Hospital for Ruptured and Crippled, ...; Home for the Aged (Little Sisters of the Poor), ...; Chapin Home for the Aged, ...; St. Joseph's Industrial Home, ...; Orphans' Home and Asylum (Protestant Episcopal), 49th street and Lexington avenue, ...; Hebrew Orphan Asylum, ...; Baptist Home, ...; 57th Street Prison, .....	..
Nineteenth	1,480.60	..	..	..	3	1	2	..	..	2	..	7	..	3	18	71	43	117,835	Trinity Chapel Home, ...; St. Elizabeth's Hospital, ...; St. Mary's Hospital, ...; Twenty-ninth Precinct Station, Bellevue Hospital, 14; in Ambulances, ...; Morgue, ...; Peabody Home for the Aged, ...; St. Stephen's Home, ...; Twenty-first Precinct Station, ...; Home of the Friendless, .....	..
Twentieth	444	..	..	1	1	2	..	..	..	1	..	6	..	..	11	32	32	79,671	Roosevelt Hospital, 3; Old Ladies' Home, ...; New York Infant Asylum, 1; Hahnemann's Hospital, ...	..
Twenty-first	411	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	5	32	18	58,883	New York Orphan Asylum, ...; Twenty-second Precinct Station, .....	..
Twenty-second	1,529.42	..	..	1	..	2	1	..	2	2	..	5	..	3	16	41	37	83,549	House of Rest for Consumptives, 3; Home for Incurables, ...; Thirty-fourth Precinct Station, ...; Thirty-fifth Precinct Station, .....	..
Twenty-third	4,267.023	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	3	..	..	5	11	11	24,331		..
Twenty-fourth	8,050.323	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	5	2	11,875		..
Totals	24,893.156	..	..	10	21	13	15	..	8	16	..	79	1	16	179	497	418	*1,046,037	Total mortality in Public Institutions.	79

* 6.267 in Asylums and Penal Institutions.

Births* reported during the week ending September 29, 1877.

TOTAL.	COLOR.		SEX.			NATIVITY OF PARENTS.									NAME OF CHILD.	
	White.	Colored.	Male.	Female.	Not stated.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign Father only.	Foreign Mother only.	NATIVITY OF FATHER STATED ONLY		NATIVITY OF MOTHER STATED ONLY		Not stated.	Not stated.	
										Native.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign.			
521	514	7	256	265	....	309	111	78	21	....	....	2	....	....	404	117

Marriages* reported during the week ending September 29, 1877.

TOTAL.	COLOR.		NATIVITY.						CONDITION.					
	White.	Colored.	Foreign.	Native.	Born at sea.	Not stated.			First marriage.	Second marriage.	Third marriage.	Fourth marriage.	Not stated.	
	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.
121	120	120	1	1	68	49	52	71	..	..	1	1	100	102

* The returns of births, marriages, and still-births are incomplete.

Nativity of those who were Married, and the Parents of the Births and Still-Births, for the week ending September 29, 1877, and those who Died (actual mortality), week ending September 22, 1877.

NATIVITY OF DECEASED.	COUNTRY.	NATIVITY OF PARENTS OF DECEASED.		BIRTHS.		MARRIAGES.		STILL-BIRTHS.	
		Father.	Mother.	Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.	Nativity of Groom.	Nativity of Bride.	Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.
2	Austria	8	9	6	1	..	..	..	..
2	British America	1	1	1	4	..	..	..	..
9	England	15	13	15	13	..	..	..	..
9	France	11	9	7	4	..	..	..	..
60	Germany	130	114	210	169	35	16	15	11
60	Ireland	178	170	113	105	19	21	13	16
..	Italy	4	4	4	4	1	..	..	..
1	Poland	6	6	5	7	1	1	..	..
2	Scotland	6	5	5	2	2	2	1	1
..	Switzerland .....	..	..	3	3	..	1	..	..
350	United States	100	132	132	191	52	71	9	18
2	Unknown or not stated	16	16	2	..	1	1	1	..
4	West Indies	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	..
3	Other countries	9	8	17	17	3	2	2	1

Still-Births reported during the week ending September 29, 1877.

TOTAL.	SEX.			COLOR.		NATIVITY OF						PERIOD OF UTERO-GESTATION.										
	Male.	Female.	Not stated.	White.	Colored	FATHER.			MOTHER.			MONTH.										Unknown or not stated.
						Native.	Foreign.	Not stated.	Native.	Foreign.	Not stated.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
50	26	24	..	49	1	9	39	2	18	32	..	..	..	..	2	3	4	7	5	28	1	..

Deaths reported during the week ending September 29, 1877.

TOTAL.	PLACE OF DEATH.													RESIDENCE.			CONDITION.					
	Institutions.	Tenement-houses.	Houses containing three families or less.	Hotels and Boarding-houses.	In Rivers, Streets, Boats, etc.	Not stated.	FLOORS.							New York City.	Outside New York City.	Not stated. †	Single.	Married.	Widowed.	Not stated. †		
							Basement.	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.								Seventh.	Not stated.
522	76	278	163	1	3	..	5	110	144	111	48	13	1	..	..	518	4	..	65	110	51	296

† Principally children and deaths in institutions.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
NEW YORK, October 2, 1877.

To the Board of Health:

GENTLEMEN—We have the honor to report that, pursuant to a resolution of your Board, adopted at a meeting held in the early part of August last, directing the Attorney and Sanitary Superintendent to prepare evidence with which to procure indictments against the persons responsible for the nuisances at Hunter's Point, Dr. E. Waller and Inspector Thomas J. Nealis were assigned to the difficult work of tracing the offensive odors which from time to time prevail in the eastern section of this city to the establishment at Hunter's Point from which these odors actually emanate. These officers accordingly repeatedly inspected the various establishments at Hunter's Point and Blissville, making careful surveys, observations and maps to verify their impressions, so that they could positively testify before the Grand Jury and in the courts to facts sustaining their complaints. They procured boats and made repeated experiments and observations along the river front. They also visited the institutions and buildings on Blackwell's Island, where the odors were plainly perceived. In this manner they were enabled to appear before the Grand Jury and testify, not from impressions or belief, but from accurate observation. Upon their testimony an indictment was procured in this county on the 26th ulto. against the proprietor of Coe's Fertilizer Works, under the provisions of chapter 415 of the Laws of 1851. With the active co-operation of the District Attorney it is believed that the indicted parties can speedily be brought to trial, and with their conviction there will no doubt be a permanent cessation of all cause for complaint from Hunter's Point. This method of proceeding through the Criminal Courts, by the aid of the District Attorney, has been taken as the only resource of this department. The ordinary mode of procedure against nuisances under the Health Laws are non-applicable when the source of nuisance is outside of the city, and the efforts of the Department for two years in aid of the citizens, both in advising the necessary legislation and in promotion of measures adopted in this city, have not met with other success than to direct attention to the true sources of the nuisance. It is to be hoped that the labors of the Department in this direction will now have a practical result, and a success in remedying at least one nuisance and in furthering the abatement of others in the same locality.

WALTER DE F. DAY, M. D., Sanitary Superintendent.
W. P. PRENTICE, Attorney and Counsel.

A Report on the Removal of Mr. Ohl, who was sick with yellow fever.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
NEW YORK, October 2, 1877.

It was reported to the Department on Sunday afternoon, September 23, by a physician of the Roosevelt Hospital, that there was a patient at that hospital, sick of yellow fever. It therefore became the duty of the Officers of this Department to co-operate with the Health Officer of the Port to carry out the State Laws applicable to prevent the spread of disease, especially the duty enjoined upon them under sections 15 and 16, chapter 74, Laws of 1866, the Quarantine Laws, chapter 757 of the Laws of 1873, section 12, chapter 636 of 1874, section 3 and section 5, 145 and 147 of the Sanitary Code. The Health Officer of the Port is required by law to receive into the Quarantine Hospital all cases of yellow fever originating at Quarantine or elsewhere, and it seemed to be the plain duty of the Health Officer of the city to direct the removal of any yellow fever patient to the hospital designated by the law for the reception of said sick. As to the removal of Mr. Ohl it was accomplished in such a manner that the Chairman of the Committee does not believe he suffered any harm. The Health Officer sent his steam yacht to the foot of Fifty-ninth street and the North river. Mr. Ohl was carried in an ambulance from the hospital to the boat, a distance of two blocks. Dr. Jones, the Assistant Sanitary Superintendent accompanied him to the Quarantine Hospital on the boat. His mental condition was apathetic to that extent that he suffered no shock to the nervous system from this removal.

If there was no reason for his removal there is none for the retention of people sick with yellow fever at Quarantine Hospital, for they could be put in clean clothes and allowed to come home. And, on the other hand, if there was no reason for his removal there was equally none for disinfection. Statements have been made that the weather was too cold for yellow fever to develop. Such persons have not studied the occurrence at Swansea, in Wales, in 1865, nor that mentioned in the reports of the health of the British navy as occurring in the harbor of Halifax, nor the continuance of the disease on previous occasions in this city and vicinity in the months of September and October, and even into November. Upon the question of contagiousness in yellow fever, there has been a great deal of difference of opinion. We would cite the article in Reynold's System of Medicine, written by Dr. MacDonald, a gentleman who had considerable experience with this disease (1876), also the article on yellow fever by Dr. Cochrane, of Mobile, presented to and published by the Alabama State Medical Society (1877). Dr. Cochrane is amongst the ablest physicians of the State and of Mobile, a city in which this disease prevails at times (the last in 1873). Aiken, also, seems to take the same view. The action of the French government after the epidemic at St. Nazaire seems also to point to the same conclusion having been arrived at, and that is that there is a possibility of the spread of the disease by contagion. The Reports of the Health of the British Navy, made up from statements by different physicians and others, will present both sides of the case. There are a number of medical writers who take the opposite ground, and I think that there is no danger from contagion, providing that the clothing, etc., is removed. This diversity of opinion must have led the Legislature and the previous Boards of Health to adopt the laws cited.

E. G. JANEWAY, M. D.,
Chairman Sanitary Committee.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 28th day of September, 1877.

Present—Messrs. Smith, Wheeler, Erhardt, and Nichols, Commissioners.

Leaves of Absence Granted.

Patrolman Edward Moran, First Precinct, one day, without pay.

" Hugh Clark, Fifteenth Precinct, one day, without pay.

" Louis Selig, Twenty-fifth Precinct, one day, without pay.

" George H. Aiken, Twenty-fifth Precinct, two days, without pay.

Parades Approved.

John A. Kennedy Lodge, I. O. O. F., September 26. Removal Parade.

Germania Sharpshooters, September 26. Removal Parade.

Unity Club, September 28. Removal Parade.

Austrian Singing Society, September 27. Serenade.

Ancient Order Hibernians No. 34, September 26. Funeral.

Manhattan K. U. Verein, September 26. Funeral.

Commonwealth Benevolent Society, September 28. Funeral.

Yuenglings' Harlem and Manhattanville Brewery Guard, September 26. Target excursion.

New York City Scheutzen Corps, September 26. Target excursion.

Fourth Ward Citizens' Club, October 2. Target excursion.

Eighteenth Ward Citizens' Guard, October 4. Target excursion.

Communication from the Citizens' Savings Bank, giving notice that the services of a Police officer will not be required after October 1 next, was ordered on file.

An application of Captain A. J. Allaire for transfer, was referred to the Committee on Rules and Discipline.

A bill of H. H. Sherman, for stenographic services, \$37.60, was referred to the Committee on Rules and Discipline.

Resolved, That Patrolman Edward Handy, Detective Squad, be granted permission to receive a reward of \$25 (subject to the deduction under the rule), from the Old Dominion Steamship Company.

Resolved, That Patrolman James Moran be and he is hereby transferred from the Fourteenth Precinct to the Detective Squad.

Resolved, That Patrick Henry Marron be and is hereby appointed Patrolman (subject to re-examination by the Surgeons), and assigned to duty in the ——— Precinct.

Resolved, That Charles Gerlach be and is hereby reappointed a Patrolman, and assigned to the First Precinct for duty—all the Commissioners present, and voting aye.

Resolved, That respectful application be made to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize the Board of Police to transfer from the account of "Police Fund" (salaries) of the appropriation for the year 1875, the sum of ten thousand dollars of the unexpended balance of said year, to the account of "Supplies for Police" appropriation for the year 1877, which is insufficient.

An application of Patrolman Elisha Stokem, Thirty-third Precinct, for thirty days' sick leave of absence, was referred to the Superintendent to report the ailment of the officer.

Resolved, That the following Pay-rolls for the month of September, 1877, be and are hereby ordered to be paid by the Treasurer—all voting aye:

Central Department and Surgeons..... \$11,591 60

Employees..... 1,141 65

\$12,733 25

APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Wild to place two ornamental lamps and lamp-posts, one on the northwest corner of Fourteenth street and Irving place and one on the southwest corner of Fifteenth street and Irving place, the posts not to exceed the usual dimensions, the work to be done at his own expense, and gas supplied from his own meters, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 13, 1877.
Approved by the Mayor, September 25, 1877.

Resolved, That Louis A. Risse be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.
Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 19, 1877.
Approved by the Mayor, September 26, 1877.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify all the property-owners on both sides of Twenty-third street, from Tenth avenue to Hudson river, also on Thirteenth avenue, from Twenty-first to Twenty-third street, on the east side of the avenue, to repair and put the flagging on the sidewalks in good order, where not already done, and to see that this resolution is carried into effect immediately, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter XV., of the Ordinance of 1866.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 13, 1877.
Approved by the Mayor, September 26, 1877.

Resolved, That Charles E. Jackson be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.
Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 19, 1877.
Approved by the Mayor, September 26, 1877.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works, pursuant to the provisions of section 11 to 19, of chapter XV. of the ordinances of 1866, be and is hereby requested to cause the curb and gutter stones to be reset on the north side of Little West Twelfth street, and the sidewalks properly repaired and put in good order.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 13, 1877.
Approved by the Mayor, September 26, 1877.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John N. A. Griswold to erect a bay-window on the Madison avenue front of the house situated at the northwest corner of Madison avenue and Thirty-eighth street, as shown in the annexed 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.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 13, 1877.
Approved by the Mayor, September 26, 1877.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William Barry to place and keep a watering-trough in front of his premises, on the west side of Kingsbridge road, between One Hundred and Ninety-sixth and One Hundred and Ninety-seventh streets, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 19, 1877.
Approved by the Mayor, September 26, 1877.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to S. Bellman to place and keep a bay-window on the building now in course of erection on the northeast corner of Sixty-third street and Madison 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.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 19, 1877.
Approved by the Mayor, September 26, 1877.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to licensed venders to keep their wagons a few hours in the evening for the sale of fruit, vegetables, etc., between Thirty-second and Thirty-third streets, on Second avenue; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 19, 1877.
Approved by the Mayor, September 28, 1877.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 19, 1877.
Approved by the Mayor, September 28, 1877.

Resolved, That the carriage-way of Fortieth street, from the Fifth to Sixth avenue, be repaired, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 13, 1877.
Approved by the Mayor, September 20, 1877.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Mary Bradhurst to place and keep a bay-window in front of her premises, No. 119 John street, according to the accompanying diagram, the work to be done at her own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 13, 1877.
Approved by the Mayor, September 20, 1877.

Resolved, That a lamp-post be erected and a street-lamp lighted at or near the southeast corner of Fourth avenue and Fourteenth streets, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 4, 1877.
Approved by the Mayor, September 17, 1877.

Resolved, That an ornamental lamp, similar to the one opposite the Astor House, be substituted for the one now situated in square in front of the northerly side of the Cooper Institute, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 4, 1877.
Approved by the Mayor, September 17, 1877.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Mrs. Schaeffer to erect two ornamental lamp-posts and lamps in front of her premises No. 201 Grand street, the lamp-posts not to exceed the usual dimensions, the work to be done at her own expense, and gas supplied from her own meter, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 4, 1877.
Approved by the Mayor, September 17, 1877.

Resolved, That Seventy-fourth street, from Avenue A to East river, be paved with Belgian pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 4, 1877.
Approved by the Mayor, September 17, 1877.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to lay Croton water-mains in One Hundred and Forty-third street, between Third and Willis avenues, as provided in section 2, chapter 477, Laws of 1875.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 4, 1877.
Approved by the Mayor, September 17, 1877.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS,
OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT,
No. 2 FOURTH AVENUE,
NEW YORK, October 1, 1877.

The following comprises the operations of the Department of Buildings for the week ending September 29, 1877.

W. W. ADAMS,
Superintendent of Buildings.
SAMUEL T. WEBSTER,
Chief Clerk.

BUREAU OF INSPECTION OF BUILDINGS.

New Buildings.

No. of plans and specifications filed, etc.	13
No. of buildings embraced in same.	32
Classified as follows:	
First-class dwellings	2
Second-class dwellings	19
French flats	1
Tenement houses	6
Hotels and boarding-houses	1
First-class stores	1
Second-class stores	1
Third-class stores	1
Office buildings	1
Manufactories and workshops	4
School-houses	1
Churches	1
Public buildings	1
Stables	1
Frame buildings (in upper districts)	1
Total	32

Plans passed upon, including those previously filed	16
Approved	10
Amended and approved	2
Disapproved	2
Pending	2
Total	16

Altered Buildings.

No. of plans and specifications filed	14
No. of buildings embraced in same	14
Classified as follows:	
First-class dwellings	2
Second-class dwellings	2
French flats	1
Tenement houses	6
Hotels and boarding-houses	1
First-class stores	1
Second-class stores	1
Third-class stores	1
Office buildings	2
Manufactories and workshops	1
School-houses	1
Churches	1
Public buildings	1
Stables	1
Frame buildings	1
Total	14

Buildings examined and plans relating thereto passed upon, including those previously filed	31
Approved	17
Amended and approved	11
Disapproved	3
Pending	1
Total	31

Special Applications.

Number filed and examinations made	24
Approved	17
Disapproved	3
Pending	4
Total	24

Building operations for the month of September, as reported by the District Inspectors:	
New Buildings commenced	74
New Buildings completed, including those previously reported commenced	89
Alterations commenced	67
Alterations completed, including those previously reported commenced	76
New Buildings in progress	691
Alterations " "	169

Respectfully submitted,
ROBERT MCGINNIS,
Chief of Bureau.

JOHN J. TINDALE,
Clerk.

BUREAU OF VIOLATIONS AND APPLICATIONS.

Operations for the week ending September 29, 1877:	
Complaints received from outside sources	4
Violations of the law reported	8
" " removed	8
Unsafe buildings reported	17
" " made safe	29
" " taken down	4
Surveys held on unsafe buildings	4
Violation cases sent to the Attorney for prosecution	7
Unsafe building cases sent to the Attorney for prosecution	7
Violation notices served	26
Unsafe building notices served	26

Operations for the month of September, 1877:	
Complaints received from outside sources	29
Violations of the law reported	44
" " removed	35

Unsafe buildings reported	85
" " made safe	95
" " taken down	12
Surveys held on unsafe buildings	12
Violation cases sent to the Attorney for prosecution	12
Unsafe building cases sent to the Attorney for prosecution	48
Violation notices served	129
Unsafe building notices served	129

Respectfully submitted,
ANDREW OWENS,
Chief of Bureau.

WILLIAM H. CLASS,
Clerk.

BUREAU OF FIRE-ESCAPES AND IRON WORK.

Operations for the week ending September 29, 1877:

Buildings reported for fire-escapes	30
" " iron shutters	1
Buildings reported for trap-doors and railings to hoistways	31
Fire-escapes provided	1
Iron shutters provided	1
Trap-doors and railings to hoistways provided	1
Arch girders tested (approved)	3
" (not approved)	1
Iron beams tested (approved)	6
" (not approved)	1
Iron lintels tested (approved)	1
" (not approved)	1
Notices for fire-escapes, etc., served	69
Cases sent to the Attorney for prosecution	10

Operations for the month of September, 1877:

Buildings reported for fire-escapes	158
" " iron shutters	3
Buildings reported for trap-doors and railings to hoistways	2
Buildings provided with fire-escapes	98
" " iron shutters	1
Buildings provided with trap-doors and railings to hoistways	26
Arch girders tested (approved)	26
" (not approved)	1
Iron beams tested (approved)	24
" (not approved)	1
Iron lintels tested (approved)	8
" (not approved)	1
Notices for fire-escapes, etc., served	315
Cases sent to the Attorney for prosecution	12

Respectfully submitted,
CHAS. K. HYDE,
Chief of Bureau.

VICTOR W. VOORHEES,
Clerk.

1877. Appointment.

Sept. 15—James J. Fleming, Messenger.

Bill Incurred.

Sept.—To F. Meyer, rent "Westchester office" \$8 00

COMMON COUNCIL.

Names, Residences, and Places of Business of the Members of the Board of Aldermen.

NAMES.	RESIDENCE.	PLACE OF BUSINESS.
Henry D. Purroy	Fordham.	261 Broadway
Wm. L. Cole	142 E. 62d st.	57 Murray st.
Rufus B. Cowing	134 E. 78th st.	166 Broadway
John De Vries	112 Sullivan st.	114 Wooster st.
Ferd. Ehrhart	139 E. Houston st.	139 E. Houston st.
John W. Guntzer	83 2d st.	83 2d st.
George Hall	54 Eldridge st.	51 Bowery
Henry E. Howland	300 Lexington av.	60 Wall st.
William Joyce	445 W. 44th st.	445 W. 44th
Patrick Keenan	610 E. 12th st.	216 Avenue
William Lamb	102 W. 21st st.	102 W. 21st
Samuel A. Lewis	314 W. 14th st.	59 University
John J. Morris	117 W. 21st st.	6 Pine st.
Lewis J. Phillips	24 E. 74th st.	27 Stuyvesant st.
Jos. C. Pinckney	27 Stuyvesant st.	27 Stuyvesant st.
Bryan Reilly	73 Monroe st.	73 Monroe st.
William Salmon	305 W. 34th st.	Builder.
William Sauer	55 E. 20th st.	55 E. 20th st.
Thomas Sheils	55 Pike st.	71 E. B'way.
Stephen N. Simonson	307 W. 48th st.	304 W. 52d st.
James J. Slevin	131 Mott st.	25 Spring st.
Michael Tuomey	133 E. 43d st.	133 E. 43d st.

HENRY D. PURROY, President.
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

Standing Committees, 1877.

ARTS, SCIENCES, AND EDUCATION.—Aldermen Salmon Lamb, and Morris.
PUBLIC WORKS.—Aldermen Sheils, Joyce, Salmon Simonson, and Pinckney.
FERRIES AND DOCK DEPARTMENT.—Aldermen Joyce, Sheils, and Phillips.
FINANCE AND DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.—Aldermen Keenan, Cole, Lewis, Morris, and Pinckney.
LAW DEPARTMENT.—Aldermen Lewis, Hall, and Howland.
PRINTING AND ADVERTISING.—Aldermen Tuomey, Sauer, and De Vries.
MARKETS.—Aldermen Hall, Sauer, and Ehrhart.
RAILROADS.—Aldermen Guntzer, Reilly, and Cowing.
REPAIRS AND SUPPLIES.—Aldermen Slevin, Lewis, and Ehrhart.
ROADS, BRIDGES, AND TUNNELS.—Aldermen Lamb, Sheils, and Simonson.
SALARIES AND OFFICES.—Aldermen Cole, Hall, and Cowing.
STREETS.—Aldermen Reilly, Slevin, and Phillips.
STREET PAVEMENTS.—Aldermen Hall, Joyce, and De Vries.
LANDS AND PLACES, AND PARK DEPARTMENT.—Aldermen Cole, Lamb, and Howland.
FIRE AND BUILDING DEPARTMENTS.—Aldermen Salmon, Lamb, and Cowing.
POLICE AND HEALTH DEPARTMENTS.—Aldermen Keenan, Guntzer, and Morris.
CHARITIES AND CORRECTION AND EXCISE DEPARTMENTS.—Aldermen Sauer, Slevin, and Ehrhart.
COUNTY AFFAIRS.—Aldermen Tuomey, Sauer, Guntzer, Howland, and Simonson.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

WILLIAM KENNELLY, AUCTIONEER.

CORPORATION SALE OF THE FRANCHISE OF THE FERRY FROM BULKHEAD AT THE FOOT OF WHITEHALL STREET, NEW YORK, TO STATEN ISLAND.

THE FRANCHISE OF THE FERRY FROM THE bulkhead at the foot of Whitehall street, New York, to Staten Island, will be sold at public auction on Wednesday, July 11, 1877, at the Comptroller's Office, at 12 o'clock noon, for the period of one year, from July 15, 1877. The form of the lease required to be executed by the highest bidder can be seen at the Comptroller's Office, on and after July 9, 1877.

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

The minimum rate for which the ferry franchise or license to operate ferries shall be used or enjoyed has been appraised and set by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at five per cent. of the gross receipts for ferrage that shall hereafter accrue at each separate ferry, collected at the landing place in the City of New York, such percentage to be paid quarterly 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, quarterly, a statement 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 ferrage received by such lessee during the preceding three months, and also, that the lessee shall keep regular books of account, showing the daily gross receipts of the ferry leased, and allow said Comptroller, or any person designated by him, to examine such books.

The franchise will be put up and knocked down to the person offering to pay the largest percentage on the gross receipts collected at the landing place in the City of New York.

All moneys received for the conveyance of passengers, animals, vehicles, or freight from New York to Staten Island, to be collected at the landing place in New York, or, if collected elsewhere, to be included in the receipts upon which such five per cent. is to be calculated and paid.

No bid less than five per cent. on such gross receipts will be entertained.

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 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 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, Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, July 3, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, July 13, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Comptroller's Office,
JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, July 11, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, July 26, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Comptroller's Office,
JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, July 19, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, August 2, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place,
JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, July 26, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, August 16, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place,
JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, Aug. 2, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, August 23, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place,
JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, August 16, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, August 30, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place,
JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, August 23, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, September 6, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place,
JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, August 30, 1877.

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

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, September 6, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, September 20, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place,
JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, September 13, 1877.

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

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, September 20, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Monday, October 8, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place,
JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

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

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, of any, set apart for ferry purposes at each of said ferries, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, at the office of the Comptroller of the City of New York, on the 26th day of July, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon,

for the period of five years from August 1, 1877, except as otherwise stated, namely:

Ferry from foot of Whitehall street to Staten Island.
Ferry from Cortlandt street, North river, to Jersey City.
Ferry from Barclay street, North river, to Hoboken, New Jersey.

Ferry from Desbrosses street, North river, to Harsimus, Jersey City.

Ferry from Tenth street, East river, to Greenpoint, Long Island.

Ferry from Twenty-third street, East river, to Greenpoint, Long Island.

Ferry from Ninety-second street, East river, to Astoria, Queens County, Long Island, for five years from November 1, 1877.

The minimum rate for which said ferry franchises or the right to operate said ferries shall be used or enjoyed has been appraised and fixed by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at five per cent. of the gross receipts for ferrage that shall hereafter accrue at each separate ferry, collected at the landing place in the City of New York, and in no case to be less than one-half the gross receipts of the ferry wherever collected, such percentage to be paid quarterly to the Comptroller, and each lease will contain a covenant requiring the lessees to make and deliver to the Comptroller, quarterly, a statement in writing, verified by the 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 ferrage received by such lessee during the preceding three months, and also, that the lessee will keep regular books of account, showing the daily gross receipts of the ferry leased, and allow said Comptroller, or any person designated by him, to examine such books at all reasonable times.

Every person bidding for a ferry franchise must state what percentage of the gross receipts collected at the landing-place in the City of New York he will pay for the same. All moneys received for the conveyance of passengers, animals, vehicles, or freight from the City of New York, over any ferry route, to any of the opposite shores, to be collected at the landing-place in New York, or if collected elsewhere, to be included in the receipts upon which such percentage is to be calculated and paid.

The minimum price for which the lease of said wharf property will be sold has been fixed by the Board of the Department of Docks at the following sums, namely:

Wharf property connected with the ferry from Cortlandt street, North river, to Jersey City, has been leased by the Department of Docks to the associates of the Jersey Company for ten years from May 1, 1876, at \$7,510 per annum.

Ferry from Desbrosses street, North river, to Harsimus, Jersey City.

For the bulkhead and short pier at foot of Desbrosses street, North river, being about 65 feet in width along the westerly side of West street, or as much thereof as may be owned by the Corporation, at \$500 per annum.

Ferry from Tenth street, East river, to Greenpoint, Long Island.

For bulkhead at foot of Tenth street, East river, or so much thereof as may now be occupied for ferry purposes, at \$250 per annum.

For bulkhead at north side of and contiguous to foot of Twenty-third street, East river, as now occupied for ferry purposes, at \$2,500 per annum.

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

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

All the above-named premises to be taken in the condition in which they may be in on the 1st day of August, 1877, and all repairs and rebuilding thereof, and dredging thereof, during the term leased, to be done at the expense and cost of the lessees.

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.

Lessees will be required to pay their rent for the wharf property quarterly, in advance, in compliance with a stipulation therein 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.

No bid for a ferry franchise of less than five per cent. of the gross receipts to be collected at the landing-place in New York, as before set forth, and no bid for the lease of wharf property less than the minimum price fixed by the Board of the Department of Docks will be received.

Bidders must bid for the franchise 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 seen at the office of the Comptroller on and after July 23, 1877.

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.

The leases will contain a covenant requiring the lessees to pay quarterly to the Comptroller the percentage of the gross receipts paid for the franchise of each ferry.

Dated New York, July 17, 1877.

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

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, August 2, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place,
JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, July 26, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, August 16, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place,
JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, August 2, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, August 23, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place,
JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, August 16, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, August 30, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place,
JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, August 23, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, September 6, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place,
JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, August 30, 1877.

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

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, September 6, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, September 20, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, September 13, 1877.

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

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, September 20, 1877.

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

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, September 27, 1877.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
No. 16 NEW COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, September 4, 1877.

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 AUGUST 31, 1877.

75th street, paving, from 1st to 3d avenue.

123rd " " " " 3d to 4th " "

Little 12th street, paving, from 10th to 13th avenue.

116th street, paving, with Telford-McAdam pavement, between 6th and 7th avenues, and setting curb stones and flagging sidewalks.

133d street, regulating, grading, etc., from 10th avenue to Hudson river.

136th street, grading, from Southern Boulevard to within 230 42-100 feet of Oak avenue.

80th street, setting curb and gutter stones, flagging, and laying crosswalks, from 4th to Madison avenue.

117th street, south side, flagging, from 4th to Lexington avenue.

5th avenue, east side, flagging, from 58th to 64th street.

Madison avenue, crosswalks, at 89th, 90th, 91st, 93d, and 94th streets.

152d street, sewer, between Boulevard and Hudson river.

4th avenue, sewer, east side, between 19th and 20th streets.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before November 3, 1877, 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 information.

EDWARD GILON,
Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
No. 16 NEW COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, August 15, 1877.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED AUGUST 6, 1877. ENTERED AUGUST 10, 1877.

One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, opening, from Ninth avenue to the Boulevard.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before October 15, 1877, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of entry.

EDWARD GILON,
Collector of Assessments.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

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

Grants, 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 sets, 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.

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, February 6, 1877.

INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

THE INTEREST ON THE BONDS AND STOCKS of the City and County of New York, due November 1, 1877, will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office in the New Court-house.

The transfer books will be closed from September 25 to November 1, 1877.

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
September 19, 1877.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,
ROOM 39, 300 MULBERRY STREET.

JACOB SEABACHER, AUCTIONEER.

TWENTY-FOURTH AUCTION SALE UNCLAIMED PROPERTY.

THE TWENTY-FOURTH SALE UNCLAIMED property will take place at 300 Mulberry street, Police Department, on October 15, at 10 o'clock A. M. Consisting of miscellaneous articles, boats, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, trunks, revolvers, rope, lead, blankets, brooms, gold and silver watches, rings, brooms, tea, coffee, etc.

C. A. ST. JOHN, Property Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,
300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, Sept. 7, 1877.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk, Police Department, City of New York, 300 Mulberry street, Room 39, for the following property found abandoned in street: A heavy bay mare, 16½ hands, about 7 years old, small white star on forehead, black fetlock joints.

C. A. ST. JOHN, Property Clerk

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, October 1, 1877.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Police will sell at public auction on Saturday, October 13, 1877, at 10 o'clock A. M., a quantity of old horse-shoes and scrap iron, at the stables of the Bureau of Street Cleaning, foot of East Seventeenth street, East river.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY NEW YORK,
300 MULBERRY STREET,
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE, ROOM 39,
NEW YORK, September 28, 1877.

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

Boats, cart, wagon, lot rope, revolvers, furniture, male and female clothing, silver watch, small amount of money taken from prisoners and found on street.

C. A. ST. JOHN, Property Clerk.

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of Erastus H. Munson, for the appointment of Commissioners to estimate and appraise the loss and damage of all persons claiming to be entitled as owners of any real estate situated within the boundaries of the plot of land laid out for a "Military Parade Ground," on the map filed pursuant to the provisions of the Laws of 1871.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS appointed by the Supreme Court in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons claiming to be entitled as the owners of any real estate, situate within the boundaries of the plot of land laid out for a Military Parade Ground, on the map heretofore filed, pursuant to the provisions of the Laws of 1871, chapter 628, to any compensation for loss or damage arising from or by reason of the laying out of said Parade Ground as aforesaid, or the proceedings heretofore taken, pursuant to the said act, or by reason of the repeal of said act, to present their claims, in writing, to us as such Commissioners, at our office, No. 33 Fine street second story, Rooms Nos. 5, 6, 7, and 8, in the City of New York, on or before the sixth day of October, 1877, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hold public session for the ten week days next after said sixth day of October, and at such subsequent days, if any said proceedings shall be adjourned to by said Commissioners, at which proof may be offered by any person claiming such compensation, and by the Counsel for the Corporation of the City of New York, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office, on each of said ten days, at two o'clock in the afternoon.

Dated New York, September 18, 1877.

WM. H. WICKHAM,
WM. C. TRAPHAGEN,
BERNARD SMYTH,
Commissioners.

JURORS.

NOTICE

IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

ELECTION NOTICE.

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE COMMON COUNCIL,
No. 8 CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, October 1, 1877.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, PURSUANT TO the provisions of section 1, chapter 503, Laws of 1875, being an act to amend chapter 675, Laws of 1872, entitled "An act in relation to elections in the City and County of New York, and to provide for ascertaining by proper proofs the citizens who shall be entitled to the rights of suffrage thereat," that at the General Election to be held in this State, on the Tuesday succeeding the first Monday of November next (November 6), the following municipal officers are to be elected in the City and County of New York, viz.:

Six Aldermen, to be voted for by the electors of the City at large;

Three Aldermen, to be voted for in the Fourth Senate District, composed of the First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Seventh, Thirteenth, and Fourteenth Wards of the City of New York;

Three Aldermen, to be voted for in the Fifth Senate District, composed of the Eighth, Ninth, Fifteenth, and Sixteenth Wards of the City of New York;

Three Aldermen, to be voted for in the Sixth Senate District, composed of the Tenth, Eleventh, and Seventeenth Wards of the City of New York;

Three Aldermen, to be voted for in the Seventh Senate District, composed of the Eighteenth, Twentieth, and Twenty-first Wards of the City of New York;

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